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Council Divided As Soaring County Rate Struck

BY AISLING
CONROY

Reconvening a second time to strike a new county rate, members of Waterford Co. Council found themselves at loggerheads last Friday over a controversial rates hike that has left county service consumers horrified.

Again, the inevitable picket of protesting rate payers outside Dungarvan Courthouse made the Council members difficult task only all too real.

At the outset of the estimates meeting, Co. Manager, Donal Connolly continued his detailed ex-

planation of the various programmes outlined in his report. As set out in the report, Mr. Connolly believed that in order to maintain Council services at a reasonable level for 1995 and to ensure that the Council did not over spend its estimate provision for the com-

ing year, a 23% increase was necessary for domestic water charges (£26 increase) with a 331/3 increase in refuse collection (£2 per tag) and 10% on commercial rates.

NEW POVERTY TRAP

The Council's dire financial dilemma was again slammed by many members

including Cllr Nora Flynn who said the rate charges in Co. Waterford were among the highest in the country. "There's an inequity in the system", she declared, "I can't condone them, the increases are far higher than inflation. No wonder small towns are being decimated and shops closing down," she stingingly added.

The Cappoquin Councillor further stated that a new

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Ring T.V. Company Launches Programme

The Waterford Gaeltacht's first locally produced television programme was last week launched in the community hall in Ring.

The half-hour programme, a documentary on the county's hurling story, is told through the experiences of the Waterford All-Ireland winning goalkeeper, Ned Power and is expected to be shown next year on the new Irish language television channel, *Telifís na Gaeilge*.

The documentary is the first made for broadcast by the Ring based independent television company, Nemeton, headed by local journalist Irial Mac Murchú.

The company employs two full-time and many more part-time people depending on the work in hand.

Speaking at the launch, Údarás na Gaeltacht's Regional Manager, Síofán Ó Cúilain said that the project was an example of what could be achieved by local people who took the initiative to create work for themselves.

He went on: "In a years time, we will look back and remember that here is how



▲ Pictured after the conferring Ceremony of the Institute of Certified Public Accountants in Ireland is John B. White of Monarud, Dungarvan, son of John and Mary White. John received his certificate of membership to the Institute from Mary O'Rourke, T.D., Minister for Labour Affairs.

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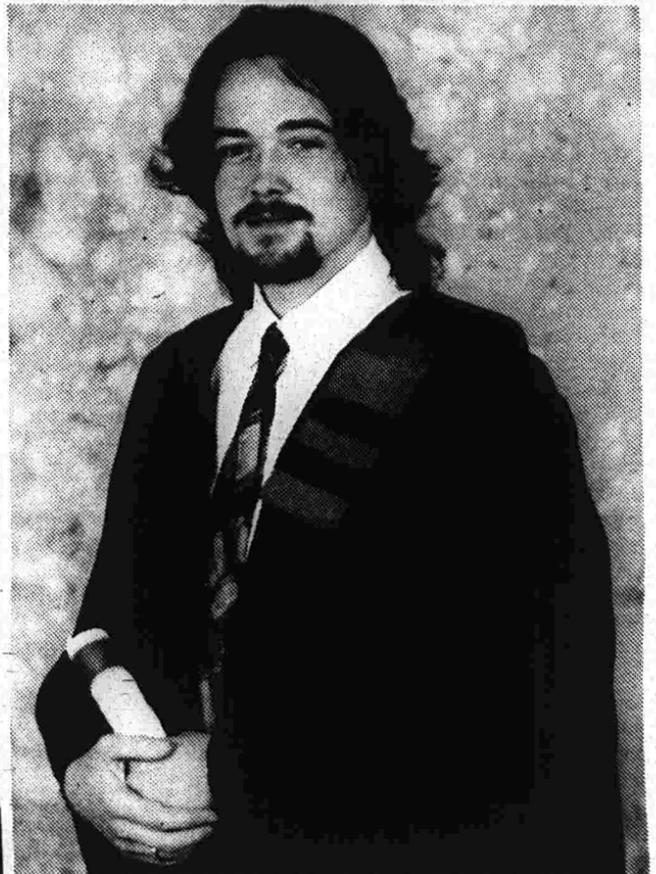
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V.T.O.S. Outstanding Success

Course co-ordinator of the Dungarvan V.T.O.S., Tonya Lineen, was on hand last week at the November meeting of the Co. Waterford VEC to brief members on the current progress of the scheme.

First set up by Mrs. Lineen in 1991, the Vocational Training and Opportunities Scheme is open to certain unemployed persons over 21 giving them the opportunity to follow a full-time education and training course. Qualifying applicants should be 6 months unemployed or more and in receipt of unemployment payments for example assistance or benefits.

Mrs. Lineen explained however that there are also places allocated to people on lone parent allowance, disability benefit, those signing for credits, or spouses of the unemployed. Unfortunately, only 10% of the total places are allocated to these people.

The advantage of joining in the VTOS is that all students retain their benefits and they get these in the form of a cheque from the VEC every Tuesday, thus removing the 'stigma' of signing on every week. All courses are free including text books, class materials, exam fees etc.

MASSIVE GROWTH

In the first year of the scheme, 18 initially enrolled with classes held at such various venues as the Sports Centre and Lawlors Hotel etc. The number quickly grew to 40 in the second year while this year the course catered for a massive influx of 60 students with new numbers enrolling all the time.

For the past year the VTOS has been situated in the Presentation Convent where the top floor of a building has been secured. In her progress report to the VEC members, Mrs. Lineen explained, "in this building we have a fully equipped computer room, typing room, tourism room along with other classrooms and a common room where students can have coffee and chat. In another building we have a creche for the children of students on the course and we have a lady employed full-time to staff this. We also have a staff-room".

RELEVANT COURSES

There are two main strands in the programme this year, those being the tourism course and the business studies course. At the end of the tourism course, students should be fully equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to gain employment as tour-guides, couriers, tourist office personnel etc.

Continuing her report, the course co-ordinator declared, "I don't want the tourism course, or indeed any of our courses to be just another 'training scheme', turning out graduates for jobs that, quite honestly are just not there, and releasing them into an already saturated market, where highly qualified graduates are already vying for the same jobs. My aim is to assist the students in creating jobs for themselves. I hope to do this through the setting up of a cooperative".

Although only in the fledgling state at the moment, Mrs. Lineen has been in contact with UCC regarding the whole area of cooperatives and will update the VEC as progress is made.

Last September saw the introduction of a Playgroup Studies course. The demand from housewives and others was so great that the course is now offered as an Adult Education course.

PRACTICE FIRM

The Dungarvan practice firm will be launched in January as a member of the European Practice Enterprise Network. Basically a company on paper, a practice firm is a simulated company that does not produce an actual product. It consists of 20 trainees and a facilitator who operate in a fully equipped office complete with computers, fax machines etc. As part of a team, trainees will get invaluable experience in trading with other international practice firms.

THIRD LEVEL SUCCESS

To-date, four students from the VTOS have gone on to third level education -

3 to UCC and one to WRTC. While the VTOS does not guarantee entry into 3rd level, it does pave the way and priority is given to VTOS applicants providing they meet the criteria.

IN BRIEF

Summarising her detailed report, Mrs. Lineen stated that while numbers were dropping in schools and on other schemes, "our numbers are increasing each year. To what do we attribute this success? - I think this lies in our overall plan and in our recruitment strategies. I adopt a business-like approach in that I respond to local trends in employment for example by offering the tourism course. I offer courses which are tailor-made to suit the needs of the locality and the needs of the participants."

In conclusion, Mrs. Lineen expressed her wishes to VEC members that with their help, blessing and advice, the VTOS in Dungarvan would become the "most successful and most innovative scheme in the country, turning out highly trained/qualified graduates for employment".

Complimenting Mrs. Lineen on her report, VEC Chairman, Cllr. Billy Kyne said the committee were appreciative of her work and that the VTOS had been a central plank for the committee in their negotiations with the Department regarding the new school extension. "The scheme is opening a lot of doors for people and we will continue to support you", he declared.

The Chairman also thanked Sr. Regis and Sr. Maureen for the use of the Presentation Convent building.

Cllr. Austin Flynn said that at the start of the scheme, it had been extremely difficult to coax people into it. "I'm heartened to hear about the practice firm", he added, while further declaring that the past success of the VTOS was largely attributed to Tonya and her staff.

Paudie Geary (TUI) stressed the enthusiasm and appreciation expressed by people that the scheme was in operation and the importance of getting students into employment and 3rd level education "who would otherwise never make it".

For any enquiries about the VTOS and the various courses on offer, contact Tonya Lineen Course Co-ordinator at 058-41654 or 41780.



LOCAL WINNER IN GAEL LINN DRAW — Picture shows Seamus Davis (Gael Linn Manager) presenting his winning cheque to John O'Donnell, Springfield, Dungarvan.
—(Photo: Sean Byrne).

ST. MARY'S PARISH DUNGARVAN

**FRIDAY,
DECEMBER 2**

First Friday — Day of special devotion to the Sacred Heart.

Masses — St. Mary's, 9.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Friday, 7.30, 8.00 and 10.00 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacra-

ment after 10 a.m. Mass until evening Mass. Holy Hour begins at 7 p.m.

**THURSDAY,
DECEMBER 8**

Holiday of Obligation. Masses — St. Mary's, 7.30 p.m. (Wednesday), 9.00, 10.30, 11.45 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Friary, 6.15 p.m.

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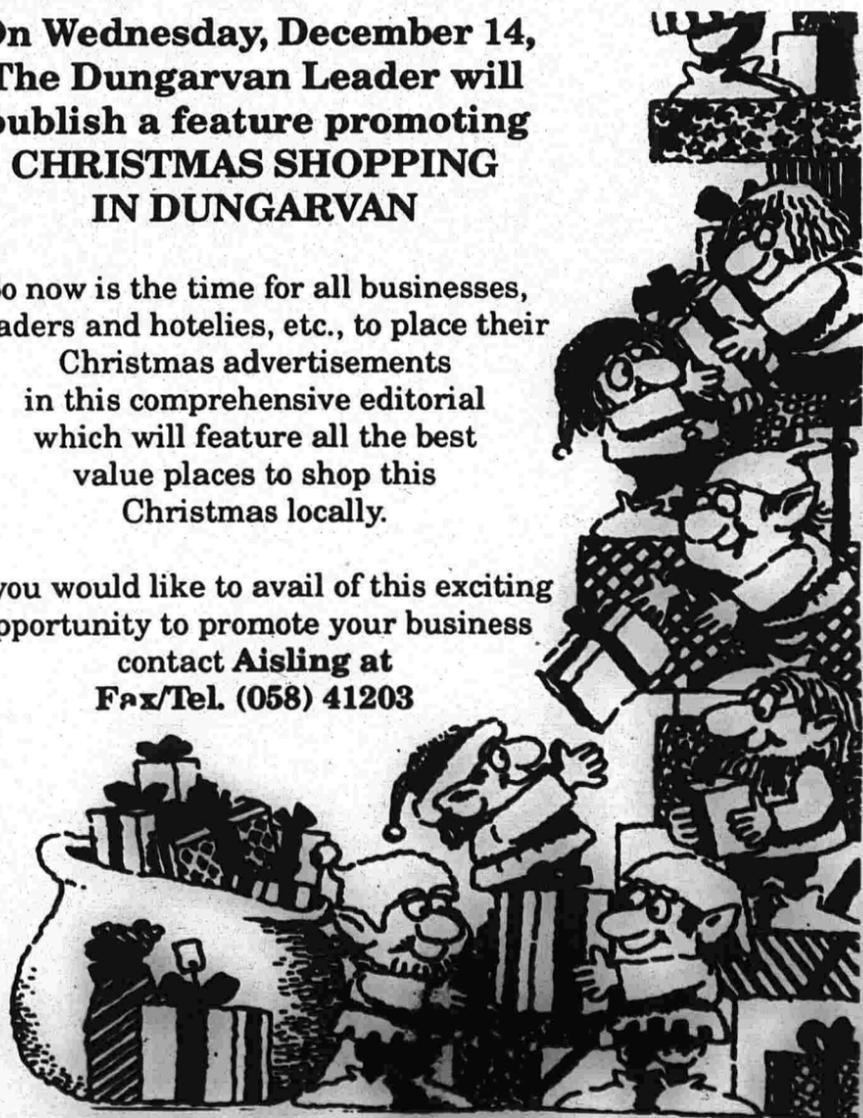
Tickets for Annual Christmas Dinner will be distributed at the St. Vincent de Paul rooms on Friday, December 2 from 10.00 - 12.00 and 2.00 to 4.00 p.m.

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24% GROWTH FOR TALLOW CREDIT UNION

Chairperson Helen McCarthy reported on a spectacularly successful year at the recent annual general meeting of Tallow Area Credit Union, which was held in the Community Centre on Thursday night last. Savings had increased by 24% over previous year — total savings now amounted to almost £3.5 million.

Mrs. McCarthy stressed "the Directors are responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Credit Union for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy the financial position of the Credit Union and which enables them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Industrial and Provident Societies Acts 1893 to 1978.

"Our Credit Union," Mrs. McCarthy stated, "are proud of our support for job creation in the community through the local Enterprise Group. During the past year £5,000 of a grant was given to the group to develop the new Enterprise Park which will shortly have 15 people employed in it. The original Enterprise Centre which is owned by the Credit Union continues to provide incubator work-space, training and social facilities and very soon a language school for foreign students.

"So far this group have helped directly in creating over fifty jobs. Our Credit Union's record in this area is being recognised both in

Ireland and abroad — during the year we had visitors from Scotland, England, Wales, Jamaica, Honduras and France. Students attending the University College Cork Credit Union Diploma Studies Summer School also visited Tallow."

"Just this week," Mrs. McCarthy went on, "we have had an invitation to 'twin' with an emerging Credit Union in the North of England. In the area of direct employment the growth during the past year necessitated the employment of a further full-time person. Four people are now employed on a full-time basis in the Credit Union."

In presenting his report, Treasurer John Martin gave a very detailed explanation of expenses and income. Mr. Martin emphasised that money being put to reserves was there to ensure the stability of the Credit Union in the future. He proposed that a Dividend of 4% be paid on Shares and this was unanimously adopted by the members.

Credit Union Auditor, Mr. Brendan Ferguson, FCA,

gave his opinion that the financial statement was a true and fair view of the healthy state of the Credit Union's affairs as at 30th September, 1994.

Supervisor, Mr. Bart O'Donoghue, explained that the role of Supervisors was almost akin to that of an internal auditor. His committee took their role seriously and glad to be able to confirm to the members that everything from Sammy Stamps to the funds invested by the Credit Union are in order.

"Loan demand continued to increase," Mr. Paddy Feeney, Chairman of Credit Committee reported. During the past year almost £1.5 million had been lent in the area. A breakdown of the loans by area showed Tallow members had borrowed in excess of half a million, while Conna members borrowed almost quarter of a million. Mr. Feeney advised any members experiencing difficulties to contact them.

Mrs. Margaret Barry reported on behalf of the Promotion and Development Committee. Mrs. Barry singled out all the teachers for special praise in their continued support for Sammy Stamp savings Scheme. "Without their help," Mrs. Barry said, "the Sammy Scheme would not be the

success it is."

Miss Colette Donnelly was the lucky winner of the American Express sponsored weekend for two in a luxury hotel in Ireland. Mrs. Frances Pratt won the microwave oven sponsored by the ESB. Mrs. Sheila McGrath won £100 cash. Other prizewinners were Ina Goulding, Matty Tobin, Jack Jones, Jason Prescod, Denis O'Brien.

Before the meeting concluded, Mr. Sean Sheehan outlined details of the new Citizens Information Centre now being run on the first and third Friday of each month. Mr. Sheehan, who is one of the Tallow volunteers undergoing training, stresses the confidentiality of the service, even to the fact that people don't have to give their names unless they wish to. Advice is available on Social Welfare entitlements, Health, Taxation, Housing, Family Law, Consumer Affairs. So if you, or someone you know, has problems, call to Credit Union Office between 10 a.m. and 12 noon on first or third Friday.

Election to fill four vacancies on Board resulted in Kathleen Barry, Mairead Sheehan, John Lyons and John Martin being elected, and to the Supervisory Committee, Bart O'Donoghue, Michael Cunningham and Michael Tobin.

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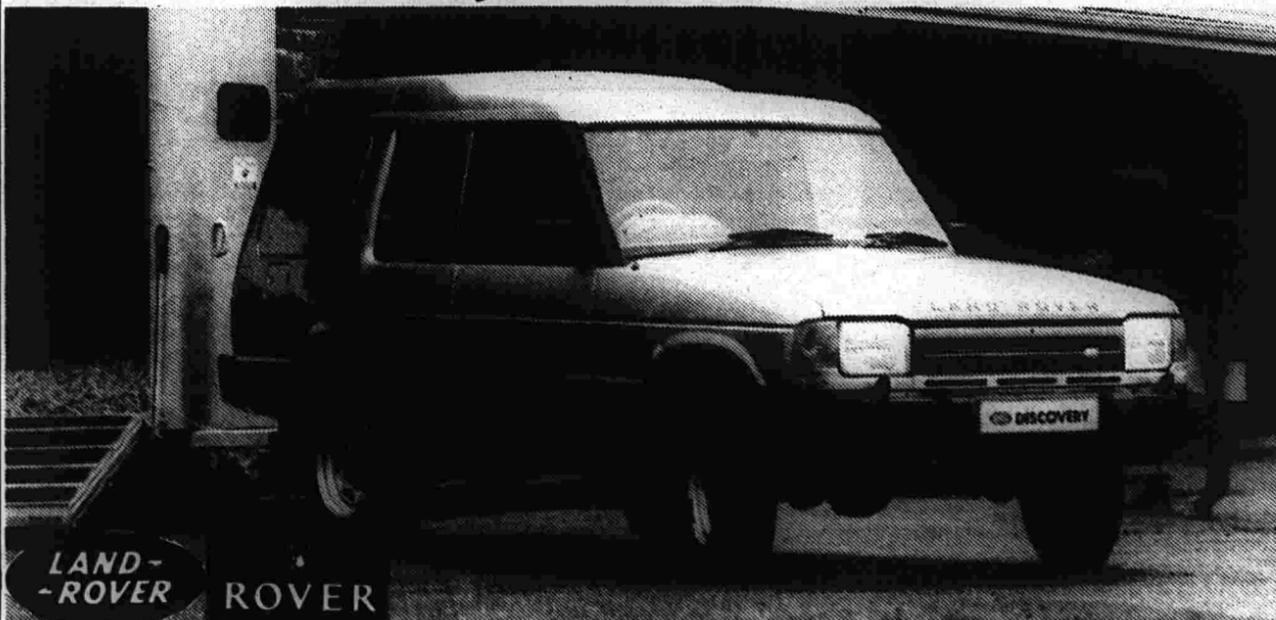
SOUTH EASTERN HEALTH BOARD

CAPPOQUIN HEALTH CENTRE

Due to refurbishment all services at the above Health Centre are being transferred temporarily to 1 CHURCH STREET, CAPPOQUIN from Friday, December 2nd, 1994 with the exception of Dental Services which are being transferred to Lismore Health Centre from Monday 5th December 1994. The same telephone numbers will apply.

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TIME TO TEND TO THE GARDEN TOOLS

YOU may be wielding forks and spades for winter digging while most other garden tools are idle, but they still need attention.

It is surprising how much money is invested in tools and machines, yet they are all too often neglected after being used for the last time in the current year.

The rot and rust that results is often only apparent when you need to use the tools in earnest again next spring and have plenty of other chores to do without having to put tools right, or, worst of all, shop around for new ones!

So these tips make sense:

- Clean and dry all tools before winter storage, especially machines such as mowers, power trimmers and saws.
- Remove rust using wire wool before all moving parts are cleaned and oiled, but don't touch power tools unless certain they are unplugged, or the fuel supply and spark are cut off.
- Clean and oil metal surfaces on traditional tools such as the spade, shovel, fork, rake and hoe before storage.
- Many now have maintenance-free metal and plastic tubular handles, but wooden handles can be kept intact by light sanding and rubbing with linseed oil.
- Garden shears need cleaning, oiling and checking. They should bow apart between pivot nut and the tips. If not, adjust the nut until they do.
- When sharpening, undo the bolt so that each blade can be properly dealt with in a vice using a fine file for a good edge.
- Remove blades on rotary mowers for the same treatment and grease the blade mounting. Have the mower serviced now rather than in a rush next spring.
- Check mowers and trimmers for any build-up of grass debris which might cause inefficiency or overheating.
- Replace damaged power cables or cut away the flawed section and joint the halves with a slim male/female coupling.

Insulating tape does not guard against electrocution and if you do fit an electrical connection, make sure the female end is the one attached to the cable running to the mains.

The other way round risks the joint being unplugged either accidentally or deliberately, leaving live prongs dangerously exposed.

● Don't discard a traditional tool if a handle is broken. Simply remove the retaining screws and yank out the useless handle. If you can't get a grip then drive a screw into the end and grip this in a vice so that the broken shaft can be pulled free.

Don't discard the old shaft until you have used it to mark the length of the section fitting into the tool head. For spades and forks, you might also like a longer handle this time — they have been shown to be more efficient and better for the back.

When fitting the new handle/shaft you may need to shape the end with a rasp for a tight fit, before replacing the retaining screws.

Arthur Hines



Friary Sale of Work —Dec. 2nd and 3rd

The countdown has started — just two days to go. Everything is organised and ready for the official opening at 8 p.m. on Friday, December 2. There are bargains galore in all the stalls and an unbelievable range of gifts on the Wheel of Fortune, and guess who is spinning the wheel? None other than Sean Murphy of "Bachelors in Trouble" fame — he is a pantomime himself.

There are raffles for very valuable prizes and after all that excitement there is a relaxing cosy cafe where teas, sandwiches and homemade cake are available.

All we need now is you, the public, to come along as you have always done, to help and support the Mis-

sionaries who are working in Africa and Ecuador.

Hello children! Your turn comes on Saturday afternoon. Santa has left the North Pole laden with presents and is sure to arrive in the Square at 2 p.m. Be there to give him a great Dungarvan welcome, chat with him and tell him what you want for Christmas. Daddys and Mammys, think up ideas for the fancy dress. The ideas are fantastic every year, let this year be no exception. There are gifts for everyone.

The Dungarvan Pipe and will be there to lead Santa and the children to the Friary hall. A great evening's fun is guaranteed. — Fr. Tim Walsh, O.S.A.



Trevor Sheehan, son of Sean and Janet Sheehan, 13 Rockville, Stradbally and Margaret Farrell, daughter of James and Bridget Farrell, 12 Byrneville, Dungarvan, who were married in St. Anne's Church, Colligan, recently. Rev. C. Kelly, C.C., officiated. The reception was held in Lawlor's Hotel. —(Photo: Jimmy Power).

LOCAL WILD BIRD HABITAT

Noel Dempsey, T.D., Minister of State with responsibility for the Office of Public Works recently announced the designation of seven foreshore sites as Special Protection Areas (SPA's) for wild birds.

Under the "European Birds Directive," Ireland must protect the most important habitats of wild birds, especially rare and vulnerable species and regularly occurring migratory species.

The sites, totalling 19,147.74 ha. include Dungarvan Harbour (1,040.60 ha.) described as a large sheltered sea bay with long shingle spit, saltmarshes, mudflats and eelgrass beds.

The harbour qualifies for designation as a SPA by regularly supporting internation-

ally important numbers of Brent Geese and Black-tailed and Ban-tailed Godwits. Significant wintering species found here include Shelduck, Wigeon, Teal, Mallard, Snipe, Curlew, Red Breasted Merganser, Oystercatcher, Ringed Plover, Golden Plover, Grey Plover, Lapwing, Knot, Sanderling, Dunlin, Redshank, Turnstone, Cormorant and Grey Heron.

Minister Dempsey has advised harbour authorities, local authorities, shellfish cultivators, etc., that if they are to benefit from EU funding in these areas, then efforts must be made to harmonise future developments with the need to conserve internationally important wildlife habitats.

Singers Meet In Dungarvan

Singers, songmakers and lovers of traditional ballads will be delighted to hear that a traditional singers' club has been formed recently. In recent years Waterford singers have met at diverse venues around the county and a regular meeting has now been arranged.

Singers clubs have been formed in several counties in recent years, notably in Wexford, Carlow, Cork and Dublin. A number of Waterford singers have appeared as guests at these clubs.

Thanks to the proprietors of Bridie Dee's Pub, Mary Street, Dungarvan, the new club will hold its first night of song on this Thursday, December 1, at 9.15 p.m. and will meet on the first Thursday of each month during 1995.

Special Salmon Mousse



Here's a professional looking start to special meals. It can also be served for supper as a treat.

Ingredients

- 1 sachet or 3 level tsps gelatine
- 4 fl oz (100ml) hot water
- 2x7 1/2 oz (210g) cans red salmon
- 2 tbs capers, drained
- 1/2 pt (275ml) sour cream
- 2 tsps malt vinegar
- dash tabasco (optional)
- 1 tbs lemon juice
- salt and pepper

Method

Sprinkle the gelatine over the very hot but not boiling water. Whisk with a fork until dissolved. Drain salmon, reserving the juices. Flake and add capers. Blend together

the sour cream, vinegar, tabasco, lemon juice and salmon juices, and season to taste with salt and pepper. Combine dissolved gelatine with sour cream mixture, stir in salmon and capers. Refrigerate.

Unmould and decorate with sliced stuffed olives and cucumber pieces cut lengthwise and glazed with a little dissolved gelatine. Serve with tomato rounds, lettuce and parsley. Serves 6-8.

The Merry-Go-Round

O'CONNELL STREET MEWS, DUNGARVAN

Open just over a month, the Merry-Go-Round has certainly built up a creditable reputation as a safe, fun place for kids to play and learn while parents enjoy some free time.



REBECCA WRIGHT

The success of the creche is owed in no small way to qualified child carer Rebecca Wright who has showed great determination and initiative in getting the playgroup facility up and running. The grand opening finally came on October 12th last following a hectic two weeks, during which Unit 4 of O'Connell Street Mews was completely transformed

into a children's playtime paradise.

IDEAL CENTRAL LOCATION

Ideally situated, the Merry-Go-Round enjoys both the privacy and safety of being located in the laneway of O'Connell Street Mews while also being centrally located in the town, opposite the Super Valu supermarket and close to a whole variety of shops with plenty of available parking spaces.

No need to worry about noisy traffic, there are no distractions for the children who are happily content in the quiet, cosy surroundings of the creche, mixing with kids their own age.

HIGHLY EXPERIENCED

Dungarvan local Rebecca is no stranger to child minding being a qualified child carer and a member of the IPPA (Irish Preschool Playgroup Association). Highly experienced in dealing with children, Rebecca has worked in St. John's and Carriglea and she is currently completing a course on playgroup studies and first aid.

Adhering to the stringent guidelines laid down by the IPPA, Rebecca has certainly done her research, with particular regard to safety. Parents can relax in the knowledge that their children are being carefully looked after while they shop around town at their ease, get their hair done, have a quiet cup of coffee with friends or catch a game of golf or a local match - (maybe even do some 'Santa shopping').

FUN AND GAMES

In the Merry-Go-Round children can avail of a huge



Children play together under the careful supervision of Rebecca in the Merry-Go-Round

selection of games, toys, puzzles, jigsaws, ladybird books, cuddly toys, blackboards and chalk and the popular sandpit. Non-spill paint jars are also available and Rebecca provides the aprons for any would be artists!

The creche caters for children of all ages on an hourly, daily and weekly basis. Not only do children have fun playing with friends their own age but the creche is also a learning experience. Prams and buggies can be left on the premises and, should the need arise, Rebecca will change nappies and feed individual children.

Already Rebecca has reported a successful response from parents, not only locally but from the entire West Waterford area.

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RECENT DEATHS

Mr. Michael Francis (Mike) O'Mahoney



It is with sadness we record the passing of Michael F. (Mike) O'Mahoney which took place in the loving care of the doctors and staff of Mount Sinai Hospital, New York on Tuesday morning, November 15 after a short duration of illness.

"Irish Mike" as he was affectionately known among his friends, was born in Bridge Street, Dungarvan, fifty-seven years ago. Son of the late Michael and Alice O'Mahoney (nee Navin) his grandfather Thomas had a carpentry shop in Bridge Street. His death is made all the more poignant by the fact that his father predeceased him in August.

Mike was educated at the Dungarvan CBS and later in Terenure College and the Atlantic Maritime College, Dublin. Before emigrating to the United States he spent a number of years in London.

He joined the staff of Chase Manhattan Bank in New York where he worked until his retirement earlier this year and where he had reached the position of manager. Mike enjoyed his service with the bank and was honoured by them prior to his retirement.

He had many interests, not least of which were his love of Irish music and sport. He was a valued member of the Waterford Hurling and Football Club and the Waterford S.P.&B Association of New York.

A thoughtful neighbour, Mike never counted the cost when a helping hand was needed. A man of many charming traits of character, his good humour and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition commended him to all fortunate enough to make his acquaintance, both in his native birthplace and in the city of his adoption. His friends everywhere now mourn his passing at such a comparatively early age.

Mike never lost sight of his roots and he was a regular visitor to the Old Boro' where he stayed with his uncle Jimmy Navin and family whenever he got the chance to travel home.

Jimmy and his wife Mary and Jimmy's sister Josie, London and her husband Pat Murray travelled to New York for the obsequies.

Visiting was held at the Hanly Funeral Home, Staten Island on Thursday and Friday, November 17 and 18. The funeral Mass on Saturday was celebrated by Fr. Kays

and the Readings were read by Michael Guiry. Appropriate hymns were sung by the Choir of St. Claire's Church and "Sliabh Geal gCua" was sung by Mary Curran (Old Parish).

Mike's remains were laid to rest in the Cemetery of the Resurrection in Staten Island. Pall bearers at the obsequies were Jimmy Navin, Patrick Murray, Desi (James) Butler, Paddy Moroney, Art Brennan, Mike Vanderbilt, John Kaminsky and Bob Spence. A lone piper played a lament.

Large attendances were present including friends from Dungarvan, Abbeyside and district now domiciled in the U.S. Very many Mass cards and messages of sympathy were received and some beautiful floral tributes were placed on his grave. Laba imeasc na naomh go raibh aige. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

Jimmy Navin and family would especially like to thank Maureen Guiry and family and Pat Moroney, his Irish and American friends and indeed all who helped with the funeral arrangements.

He is survived by his stepmother Rita O'Mahoney, uncles Jimmy, Michael, Jos and Ned, his aunts Josie, Sadie, Monica and Annie, cousins, relatives and friends to whom we extend deep and sincere sympathy on their sad loss.

Mr. Donald Brady

The death took place on Friday last, November 25, of Mr. Donald Brady, 32 Abbott's Close, Abbeyside, Dungarvan. The deceased, who previously lived in Ballyjamesduff, Co. Cavan, was a gifted Gaelic footballer in his younger days and won All-Ireland minor football medals with his native Cavan and Louth in the 1930's. He won the first of these medals in 1936 with Louth as a Leaving Certificate student at St. Mary's Marist College in Dundalk, operating at left half forward. Donald helped the wee county to a 5-1 to 1-8 victory over Kerry. Twelve months later Donald had returned to Ballyjamesduff where he played at midfield for Cavan as they defeated Wexford by 1-11 to 1-5 in the final.

His double All-Ireland minor success for different counties remains a unique record to this day. Later in 1936 he helped Ballyjamesduff to the Cavan junior football championship when they beat Drumlane.

A serious cartilage injury to his knee curtailed his football career, preventing Donald from graduating to the all-conquering Cavan sides of the 1940's and 1950's.

Donald worked with Concrete Products of Ireland for almost 25 years until his retirement. He moved with his wife Maura to Dungarvan in 1987.

Donald is survived by his loving wife Maura, sons Frank, Donald and Cormac, daughters Rosaleen and Josephine, grandchildren, daughters-in-law, sons-in-law, sisters, relatives and friends.

Frank is a former internation-

al athlete who now works as a teacher in Drogheda. Donald and Josephine work as the respective County Librarians in Waterford and Cavan. Rosaleen is a teacher in Dundalk and Cormac works as a nurse in Exeter, England.

To his sorrowing wife Maura, sons, daughters, sisters, relatives and friends we tender our deepest sympathy.

His remains were removed on Saturday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to Abbeyside Church after prayers and rosary were recited by Rev. Fr. P. Ahearn, C.C., Abbeyside.

On arrival at the church his coffin was blessed and received by Very Rev. R. Doherty, P.P., assisted by Rev. P. Ahearn, C.C.

The 10.30 a.m. Mass on Sunday morning was offered for the happy repose of Donald's soul and the interment took place afterwards in St. Laurence's Cemetery, Ballinroad. Fr. Ahearn also imparted the final absolution at the graveside.

Large attendances were present at the obsequies thus testifying to his great popularity, especially in the Abbeyside area where he was better known. Very many Mass cards were received.

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

Mr. William Ryan



It is with very deep feelings of sincere regret we record the death of Mr. William (Willie) Ryan, Gortnaclode, Kilmeaden and formerly of Old Parish, Dungarvan, who answered the great call on Monday, November 21 at the Waterford Regional Hospital after a period of failing health. The deceased was a very well known and popular gentleman and a member of the farming community and of a widely-connected West Waterford family. He was husband of the late Kathleen Ryan who predeceased him in November, 1989. He was a most industrious and hard-working man always ready and trying to improve his methods of farming in the advancement of his holding and its stock.

He was one of nature's gentleman with an abundance of the good qualities of life which won for him great and wide popularity, not only in his native Old Parish but also in the Kilmeaden area where he resided for the last thirty years. He was a wonderful husband and father who brought up his family in the true Christian way of life and who now stand witness to that upbringing.

To his sorrowing sons, daughters, sister, grandchildren, sons-in-law, daughters-

in-law, nephews, nieces, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law and wide circle of friends both in Kilmeaden and Old Parish areas we tender our sincere condolences.

His remains were removed on Wednesday evening from the hospital chapel after prayers and rosary were recited by Very Rev. M. O'Byrne, P.P. A huge cortege followed in processional formation to Ballyduff Lower Church and on arrival his coffin was blessed and received by Fr. O'Byrne, assisted by Rev. P. Ahearn, C.C., Abbeyside. A guard of honour was formed by the Ballyduff GAA Club on the way to the church.

Requiem Mass was offered on Thursday morning for the happy repose of his soul. The celebrant was Fr. Joseph Flynn, C.C., Ballyduff/Portlaoise and also present was Fr. O'Byrne. After Mass the interment took place in the adjoining family plot besides his late wife Kathleen. Another capacity concourse were present to pay their respects and to sympathise with his nearest and dearest.

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

Chief mourners — Jimmy, Patrick, Liam, Kevin and Declan (sons), Mrs. Bridget O'Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Clifford, Mrs. Josie McCarthy, Mrs. Ann O'Brien (daughters), Mrs. Kathleen Connery, U.S.A. (sister), nieces, nephews, sisters-in-law, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, relatives and friends.

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

Mrs. Mary Doyle (née Power)



Widespread and sincere regret was felt in the area on the death of a very popular and well known lady, Mary Doyle, Killelton, Stradbally, which sad event took place at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan on Sunday evening, November 20, after a short duration of illness, and at an advanced age.

Mary was a kind and loving wife and mother, a caring neighbour whose door was always open and a great welcome was had by all. She possessed a deep faith and trust in God and touched many lives. She was a much-loved member of the community where she went to the local club for the old folks parties.

Her funeral took place on Monday evening from St.

Joseph's Hospital followed by a huge cortege to Stradbally Church. Her remains were received and blessed by Fr. Barry, C.C.

On Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, Mass was celebrated by Fr. Ryan, P.P., assisted by Fr. Walsh, C.C. The Lessons were read by her grandchildren Rachael, Yvonne and her son-in-law Liam. The gifts were brought to the altar by her grandchildren Graeme and Christopher. The local choir sang lovely hymns as a tribute to her memory.

After Mass her coffin was borne shoulder high to the family burial ground by her sons, son-in-law and grandson. She was laid to rest with her late husband Patrick who predeceased her by 13 years. Again there was a huge and representative concourse present from far and wide and all walks of life, to pay their last respects to Mary and to sympathise and support her grieving family in their sad loss. May she rest in peace.

The chief mourners were — John and Dominic (sons), Maryann, and Kathleen (daughters), Ann and Mary (daughters-in-law), Michael and Liam (sons-in-law), Yvonne, Rachael, Michael and Graeme, Breffni, Lorcan, Dervla, Christopher, Damien, Claire (grandchildren).

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

Mrs. Elizabeth Fleming (née Roche)

We record with sincere regret the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Fleming (née Roche), Ballygowan West, Villierstown, which took place on Saturday, November 19 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan. Originally from Castlepooke, Doneraile, Co. Cork, she was a quiet, religious woman who was held in high esteem by all who came to know her. She was a true Christian lady, a great neighbour and she was always ready to help those in need.

A loving wife and mother, she will be sadly missed by her sorrowing husband, daughter and other family relatives to whom we extend deep and sincere sympathy on their loss.

Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Sunday evening, November 21 to Aglish Church where the coffin was received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Lucy, P.P. The funeral Mass on Monday morning was celebrated by Fr. Lucy. The Readings were read by Marian Power and Breda O'Connell (relatives). Burial took place afterwards in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. Lucy officiated at the graveside, assisted by Fr. Treacy, C.C.

The chief mourners were — Paddy (husband), Eileen Leahy, Isle of Wight (daughter), Joe (son-in-law), Mrs. Brett, Abbeyside (sister), Brendan (grandchild), nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

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

Mr. William (Bill) Downing

With regret we record the passing of Mr. Bill Downing, Ballinaparka, Aglish, which sad event occurred at his residence on Friday, November 25. Removal was from his residence on Saturday evening to Aglish Church. Following funeral Mass on Sunday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To his wife Patricia, son William, brothers, sisters, relatives and friends we extend our deepest sympathy.

Full obituary in next week's issue.

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

Mr. Tom Fahy



The death took place unexpectedly at the District Hospital, Dungarvan on Friday, November 11 of Mr. Tom Fahy, Cappoquin. Tom, who was a native of the Nire Valley, spent most of his working life in England until his retirement some years ago. Tom lived happily with John and Evelyn Flynn and family at the River View Guesthouse.

One could only describe Tom as the perfect gentleman who was kind, gentle and caring. He liked nothing better than a flutter on the horses on the English track whenever he could. He liked also to go for a walk occasionally. Tom really enjoyed his years of retirement in Cappoquin where he made many friends during his stay.

Tom will be very sadly missed by his nephews, nieces and his many friends.

On Saturday evening the remains were removed from the hospital mortuary, Dungarvan to St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin, where, on arrival they were received and blessed by Canon Phelan, P.P.

On Monday morning prayers were recited by Canon Phelan, following which the funeral cortege left for Glasnevin for cremation. On Sunday, November 20, Requiem Mass was celebrated at the Nire Valley Church by Fr. Power, P.P. Following Mass, Tom's ashes were laid to rest beside his much-loved parents. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

Chief mourners — Billy and Paddy Foley (nephews), Sheila Murphy, Nell Swift, Maureen Pick (nieces), nephews-in-law, nieces-in-law, grandnephews, grandnieces, other relatives and many friends.

(Arrangements by Aidan Walsh & Sons, Cappoquin. Tel. 54008.)



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Dungarvan Musical and Choral Society

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Our annual Christmas Concert is on Saturday, December 10 in the Park Hotel at 8 p.m. sharp. The concert will feature well known local stars as well as new rising stars who will be appearing in our forthcoming show. Tickets are £5 and are available from Delany's Shoe Shop and Society members.

REHEARSALS

Production started last Monday, November 28. Last night (Tuesday) saw the men meeting for their first production rehearsal, while tonight (Wednesday) sees the men's and women's chorus meeting. Tomorrow (Thursday) the women's chorus will meet. All rehearsals start at 7.45 p.m. sharp.

BALLINAMEELA/AGLISH DRAMATICS

Thursday, December 1 sees Ballinameela/Aglish Dramatics on stage for their performance of "The Country Boy" by John Murphy. Four nights lively entertainment is assured under the able direction of Fr. Michael O'Byrne who, this time is assisted by Michael Stack.

"The Country Boy" has many themes, among them, the harrowing pain of emigration that the West of Ireland has witnessed for many years. — William

O'Brien plays Eddie Maher, an emigrant returned to the lowly surroundings of his youth and Marguerite Ryan his coarse and overbearing American wife. As the plot unfolds it becomes evident that the life they have conjured up for the benefit of his parents is a fallacy and they seek to numb the pain of harsh reality with alcohol. Eddie's younger brother Curley (played by Patsy Fleming) becomes a symbol of new hope and new

beginnings, as Eddie urges him to stay at home and marry his childhood sweetheart, rather than embark on the inevitable destructive trial of emigration.

B.A.D. this year has decided to sponsor local girl Ann Marie O'Brien who is fundraising for her coming trip to Romania where she will be an aid-worker. We have always devoted part of our profits to charitable causes and for the past few years have supported "Bóthar", a charity which is

heavily involved in third world development. We will be only too delighted to help Ann Marie in her most worthwhile cause.

"The Country Boy" promises to be a great nights entertainment, akin to the standard of other years performances. See advertisement for details.

It now only remains to remind our members of our social evening on Thursday, December 15. It was brilliant last year so a full turnout is expected.

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BRIDE VIEW UNITED A.F.C. NOTES

Red House League

HAT TRICK FOR UNITED OVER CAPPOQUIN

Bride View pulled off a hat trick of victories over neighbours Cappoquin on Saturday and Sunday last. Both our Division One and Division Two sides defeated Cappoquin on Sunday and on Saturday last our U-16 side defeated Cappoquin. Two Bride View players grabbed hat tricks over the week-end, Denis Flaherty and Roy Henley being the players involved.

RESULTS

Division One Bride View United 2 Cappoquin 0

For the second week running United defeated the league leaders and now this division is really wide open. Bride View have now got full points from their four league fixtures to date. Mark Geary put United in front after twelve minutes and the Tallow side created three or four great chances after this but Geary, Paul and Philly Curley and J. P. Grey failed to put the chances away. Having said this Morrissey had a great game in goal for Cappoquin. At the break Geary's goal still separated the sides.

A great United move after 53 minutes saw them go two goals up. Sice started the move deep in his own half. He found McIntosh down the left hand side with a marvellous pass. McIntosh sent in a great ball to Barry who shook off two defenders before striking a great ball to the net.

Bride View were down to

ten men in the 71st minute when one of their players was shown the red card but Cappoquin failed to capitalise on this. United's defence of Martin, Sheehan, Sice and McIntosh backed up by Billy Sheehan stood firm. A vital win this for Bride View as they challenge to retain their championship crown.

United — B. Sheehan, D. Martin, T. Sheehan, G. Sice, I. McIntosh, M. Geary, S. Barry, J. P. Grey, K. Murphy, P. Curley and P. Curley. Res. — M. Curley (used) and P. Murphy.

Division Two CAPPOQUIN 1 BRIDE VIEW UNITED 5

Our Division Two side had another good victory on Sunday last. Denis Flaherty was outstanding here and scored a hat trick. However he got great assistance from Michael "Fox" Henley who again turned in another powerful performance.

United led 2-0 at the break thanks to Denis Flaherty and J. J. Henley. Cappoquin pulled a goal back just after the break but again United upped the pace of the game and Flaherty added two more goals and "Fox" Henley grabbed another to give the points to United.

United — S. O'Brien, P. Henley, S. Curley, G. Hogan, T. McSweeney, D. Henley, J. J. Henley, S. Curley, D. Flaherty, M. Henley, and S. Pratt. Res. — P. Murphy, W. Conroy, D. McGrath, C. Henley and D. Doyle.

IMOKILLY PEOPLE EAST CORK/WEST WATERFORD SCHOOLBOYS SOCCER LEAGUES

U-12's Go Down In Thriller But U-16's Record Big Victory

Our U-12 side were defeated at home on Saturday last when they were defeated by league leaders Valley Rangers in a five goal thriller. Our U-16 side continued their great league run by defeating Cappoquin.

U-16 League

Winning Run Continues

BRIDE VIEW UTD. 5 CAPPOQUIN 1

Our U-16 side continued their winning run with a commanding 5-1 win over Cappoquin. United's hero here was Roy Henley who scored a hat trick. Other Bride View scorers were Stephan Pratt and Ronan Cronin. This win keeps United sharing the league leadership with Valley Rangers. Managers John P. Grey and Brian Power are doing great work with this side. Keep up the good work lads.

Team — W. Conroy, R. Cronin, J. Murray, P. Tobin, S. McCarthy, E. Howard, S. Tobin, S. McCarthy, R. Henley, S. Pratt, P. Cronin. Res. — G. O'Brien, D. O'Brien, G. Clancy, J. Prescod, W. Henley.

Best Wishes — To Mark Fraser who is in hospital at the moment. Best wishes to John Lyon's sister who is also in hospital at the moment.

Back Home — Welcome home to two great supporters of the Club namely Marie Flynn and Sean Burke. We are glad to report that both are back home from hospital and on the mend. No more parties Pad.

Congratulations — To our Division Two players wife Mary Curley on winning

best Actress Award last week and Stephan thought he was the only one in the household to pick up awards. Well done Mary.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE FIXTURES

Sunday December 4th:-
Division One — Bride View United v. Mogeely, k. off 11.30 a.m.

Division Two - Blackwater Rangers v. Bride View United, k. off 11 o'clock.

IMOKILLY PEOPLE EAST CORK/WEST WATERFORD FIXTURES

U-12 League - Lismore v. Bride View United, k. off 11.30 a.m.

U-14 League - Bride View United v. Mogeely, k. off 11.30 a.m.

U-12 League

Valley On Top In Five Goal Thriller

BRIDE VIEW UTD. 2 VALLEY RANGERS 3

This was a marvellous game with five goals thrown in for good measure. Valley Rangers were two goals up after 16 minutes but United pulled one back before the break when Paul Kearney scored a marvellous goal to leave the half time score 2-1 to Rangers.

Paul O'Brien got the equaliser for Bride View direct from a free kick in the 36th minute but Rangers got the winner in the 49th minute to clinch the points.

United's panel - P. Prendergast, J. Keane, S. Mills, S. Giles, J. Beecher, D. Keniry, P. O'Brien, M. Keating, W. Curley, D. Casey, P. Sheehan, R. Geary, P. Kearney, E. Fitzgerald, A. Kearney, T. Ryan, P. Donnelly, M. Norris and A. Cronin.

Lotto — Last weeks numbers 9, 12, 16. No winner. Ham winner John Cremin. Turkey winner Pat O'Brien. Well done folks. Jackpot this week is £600. Draw takes place in Luke McCarthy's Bar at 9.30 p.m.

Seaview Celtic Co-Op Draw — We again had no winner in this the third draw which took place on Saturday night last.

TALLOW G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Tallow Over 50 years Ago — Life for young Tallow lads in the '30's and '40's was just as simple and uncomplicated as it was for lads in every other rural town throughout Ireland. Hurling was a major factor in their lives and every Sunday morning after second Mass all the boys and young men met at the corner of the Square hurling being the common denominator. The discussion mainly centred on matches, played or forthcoming, on the composition of the teams, the mental condition of the selectors, the team's chances of success and individual players were analysed critically. On summer Sunday's championship matches took precedence over all else and held the attention of the Corner Convention for that hour or so before dinner. Another sure topic on the agenda was the Street League, the most competitive of local contests.

The four streets comprising the League were Chapel Street, Convent Street, Barrack Street and West Street. Trophies for the winners varied from medals to a gallon of sweets (lemon drops, remember them?). None of the sweets remain, understandably enough, but I recently saw three precious silver mementos which Pat (P. J.) Collins won around the early '30's. He called one (a heart-shaped piece of silver) the Tom Burke medal because it was, indeed, Tom who donated the trophies on that occasion. Others who provided medals for the winners included Frank Ryan and Bill Sheehan.

Each street had its own heroes and the rivalry was fierce but Chapel Street reigned supreme more often than the other three. Mattie Mulcahy was a lithe, sharp goalkeeper and his brother Mick (now living in Ballinaha) was an accomplished scoregetter, playing at corner forward. Others on that team over the years were Mick Reidy, Pad Malone, the McCarthy's, Terry and Paudie Hancock, Harry Ronan, Sean Deane, P. J. Collins, Vincent O'Herlihy and Paddy Leahy. The minds of these 11 to 14 year old stars were unfettered by any distractions like basketball, volleyball, tennis or golf or television, videos or television games. They were lucky enough to have no money - no more than the rest of us, thank God - and hurling was central to their lives and brightened their formulative years.

Their most treasured possession was a hurley. They hurley could be bought, of course, but no many could afford the huge sum of 2/= or 3/= (that's 10 to 15p in today's values). So getting a hurley made was the cheapest means of acquiring it. Lads learned to identify a suitable young ash tree and knew where to look for it. Rohan's Glen or Glenaboy were rich sources of the raw material and frequent venues of two men with a saw, the dependable crosscut. To avoid any interruption of their work they muffled the ringing sound of the blade by placing two corks on the crosscut, one at each end.

The precious piece of timber had to be taken down to Tallow where the craftiest part of the job was done - cutting it into slabs from which hurley's were then fashioned. Scanlan's Mill (Georgie Mills now owns it) obliged by cutting the slabs, sometimes. As often as not Sheehan's Workshop was pressed into service with Pa, Tommy and Bill splitting the timber with an ordinary handsaw before shaping with loving care the 4 or 5 or 6 hurley's whose music would be enjoyed by so many hurlers afterwards. The doyen of hurley makers, perhaps, was Jim Deane of Chapel Street who never forgot to let you know that he hailed from the town of Middleton. "I made them, put them in their hands and showed them how to use them", he was fond of saying. The Lord be good to Jim whom I came to know well when I first came to Tallow. Then in his declining years he still maintained his refreshing love of hurling, hurley's and hurley making and is one of the forgotten pioneers of Tallow hurling over the 75 years of its existence. His finished product would be admired, most likely envied by many and certainly had to undergo a strict quality control examination by an expert (that is any other hurler who hadn't one as grand as it). The spring was tested (sometimes to breaking point) the grain examined and commented upon and the balance assessed before a weighty judgment was delivered. A feature of hurley's in those days was the absence of a protective band of tin or hoop as we call it. Only when the base was fractured was a hoop pressed into service to extend the life of the hurley.

The street leagues, the full flowering of which fed the great Tallow teams of the '40's, were the brain-child of Tom Burke, R.I.P. Dukesmill, a fine wielder of the caman in his more vigorous younger years. A life long member of Tallow G.A.A. club, with a passion for hurling, Tom's street leagues served hurling and Tallow well and were a healthy focus of the lives of the 11 to 14 age group. Pity we don't have the likes today.

Reminder — Important committee meeting on Tuesday the 6th December at the Hotel. With our big night on the 9th December much last minute checking up needs to be done.

TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Results — Marge Hennebray, Cappoquin; Mrs. Ryan, Fermoy; Mrs. Mgt. Kenneally, Ballyduff; Mrs. Mary McGrath, Tallow; Mrs. Martina O'Keeffe, Ballyduff; Mrs. Peggie Murray, Tallow; Mrs. Mary Kenneally, Woodview; Mrs. Joan Mermin, Villierstown; Elaine Kearney, Tallow; Margo Roche, Fermoy; Mrs. Kathleen Twohig, Aghlish; Angela Clancy, Aghern; Pat Scanlan, Lismore £10.00; Mary McGrath, Tallow; Pat Hogan, Kilwinny; Pat Scanlon, Lismore £25.00; Peg Walsh, Knockanore £25.00; Mrs. Hickey, Glencairn; Nellie O'Driscoll, Middleton; Mrs. Mary O'Connell, Tourtane £50.00; Mrs. Nora Morrissey, Lismore £50.00; Batty McGrath, Dunmoon; Mrs. Nora McCarthy, New Street; Thomas Hartigan, Conna. Next Sunday night jackpot £475 on 52 calls.

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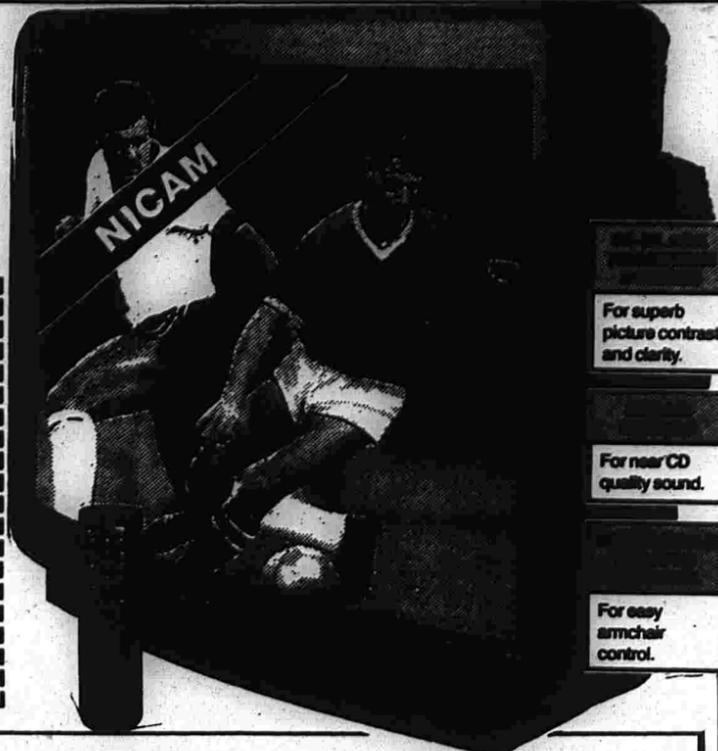
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BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

INVESTITURE OF BOY SCOUTS

On last Friday night the Feast of St. Catherine at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry, sixteen cubs were invested into the boy scouts. The ceremony began with the celebration of Mass by Very Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin, P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle. In his homily he said he was honoured to see those young boys and girls getting involved in the scouts, he praised their leaders for the fine work they were doing for the youth of the parish and he hoped this work would continue.

There was a large gathering of parents and relations present, after the ceremonies they were all entertained to a beautiful tea.

The following were the cubs invested, (boys) — Jamie Fenton, Sean O'Mahony, Tony Hallinan, Mau-

rice O'Gorman, Dermot Wall, Patrick Walsh, Eamon Wall, Thomas O'Gorman, Jamie Fenton; Girls — Kim English, Tara Meehan, Francis Hallinan, Caitriona Fenton, Aisling Reynolds, Michelle Meehan, Jackie McGrath and Gemma Costigan.

SALE OF WORK

The annual sale of work in aid of St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry took place on Sunday last. Santa Claus arrived by horse and trap and he presented each child with a Christmas present. There was a huge crowd present. The winners of the drawing of prizes were — 1st (£150) Maria Crotty, Kilmanahan; 2nd (£50) Blue Star Garages, Clonmel; 3rd (£25) Maura Condon, Ballymacarbry Upper.

MOUNTAIN BIKE RACING

Mountain bike racing took place on Sunday last, November 20 at "Carey's Castle", Russelstown, Co. Waterford. There were seventeen starters in the expert event in which Joe Barr of the Professional Club delivered a knockout blow to the opposition in the West Gate Trading C.C. Mountain Bike race. Barr, who has won the National Cyclo-Cross title on three occasions, found the muddy conditions ideal for his style, he came home a winner by over six minutes.

On a cold clear day the turnout was up on last year. Full results were:

Expert Race — 1st Joe Barr (Professional); 2nd Joe McCall (Diamond Back); 3rd Richie McAuley (Coors Bray); 4th Rory Walsh (M.A.D.).

Sports Junior Race — 1st Ciaran Power (Comeragh); 2nd David Fleming (Killarney); 3rd Tony Brennan (Coors Bray).

Sports — 1st Andy Brady (unattached); 2nd Peter Neville (M.B.C.C.); 3rd John Mason (West Gate Trading).

Underage Results — 1st John Mannix (Killarney); 2nd Kevin Scott (Rathmines); 3rd Adrian Cunningham (Killarney).

Veterans Race — 1st Pat Beary (Cahir); 2nd Denis Brennan (Bray); 3rd Michael Ormonde (Kilsheelan).

The winners received their trophies from Sean Kelly the great world cyclist who last year won this event, but this year he was watching from the sideline.

UNITED FARMERS LOOK FOR LAND AUTHORITY

United Farmers Association calls on all politicians who have a genuine interest in preserving the population of rural Ireland to lobby their own parties and our Government for the setting up of a Land Authority to regulate land usage.

The attractive grants and pension type annual payments now available for tree planting will have a detrimental effect on the countryside unless some controls are placed on afforestation. Land has always been an emotive issue in Ireland owing to the agrarian history of exploitation suffered by our people under English landlords. Small farmers who badly need extra acres to survive and rear their families will now be expected to stand placidly by while good agricultural land goes under trees.

If this tree planting regime is allowed free rein whole areas and the dwellers therein will be shaded out of sun and sight for ever more.

In a submission to Mr. Maurice Mullen of the Forest Service, dated June 20, 1994, U.F.A. suggested that planning permission should be a requirement for half an acre or more of trees and that farmers who need extra land to maintain viability should get priority over afforestation for available land.

A CHERRY TREE FOR EVERY BABY

300 wild cherry trees, sponsored by Coillte, are being donated to the maternity unit of St. Joseph's Hospital, Clonmel, where one tree will be presented to each new baby born in the hospital over a period of three months, beginning, November 16, 1994.

ROSMINIAN HOUSE OF PRAYER

On each Sunday during Advent at the Rosminian House of Prayer, Glencomeragh, Co. Waterford, there will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 2 to 6 p.m. It is an ideal opportunity to come together to pray for ourselves, our families and all our needs. At this time there is also a great need to pray for our priest and religious brothers and sisters who have served us well in this country for many years. Our politicians are also in need of our prayers. So let us come together and ask God to give us good Christian leaders who will guide our country safely through the turbulent times we are now living in. It was ask the Lord to help us, he will not be found wanting.

ANNUAL SENIOR CITIZENS PARTY

The annual senior citizens Christmas Party will take place at the Oriel Bar Lounge, Ballymacarbry on Thursday night, December 8. The party will be hosted by the Ballymacarbry Guild I.C.A. and the music for the event will be supplied by Stefan and Pierce. Since last year many people who were present have passed to their eternal reward.

BINGO

The bingo in aid of Nire Football Club took place on Wednesday night at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry. The major prize winners were Rita Sweeney, Newcastle and Melanie O'Regan, Clonmel.

HOSPITAL VISITATION DAY

The annual pre-Christmas Visitation Sunday at St. Patrick's Hospital, Cashel, takes place there on Sunday, December 11 between 2 p.m. and 4.30 p.m. Some 200 patients are hospitalised there, some from Ballymacarbry and North West Waterford. They will be eagerly awaiting this event. This year there is a special appeal to musicians and other entertainers to just give a little of their time on this day and they will be rewarded when they see the happy glow in the eyes of the patients, many of them are there for many years.

COMMUNITY ALERT MEETING

A well attended meeting of Newcastle Community Alert Centre took place in the Community Hall, Newcastle on last Sunday, November 20. The meeting was chaired by Matty McGrath and also present were Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin, P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle, Rev. Fr. James Denmead, C.C., Sgt. Jack Deegan, Crime Prevention Officer, Waterford, Sgt. Maurice Walsh, Ballymacarbry Garda Station, Tom Walsh, Chairman, Ballymacarbry Alert Centre, Nurse Pyne and Nurse Mangan, Public Health Nurses. Some videos on crime prevention were shown. Sgt. Deegan gave a very interesting talk on burglary, protecting your property and the best means of crime prevention. He said burglary can be prevented, too often people feel that if the burglar wants to break in, he can do so without difficulty. To some extent this is true, partly because some people take no security precautions. Even more to the point is the fact that in thousands of burglaries the thief gains access by unlocked windows or doors. You should never present thieves with this open invitation to steal. Be on your guard as burglars are real opportunists. Ensure that your property is unattractive to a thief. The best means of crime prevention is a good neighbour, some one who will look after your house when you are away, and will report any suspicious callers promptly. Good neighbours will not be happy waiting to discover if such callers are genuine by listening for news of a burglary. If you see suspicious activity don't hesitate to call the Gardaí. Sgt. Walsh also spoke as did Nurse Pyne who dealt with the elderly and for them some good hints for winter.

INFORMATION MEETING

The annual Information Meeting held by Waterford Foods plc took place at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry on last Tuesday, November 22. There was a large attendance present, the reason was there was no centre available to house the Ballymacarbry meeting. A discussion on many items took place including milk, grain and fertilisers.

LOTTO

The lotto draw in aid of Fourmilewater hurling club took place on Saturday night at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry. The numbers drawn were 4, 6, 11. There was no winner. The winners of the 5 x £20 were Tom Moore, Kilcreggane, Jim Moloney, Castlequarter, Tom Kearney, Toureen East, John Fennell, Boolabrien Lower, Louise Ryan, Curtiswood. Next week's jackpot £600.

BALLYMACARBRY MAN GETS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

One of Waterford's best known Gaels, Michael Ryan, Curtiswood, Ballymacarbry, of ladies football, Waterford, Ballymacarbry and Fourmilewater fame received recently the Jury's Hotel Achievement Award for October. This Gael is a tireless worker when it comes to training teams, and over the years we can hear Michael's voice and whistle on many a winter night in the Mill Field, Ballymac', putting his charges through their paces. It was an award he richly deserved. To Michael we say well done and keep up the pace. The award was made by Monica Leech, Sales Manager, Jury's Hotel.

Late Mrs. Ellen O'Halloran

It is with deep regret we record the death of Mrs. Ellen (Eily) O'Halloran (nee Mahoney), St. Ann's Terrace, Ardinnan which sad event took place on Saturday, 19th November. Deceased was a well-known member of an old and respected South Tipperary family. 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 have made her acquaintance and her demise has evoked feelings of sincere regret. A thoughtful neighbour, she was always ready with the helping hand and she is now deeply and justifiably mourned by all who held her in the warmest regard.

The measure of the esteem and high regard in which deceased was held, was clearly indicated on Sunday evening by the large concourse of mourners who were present when her remains were removed to the Parish Church, Ardinnan.

On Monday morning, the Feast of The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of her gentle soul. After Mass the funeral took place to the New Cemetery, Ardinnan, where a dear Christian lady was laid to rest.

To her relatives we tender our sympathy.
Go ndeana Dia trocaire an a h-anam dilis.

Late Mrs. Nora Torpey

With sadness we pen the death of Mrs. Nora Torpey, Rackhill, Carrick-on-Suir, which sad event took place after a protracted illness at Suirmount Nursing Home, Carrick-on-Suir, on Saturday, 12th November. She was a very devout lady and a member of the Third Order of St. Francis. She was preceded some ten years ago by her husband Francis Torpey who was a Fianna Fail representative on Carrick-on-Suir Urban District Council, of which he was elected Chairman in 1981/82.

On Sunday evening her remains were removed from Joe Walsh's Funeral Home, Carrick-on-Suir. Prior to leaving, prayers were recited by Rev. Fr. Anthony Boland, C.C., Carrick-on-Suir, to St. Molleran's Parish Church, Carrickbeg.

On Monday morning, the Feast of St. Laurence O'Toole, Requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of her gentle soul, the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Patrick Fitzgerald, P.P., Carrickbeg/Windgap, assisted by Rev. Fr. Fergus, O.F.M. After Mass the funeral took place to St. Mary's Cemetery, Carrickbeg where a gentle lady was laid to rest.

To her family we tender our sincere sympathy.
Ar Dheis De go raigh a anam.

Late Mrs. Esther Hunt

It is with deep and sincere regret we learned of the death of Mrs. Esther Hunt (nee Dunne), Ballinaraha, Kilsheelan, which sad event took place at her residence on Sunday, 13th November.

Deceased was endowed with many admirable traits of character. Her gentle and good humoured mature commended her to all. A caring neighbour whose memory will long be cherished by all who knew and respected her as was evidenced on Wednesday evening when all walks of life were represented in a huge concourse of mourners when her remains were removed from Joe Walsh's Funeral Home, Carrick-on-Suir, to the Parish Church, Gambonsfield, Kilsheelan.

On Thursday morning, the feast of St. Gregory, Requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of her gentle soul. After Mass her interment took place in the adjoining cemetery, again in the presence of a huge concourse of mourners who came to pay their last respects to a dear Christian friend whose memory they will cherish.

To her son John, her sisters and her other relatives we tender our deepest sympathy.
Ar Dheis De go raibh a anam.

Judge Warns Against Shoplifting

At Dungarvan District Court last week, Judge Michael Pattwell warned against organised shoplifting in Dungarvan and surrounding towns in the run

up to Christmas. "Traders have enough to worry about", he stressed, warning that a prison sentence would be the likely outcome of any organised shoplifting charge

that came before him during this period.

LOCAL MAN FINED £100

Noel Edward Connors, the Halting Site, Dungarvan, pleaded guilty at last week's Court to a charge of shoplifting at the Bargain Centre, Main Street on November 14th last.

Representing the Director of Public Prosecutions, Inspector Michael Blake in-

formed the court that at 1.55 p.m. on the date in question the 22 year old entered the Bargain Centre premises and stole a decorative plate valued at £5.99. He had a previous conviction for larceny.

Appearing for the defendant, Mr. Niall King, Solr., told the court that in terms of value, it was not a major planned larceny and Connors was repentant for what he had done.

Judge Pattwell imposed a fine of £100 for the shoplifting charge.

Dungarvan Dramatic Club Notes

Our first production of the 1994/95 season took place last week. Capacity crowds were the order of the house as people filled the function hall of The Park Hotel which had been temporarily transformed into a 200 seater theatre.

The audiences seemed to appreciate the show, 'Bedroom Farce' by Alan Ayckbourn for exactly what it was. A blend of conflict, confusion and sheer good fun. Tuesday's opening performance, held in aid of the Samaritans, set the week off to a great start and it gave us great pleasure to have been of assistance to them. We thank them and wish them well not only in their fundraising drive but also in their efforts to provide support for people who need it at critical times in their lives.

At the closing performance on Friday night, club president Margaret Dennehy gave great praise to the team of people who were involved in the production not only on stage but also in the construction and backstage management. A special tribute was given to our producer, Nichola Beresford on her debut directorial role for the club, for her time and effort in ensuring a smooth running and successful production. A presentation was made to Paula Higgins, a long time member of the club who has just moved to Sligo. The club wishes Paula every success in her new position.

Finally the club would like to thank you the public and all our sponsors without whom the show would not go on.

The curtains will rise again.....

Aglish Vintage Rally Notes

The Chairman, Secretaries, Treasurer and all the Vintage Rally Committee offer our sincere sympathy to the wife Pat, son William on the early death of Bill Downing. They surely have lost a great and loving husband and father. Also to his brothers and sisters and aunt and all his other relatives, on their great loss. Bill (R.I.P.) as he was known to everybody in the parish was the man that kept the Vintage Rally going for the last 11 years. He was the man that got us all together for the

meetings to get everything in order. For the day it was one day that Bill (R.I.P.) always looked forward to every year and let's hope that we will keep it going as that is what he would wish for.

Bill (R.I.P.) you are gone from this world but the people of this side of the parish will also remember you for all the work and all the time that you gave to the G.A.A. club, Vintage Rally and Community Alert. You will be very hard to replace. Ar dheis De go raibh a anam. — (A loyal friend)

KILROSSANTY NOTES

BIRTH

Congratulations to James and Francis Lonergan, Leamybrien on the birth of their new baby last week a sister for Emma and James.

HOSPITALISED

A speedy recovery is wished to Tommy Dunphy, Grawn who is a patient in Cork Hospital at present.

GRADUATED

Congratulations to Jacinta Crotty, Kilrossanty who graduated in Religious studies at "Mater Dei", Dublin recently.

DEISE DRAW

The Club had one winner in the Deise Draw last Friday night in Kilmacthomas. The lucky winner was Jimmy Curran, Leamybrien who received £200. The next draw will be in Lawlor's Hotel, (hosted by Eire Óg) on Wednesday night 21st December.

ACTIVE RETIREMENT

The above group will have their Christmas Party in Clonea Hotel on 9th December. Names to be in by Sunday 4th inst. Details as to time next week. A bus cannot be afforded so it is hoped that usual people will be able to arrange transport. £4 per person for meal which is good value.

CARRIGLEA PARTY

The I.C.A. Guild entertained 54 girls and 7 helpers

from Carriglea Convent last Sunday in Crotty's Inn. Music was provided by Ger and Dave who had all the girls dancing and singing. A lovely meal was laid on for them and also their helpers. The biggest thrill was when Santa appeared with all his gifts, and each girl received a gift. All in all a good day was had by them. Thank's to Crotty's Inn and their wonderful staff, Santa, Ger and Dave and all the members who provided foods etc. and decorated the Hall. Thanks also to E.S.B. for providing the outfit for Santa.

I.C.A.

County Federation Meeting in Bushy Park Hall on this Saturday 3rd December at 3 p.m.

A.C.T.

A word of thanks to all who contributed to the above collection last Sunday at Kilrossanty Masses.

The collectors were Oliver and Tony Coffey and Jimmy Power. £137.50 was the amount collected.

SALE OF WORK

Annual Sale of Work held last Friday night was an outstanding success raising £2,500 approximately. Thanks to all who helped in any way with it.

The Crotty's Inn for the premises, G.A.A. for the chairs.

Draw as follows — £100 (A.I.B. Kilmac), Ann Buck, 3 New Houses, Kilmac'; £50 (Declan Mulhearn), Margaret Harty, Bellahee; £25 (Jim Quinn), Francis Flahavan, Kilnagrange; £25 (James Lonergan), Pat Keating, Comeragh Upper; £25 (O'Brien Garage), Fr. Ml. Frawley, P.P., Kilrossanty. Proceeds went to church funds.

LATE JOHN BEHAN

The death occurred last Tuesday of John Behan, Coumahon, at his sons residence Coumahon. He was aged 90. He had only been ill just a few weeks. John was a quiet and inoffensive man, farming was his way of life. He was predeceased by his wife 44 years ago.

His remains were removed from Coumahon on Wednesday night to Fews Church followed by a large cortege. His remains were received and blessed by Fr. John O'Brien, C.C. and Fr. Tom Hubbard (African Mission). Requiem Mass was offered on Thursday morning celebrated by Fr. John O'Brien, C.C. assisted by Fr. Tom Hubbard, Fr. Ml. Enright, Fr. Ml. Frawley, Fr. Ml. Wall, Fr. Ml. Curran, Fr. Cooney. Readings were done by Nollaig and Imelda Behan (grandchildren). Offertory gifts were brought to the altar by

Tom Behan and Eleanor Kiely (grandchildren) Kilrossanty/Fews Choir rendered some appropriate hymns. Again a large concourse was present. Many floral tributes were laid on the grave. His coffin was carried to it's burial place by his grandsons.

Chief mourners were — sons Pat (Coumahon), Denis (Kilnagrange), John (Kilcanavee), Tom (Ashton); daughter Joan (Dublin); daughters in law Joan, Madge and Maura Behan, grandchildren, great grandchildren, relatives and friends. May he rest in peace.

FILM

Watch out for details of "Bachelors in Trouble Five" in these notes next week. It is being launched in the next week or two.

CLOTTO

Don't forget next Sunday night in Crotty's Inn. Jackpot is £700.00.

CARDS

Winners, Michael O'Donnell and Martin Fitzgerald; Runners up, Harry Quinn and Robbie Whelan. Best last 5 — Tony Whelan and Vinny Kirwan. Lucky table — Billy and Joan Barry. Last game - Pat Whyte and Breda Kiely. Raffle - Joe Whelan, Tom Barry and Mike Walsh. Jackpot £150 on 13 games as well as league at Christmas.

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Lismore Notes



MISSION SALE OF WORK

On behalf of the Mission Society may we offer our grateful thanks to all those who helped during our recent Sale of Work. Due largely to the great support which we received it was an outstanding success. To all those who helped in any way i.e. selling tickets, by donations, of books, cakes

vegetables etc., and last but not least all who came to buy. The result exceeded our expectations. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions. The results of the draws are as follows.
tickets — 1st £100, Mrs. Eileen Geoghegan, Round Hill; 2nd £30, Jackie Fe-

nessey, c/o Meaghers; 3rd £20, Alf Bardon, Deerpark.

Our grateful thanks also to Miss Kathleen Beston for her donation of the beautiful Christmas Cake which was won by Mrs. Jo Tobin, New Street.

The winner of our Hamper was Mrs. M. Kearney, Chapel Street; Bottle of Whiskey, Mr. P. Fennessey, Townspark; Set of Saucepans, Mr. A. N. Other. Again our grateful thanks to all. Go mbeirimid slan ar an am seo arís.

LISMORE ENTENTE FLORALE COMMITTEE

We would like to draw the attention of your readers to the "once in a lifetime" opportunity for the town of Lismore. The Entente Florale is a European competition for which Lismore is entered as the small town entrant for Ireland in 1995. This is the floral equivalent of the Eurovision Song Contest and Lismore has a chance to win it in 1995. The committee will be involved in fund-raising, planning and organising for next summer. A great effort and support is expected. Any offers of help to the committee or tidy towns.

BALLINVELLA LADIES NOTES

"A cooking demonstration with a difference" will be given by Brian Roche from Youghal at the Centre on Monday 5th December next at 8.30 p.m. All are welcome.

LISMORE BRIDE CLUB

Results 16th November, Turkey competition - 1st, Ann McCarthy and Joan Howard; 2nd, Johnny Allen and Monica Walsh; 3rd, Teresa Ryan and Siobhan Fogarty.

LISMORE DRAMATIC SOCIETY

Santa Claus arrives soon. On Sunday 11th December Santa Claus will be arriving at The Heritage Centre in spectacular fashion for a special Christmas Fete. So hopefully all the children in the area will be waiting to see him. Next week we will give the exact time etc.

Rehearsals for the Society's production of "The Little Shop Of Horrors" are at present 2 nights a week. Producer Ml. Scanlan is very pleased with the rehearsals and curtain up on the 26th January will see the first show in the Society's new theatre in The Heritage Centre.

Do not forget to make sure your tickets are ordered for the New Year's Eve Social at Ballyrafter House Hotel. As in former years this will be a sell out so those patrons intending to ring in the New Year and ring out the old with Lismore Dramatic Society get your tickets now, from any member of the committee.

UNDERAGE SOCCER

Last Saturday Lismore Soccer Club fielded 3 Under-Age teams in the Imokilly sponsored East Cork/West Waterford League. In Inch the U-12 team drew with the home side 1 goal each. Jamie Dalton - Man of the match - scored for Lismore coming into the second half and this goal was cancelled with just 2 minutes remaining. This was a good result for Keith Hornibrooks charges and they look a very promising outfit for next season. Inch defeated Lismore U-16 team by 6 goals to 3 goals while in Lismore Mogeely inflicted the same score on the Lismore U-14 side.

GUIDING IN LISMORE - SEARCH FOR LEADERS

Following our information night last Monday it has been decided to hold another meeting for adults only. To this meeting we invite anyone who might be interested in becoming a leader. So for further information and details come along to Lismore Hotel on Thursday December 8th at 7 p.m., or phone Ann or Jenny on 058 - 44273.

LISMORE ADULT LEARNING CENTRE

The above has moved from St. Carthage's Hall to a room in the Teagasc Centre. If you or someone you know would like help with reading or writing, call into the centre. We are open Tuesday and Friday from 2-4 p.m. or Tel. 058 - 54595 (evenings). This is a free and confidential service.

LISMORE GOLF NOTES

Results — Monday 21st - Friday 25th November — 1st, F. Ryan (18) 39 pts. B. 9.

Saturday 26th - Sunday 27th November — 1st, J. Bennett (15) 44 pts.; 2nd, R. Ormonde (5) 43 pts.; 3rd, J. Lenane (16) 42 pts. B.9; Best Saturday, P. Bennett (14) 41 pts.; Best Sunday, P. Heaphy (19) 42 pts.

The final round of the East Cork Oil Winter League was completed over the past week with R. Ormonde's team taking the laurels from A. Corcoran's team who had led the way from the beginning.

Result — 1st, R. Ormonde's team 856 pts.; 2nd, A. Corcoran's team 853 pts. Plate Result — 1st, P. McCarthy's team 824 pts.; 2nd, P. O'Flynn's team 794 pts.

Individual award over 5 weeks — James Lenane.

The Clubs A.G.M. was held on Tuesday 22nd November with incoming officers and committee as follows — President: K. Ryan; Captain: B. Arrigan; Vice President: M. Cahillane; Vice Captain: D. McGrath; Hon. Secretary: P. Norris; Treasurer: N. Walsh; Committee: P. O'Flynn, D. Barry, J. Bennett, R. Ormonde, P. McCarthy, T. Renahan, G. Howard, S. Landers, P. Condon, J. Condon, M. O'Regan, B. Ronayne, S. Beecher, T. Cahill.

The organising of the New Year's Eve Social is now in place and arrangements will be advised in early course.

FIXTURES

Thursday 1st December — Ladies Alliance Tee Res.; Saturday 3rd - Sunday 4th — 18 Hole Stableford, Christmas Hamper; Saturday 3rd — Society outing, Tee res: 12 noon - 1 p.m.; Thursday 8th — Society outing - Tee res: 1 p.m. - 2 p.m.; Saturday 10th — Society outing, Tee res: 10 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.

LISMORE G.A.A. NOTES

Weekly Draw, Week No.: 46 — £50, Mrs. Marie Crowley, Chapel Street; £30, Mrs. Pat O'Farrell, Deerpark; £20, Mr. John O'Donnell, Deerpark; £15, Mr. Jim Crowley, Tallow Road; £10, Mrs. Catherine Hale, Ballyin; £10, Mrs. Joan Hanon, Ballyduff; £10, Mr. Michael Ahearn, Parks Road. Promoters prize — Francis Whelan. The next draw will take place in the Red House on Monday 5th December at 8.00 p.m. All are welcome to attend. (Advt.)

Devastating Loss For U-21's — For the second time in a matter of weeks we suffered another defeat by arch rivals Mt. Sion by the slimmest of margins in another enthralling encounter.

Entering the last quarter of an hour and we were down by six points, one thought that Mt. Sion would win easily but our lads have great heart and determination and refused to wilt but stormed back into the game and were unlucky not to have come away with a draw. But ye can hold your heads high as ye gave everything that was asked but it was not to be.

The big talking point after the game was the "deploring" (for the use of a kinder word) refereeing during the game while we take our beating fair and square and congratulate Mt. Sion on their win, one has to ask questions:

At last Monday week's fixtures meeting M. Wadding was the appointed referee. When he became unavailable there was another referee appointed (unknown to the club) and then last Friday night the County Chairman appointed another referee:

- why weren't the club contacted about these changes; - before our County Chairman steps down after his term in office maybe he might ask himself this question; - why is Waterford hurling so low in the county and would you blame any of our younger players for giving it up and taking up other sports - on last Sunday's display I wouldn't blame them.

Silver Jubilee Social — Plans are well advanced and demand for tickets is very big as we prepare for our forthcoming social to honour our victorious Intermediate team of 1969.

The following is the panel of players who will be honoured on the night:- Jarleth Daly, Brendan Daly, Michael, Richie and Billy Ormonde, Michael McGrath, David McGrath, Thomas Hyland, Pat Foley, Jimmy Geoghegan, Ronnie O'Donnell, Denny Buckley, Michael Canning R.I.P., Jim Crowley, Liam Canning, Harry Whelan, David Whelan, Billy Landers, Dick Canning, Sham Hurley, John Cahill.

Going through the list it was great to see so many of these faces still coming to cheer us on, so now it's our turn to make their night such a joyous occasion and here's hoping that we'll have a full turnout past and especially present members of our hurling teams, as after all it was this panel that got us to senior ranks. Don't forget: Friday December 9th in Lismore Hotel at 8.30 p.m. with music by the Society 4. Tickets priced £6.00 are available from Billy Cunningham or John O'Gorman Newsagents.

LISMORE BADMINTON CLUB NOTES

Our first division men's team played a 3-1 win away to Waterford last week and so secured a place in the league final. This game went ahead on Thursday night, fixed for Ring Hall it had to be changed on the night because of moisture on the court.

So Dungarvan was the venue and Tullaghough provided the opposition on the night. Pa and Colin got off to a great start winning in two sets. Then Pat and Kieran found the going tough and went down in two sets. Pa and Pat teamed up for third mens and in a rip roaring game they came from behind in the third set to take the game. Colin and Kieran were under pressure from the start of their game but battled very hard before going under. With the games standing 2-2. Sets were counted and Tullaghough had the extra one to take the title.

The Lismore lads were disappointed but not too disheartened, there are a few years left in Pa, Colin and Pat and with a bit more experience Kieran playing, 1st Division for the first time, will help their bid for a few more titles.

Thanks to the supporters who travelled on the night.

1st and 3rd Division Leagues (Mixed) get underway next week and we wish them both the best of luck.

Teams:- 1st Division — Pa Morrissey, Colin Coleman, Pat Ahearn, Ann Dunne, Breda Lyons, Sharon Warren.

3rd Division — Brian O'Gorman, Paul Walshe, Kieran Cahill, Mag Morrissey, Connie Dowd, Jo Jo Tobin.

Also three of our lady beginners are joining forces with some men from Tourin for the moment to play in the mixed league, Jacinta Behegan, Catherine Flynn, Ann Hickey. Good luck girls. -P.R.O.

LIS MÓR ART GROUP

The Lios Mór Art Group have just finished cleaning their brushes, emptying their palettes and touching up their paintings. It's just in time too — for they are holding their "Exhibition and Sale of Paintings" on Sunday, December 4 in the Church of Ireland Hall, East Main Street. You will be welcome from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and admission is 50p (which includes refreshments). Children will be admitted free. The proceeds from the event will go to the very worthy cause of the "Lismore Community Centre" Building Fund. So with Christmas coming and shopping for presents looming why not visit? or, if you and your family just feel like coming along for a browse, the Group will be delighted to see you.

ST. CARTHAGE'S HOUSE 45 DRIVE

Results of 28th November — Jimmy Hornibrook and Tom Brennock, John Pratt and Noel Pratt, Nora Willoughby and Noreen Gough. Raffle - Brian Ahearn, Johnny Hickey and Mrs. Morrissey. Lucky tables — Josie Mangan and Helen Cunningham, Moss Morrissey and Eddie Byrne.

WHAT A REFEREE

Readers of this column will know the correspondent is involved in Association Football for over 30 years, as a player, referee and administrator. In all this time we have never criticised a referee in any code as we understand only too well the man in the middle has a near impossible job. However on Sunday last at the U-21 Co. hurling final in Cappoquin between Lismore and Mt. Sion we saw an exhibition of refereeing that we can only describe as deplorable.

He lost total control, so much so that the amazing feature was that no player was seriously injured. Here we had two teams physically fit training for at least 6 months and they came to a final with an incompetent referee to ruin and destroy their day. We congratulate Mt. Sion on their win but shame to Waterford Co. Board for appointing a referee whose knowledge of the rules is questionable. Even we know that when a player is awarded a free but retaliates the ball is then thrown in. This did not happen last Sunday and from such a free Mt. Sion goaled. Speaking to a leading referee in the G.A.A. after the game, and a well known All Star, both agreed the referee was a disaster. Waterford Co. Board has been making the headlines all year for all the wrong reasons last Sunday is another example.

OLD FOLKS PARTY

We have been informed that the Old Folks Party will take place this year on Sunday 18th December at 2 p.m. in Lismore Hotel.



Members of Clashmore 1969 intermediate footballers and junior hurlers who won both county titles who were honoured at the club's Annual Dinner Dance, held in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan.

(Photo: Sean Byrne)

Strenuous Opposition To Urban Rate Hikes

In recent days, we've all heard of the financial dilemma of Waterford County Council and the major hikes the cash strapped authority has imposed on both county water charges and commercial rates.

BY AISLING CONROY

It now appears, however, that the Dungarvan Urban Council is facing a dilemma of its own as members are faced with the Manager's proposals of a 5% increase on rates, £8 increase on domestic water charges, an increase on commercial water charges from £1.60 to £1.75 and the controversial introduction of a .50p charge for the collection of each bag of refuse.

There was unanimous opposition to both the £8 water charge increase and the .50p tag a bag scheme at last Monday's U.D.C. estimates meeting. To cast further gloom over the Council's tightened money flow, County Manager Donal Connolly revealed arrears of £1/4 million owed to the County Council since the 1980's. In an attempt to pay back this note worthy sum, Mr. Connolly proposed the Urban Council repay £50,000 per annum over a five year period.

To add to this figure Mr. Connolly informed members of a further £25,000 to be paid to the County Council representing the County Demand i.e. the intake which the U.D.C. receives for library services, coroners and inquests, control of dogs, main road, fire service etc. To offset the total amount of £75,000 payable to Waterford County Council in 1995, to maintain the services of the council at a reasonable level and to return to a credit balance in 1995, Mr. Connolly has proposed the aforementioned increases in charges.

The total sum derived from the tag-a-bag system should realise £55,000 which the Manager has al-

ready included in the estimates.

MAJOR OBJECTIONS

Cllr. Austin Deasy T.D., said £1/4 million was an 'awful amount' for the U.D.C. to repay. "It creates major problems for us", he declared suggesting that the Council repay the arrears on a phased basis of 7/8 years. "That would relieve the problem to an extent", he added. Continuing, the Dail Eireann member declared that for a town with a small rate base, £75,000 charge "plays havoc with our estimates".

Sharing Cllr. Deasy's reservations, Cllr. Damien Dillon said the outstanding sum of £75,000 had created enormous difficulties. Cllr. Dillon then pointed to the numerous small businesses who would have to pay both commercial water charges for the premises, domestic water charges for their house and tag-a-bag fees at home and at work.

"Shoopkeeper's can't afford these huge hikes", Cllr. Dillon slammed, describing the proposed estimates as a 'very harsh package'. Cllr. Tony Wright said he found the Manager's strategy 'alarming' and urged that the County demand arrears be treated as a mortgage, over a long period of time.

REFUSE PROBLEM

Having always prided themselves on being one of the lowest rate charging local authorities in the country members were truly shocked to hear of the Manager's proposed refuse collection charge.

Cllr. Nuala Ryan said on average householders would have 2 bags of rubbish per week, bringing the charge to

£52 per annum on top of a £55 charge on domestic water, a jump of £60 on last year's total charge.

"An £8 increase on domestic water charges is astronomical", she stressed, while adding that the former County Manager Dan Hurley had previously told the Council that water charges were to be phased out.

Cllr. Lar Hart also objected strongly to the proposed refuse charge and added that very few people leave one bag of refuse to be collected each week. "I've seen houses with 5/6 bags of rubbish", said Cllr. Hart who further warned that people would end up throwing their rubbish next door to their neighbour should the proposed .50p tag-a-bag charge be implemented.

Cllr. Michael O'Riordan warned a £1 minimum refuse charge each week would be seen as an extra levy on top of the increased water charges.

"CRAZY NOTION"

Also highly critical of the Manager's proposal, Cllr. Tony Wright said the estimates as put forward in the report would make Margaret Thatcher look like "Santa Claus".

Referring to the £8 increase in water charges Cllr. Wright agreed with Cllr. Ryan that the former County Manager "had promised to phase them out over 2 years".

Continuing, Cllr. Wright said the proposal of a refuse charge was "a crazy notion". "There are 5 bags alone in my house per week", he added. The charge he felt would discriminate against poorer and larger families. "The Coun-

cil will be left with a big mess they'll put out their rubbish anyway whether the Council collects it or not", he slammed. "There's nothing in it for workers and working people", declared Cllr. Wright who then called on his fellow councillors to reject the proposed estimates. Cllr. Dillon warned that he could see the situation arising "where people start incinerating their own rubbish".

LITTLE ROOM FOR REDUCTION

As members voiced their various protests and objections to the proposed hike in urban service charges, it became clear that a stalemate was fast approaching. Matters came to a head when Cllr. Nuala Ryan suggested that the domestic water charges be increased to £50 as opposed to £55 and that the tag-a-bag system be dropped.

In reply Mr. Connolly said if the U.D.C. were to provide a reasonable level of services, he saw "very little room for reduction in the proposed figures".

In his view, Mr. Connolly could see no other place or programme from which he could safely advise the Council to take out £55,000 - the shortfall if the tag-a-bag system is dropped.

"We can't improve the services without increasing the charge", he stressed.

As the stalemate wore on, it became increasingly obvious that a compromise was not to be found.

A second estimates meeting was then fixed for December 13th. In the interim the Manager will take on board each members objections. The rate will not be easy to strike for Dungarvan U.D.C. members this year.

Council Divided As Soaring County Rate Struck

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poverty trap existed for those families in the middle income bracket who have to pay income tax, medical expenses, exam fees and local service charges, etc. "Families just haven't the money anymore," she warned.

"The funding of local authorities is a Government job and let the Government be answerable," Cllr. Flynn insisted.

BOTTOM LINE

Cllr. Con Casey said the bottom line was if they adopted the estimates as presented by the Manager "we would then ask our rate payers and service consumers to meet a horrendous rise in costs".

Also highly critical of the Manager's advised increases, Cllr. Billy Kyne warned that a 10% rise in commercial rates would mainly affect small developers, while a £26 rise in domestic water charges would be 'impossible' to implement. "We have come to the end of the line," Cllr. Kyne declared, stressing that the impact of £140 p.a. would be most significant on the PAYE sector who receive no relief on service charges. "It's unbelievable to go to £140 for these people", he further stressed.

Meanwhile, Cllr. Tom Cunningham said that many people he had spoken with claimed they would sink their own wells should the domestic water charges be increased by £26.

There followed much heated debate and acrimonious discussion as members struggled to find a solution to their current cash strapped scenario.

Mr. Connolly, however, responded by saying that the reality of the situation was that the estimates were prepared as accurately as possible. "We're still not charging the full economic cost for Council services," he said. "£140 for domestic water over 52 weeks in the year is not a very high charge," the Manager added.

7.5% COMMERCIAL INCREASE

It was unanimously agreed to adjourn the meeting for 10 minutes during which the various political parties took time to review their respective positions.

As the meeting resumed once more, Cllr. Pat Coffey (F.G.) said he would agree to a 12 1/2% increase in domestic water charges and a 5% increase in commercial rates.

His proposal was dismissed by Mr. Connolly, however, who said there was no way he could see the Council realistically adhering to that specific money frame. "We're inadequately financed . . . and we cannot spend over and above what we have," he warned. Continuing, Mr. Connolly disclosed his willingness to accept a commercial rate increase of 7.5% (21/2% decrease on the 10% he was seeking originally).

To this end, the Manager revealed that the £40,000 shortfall would be bridged by a cutback in specific areas such as disabled grants, fire service, library book fund and coastal fund, etc.

NEW RATE ADOPTED

On a proposal by Cllr. Jackie Fahey (F.F.) and seconded by Cllr. Willie McDonnell (F.G.), the Council decided on a 13-9 vote to adopt a new county rate of £140 for domestic water charges, a £33.15 commercial rate and £2 per tag for refuse collection.

Cllr. Kyne (Lab.) then placed on record both Cllr. Paddy O'Callaghan's and his non-support of the new county rate.

The tough decision of accepting the Manager's proposals was reflected in the lack of unanimity among various party members. Seven of the nine Fianna Fail members present, supported the new rate as did the Labour Chairman and five of the nine Fine Gael party members.

Those for — Cllrs. Austin Flynn, Paddy Kenneally, Tom Cunningham, Jackie Fahey, Jimmy Quirke, Ollie Wilkinson, Pat Leahy (all F.F.), Gary O'Halloran, Richard Power, Oliver Coffey, Willie McDonnell, Michael Qually (all F.G.) and Lar Hart (Lab.).

Those against — Cllrs. Pat Coffey, Nora Flynn, John Carey, Con Casey (all F.G.), Dan Cowman, Geoff Power (F.F.), Billy Kyne, Paddy O'Callaghan (Lab.) and Tony Wright (D.L.).

Cappoquin Notes

WATER CHARGES

It is now a fact. The elected members of Waterford County Council have voted to increase the domestic water charge to £140 per annum. This is a very serious matter indeed for house holders already strapped for cash. For instance a person in receipt of unemployment assistance will spend in excess of 5% of his income paying for water which flows freely into the town from the Knockmealdown mountains.

Local Cllrs. Wilkinson and Flynn were divided on the issue with the latter voting against. To be fair to them and the other Councilors they are placed in an

impossible situation at this time every year when they are told that they either increase the charges or cut the services including man power. For the powers that be increasing water charges is an easy option. One wonders if all other alternatives were closely examined. One can only speculate on the vast amounts of money being expended on other not so worthwhile projects.

It is appreciated that hard working County Councilors don't have the time or indeed the expertise to tease out the nitty gritty of the annual estimates so perhaps the time is at hand to have them examined by an inde-

pendent expert who would surely come up with something other than draconian increases in vital domestic charges.

CAPPOQUIN TIDY TOWNS NOTES

Tree Planting — As you probably have noticed, tree planting has begun in Upper Main Street. There has been an enthusiastic favourable response to this planting scheme. The type of tree planted is *Pyrus Chanticleer*, which is semi evergreen, glossy leaved with white flower and recommended for street planting. These trees were purchased directly from S.A.P. Nurseries in Ardfinnan at a cost of almost £50 each including tree guard and stakes. We request that everyone is vigilant to ensure they are not vandalised.

We are sincerely grateful to Mr. Peter Stam of Stam Nurseries, Cappoquin for giving voluntary of his time and advice in choosing and planting these trees.

Top Soil — Some weeks ago we advertise in the local press for top soil and clay for the Twiggob development. Within a few days we received a large quantity of topsoil and clay from Cappoquin Pork and Bacon Ltd. We wish to publicly acknowledge and thank the management of Cappoquin Pork and Bacon for this supply of topsoil and clay and wish them every success in the current extension of their business.

LATE SHANE JAMESON

The death took place last week of Mr. Shane Jameson, Tourin, Cappoquin. Mr. Jameson was a member of an old and respected local family. Having served with distinction in World War Two he returned to Tourin where he established a highly successful grass drying business which gave much needed employment in the fifties and sixties. He also set up a company which manufactured fire-backs and other ancillary products. He farmed extensively and was responsible for reclamation of a huge area of marshy land in the Camphire area.

He also held an interest in the brand of whiskey which bore his name and is now being marketed by Irish Distillers.

He had a keen interest in the game of snooker. He donated a valuable trophy which is competed for annually in the local C.Y.M.S. Hall. Whenever possible he was present to watch the final and to present the trophy to the winner.

He made a site for the Community Hall in Tourin available and the playing pitch used by Tourin G.A.A. and other games club was part of his estate.

A most courteous gentleman he will be missed by those who knew him especially by his family to whom sincere sympathy is extended.

Mr. Walter O'Donovan

The death took place on Friday, November 25, at Dungarvan Hospital of Mr. Walter (Walt) O'Donovan, Ballygambon, Cappagh. Removal took place on Saturday evening to Ballinameela Church. Following the 10 o'clock Mass on Sunday morning the burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To his sons, daughters, sister and family we extend our sincere sympathy.

(Full report in next week's issue.)
(Arrangements by Aidan Walsh & Sons, Cappoquin. Tel. 54008).

CAPPOQUIN AND DISTRICT DARTS LEAGUE

League leaders Lindsay's suffered their first defeat in nearly a year at the hands of Morrissey's in Ballyduff last Friday night. The home side got off to a good start but Morrissey's fought back well to earn a great victory. The Tavern took full advantage of this result to go to the top when they had a fine 6-2 victory at home against Deckies. Kereen were at home to Lalor's and had a fine 6-2 win. The league table is as follows:- Tavern 27, Lindsay's 26, Morrissey's 24, Deckies 20, Kereen 19, Village Inn A 16, Paddy Mac's A 13, Lalor's 7. Paddy Mac's and the Village have a game in hand.

Barry's are still unbeaten after five games and lead the way in the second division. Last week-end they were away to the Red House and won by five games to three. Clubs are asked to phone in results on time.

SOCCER NEWS

Defeat For Cappoquin A

Cappoquin were deservedly beaten by a strong Bride View side on Sunday. The score was 2-0 but it could easily have been a larger margin as Bride View missed a number of shots at goal. Cappoquin had only one chance to score but missed narrowly. Overall the team put up a very poor performance. There was little or no marking of the Bride View players and a general lack of effort on the part of Cappoquin. Martin Lacey played well in the back line.

Team — Liam Morrissey, Martin Lacey, Dave Power, Dean Morrissey, Michael Walsh, Gossie Mason, Brian Murray, Martin Power, Rhiney Walsh, Anthony McCarthy, John Morrissey. Subs. — K. O'Donnell for D. Morrissey, F. Murray for A. McCarthy.

The Under 16 team played Bride View on Saturday - their third away game in a row. The team played some good football in the first half and the score at half-time was 2-0 to Bride View. We had a lot of chances to score and were unlucky not to have a score at this stage.

We began the second half with a strong attack and scored a goal. Bride View broke away from the defence to get their third goal and although Cappoquin kept up the pressure Bride View sealed their win with 2 more goals in the last few minutes.

Final score Bride View 5 - Cappoquin 1.

AFFANE - CAPPOQUIN G.A.A. NEWS

Draw Winner — Congratulations to John Flynn, Carrigeen who was a prize winner in last Friday night's draw. The promoter was Paddy McGrath.

Late William Downing — The club would like to extend sympathy to the wife, son and other relatives of Bill Downing, Aghish who died last week.

Bill was an ex-player and current officer of the Geraldines G.A.A. Club.

He will be missed by his family, the members of his Club and indeed by all G.A.A. people who knew him.

ST. ANNE'S AGAIN SUCCESSFUL

Congratulations to Mark Coffey, Margaret Heffernan, Paul Morrissey and Elaine Prendergast who were successful in the 1st round of Cork Examiner Quiz. Their opponents were Ard Scoil na nDeise. St. Anne's team had one of the highest overall scores with 116 points - well done!

Concern Debate Team — Christine Collender, Edel Byrne, Sam Maderson and Elaine Prendergast won 1st round of Concern Debate.

AFFANE PAROCHIAL HALL NOTES

Successful Quiz - The table quiz held in the hall on last Friday night was an outstanding success. The winning team were sponsored by the local G.A.A. Club and comprised of Jack Cullinane, Ciaran Cullinane, Paddy McGrath and Mossy Morrissey. Light refreshments were supplied to all competitors at the end of the night. The committee are pleased to acknowledge the generous sponsorship from East Cork Oil, Cappoquin Chickens, Mce. Kelleher and the Market House.

It is planned to hold another quiz night in the early New Year.

AFFANE BRIDGE

Results of 21st November — 1st, Mick Lineen and Eileen Coffey; 2nd, Brid Culloo and Monica Walsh, Lil Costin and Monica Sullivan; 3rd, Claire Meaney and Kath Barry; 4th, Betty Kelleher and Pat Conroy.

MELLERAY DRAMATIC CARDS

Result of 18th November - 1st and 2nd, Denis McGrath, Mary O'Rourke, Eddie Byrnes, Joe Flynn; 3rd, Joe Power, Mick Halley. Lucky tables — Mary O'Neill and Eamonn Morrow, Jim and Betty Devine. Tickets — 1st, Breda Coleman; 2nd, Mick Halley; 3rd, Mary O'Neill.

Results 25th November - 1st, Jim and Eileen Tobin; 2nd and 3rd, Mary O'Rourke, Jack Crowley, Jim Russell, Joan Byrnes. Lucky tables — Mick Cullinane, Johnny Prendergast, Joe and Rose Flynn. Tickets — 1st, John Burke, 2nd, Jimmy McCarthy; 3rd, Moss Morrissey.

Next game Friday 2nd December at 8.30 p.m. £5 game 9th December 8.30 p.m. sharp.

CAPPOQUIN ROWING CLUB

The A.G.M. takes place on Sunday 4th December at 12 noon.

SENIOR CITIZENS

Yes, folks it's that time of the year again. Our Annual Party will take place this year on Sunday December 11th at 1 p.m. All are welcome.



Group of working members pictured at Cappoquin Coursing Club's two-day event recently

News of Town and Roundabout

THANKS

On behalf of Roseweek we would like to thank all those who assisted and contributed to the Roseweek 1994 campaign.

Roseweek 1994 has been a tremendous success and both charities have benefited greatly.

Roseweek is an annual event in aid of the Irish Epilepsy Association and the Irish Society for Autism.

FLORAL AND CAKE DEMONSTRATION

A pre-Christmas Floral and Cake Demonstration in aid of St. Martin's Special School on Monday, December 5, at 8 p.m., in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan by Neans Uí Bhraonáin, An Rinn, and Margaret Morrissey, Carrigahilla House and Gardens, Stradbally. (Advt.)

TRADITIONAL SESSION

Naomh Padraig CCE will hold a session in Bridie Dee's Pub, Mary Street, Dungarvan on Thursday, December 1, in conjunction with the launch of the Waterford Singers Club. (Advt.)

C.B.S. NON-STOP DRAW RESULTS

Week 2 — £100 — Mary Ann O'Brien, Ballygagin; £50 — Inagh Considine, Ballinroad; £10 each — Breda Molloy, Seapark; Patrick O'Leary, Childers Estate; Mary Quinlan, Island, Stradbally; Daragh Donnelly, Faha, Ring; Moira Dunford, Kilnafrehan; £5 each — David Kelly, Lisfennell; Pat Mor-

Motorist Fined £1000 And Disqualified For 3 Years

A Kilmacthomas motorist pleaded guilty at Dungarvan District Court last week to a charge of driving with excess alcohol.

Tom King, Ashtown, Kilmacthomas, was driving into Dungarvan for chips when he was detected by the Gardaí.

Representing the Director of Public Prosecutions, Inspector Michael Blake said King's urine sample showed an alcohol content of 302 mgm. The council worker had a previous conviction for drunk driving.

Judge Michael Pattwell imposed a £1,000 fine with an endorsement on King's driving licence and he was disqualified from driving for 3 years. Recognisances were fixed in the event of an appeal.

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Week 3 — £100 — Ann Hogan, Pulla, Ring; £50 — Judy Veale, 6 McCarthyville; £10 each — Raymond McCarthy, Lusca-nargid, Kilrush; Mary Coughlan, Cappoquin; Breda Fraher, 6 Boreenatra; Caroline Sullivan, 25 Kilrush Park; Annabel Lannen, The Look Out, Dungarvan; £5 each — Vincent O'Sullivan 25 Kilrush Park; Joan Mullins, Ballymacmaque. (Advt.)

ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 22 — 1, Margaret O'Donnell and John Phelan; 2, Bernie Murphy and Cass Dolan; 3, Kay Shanley and Margaret Foley; 4, Eithne Keevers and Bridie McHugh.

DEISE BRIDGE CLUB

Results — 1, Sadie Uí Mhiacháin and Margaret O'Donnell; 2, Mimi Christopher and Moira Ormond; 3, Tom Mulcahy and Leo O'Donnell; 4, Ollie O'Neill and Judy Noctor. Section B — 1, John Phelan and Joan Mansfield; 2, Kathleen Deasy and Paddy Lannen; jt. 3, Nuala O'Donovan and Paddy McCarthy, Maureen O'Neill and Helen McCarthy.

DUNGARVAN BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 17 — 1, Tom Mulcahy and Anne McNally; 2, Maureen O'Neill and Leo O'Donnell; 3, Margaret O'Donnell and Louise Fleming; 4, Sadie Uí Mhiacháin and Pauline Dempsey.

Results, November 24 — 1, Joan McCarthy and Maeve Coghlan; 2, Joan Mansfield and Justin Spratt; 3, Maureen O'Neill and Ned Whelan; 4, Tom and Marieanne Mulcahy.

COMERAGH BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 21 — 1, Una Drennan and Kitsey Keating; 2, Kitty Power and Ann Fitzgerald; 3, Gemma Hickey and Margaret Clancy; 4, Mary Walsh and Pauline Enright.

HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 24 — 1, Sean Norris and Margaret Dower; 2, Kay Brown and Jenny Kiely; 3, Elaine Flynn and Kay Shanley; 4, Gabriel Mullins and Liam Desmond.

CUNNIGAR BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 23 — North/South players — 1, Maeve O'Riordan and Maeve Carthy; 2, Marie Fahey and Mary Walsh; 3, Kitty Greaney and John Phelan; 4, Elizabeth Donnelly and Bridget Burke; East/West players — 1, Leo O'Donnell and Mel O'Connor; 2, Nuala Power and Doreen Keane; 3, Maureen O'Byrne and Betty Prendergast; 4, Helen O'Dwyer and Lucy Frost.



PRESENTATION OF THE FAS SOUTH EAST REGIONAL TRAINING AWARDS AT THE TOWER HOTEL, WATERFORD — (Front, left to right) — Cllr. Stephen Rogers, Mayor of Waterford, Michael O'Connor, Managing Director Cappoquin Chickens, winners of the Medium (51-200 employees) Caterory; Chris Kirwan, Chairman FAS; back — Tom Vaughan, Financial Controller, Cappoquin Chickens, Jim Hewison, Manager, Service to Industry FAS, S.E., Rita Kiely, Quality Assurance Manager, Cappoquin Chickens, Frank Kelly, Deputy President Waterford Chamber of Commerce, Eoin Russell, Production Manager, Cappoquin Chickens. —(Photo: Joe McGrath).

ABBEYSIDE GUIDE NOTES

This week we all arrived looking our best in full dress uniform.

Our brains were tested to the limits at this meeting as we started off with a quick quiz. The questions were all based on guiding, and for some of us the questions seemed to bring back a few memories. Julie discovered that Guides Own is no relation to Boyzone!! But at the end of it all there was very little between the scores.

After the tables and chairs had been tidied away we played a new game which left us all running up and down the Den joining paperclips together??

Next we tried our hand at another game which also involved the use of paperclips I never knew you could do so many things with a paperclip. - Lizzie

LADYBIRD ENROLLMENT

Last Monday night, 13 Ladybirds from our Monday night unit were enrolled into the guiding family. After making their promise they were presented with their red neckerchiefs by the Area and District Commissioners. Not wanting to be outdone, leaders, Eileen and Suzanne got in on the act too. Both received their trefoils after promising to live the guiding way. We would like to welcome all our new members to the movement.

FUNDRAISING RAFFLE

Over the past few weeks we have been busy selling raffle tickets. Last Tuesday night the draw was held under the watchful eye of Fr. Ahern. 1st prize of the Tara Crystal Lamp was won by Philip Foley, Abbeyside. Full result details will be published next week.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank most

sincerely all our organisers, sponsors and supporters.

REMEMBER, REMEMBER

Insurance and affiliation fees must be paid over the next 2 weeks.

TREFOIL GUILD

This is an organisation for past members, the only requirement being that you once made either a Brownie or Guide promise. For further information contact Ann or Jenny on 058 - 44273.

PANTOMIMES

Ladybirds and Brownies — Abbeyside Ladybirds and Brownies are heading to Cork on Saturday January 14th 1995 to see the pantomime "Cinderella" in the Everyman Theatre. Places are limited so early booking is advisable to avoid disappointment. More details nearer the event.

Guides — Abbeyside and Stradbally Guides come together on December 10th and 11th for a winter week-end in Waterford. This year a luxury trip has been organised, which will include an evening at the Theatre, and overnight accommodation in Viking House. Could we get used to such luxury?? - definitely!!

All Qualified — At our Regional Conference in Cork on Saturday November 19th both Ann and Jenny Power were presented with their Camp Officer (C.O.) Qualifications, by outgoing Regional Commissioner Mary Stack. Following camping examinations earlier this year both leaders are now qualified to take up to 36 Guides camping, hosting or on indoor stays. An extremely high standard of camping knowledge and experience is necessary in order to become a C.O. and only two such titles were presented in the South West Region during the past

12 months. When added to the previous qualifications they now have a long list of over 13 titles between them.

Thank You — A big thank you to Mac's Restaurant, O'Connell Street, who didn't prepare 18 cheeseburgers,

chips and coke!! We would advise other businesses to follow suit and not to prepare "our" orders unless we are actually standing there - please don't take any phone orders - or else you could be left holding the bun!!

BALLYSGAGGART NOTES

PIONEER NOTES

The first rounds of the West Waterford Readóirí Regional finals took place on Saturday November the 19th at Ballinroad Hall. Thanks to all those who took part, and the best of luck to those that go onto the Diocesan finals, which take place on Saturday 3rd December in Ballyduff at 8.30 p.m.

Junior Solo Singing: Imelda Hale;

Senior Solo Singing: Ann Carey;

Junior Set Dancing: Nuala and Patrick Carey, Brian and Kenneth Kearney, Sharon Geoghegan, Thomas Veale, Paula and Margaret McGrath;

Junior Old Time Waltzing: Brian Kearney and Sandy McGrath;

Senior Old Time Waltzing: Jim and Kitty Carey;

Senior Half Set: Eoin and Siobhán Kearney, Sean Veale and Ann Carey;

Senior Recitation: James Lenane.

Thanks to all our musicians and supporters who travelled on the night.

CARDS

Results — 1st, Dan Brien and Mary Whelan; 2nd/3rd, Jim Russell and Joe Shea, Bertie Neville and Paddy Moore, Dan Howard and Finola Hynes, Jimmy Geoghegan and Dave Hickey. Lucky tables — Pa Geoghe-

gan and Pad Walsh, Moss Morrissey and Jo Lineen, Mick Morrissey and Pad Hales. Raffle — Esther Walsh, Jimmy Geoghegan, Tommy Nugent, Nellie Brackett.

GA.A. NOTES

U-21's Just Fail — Lismore/Ballysgaggart U-21 Hurlers failed by just a single point to annex the U-21 County title at Cappoquin on Sunday last. At the end of a tough uncompromising hours hurling Mt. Sion emerged winners on 1-10 to 1-9 scoreline.

BALLYDUFF/BALLYSGAGGART I.F.A.

The branch A.G.M. was held in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff on 26th November. The following officers were elected:-

Chairman: Michael J. Walsh; Vice Chairman: Patsy Ahern; Secretary: Pat Geoghegan; Registrar: Liam Leamy.

Delegates to County Executive — Ben Daunt, Liam Leamy, Tom Moroney, John Devine.

A discussion followed on the subject of milk price and most members present expressed dissatisfaction at the price being paid by Waterford Foods in comparison with Dairygold's price. It was agreed to hold a meeting in the near future to discuss the matter further.

DUNGARVAN DISTRICT COURT

CYCLIST FINED £75

William Fraher of 16, Cathal Brugha, failed to appear at last week's sitting of Dungarvan District Court on a charge of cycling without proper lights. Garda Stephen O'Leary told the court he had detected the defendant at O'Connell Street shortly after 9 p.m. on September 7th last.

Judge Michael Pattwell imposed a fine of £75 for cycling with no lights.

VILLIERSTOWN
MOTORIST FINED

At last week's court Darren Reddy of The Green, Villierstown was fined £200 for driving with no tax and £30 for failing to produce his driving licence at the Burgery on October 1st last.

ORDERED TO PAY
AISEIRI

A local man pleaded guilty at last week's court to a charge of being drunk and

disorderly on Sept. 23 last.

Garda Stephen O'Leary told the court that at 11.20 p.m. on the date in question, he encountered the defendant, Philip Jordon, 18, McCarthyville, Abbeyside at the Causeway where he was shouting at his friends. He had no previous convictions. Twenty year old Jordon told the court, "all I did was shout

across the street at someone".

Judge Michael Pattwell agreed with Garda O'Leary that it was the wrong time of the night to be shouting in public and adjourned the case to December 14th during which time he ordered Jordon to pay £25 personally to Aiseiri. If he did this, Judge Pattwell said his name would remain clean.

Nissan To Open
At Youghal Road,
Dungarvan

Nissan Ireland recently announced the appointment of "Dungarvan Nissan" as Main dealer for Co. Waterford. 'Dungarvan Nissan' will operate from Youghal Road, Dungarvan and an extensive investment programme is planned for the premises. The dealership will be owned by two Waterford partners — David Dickenson and John C. Flood who will be setting up as Nissan's first representative in West Waterford. 'Dungarvan Nissan' will commence business on December 6 for car sales and it is anticipated that the dealership and forecourt will be fully operational by mid-January, 1995.

A major investment of £750,000 is planned for the new premises on the 2 acre site at the Youghal Road. This will involve the development of the premises and the site itself which is currently unoccupied and derelict. The 4,000 square feet premises will have a showroom, a fully equipped workshop and parts department. The forecourt, which will operate from 7.30 a.m. to 10 p.m. each day including Sunday, will have Sta-tail petrol, full car wash and

vacuum facilities, as well as a local shop.

Dealer Principals, John C. Flood and David Dickenson have 35 years experience in the motor trade between them. Both hail from Waterford and their commitment to customer care is well known. "We have high aspirations for Dungarvan," said John C. Flood. "This is a very exciting venture for us and we feel that Dungarvan has been short-changed when it comes to serving the motorist as there is only one existing franchised dealership in the town. We plan to change all that. Our intention is to offer the customer quality cars representing good value with full back-up service. Our objective is simply to be the best — the best at sales and at customer service. After-sales will be a core part of our business and we intend to look after our customers and retain them by earning their loyalty," David Dickenson added.

'Dungarvan Nissan' will initially employ up to ten people but this figure is expected to be increased further when the dealership is established and there is growth in turnover.

DUNGARVAN
TOASTMASTERS

On Thursday night last, Dungarvan Toastmasters held their regular meeting. Four speeches were given, two of which were Advanced Manuals. This is new ground from Dungarvan Toastmasters.

On joining Toastmasters one receives a Basic Manual which has ten stages. Each stage has objectives which should be met by the speaker. On completion of the Basic Manual, one will have studied and practiced all aspects of projecting and delivering a speech. One then moves on to an Advanced Manual.

The table topics session was given by Louise Neylin. The ability to think and speak is an important skill. That's why the table topic portion of the Toastmasters Club meeting was developed. Table topics provides one with the opportunity to practice thinking and speaking on one's feet. One learns how to present one's thoughts in a clear, organised manner with the minimum of preparation.

The table topics portion of the club's programme is conducted by the Topicmaster. The Topicmaster announces a topic and calls on members (one at a time), who give impromptu one-to-two minute contributions on the topic.

Louise covered a very

broad base with her topics session. The session started off with Santa Claus and finished up with Harry Whelehan — another bearded man! Guests are not asked to speak on a topic but are free to do so, which was the case last Thursday. Well done to Tom Power and Joan Baily who contributed to the session, and also to a new member, Mary Murphy.

Meetings are held on the second and fourth week of each month in the Park Hotel at 8 p.m. sharp. Guests are always welcome.

Carrick-On-Suir
Motorist Fined
£150

A Carrick-on-Suir motorist pleaded guilty at Dungarvan District Court last week to a charge of driving with excess alcohol.

Eddie Leacy, Jonestown, Carrick-On-Suir was driving to Dungarvan for the night life when he was detected by the Gardaí and found to have 150 mgm. alcohol in his blood sample.

Judge Michael Pattwell fined Leacy £150 with an endorsement on his driving licence and he was disqualified from driving for 12 months.

TOURANEENA NOTES

PROGRESSIVE 45
DRIVE

The winners of last week's progressive 45 drive in Dun-fords Lounge were as follows — 1, Aidan Fitzpatrick and Paddy Boyle; 2, Bob Keane and Tommy Condon, Margaret Grace and John Kiely; lucky table — Stephen Cunningham and Paddy Cullinan; last game, Jim Power and Patrick Power; raffle — Aidan Fitzpatrick, Alice McCarthy, Theresa Fitzpatrick.

The Wednesday night card players would like to send "get well" wishes to Bridget Fitzpatrick. We hope to see her back again very soon.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Nellie and Liam Power, Boolavounteen who celebrated their silver wedding

anniversary on Sunday last. We wish them many years of health and happiness.

We also wish the best of luck to Dermot Halley, Doon, who recently qualified as a Trainee Farm Manager and has taken up employment in Mitchelstown, Co. Cork.

UNDER-14 NOTES

Touraneena 6
De La Salle 1

Last Saturday we played hosts to another city team De La Salle in what we thought would be a tough encounter. This was not the case. We started the game very well and after 7 minutes Gary Morrissey had the ball in the DLS net. On the 8th minute, a perfectly taken corner by Aidan Dalton went all the way to the back of the net — a real

Steve Staunton shot!

At this point De La Salle were giving it their all but with excellent defending and good goal keeping, they could not penetrate our defence. For the next few minutes the game swung from end to end. Then, on the 15th minute, Martin Walsh drove a shot past the DLS keeper. Five minutes later Martin was on song once more with another unstoppable shot.

On the 25th minute Maurice Keane was on hand to make the half time score 5-0. We finished the first half with 10 men as one of our players, James Galavan had to go off injured. Thankfully it was nothing serious. James was having a good game up to that and we know he will be fighting fit

for our next game.

In the second half DLS piled on the pressure, but again our backs held solid and with just 10 minutes gone, Martin Walsh struck again with another fine goal. Just before the full time whistle, DLS had a fine shot on goal but it was brilliantly saved by our keeper.

Training next Saturday morning at 11 a.m. sharp.

The team was as follows — Patrick Organ, Walter O'Grady, Wesley Connolly, Aidan Dalton, Adrian Lonergan, Maurice Keane, Justin Kearns, Colin Gleeson, Gary Morrissey, James Galavan, Colm Geary, Res., Martin Walsh for Colin Gleeson, Sean Dempsey for Justin Kearns, Shane Walsh for James Galavan.

TEAGASC Says

DAIRYING

Winter Milk Quality

The total bacterial count in milk supplies increases each year at the start of the winter housing period. This is no coincidence but is simply explained by the fact that housing environment increases the risk of contamination of milk by mastitis and dirty teat surfaces. Many milk producers fail to take enough care to minimise this contamination.

The two essentials in keeping down T.B.C.'s at the start of the winter are:

H Prevent Mastitis milk going into the bulk tank.

H Practice proper teat disinfection before milking.

Farm surveys show that the cause of high T.B.C. on many farms during winter is Mastitis. The principal contributing factors are the housing environment and newly calved cows. The problems arise when subclinical infections become clinical. Early detection of clinical Mastitis is essential. The best method is to draw the foremilk of every cow before each milking and look out for clotting.

The number of bacteria on teats increases when cows are housed. Large numbers of bacteria are present even on clean bedding and cows are contaminated every time they lie down. Careful teat preparation prior to milking will reduce the number of bacteria entering milk during milking. Wash teats only with disinfectant treated water and dry thoroughly with paper towels.

The following procedure is recommended:

- ★ Cows should be put on a restricted diet for a few days and dried off abruptly even if milking up to 2 gallons per day.
- ★ All quarters of cows should be treated with a reputable dry cow antibiotic.
- ★ Teat ends should be thoroughly cleaned with methylated spirits or other suitable agents before inserting antibiotic.
- ★ The antibiotic should be massaged into the udder and teats dipped or sprayed with teat dip after treatment.
- ★ Cows should be kept on a restricted diet of poor quality roughage until signs of milk production recede.

AUTUMN GRAZING

In previous weeks we have advised the use of weanlings to graze off pastures before the winter — down to 1/2 inch where there are no sheep on the farm to do this job. Bare grazing now, followed by a rest period of 8 - 10 weeks will result in a fresh green recovery by mid February when nitrogen for spring grass should be applied.

In late autumn, weanlings do less damage to pastures than heavier cattle and can perform adequately on restricted grass supply when supplemented with meals. A growth rate of 0.7 kg. per day should be the aim with good Continental cross weanlings.

On good pastures, about 1 kg. of meal per day is adequate, but as grass gets scarce, additional meal would be necessary, up to 2 kg./day. Where conditions are good and there is a reasonable pick of grass, the weanlings could be kept out for December, even if this meant feeding some silage or hay outdoors.

There are likely to be healthier, November and December are the worst months for respiratory problems in housed cattle and it also reduces the amount of winter feed required.

WINTER WEANLINGS

A general guideline for weanlings that are to be kept on the farm is a gain of 0.5 to 0.7 kg. liveweight per day. Continental breeds and lighter animals should be kept thriving at the higher end of the range. With heavy weanlings and very good silage, meal feeding can be kept 0.5 kg./day. Lighter weanlings would need 1.5 to 2 kgs./day depending on silage quality. **Meal Type** — A wide range of meal types are suitable, either "straights" or compound rations. Since the use of common ingredients in cattle rations supplies protein at no extra cost, feed a meal that contains about 16% crude protein. Where home grown cereals are used it would be beneficial to add a high protein balancer to bring the protein content of the ration up to about 15% for lighter weanlings of under 220 kgs. **Weanlings For Sale** — Where stock are being sold in spring, it would pay to feed a higher level of concentrates e.g. 2 kg./day. Farmers who normally sell weanlings usually have some late-born calves that are too light for the autumn sales and may sell them

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR SHEEP FARMERS

EWE PREMIUM RESERVE QUOTA 1994 AND 1995. TRANSFER AND LEASE OF EWE PREMIUM QUOTA RIGHTS FOR THE 1995 MARKETING YEAR

The Minister for Agriculture, Food and Forestry, Mr Joe Walsh TD, today announced the categories for the allocation of Ewe Premium quota rights totalling about 38,000 from the National Reserve for 1994. The following categories will be eligible for an allocation of quota from the Reserve:-

CATEGORY 1

Farmers who applied regularly for the Ewe Premium Scheme since 1988 (including 1994) but whose ewe numbers in 1991 (the reference year) were lower than normal because of exceptional circumstances. Farmers who applied regularly for the Ewe Premium Scheme since 1988 (including 1994) but who did not apply in one or more of the years 1991, 1992 or 1993 because of exceptional circumstances may also qualify under this category.

CATEGORY 2

Farmers who applied for the Ewe Premium Scheme for the first time in 1994 and whose total income, including that of his/her spouse/partner does not exceed £15,700 per annum (at least 50% of that total income must be derived from farming), and who satisfy the following conditions.

- (i) If 26 years of age or over but under 35 years of age on 1st January, 1994 must:
- (a) have obtained the Teagasc Certificate in farming or a higher qualification
 - or
 - (b) have at least 3 years practical experience in farming and have satisfactorily completed a course in farming of a minimum duration of 150 hours
 - or
 - (c) have at least 5 years experience in farming.
- (ii) If under 26 years of age on 1st January, 1994 must have the requirements set out at (a) or (b) above.

CATEGORY 3

Farmers who applied regularly for the Ewe Premium Scheme since 1988 (including 1994) and who can demonstrate that if they are limited to their existing ewe quota, the viability of their farm enterprise will be jeopardised. The total income of the applicant, including that of his/her spouse/partner, must not exceed £15,700 per annum and at least 50% of that income must be derived from sheep farming.

Until the demand from eligible applicants is known, it will not be possible to determine whether individual applicants will obtain any additional quota.

The Minister said that application forms will be issued by the Department to all producers who have already submitted requests for consideration for a quota allocation from the reserve. Flock owners who have not yet applied to the Department for quota from the Reserve may obtain the necessary application form from the Department's Office at Michael Davitt House, Castlebar or at any Local Office of the Department.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 16th December, 1994.

TRANSFER AND LEASE OF QUOTA

The Minister also announced that, for the 1995 marketing year, he has decided to change the deadline of 2nd January, 1995 for the notification of leases and transfers of Ewe Premium quota. Producers may now notify leases and transfers of quota to the Department up until the time that the producer receiving the quota submits his 1995 premium application.



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Low Income Farmers Should Seek Tax Exemption

Waterford IFA Business Committee Chairman, Gerry Murphy is advising farmers with low incomes, who have not been liable for income tax, to make a formal request to the Revenue Commissioners for an exemption from the requirement to make annual income tax returns.

He said: "IFA has received information from the Revenue Commissioners for the tax year 1991/92 which shows that about 70,000 farmers made an annual income tax return for that tax year. However over 30,000

of these farmers had no tax liability for the tax year in question. Many of these farmers have consistently had no tax liability due to low incomes and should not be required to incur the expense of making annual income returns each year.

Mr. Murphy pointed out that many of these farmers were not aware that a mechanism already exists for those with low incomes and with no tax liability to claim an exemption from the Revenue Commissioners from having to file an income tax return each year.



FARMING LEADER



Hugh Ryan, Director, FBD Trust (left), presents the Diploma In Farm Management to Jerry Twomey, Dairy Cottage, Castlelands, Lismore (on right). In centre is Sean O'Meara, Chairman Farm Apprenticeship Board.

Co. Waterford ICMSA News

The County Waterford Executive of ICMSA welcomed the statement by Mr. Eamonn O'Rourke, Chairman of the ICMSA Sheep Committee on the new categories for the allocation of free ewe quota from the National Reserve.

Mr. O'Rourke said there are approximately 38,000 quota rights available for allocation in the National Reserve, based on applications in 1994.

In particular, Mr. O'Rourke welcomed the establishment of a special category for the allocation of the reserve to small scale producers in sheep production. The ICMSA had sought a category for such producers before quota was allocated for 1993. He said it was totally unacceptable that small scale producers did not qualify for quota from the Reserve.

Small scale farmers involved in sheep production can now qualify for free quota from the Reserve, provided the farm income is less than £15,700 and at least 50% of the income comes from sheep farming.

Mr. O'Rourke also welcomed the fact that sheep producers who had no quota, or a reduced quota in the base year 1991, because of exceptional circumstances, will continue to receive priority access to quota from the National Reserve.

"It is absolutely essential that farmers do not suffer a reduced quota because of unfortunate circumstances outside of their own con-

trol.

"I also welcome the fact that qualified young farmers will have an opportunity to apply for quota from the Reserve. It is vital that young farmers are given the opportunity to establish

themselves in farming so that the future of agriculture can be secured. On this basis new entrants should be given a reasonable level of quota, even where this means restricting the number of entrants," said Mr.

O'Rourke.

In conclusion, he called on the Minister to provide for the allocation of quota speedily so that farmers will know their position in time for the ewe premium application in January 1995.

IFA Welcomes New Method Of Calculating Dairy Cow Reactor Grants

Waterford IFA Animal Health Committee Chairman, Ned Murphy said that IFA welcomes the decision of the Department of Agri-

Kilrossanty Man On IFA/FBD Fact Finding Tour

On the 1993 IFA/FBD European Scholarship tour, 40 IFA members from all over Ireland experienced at first hand farming in five European countries, including Sweden which is not yet part of the European Union and East Germany, where farmers are slowly coming to terms with the new economic environment outside the communist regime.

Mr. Ned Murphy, Kilrossanty, represented Waterford on the trip which involved visits to farms, co-operatives, research stations and discussions with farm organisations and the European Commission in Belgium, Germany, Denmark and Sweden.

culture/ERAD to allow dairy farmers the option of excluding declared suckler cows in their herds from the calculation in determining the additional reactor compensation for dairy cows and in-calf heifers based on herd milk yields.

Mr. Murphy said: "With effect from December 1, 1994, dairy farmers may avail of the option to officially notify the Department of Agriculture/ERAD on the number of genuine suckler cows in their herds, not eligible for EU Premium/Headage payments, prior to a bovine test for ei-

ther TB or Brucellosis. In the event of a herd being restricted with disease, the reactor compensation payable will be determined by the milk yield of the herd based on the number of dairy cows presented for test."

Mr. Murphy said: "Farmers with reactor dairy cows and in-calf heifers are entitled to receive additional reactor compensation as follows: herds averaging between 850-1,000 gallons per cow receive an extra compensation of £100/animal and herds in excess of 1,000 gallons per cow receive an extra £200/animal."

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WEST WATERFORD NOTES



CLASHMORE KINSALEBEG RECEIVE AWARD

Clashmore - Kinsalebeg Community Games received an award recently from National Headquarters for being the best area in County Waterford for 1994. At the award giving ceremony which took place in Hayden's Hotel, Ballinasloe our local area was represented by Teresa Foley, Bernie Fleming and Marie Guilly. The award was presented to Chairperson Teresa Foley by Minister Séan Treacy. Also in attendance was Paul Con-

naughton T.D. and George O'Toole, National Community Games President. A representative from the Irish League of Credit Unions who are the Community Games National Sponsors was also present. Thirty other counties were represented at this most enjoyable function. We must thank all the children of the parish who took part in the various events throughout the year. It was by their participation this award was won.

LINES FROM PILTOWN SCHOOL

Draw: Our monthly draw is being successfully run by our parents committee. The November draw as held at Piltown School last week and the results were as follows: 1st, Pat Murphy; 2nd, Patricia Hallahan; 3rd, Fr. Michael O'Brien. The promoters prize this month was won by Ciara Murphy who sold the 1st prize. Congratulation and thanks to all for their continued support. (Advvt.)

KINSALEBEG MACRA NA FEIRME

The club went on a night out to Cork last week-end. First stop was Indy Kart Racing in Blackpool. We then headed to the Blackbush Bar. To finish up the night we decided to head to "Cubans" nightclub, however, our Secretary's shoes or should I say lack there of, ran into a little trouble with the bouncers and as a result "Elroy's" nightclub is where we finished up the night.

The County pool tournament is still going strong. The club will be meeting Ballinameela Macra in the third round of the competition shortly.

The National semi-final of the Agri-Quiz was held in Kilkenny recently. Both teams representing Waterford were from Kinsalebeg. Team A — Donal Fitzgerald, Peter Kiely, Caroline Smiddy and James Flynn. Team B — John Hourigan, John Hynes, Michael Flavin and Edel Smiddy. Well done to Team A on coming 4th on the night.

Finally, congratulations to club members Tony Keane and Sinead Roche on their recent engagement. We wish them both the very best of luck for the future.

CARD RESULTS

On Monday night last the winners of our 45 Drive in Clashmore were as follows — 1st, Batt Curran and Eamonn Meehan; 2nd, Jack Douris and Willie Ronayne; 3rd, Maura and Brendan McGrath. Best of the last five — John Cliffe and Joe Carroll. Congratulations all!

COMMUNITY GAMES A.G.M.

The local community games A.G.M. will take place in the Deices Bar, Clashmore on Monday night next December 5th at 8 p.m. So parents come along and get involved. There may be some event you would like your child to take part in which, with extra help, we may be able to cater for. Over the past few years we have introduced three new events to those already there - modeling, swimming and football and hopefully next year we may be in a position to add a couple of more new events if at all possible.

BABY GIRL

Congratulations to Noel and Christine Coughlan, Ballycurrane, Clashmore on the occasion of the birth of their little baby girl last week.

ARDMORE SCOUT NOTES

The entire past week was a very busy one. All sections could be found working extremely hard practising for our forthcoming panto. Several scouts painted backdrops every evening, other were busy sawing, nailing and designing props. (I think our spaceship actually flies!!) John and his venturers may soon be head hunted by N.A.S.A. Cubs sections could be seen practising fabulous dance routines and singing their hearts out. Budding actors and actresses were hamming it up on the stage, practising lines and having fun. All in all there is great excitement and buzz in the air. Good luck to you all. Just go and enjoy yourselves everyone. Friday's first performance is a special one because of our very special visitor. We are privileged enough to have the Chief Scout of Ireland coming to see us. There will be a performance on Saturday evening too at the same time 7.30 p.m. Sunday we are having a matinee performance at 3.00 p.m.

Saturday saw our Cub Section who won the "Regional Cub Quiz" being ambassadors for the Na Deise Region at the National Cub Quiz in Dublin. Twenty two teams from all over Ireland took part. Our fabulous team really did the region proud by coming 5th overall. They had a very memorable day. Our Cub leaders - Amanda, Brian and Catherine entered the fun of the occasion and entered the Leaders Quiz. Being the brainy lot they are they came a triumphant 1st. So well done to you all - you really did us proud.

Also on Saturday 3 of our scouts, Debbie, Ashling and Samantha spent an entire afternoon making a really beautiful advent wreath for Ardmore Church. It was made entirely by hand with wire, straw, evergreens and dried flowers, berries and ribbons. So well done ladies it is a credit to you.

Sunday saw a team of scouts head to Melleray with James for the Regional Scout Quiz. Moira Keane, Rebecca Mulcahy, Patrick and John Conway represented Ardmore and Grange came fifth. Everyone enjoyed the quiz very much. Congratulations to fellow scouters Touraneena who came 1st.

Next Sunday will be a full uniformed Mass in Ardmore Church at 11.00 a.m. All sections are most welcome.

CLASHMORE - KINSALEBEG G.A.A.

Minor Final - All our footballers played St. Mary's in the county final in Fenor, having beaten Shamrocks/Tallow in the

Western final.

Our lads put up a brave display before losing to St. Mary's (a combination side from Kill, Bonmahon and Newtown) by 8 points to 5 points.

Team trainer Roger Hynes would like to thank the boys for the big effort they gave during the year and for the beautiful presentation they made to him at the social.

The team for the final was as follows: Patrick Troy, James Roche, Aidan O'Rourke, Michael Baker, Vinnie O'Rourke, Brian Murray, Eddie O'Mahony, Ed Beresford, Declan O'Keefe, Pat Collins also Donal Leahy, Donal O'Keefe, Declan Lenane, Barry O'Neill, Arthur Walsh and Padraic Allen.

Annual Social — A big crowd attended our annual social at the Park Hotel and a great night was had by all. It was great to see nearly all the players from the historic 1969 teams present. On the night Fr. Michael Kennedy, team trainer of the two famous teams, made a presentation to each of the team members who won that great double on behalf of the club. Many of these men had not been together for many years. They relived old times and matches from the past were replayed well into Sunday morning! Pad O'Neill Captain of the football team brought along the football that was used in the county final and it was still in great shape. Two players who have gone to their eternal reward Pat White and Jimmy Morrissey were fondly remembered.

Western final medals were presented to the minor football and Under 21 hurling teams.

DEATH OF BILL DOWNING

Bill Downing, Ballinaparka, Aglish passed to his eternal reward on Friday night last peacefully at his home following an illness. Bill was a unique member of the local community which he dearly loved and for all of us his death was premature. We had all been looking forward to Bill's recovery to full health following his hip operation in June, of this year.

Few would equal and none would surpass Bill Downing in his endless services to the local community. He was totally dedicated to his family, his work and his community.

A life long member of the Geraldines G.A.A. Club, Bill was proud of the white and blue, working diligently and enthusiastically caring for the pitch and the Hall, encouraging the young players, supporting the teams and willing to undertake any task requested of him.

Having retired from the building trade due to ill health, Bill's dreams of a full recovery and early retirement were to spend his time and energy working within the community.

But the good Lord had other plans for Bill and he answered the great call on Friday night. Bill lay in repose at his home until the removal on Saturday evening to Aglish Church.

On Sunday morning during Requiem Mass Very Rev. F. Lucy, P.P. in his homily to a huge congregation, described Bill as "Community Alert", long before community alert was ever thought of and indeed everyone in Aglish can associate with that. The final prayers at the graveside were recited by Fr. Lucy, P.P. and Fr. John Treacey, C.C. as bill was laid to rest. May the sod of your beloved Aglish rest softly on your gentle breast Bill.

May the hundreds of beautiful memories of Bill sustain you Pat and Will in the long lonely months ahead.

Our deepest and heartfelt sympathy to Bill's wife Pat (nee O'Keefe, Youghal) and his son William, his brothers Mickey, Jimmy and Watt, his sisters Helen O'Donovan and Mary Morrissey, his aunts, mother-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives and many friends.

DECIES DARTS CLUB NEWS

Our Friday night match was played at home against Paddy Mac's last week-end. It resulted in a 6-2 victory for the Decies.

Next Friday night's match has been postponed until Thursday night December 8th when we play the Red House.

The Club would like to say a big thank you to all who supported last week's Lotto which we are holding weekly in conjunction with Clashmore Tidy Towns.

The first draw was held on Sunday night last at the Decies Lounge, Clashmore. We received huge support on the night. Our jackpot of £200 was not won and it goes to £250 next week. There were four match three numbers winners as follows — Denis Ryan, Pad Collins, Maureen McCarthy and Walter Hennebery.

Next week's draw will be held at 10.30 p.m. sharp at the Decies Lounge, Clashmore on Saturday night.

CLASHMORE SET DANCERS

Birthday Greeting — Clashmore Set Dancers would like to extend their congratulations and best wishes to one of their most dedicated dancers, Paula Dee on the occasion of her 21st Birthday.

Back In England — Good luck to a former dancer Deirdre Fitzgerald, Kinsalebeg who has returned to England following her recent holiday here.

NON STOP DRAW

Thanks for your continuing support for Ring/Old Parish non-stop draw. Local winners over the last couple of weeks included Josie White, Maura Casey, Angela Collins and Kieran Guilly.



ABBEYSIDE TOPICS

Successful Sale Of Work In Ballinroad Hall

Among the many people who flocked to the Hall on Sunday last was Santa Claus who had his own cave situated in a corner near the entrance. Here the young children lined up nervously to meet the great man and receive their parcels. Shortly after Santa left I poked my head into the cave only to be greeted by a dozen or so twelve year olds who obviously had overcome their earlier apprehension.

During the afternoon people purchased from a toy stall, a vegetable and fruit stall, a boutique and a book stall but as is usual the Spinner was the main attraction. A slight mechanical fault developed late in the afternoon on the spinner but was rectified quickly with Fr. Ahearne appointed as adjudicator in case of doubt.

Loretto Fennell, Garran-

bane guessed correctly the weight of the cake at 8 lbs. 15 ozs. James Morrissey, Childers Estate, won the bicycle which was sponsored by Dwane Hire. John Walsh, Brenan, won the doll and dowrey, Tom Veale, Clonea,

the Christmas cake and Sharon Daly, Knockateemore the turkey.

Michael Fraher thanked Tom Keith, the I.C.A. and Fr. Ahearne who organised the FAS Scheme for all the work they had done for the Hall.

Abbeyside Venue Hosts National Cross Country Championships

A disappointed John Treacy finished third to collect a bronze trophy at the St. Augustine's College track on Sunday last. General opinion was that it was a very fast circuit and Treacy attempted to use this to his advantage by setting the early pace. However on the day he could not hold it and was passed by classy Noel Berkeley of Dublin and Noel Cullen of Clonliffe both of whom will represent Ireland in the European Championships in Newcastle.

Waterford also finished in third position in the inter counties championship which was a very good achievement.

The hosting of the B.L.E. national Inter-Counties

Cross Country Championships was another huge organisational success for the Friary venue in what has been a very busy year cross country wise at the circuit. Its popularity was verified by the large crowd of spectators who turned up on Sunday.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Christmas party for Ballinacourty, Clonea, Ballinroad and Garranbane area, will be held in Clonea Strand Hotel on Friday night next December 2 from 9.30 p.m. to 12.30 p.m. A great night is expected.

WHISPERINGS FROM THE POOR MANS SEAT

General opinion is that Joe O'Riordan is proving to be a very successful Chairman of Abbeyside soccer club as the club progresses strongly in all departments.

NEWS ITEMS

Readers wishing to have any material i.e. items of new, social and personal, etc., published on this page next week, please telephone (058) 41836.

Reference Archive

Saturday last saw the formal opening of the newly established Abbeyside Reference Archive at the Parish Offices in Strandside South and the organisers were pleased to welcome the many visitors who turned up to view the comprehensive exhibition of photographs, log books, scrap books and records of many kinds which related to the historical aspect of life in Abbeyside, etc.

The committee expressed their thanks to the many people who had donated or loaned materials of any kind to the exhibition and appealed for further contributions of photographs, records, etc., that might be of additional interest.

Very Rev. Fr. Doherty, P.P., made the first entry in the visitors book to mark the official opening and Mrs. Joan Whelan, of the Dungarvan Museum Society, was in attendance to assist visitors who came to view and examine the materials on view.

On next Saturday, also from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m., Miss Jennie Power, Girl Guide leader, will be in attendance to perform the same function.

The Archive will be open to the public each Saturday afternoon until further notice at the Parish Offices and all are welcome to come.

Abbeyside Scout Notes

TROOP MEETING

The meeting began at 7 pm. The subs were collected by A.S.L. Brendan while S.L. Sean went around and inspected the scouts uniforms. We had an action packed meeting on Saturday night.

Our first game of the night was a lot different from our usual games. One scout i.e. Johnno (John O'Connor) went to the top of the stage and turned his back to the troop while the troop ran at him. When he turned around the troop had to freeze. Some of the scouts good at stopping still were Sean Kiely while Declan Fives couldn't stop falling on the ground.

Our next game was very interesting indeed as all the scouts had to pile their shoes at the top of the den and then grab a pair of shoes in the dark! Some scouts came up with some weird combinations like P.L. David Shepherd with one large shoe and one very small shoe.

Also we had a question time in the den which was organised by A.S.L. Brendan on the history of Abbeyside scouting. S.L. Sean also gave one of his pep talks to the scouts on the history of Abbeyside scouts. I wonder where Brendan Keniry got his idea for a game!

Our meeting also had a game from S.P.L. Brian McNamara which he came up with all by himself? and which the lads found interesting and fun. At 9 o'clock the meeting ended with the prayers.



REGIONAL SCOUT QUIZ

The Regional Quiz took place in Abbeyside Scout Den last Sunday evening. It was good to see all the troops in the Deise Region taking part and some Units even had two teams. After an enjoyable evening of questions by quizmaster Kevin Kiely, the winners were the 33rd Waterford Unit from Touraneena who just pipped our own team to take the trophy for the second year running.

The Regional Commissioner was on hand to take notes of photos of the presentation. It's rumoured there was even film in the camera this time! We say well done to all who took part and wish the two Units well in the national quiz.

TICKETS, TICKETS

Yes, the tickets for our Christmas Draw are now on sale and we plan to call on all the houses in Abbeyside in the near future. All we ask is that you give us your usual support. I was out selling recently in the latest housing estate to be built in Abbeyside and I have to say the response could not have been better. It's great to know that the newer people in Abbeyside are just as supportive of scouting as the people "around the old triangle". — Scribe.

ABBEYSIDE SHORE ANGLING CLUB NOTES

We held our final Christmas competition on November 27 last in the harbour area. A total of 23 anglers took part with returns of 27 and variety of five — 15 eel, 1 bass, 1 coalfish, 1 cod, 9 flounder.

Results were as follows — senior: 1, Alan Mulcahy; 2,

John Cronin; 3, Danny Ross; 4, John Joe Kirwan; 1st lady, Bernadette Kirwan; 1st juvenile, Paul Veale.

Thanks to Jim Harty (Dungarvan Shellfish Company Ltd., Ring) for kindly sponsoring our three senior Christmas competitions.

The winners of draws for

bottle of whiskey after our Christmas competitions were — Cait Mulcahy, John Wall, Danny Ross.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Christmas Party and presentation of prizes will be made at Gold Coast, Ballinacourty on Sunday, December 4, at 4 p.m.



ABBEYSIDE MINOR FOOTBALL PANEL, WESTERN AND COUNTY CHAMPIONS 1994 — Back row (left to right) — Pat Moore (team coach), Carl Power, Paudie Shields, Donal Verling (mentor), Laurence Hurney, Alan Beatty, Derek Hayes, Marty Kiely, Gavin Keane, Declan O'Mahoney, Tom Melody, Derek Kenneally, Joe Cleary (mentor); middle row — William Fennell, John O'Regan, Alan Moore, Brendan Cliffe, Aidan Landers, Jonathan Moore (captain), Brian Donovan, Michael Kelleher; front row — Pat Moore Jr., Stephen Stacey, John Foley, Michael Hickey, Colin Keane, Nicholas Thompson, Sean Cleary. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



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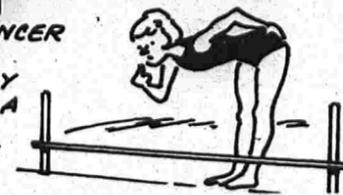
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★ ARIES

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20

Letters and documents prove important, so be sure to keep them carefully. Someone is in need of your assistance this week but avoid jumping in with the perfect solution. Help this person to help themselves. Throughout December, look out for opportunities to connect with your imaginative side, be creative. Telephone 1550 151 for an in-depth analysis.

FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 301

★ TAURUS

APRIL 21 to MAY 21

The only grey cloud on your otherwise sunny horizon is a financial one. Get out of "the red" by taking a "black-and-white" attitude to money. Consider a major expenditure carefully before committing yourself. For news regarding an interesting turn-up for the books telephone 1550 151. In December, be prepared to add extra strings to your professional bow.

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★ GEMINI

MAY 22 to JUNE 21

Professionally, opportunities abound but beware of limiting your sights. Social engagements clash, necessitating a difficult choice. December is a month of renewed confidence as old problems are put into perspective. Telephone 1550 151 for a detailed astrological analysis of a social week and a fun-filled month.

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★ CANCER

JUNE 22 to JULY 23

Beware of extravagances. Control those finances or pay the price! In difficult situations, try not to lose your sense of humour. Don't take yourself or life too seriously. Professionally, consider decisions and options carefully. Telephone 1550 151 for details. December is a month when you are unlikely to have too many dull moments!

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★ LEO

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23

At work, at home, at play, be prepared to compromise rather than add to mounting pressures. Emotionally, you may be feeling rather delicate so avoid confrontations. Get some space for solitude and relaxation. For an astrological assessment of a quiet week but increasingly social and busy December, telephone 1550 151.

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★ VIRGO

AUGUST 24 to SEPT. 23

A shopping spree will turn out to be more expensive than anticipated. With Christmas coming however, it may prove impossible to tighten that belt. Fortunately, financial trends are positive and you can keep up with the demands. For an astrological assessment of forthcoming opportunities, telephone 1550 151. December sees you turning the tables in an unfair situation.

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★ LIBRA

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23

Your intuitive facilities are at a high so don't be surprised when something you have predicted comes true. I have some interesting predictions for you on 150 151. Through December, be selective when making new connections. Enjoy an active week that heralds a professionally progressive month. Friends are supportive.

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FROM WEEKEND DECEMBER 2

★ SCORPIO

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23

Try to develop a 'live and let live' attitude rather than continue to be frustrated by others differences. This week, someone's silence communicates what they want to say. Currently confused? Then telephone 1550 151 for astrological clarifications. In December you will confront an issue you have tended to ignore.

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★ SAGITTARIUS

NOV. 23 to DEC. 21

Your sunny disposition brightens someone's day and helps them to see the light at the end of the tunnel. If you would like me to throw some light on your love life, telephone 150 151. Future romantic prospects are a lot brighter than you think! In December avoid taking on more than you can handle. Recognise your limitations.

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★ CAPRICORN

DEC 22 to JAN 20

If desperately seeking romance, an existing friendship can blossom into a love affair — but is that what you really want? Work pressures prove challenging and are easily handled. Financially, you are stretched so avoid further commitments. Telephone 1550 151 for further information on the coming week and a peaceful home and

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★ AQUARIUS

JAN 21 to FEB 19

Social engagements prove a pressure while two people vie for your attention. Professionally and romantically, if you snooze, you lose! Be demonstrative and decisive in all aspects of life. Need to know more? Then telephone 1550 151. December is a month when a romantic bond becomes stronger.

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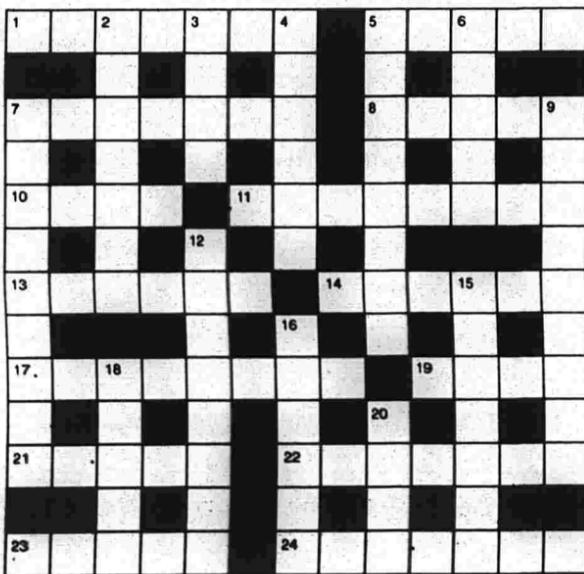
★ PISCES

FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20

This is a time of reconciliation and peace-making. Be prepared to shake hands and 'bury the hatchet.' Telephone 1550 151 for updates in relation to all aspects of life. Astrologically, prospects look decidedly favourable for a romantic December when the emphasis is on closeness and intimacy.

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SOLUTIONS ON PAGE 2

CLUES ACROSS

- 1 Turn aside (7)
- 5 Theme (5)
- 7 Get better (7)
- 8 Rule (5)
- 10 Needy (4)
- 11 Error (8)
- 13 Wood decay (3-3)
- 14 Ordinary (6)
- 17 Acquitted (8)
- 19 Indian garment (4)
- 21 Eject (5)
- 22 Vacation (7)
- 23 Dig (5)
- 24 Platform (7)

CLUES DOWN

- 2 Workshop (7)
- 3 Jealousy (4)
- 4 Inert (6)
- 5 Long distance race (8)
- 6 Dupe (5)
- 7 Disown (9)
- 9 Unimportant person (9)
- 12 Game of chance (8)
- 15 Wander (7)
- 16 Tie to a stake (6)
- 18 Expertise (5)
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Tender Forms may be obtained from the Hospital Administrator, South Eastern Health Board, St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, with whom tenders must be lodged not later than 5.00 p.m. on Thursday, 15th December, 1994.

Rose Of Tralee To Model At Ballyduff Fashion Show



The 1994 Rose of Tralee Muime Hurney from Limerick along with the Cork Rose, Ballyduff's own Millie Pickering and the New Zealand representative Linda McFetridge are amongst the models at a Christmas Spectacular Fashion Show in the Grand Hotel, Fermoy on Wednesday night next December 7th commencing at 8.00 p.m. The Fashion Show is being organised by the Cork Rose Committee in association with the Illusive Model Agency Cork with the proceeds going to the Ballyduff Disaster Fund. Fashions are being supplied by none other than

Marks and Spencers, Cork; Elegance Boutique, Fermoy; Ernest Perryman Designs and Paco. This is a unique opportunity for people of Ballyduff and the surrounding areas to see such top class chains having their fashions on show. Tickets are priced at £5 each and can be had from the following outlets: Grand Hotel, Fermoy; John Jackson, Ballyduff; Wine Vaults, Lismore; Mellericks, Conna P.O.; Ted Keniry, Tallow; and Tom Ferrick's, Cappoquin or by phoning 058/60287 or 058/60367. (See advert.)

ORMONDE CINEMA GUIDE

CINEMA ONE FRIDAY (Dec. 2)

I Love Trouble (PG) (BVI) Romantic comedy thriller with Julia Roberts and Nick Nolte as scoop-hunting journo on rival Chicago newspapers. Directed by Charles Bhyer (Father of the Bride).

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Waterford County Council — I, Noel Conway, am applying to Waterford County Council for indefinite retention of dwelling, septic tank and percolation area at Lisarrow, Ardmore.

Dungarvan UDC — I, Willie O'Shea, am applying to Dungarvan Urban District Council for permission to construct a mirror image of approved house and moving of house towards southern boundary at Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan.

Waterford County Council — We, Eamonn and Nora Fahey, Ballinamuck West, wish to apply to Waterford County Council for planning permission to change our bungalow to dormer type and to build on an extension.

Waterford County Council — I, Liam Canning, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for full planning permission for the erection of a bungalow at Mocollop, Co. Waterford.

Waterford County Council — I, Mossie Casey, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for planning permission for a change of plan at Ballygally, Co. Waterford.

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WLR FM / Waterford Crystal Arts And Entertainment Award

The WLR FM / Waterford Crystal Arts And Entertainment Award is a new Award which will be presented at quarterly intervals to the group or person deemed to have contributed most to the area of Arts or Entertainment over the previous three months.

The Award is open to amateurs and professionals whose work has been exhibited / performed in the region during the quarter in question. It is also open to citizens with a genuine connection to the region who have made an outstanding contribution further afield

but excludes travelling companies / artists that merely perform in the region.

The region in question is the WLR FM franchise region which covers Waterford City and County and includes Youghal, New Ross and Carrick On Suir.

'Arts And Entertainment' includes Theatre, Music, Visual Art, Dance, Literature and Film.

It is hoped that the adjudicating panel will be notified, at least two weeks in advance, of all exhibitions / dramas / choral works / literary publications etc. taking place in the area. The panel can be notified via Carrie Crowley, WLR FM.

At the end of the adjudicating period, the adjudicators will meet to discuss their preferences. Three items will be nominated for the Award and representatives of each nominee invited to a reception to announce the overall winner. The overall winner will receive the magnificent, specially created Waterford Crystal Trophy.

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BYRNE — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Kitty Byrne, late of 18 Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on December 2, 1992. R.I.P.

We often sit and think of you,
We think of how you died,
To think you could not say
goodbye,
Before you closed your eyes.
You left us all so suddenly,
Without a word to say,
So farewell for now,
We'll meet again some day.

(Sadly missed by her loving daughter Mary, son-in-law Michael and grandchildren.)

BYRNE — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Kitty Byrne, late of 18 Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on December 2, 1992. R.I.P.

In heaven you rest, no worry,
no pain,
In God's own time we will
meet again,
Simple words but very
true,
We will always love and re-
member you.

Will those who think of her
today,

A little prayer to Jesus say,
(From your loving daughter
Joan, son-in-law Austin, grand-
children and greatgrandchild.)

BYRNE — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Kitty Byrne, late of 18 Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on December 2, 1992. R.I.P.

December comes with sad
regret,
The day, the month, we will
never forget,
No length of time can take
away,
Our thoughts of you from day
to day.
Though absent you are al-
ways near,
Still loved, still missed, still
very dear.

(From her loving daughter
Bernie and grandchildren.)

BYRNE — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Catherine Byrne, late of 18 Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on December 2, 1992. R.I.P.

Just a tribute small and ten-
der,
Just to say we will always re-
member.

Will those who think of her
today,

A little prayer to Jesus say,
(From your loving sisters
Diana, Bridget, nephew Jim.)

BUMSTER-MURPHY — Treasured memories of our darling daughter Joanne, late of Kilwinny, Tallow, who left us on December 4, 1991. R.I.P.

There's a beautiful star in
heaven,
That softly glitters and
gleams,
That star is our daughter
Joanne,
The pride and joy of our
dreams.
It shines so brightly above
us,
To guide us on our lonely
way,
And there in God's beautiful
garden,
We'll all meet again some
day.

(Always in our thoughts and
prayers — your loving Mam
and Dad.)



BUMSTER-MURPHY — In ever-loving memory of my darling wife Joanne, Kilwinney, Tallow, who departed this life on December 4, 1991. R.I.P.

They say there is a reason,
They say that time will heal,
But neither time or reason,
Will change the way I feel.
For no one knows the
heartache,
That lies behind my smiles,
No one knows how many
times,
I have broken down and
cried.
I 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.
(Sadly missed by your loving
husband, James.)

BUMSTER-MURPHY — A tribute of love to a sister so dear, Joanne, late of Kilwinny, who died December 4, 1991.

If tears could build a stairway
And memories a lane,
We'd walk our way to heav-
en, Joanne,
To bring you home again.
We'd tell you how much we
miss you,
And how much we love you
so,
We'd put our arms around
you
And never let you go.
We can't get over losing you,
No matter how we try,
You'll be forever in our
hearts,
Until the day we die.
(Loved and missed by Angela
and Stephen.)

MURPHY-BUMSTER — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Joanne, late of Kilwinney, whose third anniversary occurs on December 4.

Not today, but every day,
In silence we remember.
(Always remembered.)

BYRNE — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my wife, Kitty, late of 18 Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on December 2, 1992. R.I.P.

I travel to your graveside,
Not far away from home,
It breaks my heart to think
of you, Kitty,
Resting there alone.
As I kneel beside your
grave,
Your flowers I place with
care,
No one knows my
heartache,
As I turn and leave you
there.
Will those who think of her
today,
A little prayer to Jesu say.

(Always remembered by her
loving husband, Mickie.)

Anniversary Mass for Kitty
on Saturday, December 3, in
St. Mary's Parish Church at
7.30 p.m.



EGAN — Seventh Anniversary — Treasured memories of Elizabeth Egan, late of 10, Kyne Park, Abbeyside, who died on December 2, 1987.

Lonely is the home without
you,
Things to us are not the
same,
All the world would be like
heaven,
If we could have you back
again.
Gone from our smile that
smiling face,
The cheerful happy way,
Your heart that won so
many friends,
You left behind some bro-
ken hearts,
That loved you most sin-
cere,
We never can and never
will,
Forget you, Elizabeth dear.
(Sadly missed by Mam, Dad,
sisters Deirdre and Siobhán.)

COLEMAN — In loving memory of Mickey Coleman, late of Davis Street, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Will those who think of him
today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Sadly missed by his brothers
and sisters.)

EGAN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Elizabeth, late of 10, Kyne Park, Abbeyside, who died on December 2, 1987.

To me who will always love
you,
Whose parting brought such
pain,
I will cherish your memory
forever,
In a world that is not the same.
With a broken heart I'll whis-
per low,
God bless you Elizabeth, I
miss you so.
(Sadly missed by your sister,
Margaret.)

EGAN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Elizabeth Egan, late of 10, Kyne Park, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, who died on December 2, 1987. R.I.P.

The angels sang amazing
grace,
The Lord came down and
touched your face,
Then he whispered soft and
low,
Come with me, Elizabeth, it's
time to go,
Although we smile and make
no fuss,
No one misses you more
than us.

(Always remembered and
never forgotten by your Nan,
aunts and uncles.)

MORONEY — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear father, Paddy Moroney, Cloney, Dungarvan, who died on November 30, 1987.

(Inserted by the Moroney fam-
ily.)



McCARTHY — In loving memory of our dear Mam, Julianne McCarthy, late of Ballinamuck, Dungarvan and London, who died on December 7, 1989.

For each of us you did your
best,
Your love was great, your
heart was kind,
Your memory is precious
and will never grow old,
It's locked in our hearts in
letters of gold.
How much we miss you
can never be told,
You shared our troubles
and helped us along,
If we follow your foot-
steps we will never go
wrong.
Will those who think of you
today,
A little prayer to Jesus say,
(Always remembered by your
loving daughter Noreen and
family, Morden, Surrey.)

POWER — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear friend, Kathleen Power, late of Springfield, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs on December 4. R.I.P.

Anniversary Mass will be of-
fered in the Hospital Chapel at
10 a.m. on Saturday, Decem-
ber 3.

As time goes by without
you,
And days drag into years,
They hold a thousand mem-
ories,
And many a silent tear.
Things have changed in
many ways,
Since we were all togeth-
er,
But memories of those
happy days,
Will live with us forever.
Will those who think of her
today,
A little prayer to Jesus say,
(Always remembered and
never forgotten by your friends
in Stafford Miller.)

WADE — Twenty-ninth and Fifteenth Anniversaries — In loving memory of our dear father, Daniel Wade, late of 3, Lackenfune, Dungarvan, who died on October 28, 1965. R.I.P. and our dear mother, Mary Wade, late of 3 Lackenfune, who died on September 7, 1979. R.I.P. Masses offered.

(Always remembered and
sadly missed by your loving
sons, daughters, daughters-in-
law, grandchildren at home
and away.)

WRIGHT — Twenty-fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of Joseph Wright, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on November 29, 1970.

Will those who think of him
today,
A little prayer to Jesus say,
(From your loving family at
home and in England.)

NOVENAS

A PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN (Never known to fail) — Oh 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. Oh Star of the Sea help me and show me therein you are my mother. Oh 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. Oh show me herein you are my mother. O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times). Oh Holy Mother I place this cause in your hands. In grateful thanks to the Blessed Virgin for favours received. — M.B.

Birthday Remembrance

EARLEY — Birthday Remembrance of Rita Earley, Boreenatra, Dungarvan, on Friday, November 25.

Today I am thinking of
someone I love,
But I know she is happy in
heaven above,
Loving memories are all I
have left,
Of a mother I loved and will
never forget.
(From her loving son, John.)



MOYLAN — Birthday Remembrance of Gerald Moylan, 43 Congress Villas, Dungarvan, whose eighth birthday occurs on November 27.

Today we are thinking of
someone we love,
But we know he is happy in
heaven above,
Loving memories are all we
have left,
Of a child we loved and will
never forget.
(Sadly missed by Mammy,
Daddy and brother Darragh.)

MOYLAN — Birthday Remembrance of Gerald Moylan, 43 Congress Villas, Dungarvan, whose eighth birthday occurs today.

Sad is the heart that loved
you,
Silent the tears that fall,
Living our lives without you,
Gerald,
Is the hardest part of all.
It seems like only yester-
day,
The wound is still so sore,
For every hour of every
day,
I miss you more and more.
(From Nana, Grandad,
Tomás, Mairéad.)

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

MIRACULOUS PRAYER — Dear Heart of Jesus. In the past, I have asked you for many favours, but today I ask for this special one (mention favour). Take it, dear Heart of Jesus, and place it within your own broken heart, where your Father sees it, it will become in His eyes, your prayer, not mine. Amen. Say for nine days and promise publication. In grateful appreciation. — M.L.

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. — P.C.

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The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

BALLYDUFF NOTES

HELLO OCTOBER

The cast members of the very successful show were — David Anglesey, Enda Dolan, Dick O'Mahony, Maurice Carroll, Sylvia Flynn, John Woodside, Angelina Howard, Kate Canning, Donna Condon and Anne Gough.

Presenter — Stephanie O'Flynn. Comedians — Fr. Eamonn Barry, Charlie McCarthy.

Adult Chorus — Seamus Ahearn, Bridie Ahearn, John Morrissey, Pat Noonan, Betty Feeny, Bridget Scanlon, Catherine Feeny, Bidy Clancy, Teresa Leamy, Mary Ahearn, Mary Keane, Joe Tobin, John Woodside.

Teenagers — Claire Hannon, Jennifer Feeny, Claire Mills, Annette Feeny, Kay McDonnell, Mary O'Keefe, Elaine Kearney, Joanne Kearney, Margaret Noonan, Emma Cogan, Anne Gough, Donna Condon, Aine Mulcahy, Margaret Noonan.

Children — Emer Ahearne, Kate Canning, Claire Miller, Shauna Hannon, Amy Feeny, Aileen Byrne, Lisa Daly, Arlene Kenny, Aoife Walsh, Tara Flynn, Gillian Hogan, Emma Jane Willoughby, Brid Hannon, Vanessa Hannon, Lorraine Lawless, Sharon Lawless, Aisling McGrath, Vicky O'Rourke, James Walsh, Stephen Molumphy, Courtney Canning, Patrick O'Mahony, Jamie Kearney, Ml. Ahearne, Seamus Hannon, Seamus P. Hannon, Ml. Moroney, Adrian Power, Wayne Power.

CREW

Lighting — Liam O'Keefe. Musical Director — Michael Casey. Electric Guitar — Johnny Young. Stage Manager — Donie Feeny. Asst. Stage Manager — Andrew Clancy. Set Construction — Bill Canning, Andrew Clancy, Donie Feeny, James Ahearn, Donal Keane, Patrick Feeny, Deirdre Martin. Front of House — Members of West Waterford Drama Group. Choreographer — Enda Dolan. Make-Up — Siobhan Tobin. Devised and Directed by Geraldine Canning.

BALLYDUFF JUVENILE G.A.A. NOTES

The annual general meeting of the local Juvenile G.A.A. club will take place on Monday December 12th in St. Michael's Hall at 8.30 p.m. It is hoped to see a large turnout of parents at this meeting.

BALLYDUFF PIONEER NOTES

The Centre will host the Diocesan Readoiri finals in St. Michael's Hall on Saturday night next at 8.30 p.m. Competitors from West Waterford and South Tipperary will be taking part. We wish the best of luck to our own Helena Walsh who will be taking

part in the Disco Dancing competition. A meeting of the local centre will be held this Friday night after Mass. Sincere sympathy is extended to the Leamy families, Flowerhill and Ahaun on the death of Ml. Leamy.

BALLYDUFF'S PICTORIAL PAST

A book has been compiled detailing Ballyduff's Pictorial Past and it will be launched at a function in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff on Friday December 16th. It has been put together by two local men namely Maurice Geary and Paddy John Feeny and it will be launched by Mr. Maurice Moloney acting Cork City Manager and a native of Coolisheal, Ballyduff. The book will contain 110 pictures and is currently at the printers being readied for the launch. The production will cost more than £2,000 and 500 copies will go on sale at £5 each. The duo are hopeful that there will be people out there who will help with some sponsorship and if this is received by this week-end the sponsors will be acknowledged in the book.

The array of old photographs is quite stunning and includes old school photo's, great houses, sporting and social events etc., as well as a black and white picture of Ballyduff Railway Station taken in the 1920's. As nearly everyone living in the parish today will have a relative in these pictures it will make an ideal Christmas present. Don't forget the launch date December 16th. More details next week.

BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

The A.G.M. of the Community Council was held in the hall on Monday 28th November at 8 p.m. A large crowd attended this meeting. The outgoing Chairman John Kenny thanked every Council member and everybody in the Parish for their support and help for the past number of years. A new set of officers were elected and they are as follows:-

Patron: Fr. K. Mulcahy, P.P.; President: John Kenny; Chairman: Paddy Jim Feeny; Vice Chairman: Suzanne Hannon; Secretary: Ellen Daly; Asst. Secretary: Michael Leamy; Treasurer: Pat Hannon; Asst. Treasurer: Tommy Enright; P.R.O.: Theresa Noonan.

We wish these new officers all the best for the coming year.

It was felt at the meeting that a field committee and a Hall committee should be set up to take control of above named. The purpose of these committees is that neither the field or the hall would be taken for granted at any stage during the coming years.

The Senior Citizens Party this year is on the 11th December at 1 o'clock sharp. Anyone wishing to drop in cakes etc. can do so on Sunday morning at any time.

Another topic discussed was the possible formation of a senior citizens club in the New Year. If anybody has any view on this matter they should contact any member of the Council.

On December 18th there will be a Children's Party for the National School Children.

Deepest sympathy was expressed to the Leamy family and Flynn, Hickey and Quirke families.

Next Community Council meeting is on Monday 12th December at 8 p.m. All members please attend.

BALLYDUFF COMHALTAS NOTES

The A.G.M. of the Chomhaltas branch will take place on Friday 2nd December at 8.30 p.m. in the School. New members welcome.

Dancing classes in the school and music in the Log Cabin on Thursday night.

"MILLER COMES TO BALLYDUFF!"

Openmind Performing Arts Group are over-taking their final hurdle in preparation of their production of one of the best 20th Century plays "The Crucible" by Arthur Miller.

Set in Salem - Massachusetts the play depicts the lives of ordinary people but due to a mass hysteria society drastically crumbles leading to the hanging of many.

The play will run on the 1st, 2nd, 8th and 9th respectively in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff. In association with "Openmind" many experienced local actors have joined the crew to present this powerful performance of "The Crucible". Admission is £4.00 and bookings can be made at (058) 60208. For a night of theatrical brilliance the place to be is Ballyduff. Hope to see you there!

BALLYDUFF/BALLYS AGGART I.F.A.

The branch A.G.M. was held in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff on 26th November. The following officers were elected:-

Chairman: Michael J. Walsh; Vice Chairman: Patsy Ahern; Secretary: Pat Geoghegan; Registrar: Liam Leamy.

Delegates to County Executive — Ben Daunt, Liam Leamy, Tom Moroney, John Devine.

A discussion followed on the subject of milk price and most members present expressed dissatisfaction at the price being paid by Waterford Foods in comparison with Dairygold's price. It was agreed to hold a meeting in the near future to discuss the matter further.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE NOTES

Division One Opens Up As New Leaders Cappoquin Are Defeated

Division One of The Red House League became wide open after Bride View United for the second week in a row defeated new league leaders Cappoquin.

One of the two East Cork Derby's last Sunday between Mogeely and Inch ended in a draw. Ballybridge United joined Cappoquin as joint league leaders when they defeated neighbours Killeagh. Ballyduff recorded a big home win over strugglers Modeligo.

RESULTS DIV. ONE BRIDE VIEW UNITED 2 CAPPOQUIN 0

For the second week in a row United defeated the league leaders and in the process maintained their winning run. This game is always a terrific game and Sunday's meeting proved no different although the game fizzled out somewhat in the final fifteen minutes.

Mark Geary put the home-side in front in the 12th minute and this was the only score in the first half. In the 53rd minute Stuart Barry finished off a great move which began with Sice and McIntosh with the latter's cross brought down well by Barry and despite the attentions of Murray and Walsh he managed to get his shot into the net. Cappoquin had their chances especially Mason and Walsh but Billy Sheehan saved well from both players.

BALLYDUFF 6 MODELIGO 2

Ballyduff moved up to challenge the league's front runners when they had a big home win over strugglers Modeligo. Owen Corcoran put the home-side in front early in the game. John Twomey added number two before Modeligo pulled one back to put them back into the game.

It was short-lived, however, as Ballyduff piled on the pressure and goals from Corcoran, Geary and Scanlan saw Ballyduff lead 5-1 at the break.

Modeligo scored their second goal early in the second half before man of the match Owen Corcoran grabbed his third goal and gave Ballyduff a big lift up the table.

MOGEELY 1 INCH 1

This East Cork local derby ended with the sides sharing the points which was of lit-

tle value to either side. Bernard Tyran put Mogeely in front in the 23rd minute and they held this lead till the break.

Both sides missed some scoring chances before Inch were awarded a penalty and

DIVISION TWO

It's All Still To Play For

Yes, like Division One this Second Division is now opening up. From a two horse race as it was it's now beginning to open up. Leaders Ardmore dropped 2 points at home on Sunday when they drew with Gortroe. Araglen and Grange fought out a 1-1 draw. Affane won for the second week running and the scoring honours went to Bride View who defeated neighbours Cappoquin. The chief scorer in this Division last week was Denis Flaherty of Bride View who scored a hat trick.

RESULTS DIV. TWO

GRANGE 1 ARAGLEN 1

With both teams in the top half of the table the points were of vital importance to both sides here. Joe Salmon was the hero turned villain here. Salmon put the home-side in front after 25 minutes with a tremendous volley and his goal still separated the sides at the break.

Grange were still in front going into the final quarter when Grange's hero up till then scorer Salmon handled the ball in his own box to give away a penalty. Araglen took full advantage from the penalty kick and got a vital away point for them which keeps them in a challenging position.

BLACKWATER RANGERS V. PINEWOOD RANGERS

This game was called off on Friday night due to a death in the Blackwater Rangers Club.

the experienced Peter Savage made no mistake from the penalty spot to tie up the game. Mogeely find themselves in midtable but the other East Cork side Inch are still in relegation trouble with just 2 points out of a possible twelve.

KILLEAGH 0 BALLYBRIDGE 2

This vital East Cork local derby between Killeagh and Ballybridge United drew a big number of fans to the home venue. Points were vital here for different rea-

AFFANE 3 GLENVIEW UNITED 2

Affane looked to have this game wrapped up early in the first half when they led by three goals but as happened after in the past few weeks they let their visitors back into the game with two late goals. However, on this occasion they managed to hold out and clinch full points. Goals from Kieran and P. J. Veale put Affane two goals up at the break. Reddy put the home-side three goals up early in the second half but late goals from Duggan and McGrath almost saw Glenview steal a point but it was not to be and Affane clinched their second win on the trot.

This was a thrilling game with league leaders Ardmore coming under pressure from newcomers Gortroe. However, to be fair to Ardmore they came up against Gortroe's 'keeper Willie Collins who was in terrific form. He denied Ardmore on numerous occasions. On another day Ardmore would have got five or six goals.

Billy Lane put the East Cork side in front in the 10th minute and Collins kept them in front until the 76th minute when Ardmore got the equaliser. A marvellous game of football with the man of the match award going to Gortroe's 'keeper Collins.

CAPPOQUIN B 1 BRIDE VIEW UNITED B 5

The Tallow club had a double over neighbours

sons not to mention the word pride. Despite many chances falling to both sides in the first half the game was scoreless at the break.

United took the game to the homeside and Michael Broderick and Pat O'Brien scored for United to give them the points. This win now takes Ballybridge United back to the top of the league table with Cappoquin and what a battle these two sides are having for outright league leaders.

For neighbours Killeagh signs are not looking good. Three games gone and still no point they remain rooted with Modeligo at the bot-

Cappoquin on Sunday last. This was a tough but sporting game. Cappoquin with just one point from their five league games were hoping to get off the bottom of the table but they got no favours from their neighbours who ran out deserving winners.

Denis Flaherty was United's hero here scoring a hat trick. Michael and John Joe Henley were United's other scorers here.

MUNSTER JUNIOR CUP THIRD ROUND

Valley Ranger Furious At Cancellation

Ferrybank v. Valley Rangers (Game Called Off)

Rangers were furious when informed at around 10.00 a.m. on Sunday morning their Munster Junior Cup game was once again called off. This game was called off the previous week due to the weather but it was a different story on Sunday last. It is understood that the Ferrybank pitch was inspected by the referee on Saturday and he failed to pass the pitch playable. Surely Rangers should have been informed on Saturday regarding the match and a Red House League game, could have been played instead. Red House League Chairman Paddy Pollard will have taken up this with the Waterford Junior League on Monday night last. This game will now go ahead on Sunday. Third time lucky we hope Ferrybank v. Valley Ranger, k. off 2.30 p.m.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE FIXTURES

Sunday December 4th

DIVISION ONE
 Cappoquin v. Lismore, k. off 11.30 a.m., Referee T. Griffin;
 Modeligo v. Killeagh, k. off 11.30 a.m., Referee L. Fraser;
 Bride View United v. Mogeely, k. off 11.30 a.m., Referee S. Kearns;
 Ballybridge United v. Inch, k. off 2.30 pm., Referee J. Foley.

DIVISION TWO
 Glenview United v. Grange, k. off 11.30 a.m., Referee S. Hickey;
 Blackwater Rangers v. Bride View United, k. off 11.30 a.m., Referee J. Foley;
 Araglen v. Cappoquin, k. off 11.30 a.m., Referee P. Marks;
 Pinewood Rangers v. Ardmore, k. off 2.30 p.m., Referee N. O'Donoghue;
 Affane v. Gortroe, k. off 11 o'clock, Referee. M. O'Neill.
 Munster Junior Cup Third Round — Ferrybank v. Valley Rangers, k. off 2.30 p.m.
 P.S.: This game could be refixed for a home game for Rangers.

SYMPATHY
 The Red House League committee extends its deepest sympathy to Blackwater Rangers and to the Downing and Donovan families on their sad bereavements.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE TABLES

DIVISION ONE					DIVISION TWO						
	PL	W	D	L	PTS		PL	W	D	L	PTS
BALLYBRIDGE	6	4	1	1	13	ARDMORE	6	4	1	1	13
CAPPOQUIN	7	4	1	2	13	ARAGLEN	6	3	1	2	10
BRIDE VIEW	4	4	0	0	12	BRIDE VIEW	6	3	1	2	10
BALLYDUFF	6	3	2	1	11	PINWOOD	4	3	0	1	9
VALLEY RGS	4	2	2	0	8	GRANGE	6	2	3	1	9
MOGEELY	5	2	2	1	8	GORTROE	6	2	3	1	9
LISMORE	4	1	0	3	3	AFFANE	7	2	3	1	8
INCH	4	0	2	2	2	BLACKWATER	6	1	3	2	6
KILLEAGH	3	0	0	3	0	GLENVIEW	5	0	3	2	3
MODELIGO	7	0	0	7	0	CAPPOQUIN	6	0	1	5	1

RED HOUSE LEAGUE NOTES

Ballybridge United And Cappoquin Face Vital Fixtures

Joint league leaders Ballybridge United and Cappoquin have derby games on Sunday. Both sides are locked together at the top of Division One. Match of the day in Division Two takes place in Ballymacarbry where local Pinewood Rangers take on league leaders Ardmore. Ardmore are 4 points ahead of Rangers who have two games in hand.

CAPPOQUIN V. LISMORE

This West Waterford local derby between neighbours Cappoquin and Lismore should draw a good crowd to the home venue. This is never an easy game to forecast but going on form to date Cappoquin should get the points. Both sides know one another well and on Sunday there will be some great personal battles. Both sides have excellent 'keepers, Morrissey with the homeside and Farrell with Lismore and much could depend on their performances on Sunday but we give the vote to the homeside.

MODELIGO V. KILLEAGH

Two sides finding the going hard this season. Modeligo have begun to improve in their more recent games but at this stage it looks as if they will be fighting a relegation battle. East Cork side Killeagh like Modeligo are going through a bad patch and Paul Fitzgerald will be hoping

for a victory here. However it could end in a draw.

BRIDE VIEW UNITED V. MOGEELY

Bride View under manager Mickey Curley are not going to give up the league title without a fight. At home they are a hard side to beat and Mogeely will be up against it on Sunday. The East Cork side are not an easy side to beat and are not without their goalscorers. Coady and McCarthy form a dangerous attacking force. On Sunday United's defence with Sheehan and Sice in the middle are having an outstanding season to date. The vote goes to the homeside.

BALLYBRIDGE UNITED V. INCH

This local derby in Ballymacoda should give the fans plenty of exciting football. The homeside are bigger and stronger than their neighbours Inch but this will count for nothing on Sunday. Inch have brought in some young players this

season and manager James Fogarty feels it may take another season or two for this side to get it together.

Ballybridge will need to be at their best here but Swayne, the O'Driscoll's and company should prove too strong for Inch and take the points here which will keep them in the league hunt.

BLACKWATER RANGERS V. BRIDE VIEW UNITED

Newcomers Rangers can feel well pleased in this their first season. Already they have surprised many clubs and no doubt will cause some more shocks before this season is over. Bride View have come good of late and with a full squad should continue to do well for the rest of the season. This game could go either way and both sides may settle for a draw.

GLENVIEW UNITED V. GRANGE

The homeside could do with the points but it's hard to see them taking anything out of this game with Grange. Grange shocked league leaders Ardmore two weeks ago and this made the rest of the division's clubs sit up and take notice of Grange. Philip McCarthy Glenview's leading scorer will take watching along with Duggan. However we give Grange the vote here.

ARAGLEN V. CAPPOQUIN

Araglen opened their league campaign on a high

note and scoring goals of quality as they moved into third place. However, their form has dropped somewhat in the past few weeks. Cappoquin made a terrible start to the league and went four games without getting a point. However, they have now regrouped and signed some new faces with some success. They have along way to go but they may get a result on Sunday.

PINEWOOD RANGERS V. ARDMORE

This game is "the match" in this Division on Sunday. Both sides were unbeaten early in the league. However, both sides were shocked two weeks ago by Bride View and Grange. This was a marvellous boost to the rest of the teams in this Division. With so much at stake here both sides will be hoping for all three points. If previous games involving these sides is anything to go by then we should have plenty of goals in this game. A draw may be the outcome here.

AFFANE V. GORTROE

Two sides looking for the points. For Affane despite playing some nice football early in the league the results did not come for them. They dropped points in games, that they should have really won. However, they are getting results now. On Sunday they take on newcomers from East Cork, Gortroe and will need to be on top form if they are to get something from this one. Gortroe are having a good season in this their first season. It's a game could go either way with a draw a likely outcome.

EAST CORK/WEST WATERFORD SCHOOLBOYS SOCCER LEAGUE FIXTURES

SATURDAY DECEMBER 3RD

U-12 League — Valley Rangers v. Inch, k. off 1.30 p.m., Referee P. Walsh;

Lismore v. Bride View United, k. off 11.30 a.m., Referee L. Fraser.

U-14 League — Youghal v. Valley Rangers, k. off 2.30 p.m., Referee S. Kearns;

Ballyduff v. Lismore, k. off 2.30 p.m., Referee N. O'Donoghue;

Bride View United v. Mogeely, k. off 11.30 a.m., Referee S. Hickey.

U-16 League — Cappoquin v. Ballybridge United, k. off 2.30 p.m., Referee S. Hickey;

Valley Rangers v. Ardmore, k. off 2.30 p.m., Referee P. Walsh;

Inch v. Mogeely, k. off 2.30 p.m., Referee P. Fitzgerald.

EAST CORK/WEST WATERFORD SCHOOLBOYS SOCCER LEAGUE

Mogeely And Bride View In Top Form

Mogeely had a marvellous away win in Lismore on Saturday last in the U-14 league. Valley Rangers and Bride View United had great victories in the U-16 league while Ballybridge and Ardmore played an eight goal thriller in the same league.

Valley Rangers and Bride View United were involved in a five goal thriller in the U-12 league. Inch and Lismore shared the points in this league when they played at Inch on Saturday last.

U-16 LEAGUE RESULTS

BRIDE VIEW UNITED 5 CAPPOQUIN 1

Roy Henley was United's hero here scoring a hat trick. Stephen Pratt and Ronan Cronin were also among the goals in this great win for the homeside.

This win sees United share top of the league spot with Valley Rangers.

YOUGHAL 0 VALLEY RANGERS 1

This was a very keenly fought game between two great sides. Chances fell to both sides before Gordon Bryan scored the all important goal for Rangers in the 22nd minute. Youghal piled on the pressure after this but Rangers defence stood firm. Best for Youghal here were John Healy, O'Donnell and Declan Crowley.

BALLYBRIDGE UNITED 4 ARDMORE 4

Good football and eight goals kept the fans on their toes here. The game looked to be over at the break when the homeside led by 4-1 thanks to goals from James Ryan (2), Alan Brett and Cathal Rochford.

Ardmore fought back in the second half and scored three times to get a share of the points although United will be disappointed at losing a three goal advantage.

U-14 LEAGUE

LISMORE 1 MOGEELY 10

East Cork side Mogeely went to Lismore on Saturday last and gave a powerful performance to over run the homeside. Lismore never got into this game for a reason best known to themselves and they are not as bad as this result would seem. This result keeps Mogeely well in the hunt for league honours.

U-12 LEAGUE

INCH 1 LISMORE 1

Jamie Dalton put Lismore in front here after just 6 minutes into the second half but Inch fought back to get a share of the points in what was a great game.

BRIDE VIEW UNITED 2 VALLEY RANGERS 3

Rangers went two goals in front inside the first quarter thanks to Colin Hogan and Niall Riordan. Paul Kearney pulled one back for United just before the break. Paul O'Brien equalised for United in the 36th minute but Hogan popped up again for Rangers with a free kick in the 49th minute and helped the Conna side to the points.

U-16 LEAGUE RESULTS

INCH 6 LISMORE 3

Plenty of goals here in this game with the homeside getting full points in their first league game. The East Cork side seldom looked like being beaten here much to the delight of the home fans. Lismore's marksmen here were Liam Casey, Patrick McNamara and an own goal. A good win this for Inch.

DARTS

DUNGARVAN AND DISTRICT VINTNERS DARTS LEAGUE Smithwicks A League

The position at the top of the Smithwicks A league is very tight with only 1 point separating the leaders and the next three places. At the half way stage it is far too close to call and indeed it is very possible for all teams still to force their way into the play offs.

Last week The Park House travelled to Shandon Arms. The match was very close and went to the wire with the final match between John Ducey P.H. and Paul Riordan S.A. to decide. A win for John would give P.H. 2 pts. and leadership of the league. A win for Paul would retain the leadership for the Shandon Arms with a hard earned point and this was in fact the result. This draw allowed Dungarvan Oak with a win against Tigh an Cheoil 2 to move into second place and Murray's joined them with the points against them from their match with the Soccer Club being reversed and beating Bridie Dee's.

The position at present is as follows:-

1st. Shandon Arms on 11 pts.

Joint 2nd. YODOS (Dungarvan Oak), Park House, Murray's on 10 pts.

5th. Tigh and Cheoil 1 on 6 pts.;

6th. Soccer Club on 5 pts.;

7th. Bridie Dee's and Tigh An Cheoil 2 on 2 pts.

JERSEYS SPONSORED



Photo shows Maurice Kiely (Kiely's Electrical Repairs) presenting a set of jerseys to Abbeyside A.F.C. Secretary, Eddie Cantwell. Also included are John Woods, Rachael Kiely, Joe O'Riordan (Club Chairman) and Michael Morrissey. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

DUNGARVAN UNITED DIVISION 2B

Sheehan Shines

DE LA SALLE 2 DUNGARVAN 4

Dungarvan dug out a good win by getting stuck in on a very mucky pitch on Saturday last.

Cormac Whelan was tested early in the game from a long range shot and he made a great flying save to tip the ball over for a corner.

After 29 minutes the home side took the lead. A De La Salle player was

given too much room on the left wing and his cross was headed home by an incoming midfielder.

The Blues responded in the best way possible when one minute later Billy Sheehan raided down the left wing and his low cross was met by baby brother Alan to put them back on level terms. One minute before the break Johnny Hughes took on the home defence and when tackled by a defender his "Klinsman" like dive was awarded with an Oscar, sorry, penalty and David Sheehan made no mistake from the spot to give the Blues a 2-1 lead at the break.

With their first attack of the second half the Blues increased their lead when Alan Sheehan's angled shot went in off the post. Throughout this half both sides created numerous



ALAN SHEEHAN

chances but failed to avail of them. With 10 minutes to go De La Salle pulled one back with a powerful shot that gave the 'keeper no chance. From then on the Blues had to battle to hold onto the points. Again with one minute to go a long high clearance out of defence by Stan Cummins was collected by Alan Sheehan who had the awareness to see the 'keeper coming off his line and his high lob from all of 25 yards out went to the back of the net to give Alan his second hat-trick of the season against De La Salle and his ninth goal in nine games.

Dungarvan — C. Whelan, F. O'Rourke, S. Cummins, G. Hamilton, A. Landers, D. Sheehan, J. Hughes, J. W. Power, B. Sheehan, A. Sheehan, M. Donnelly. Res. — J. Whelan, M. Ducey (both used).

Man of the match — Stan told Elaine he was. I say A. Sheehan.

DUNGARVAN UNITED DIVISION 1B LEAGUE

Super Blues Crush Carrick

DUNGARVAN UNITED 4 CARRICK 0

The Blues turned in what must surely rank as their best performance for some time at Kiltrush Park on Saturday evening last, when they brushed aside the challenge of a game but outclassed Carrick eleven.

The Blues have now scored 18 goals and conceded only 3 in their last three outings and if they can maintain this goal run they should be in the shake up for honours, but there's a long road ahead yet, and as they say, "Football's a funny old game".

cross was headed clear but Hyslop pounced on the clearance and sent a rasping shot to the roof of the net. The visitors were under the cosh from this point with Downey proving to be their biggest threat and after 15 minutes a great run and pass by Power put him through but the 'keeper brilliantly saved his effort. Shortly after he got on the end of Kiely's cross but his effort was cleared off the line. Dee, Downey and O'Connor were all denied by the 'keeper as the Blues threatened to run riot, but he produced the save of the game after 17 minutes when he got his finger tips to Sheehan's fierce cross-shot. The Blues should have increased their lead after 23 minutes

when Kiely was brought down in the box but Coward usually so reliable missed his second penalty on the trot. The second goal finally arrived after 37 minutes when Dee lashed home Downey's pass. Power added a deserved third before the interval.

The game was out of the visitors reach ten minutes into the second half when Power took advantage of slack marking in Carrick's defence to slot home No. 4. O'Neill was almost a spectator in the Blues goal while in front of him Gough, Coward, Sheehan and Tutty (in for the injured Wall) snuffed out Carrick's front men. Hyslop was outstanding in mid-field while Kiely, O'Connor and Dee

were never far behind and front men Power and Downey gave the visitors defence a torrid afternoon. Youth player Aidan Landers made his debut for the first team and acquitted himself quite well as did Ferncombe when introduced.

Team — Kealan O'Neill, Cris Gough, Willie Coward (Capt.), Pat Tutty, Tommy Sheehan, Jimmy Kiely, Mark Hyslop, Gerry O'Connor, Dermot Dee, Michael Downey, John Power. Res — Aidan Landers and Michael Ferncombe (for Dee and Power). Man of the match — Michael Downey.

The panel would like to say get well soon to Michael Cowming who is presently out through illness. Hurry back Michael.



JOHN POWER scored a brace of goal against Carrick to go joint top scorer

The home side get their stall out from the start and tore into the visitors and it was evident from early on that Carrick's defence would not be able to cope with the pace of Power and Downey, indeed Downey gave a terrific display and deserved a goal but he was thwarted on several occasions by the brilliance of the visitors 'keeper who produced a string of excellent saves to deny the striker. Dungarvan opened their account after just 7 minutes, Dee won a good tackle in mid-field and sent Downey away down the right and his

DUNGARVAN UNITED DIVISION 4A LEAGUE

Blues Best Display Of The Season

BOLTON 1 DUNGARVAN 3

Dungarvan turned in their best display of the season when they travelled to city side Bolton on Saturday afternoon last. Bolton on an eight game unbeaten run were fancied to take two points in this one.

The Blues started well and took the lead after ten minutes. Kidney Sheehan won a ball on the edge of midfield. He gave a first time ball to Philly Connors who hit a first time shot to give the Bolton 'keeper no chance.

Kidney Sheehan brought a good save out of the 'keeper and Vincent Tutty shot just over the crossbar. Bolton took control after this and had the Blues under pressure for long periods of the half. Their efforts were rewarded after thirty five minutes. A throw on the left saw a player not picked up. The ball was crossed into the penalty area where a Bolton player was unmarked and gave "Pops" Wright no chance. Bolton continued to press for a second and only a brilliant save from "Pops" Wright five minutes from half time kept the Blues level until half time.

The Blues started the second half well

with Michael Whelan, P. J. Drummey and Philly Connors playing well, but found it hard to break the Bolton offside trap. It was finally broken. Fifteen minutes into the second half Philly Connors played a ball over the top to Vincent Tutty who rounded the 'keeper to put the Blues two one up. Again Bolton came back and threw everything at the Blues. When they finally did beat "Pops" Wright, John "Dixie" Power was on hand to clear the ball off the line. With fifteen minutes to go P. J. Drummey released player manager Liam Sandford to score his fifth goal in three games. Bolton again came at the Blues in the final ten minutes. The defence of Ber Whelan, Michael Hart, John "Dixie" Power, John Downey and "Pops" Wright in goal stood firm and gave nothing away.

Dungarvan — Thomas "Pops" Wright, Ber Whelan, John Downey, Michael Hart, John "Dixie" Power, P. J. Drummey, Michael Whelan (Capt.), Vincent Tutty, Philly Connors, Paul "Kidney" Sheehan, Liam Sandford. Res. — Tony Sullivan for Liam Sandford.

Abbeyside A.F.C. Notes



LOW SCORES

Week 14 — No winners.

Week 15 — Jackpot £100, Low Scores £90.

Teams for Week 15 — 1. Coventry, 2. Liverpool, 3. Ipswich, 4. Manchester City, 5. Leicester City, 6. Blackburn, 7. Everton, 8. Leeds, 9. Q.P.R., 10. Man. United, 11. Notts. Forest, 12. Arsenal, 13. Sheff. Wednesday, 14. Crystal Palace, 15. Chelsea, 16. Tottenham, 17. Newcastle.

RAILWAY ATHLETIC (CAPPOQUIN) NOTES

Solid Performance From Railway

BALLYDUFF 1 RAILWAY ATHLETIC 3

On Saturday last our under-sixteen side travelled to Ballyduff for our seventh league game. Two weeks previous we had dropped our first point when we played a 2-2 draw in Cappoquin.

We started poorly and after five minutes we found ourselves a goal down. We picked ourselves up and started to play more positive football. After 25 minutes good work down the right by Ward Fraher and Tom Molumphy set up James Manahan for the equaliser.

Seven minutes later James Manahan scored a great goal to give us a lead we weren't going to lose. Just on the stroke of half time Ballyduff were awarded a penalty. Niall Maher went into goal in place of Gavin Foley and made a brilliant save to keep our lead.

The second half was all Railway and our back four played their hearts out. Niall Maher only had to make one save in this half, while the Ballyduff keeper was called into action on numerous occasions. With five minutes left a great ball down the left wing by Billy Walsh sent Gary Keane through. He beat his man and cut into the area where he scored from a very acute angle to

wrap the game up for us.

This was a very good performance from the lads and every one of them played to their very best. This win keeps us on top of the table but it is very tight with Dunmore one point behind us and Southend two points behind them.

Our next game is away to Tramore Rangers on December 31 and another performance like this one and hopefully we can take the points.

Team — Gavin Foley, Shane Coughlan, Billy Walsh, Niall Maher, Michael Caples, Ward Fraher, Diarmuid Coughlan (capt.),

Mitchel Moynihan, Tom Molumphy, James Manahan, Gary Keane. Res., David Whelan for Gavin Foley; Owen McLoughlin for Tom Molumphy (inj.); Sean Cotter, Patrick Morrissey.

UNDER-16s V. KENNEDY CUP SIDE

On Sunday our under-16s played the Waterford Cup team in a challenge. We tried out a few things in this game and played a few players in different positions. In the first half James Manahan should have given us the lead but the keeper made a brilliant save.

Waterford took the lead

from a free kick early in the second half and that was the only score of the game. Sean Cotter could have scored with three minutes left but he shot over from close range. (Sean is an Everton supporter, so one can forgive him!)

Team — Patrick Morrissey, Kevin Foley, Ward Power, Niall Maher, Billy Walsh, Tom Molumphy, Michael Caples, Diarmuid Coughlan, Mitchel Moynihan, James Manahan, Gary Keane. Res. David Whelan for Michael Moynihan (inj.), Liam McLoughlin for K.Foley, Eoin McLoughlin for Gary Keane, Eoin Murphy for D. Coughlan, S. Cotter for T. Molumphy.

SPEEDY RECOVERY

We would like to wish a speedy recovery to Mitchel Moynihan who received a nasty leg injury during the Waterford game. He is a regular in midfield for us.

GRANGE UNITED .FC. NOTES

Gritty Grange Hold Out For Share Of Spoils

Last Sunday Grange played a 1-1 draw at home to Araglen. In an evenly contested match it was the homeside who played the better football, without often threatening the Araglen goal however.

A scrappy first half had few highlights, with very few passing movements strung together. In fact the sole cause for any jubilation in the first period was a tremendously driven, well placed shot from Joe Salmon which gave Grange the lead.

In the second half the football brightened up a good deal and Salmon's tremendous workrate in midfield, coupled with a solid defence, well marshalled by the classy Micheál O Domhnaill and the hard running and efforts of Curran, O'Connor and Tim and Eamon Power, led to Grange having much of the early initiative.

Araglen however seem to have the offside trap down to a fine art, and Grange's good approach work was too often nullified by either one, two or at times three attackers being caught offside!

Events turned sour for Grange in the final twenty minutes of the match when, firstly, Micheál O Domhnaill had to leave the field

with a niggling leg injury and secondly, the services of our outstanding player on the day, Joe Salmon, were lost when he was shown a red card for handling on the goal line. It always seems so harsh when a player is

UNDER-12 S.F.A.I. CUP

Blues U-12's Bow Out

PARK UNITED (KILKENNY) 5 DUNGARVAN UNITED 1

This was a tough game of football in very heavy conditions. Dungarvan did not get time to settle in this game and were to lose a goal very early into the game. Dungarvan got their heads up and struck back with a goal from Ronan (Kiddo) Keating. Conditions seemed to suit Park United's style of football and they proved it by scoring two more goals before half time.

Try as they might Dungarvan could not prevent Park United from scoring two more goals in the second half. This is a very spirited side and will soon be back to winning ways. Chins up and strike on.

punished for a purely instinctive action but in fairness, referee Noel O'Donoghue was only following the FIFA directive like ever other official. Matters were made worse for the home side when Araglen equalised from the penalty spot.

Grange's ten men held out for the final quarter to earn a point, which was no disgrace, considering the fact they were facing a well organised and disciplined side.

Best for Grange last Sunday was undoubtedly Joe Salmon, while Micheál O Domhnaill, Mike and Timothy Power and Pdraig Mahony all performed very well.

Team — J. Donnelly, P. Mahony, M. O Domhnaill, P. Roche, M. Power, M. Curran, J. Salmon, T. Curran, T. Power, E. Power, D. O'Connor. Subs., D. Mansfield for D. O'Connor, T. Casey for M. O Domhnaill, J. Power, F. Keating and player boss L. O'Brien.

THANKS

Grange would like to thank the following people for their recent generosity — John and Theresa Donovan, Proprietors of the Seanachie, who sponsored prizes in our recent raffle, and Waterford Foods who recently sponsored our new football.

ARDMORE A.F.C. NOTES

Poor Finishing Proves Costly For Ardmore

Ardmore had a bad two weeks, when out of two home games against Grange and Gortroe, they only salvaged a point out of a possible six. Surely not form to suggest promotion but to be fair to the lads luck deserted them, because dominating both games they still couldn't transfer their dominance to goals.

ARDMORE 1 GRANGE 2

This was a game that Ardmore should have at least drawn but good goalkeeping and a lot of luck gave Grange a fine win. The Grange midfield dominated the game for long periods but Ardmore had all the chances but no joy. Tony Keane was our scorer and man of the match was Seamus Veale.

GORTROE 1 ARDMORE 1

Gortroe transferred their home game to Ardmore and left with a share of the spoils thanks mainly to the brilliance of their goalkeeper, who, without doubt, kept Gortroe in the game. The visitors scored after a half an hour when a terrible mix-up between the keeper and the sweeper left the centre forward in for an easy goal. The game belonged to Ardmore for the remainder and Johnny Hennessy who was Ardmore's best player, equalised with twenty minutes remaining but try as they might they couldn't add to it despite having several chances. The team is playing well but we seem to be falling down in front of the goal, but I believe this will come.

Next week Ardmore have a tough assignment when we travel to the league favourites Pinewood, kick-off 2.30 in Pinewood.

Ardmore's best was Johnny Hennessy.

TABLE QUIZ

The club held a very successful table quiz on Saturday night last. We would like to thank our sponsors for the night, the Cliff Hotel, Keever's Bar, Paddy Mac, Nicky Keating, John Supple, Jim Lane and Tommy Mooney. Thanks also to Eddie Irwin, who was a capable quiz master and a special thanks to Eileen Irwin and Mary Prendergast who sold our tickets. Thanks to everyone and especially the Irwin family who gave us the use of the Cliff House for our quiz.

SPONSORSHIP

The club extends their thanks to Matt Power for his kind donation towards the club's shorts. Matt has a seasonal business in Ardmore and is never found wanting when it comes to sponsorship.

UNDER-16 LEAGUE

Ballybridge 4 Ardmore 4

After fifteen minutes of this game Ardmore were three down and after bringing one back, Ballybridge made it four but then Ardmore staged a remarkable comeback and were unlucky not to take the points. James O'Donnell (2), Jamie Hennessy and Seamus Prendergast were the scorers and a fine performance by Liam Power was another feature of the game.

PLAYER PROFILE

— Tony Keane —

Tony Keane is playing his second season with Ardmore after a few seasons with Piltown. An accomplished footballer with plenty of skill Tony helped bring Ardmore back up near the top of the division last season with a string of fine performances. Tony is a local but his single days seem to be numbered as a couple of weeks ago Tony took the first step towards tying the knot when he got engaged. From now on we should see improved performance from him and we wish him well.

GOAL TIMES

Nov. 19 — (8) winner Ber O'Brien. Nov. 26 — (91) winner Anthony Herne.

Ballinroad Soccer Notes SEAVIEW CELTIC DRAW

Once again we have scooped the major prize in this great draw. Local supporter Bernard Troy finds himself in the enviable position of having to decide between a Seat Ibiza or £7,750. One thing we can say for certain is that Bernard will find the time to do some serious celebrating. The winning ticket was sold by 4th division manager Marty Foley who receives £200. There is every possibility that Marty might be persuaded to help Bernard celebrate his win.

It was indeed appropriate that the top prize should go to a member of the Troy family as they have been great supporters of the draw from its inception.

ATHLETICS BY RACE LEADER

John Treacy And Waterford Win Bronze

The Irish senior mens inter county cross country championship lived up to all pre race speculation at St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside last Sunday, providing us with thrilling individual and team contests before a large attendance in ideal weather conditions.

BRAVE BID FAILS

John Treacy gave of his best to win his eighth senior title but despite losing out in the late of this thrilling five lap race he gave ample evidence that it is far too premature to write off the Villierstown man yet and one could sense in the aftermath that the twice World Cross Country champion is intent on making up for Sunday's setback before the season concludes.

The race itself soon developed into a very entertaining three man duel with Noel Berkley (Dublin), John Treacy (Waterford) and Noel Cullen (Dublin Individual) breaking clear from the pack. After three laps it was becoming obvious that Treacy was not leading as he intended and from a Waterford point of view the outcome looked ominous. Indeed, shortly into the last lap Berkley and Cullen stepped up a gear and the 1-2-3 places were then decided.

THE PEOPLES FAVOURITE

As if this defeat did not happen John Treacy was surrounded by the young and not so young on crossing the line. Despite his disappointment he catered for everybody proving that there is more to the man than just winning. There is no doubt that the old order is changing and making

way for the new and that time stands still for no man but it is great to still see the thirty seven (and a half) years old Treacy giving the younger ones plenty of opposition.

IRISH BRONZE

In the Inter County championship Waterford produced their best performance for a long time to finish in the top three for the first time since 1983. Led home by John Treacy, Waterford's next finisher was James Sullivan in 10th place. James, back in training only five weeks, was having his first race in well over one year and his placing was, therefore, a revelation. He suffered early on from the face pace but he recovered very well to show that he is well on the road to full fitness.

Jimmy Mulligan once again showed his value when finishing twelfth and he is one of our most dependable runners as is Sean Foley who came from the mid thirties position to finish an excellent thirteenth. The scoring sextet was completed by Kieran Maher (35th) who did well to finish ahead of Derek Tebay (42nd). Without these two runners Waterford would not be third in Ireland as Cork were just seven points in arrears in fourth position. On the day the county were also represented by Jimmy McHugh, Michael Nugent, Larry Kennedy and James McGuire.



The Waterford Senior Mens Cross Country team who won the bronze medals at the All Ireland Championships in St. Augustine's on Sunday. Back row — Derek Tebay, Michael Nugent, Jimmy McHugh, Kieran Maher, James Sullivan, Paddy Byrne, President Waterford B.L.E., John Treacy, Paddy Cummins, Waterford Foods (sponsors). Front row — Tom Power, Chairman Waterford B.L.E., Larry Kennedy, Jimmy Mulligan, James McGuire, Sean Foley, Kieran O'Connor, Waterford Foods (sponsors). (Photo: Wyley)

RESULTS

1 Noel Berkley (Dublin) 30.47; 2nd Noel Cullen (Clonliffe Harriers) 30.52;

3rd John Treacy (Waterford) 31.05; 4th Richard Mulligan (Galway) 31.09; 5th Donncha O'Mahoney (Cork) 31.44; 6th Bobby

Faman (Derry) 31.52.

Inter Counties — 1st Dublin 83 pts (1, 7, 11, 17, 21, 26); 2nd Donegal 105 pts (8, 9, 14, 23, 24, 27); 3rd

Waterford 116 pts (3, 10, 12, 13, 35, 43); 4th Cork 213 pts. 'B' winners were Tipperary (276 pts).

Waterford Field Very Youthful Team In Junior Mens Race

Waterford fielded a very young team in the junior mens race which was dominated by the Cork and Dublin runners. First county man to finish was Derek Kenneally in 23rd position and this was a fine run by the Abbeyside athlete who was having his first race for some time. Next over the line was Dermot Hickey in 26th spot, closely followed by his clubmate Damien Travers. The St. Paul's pairing of Owen Casey and David Burke ran well with Michael Cummins (Dungarvan) next ensuring that the county team were represented. Tony Harty was an absentee due to appendicitis while it was good to see Darren Drummy present at the championships and encouraging the Waterford runners.



Pictured above is the Waterford Junior Cross Country team who ran in the all Ireland Championships in St. Augustine's College last Sunday. Back — Owen Casey (St. Paul's), David Burke (St. Paul's), Derek Kenneally (West Waterford), Dermot Hickey (West Waterford). Front — Damien Travers (West Waterford), Michael Cummins (West Waterford). (Photo: Wyley)

Elaine Fitzgerald Is All Ireland U-23 Champion

From Butlerstown and running with Waterford A.C., Elaine Fitzgerald ran the race of her life to win the Irish under-23 cross country title at St. Augustine's last Sunday. In addition she finished seventeenth in the senior event, her highest placing in this championship. Her performance is all the more notable as she is the only Waterford runner competing at this level at the moment. Her victory will give great encouragement to our younger promising runners such as Clare Long, Deirdre Travers and Aisling Weldon, to name but a few, to aim for junior and senior successes in the years ahead.



ELAINE FITZGERALD

**ATHLETICS BY RACE LEADER
UNDERAGE ALL IRELANDS**

**Deirdre Travers
Win Irish Gold**



DEIRDRE TRAVERS

Hopes were high locally that Deirdre, fol-

lowing her fourth placing in the Provincial event, would finish in the top six Munster girls but she left nothing to chance on Sunday with a class national performance. She was a scoring member of the Munster team that won the Inter Provincial and so she is now the proud possessor of a Grade 'A' gold All Ireland medal. She also won a individual medal for finishing eight. These achievements can only give Deirdre the confidence to realise her full potential in the years ahead. She is the latest in a long list of runners to bring Irish championship medals to the Dungarvan Athletic Club. Coached by Mary Ashe, she is daughter of Nellie and Andy Travers.

GOOD RUNNING



CLAIRE LONG

Competing as an individual, Clare Long (Ring/Old Parish) ran her best race this season to also finish eight in the girls under-17 championship. Claire wasn't far off the top six finishers and she can look forward to the under-16 All Ireland championship with confidence.

Aisling Weldon (Ring/Old Parish) finished 30th in her first championship and this type of running will give her valuable experience for the future. She is a runner with great potential. In the boys under-17 race Mark Radley, after being up with the leaders early on, drifted back through the field to finish in twentieth place. Good runners don't become bad ones overnight and Mark will soon put this experience behind him. Larry Morrissey (Ferrybank) had an excellent run to finish seventh while Philip Harty once again showed that he is a top quality athlete by coming home in fourteenth position. Larry was on the winning Munster team while Philip was their seventh scorer. Jamie Costin ran very well in twenty first position and not far behind were his clubmates Mark Harty, William Costin and Trevor Walsh.

**ORGANISERS
SAY THANKS**

The organisers of the championships would like to thank everybody who contributed to its success and to another great day for Waterford athletics. A special thanks to the Garda, Civil Defence, David Kiely, Monumental Works, Tom Curran, The Square and Michael Moloney, Bridge Street. Our main sponsors were Waterford Foods who also provided much of the material for making the course. The running of the championships would not be possible if it were not for the many stewards, recorders and helpers while St. Augustine's College once again facilitated B.L.E. in every way possible.

**R.T.E. GIVE
EXCELLENT
COVERAGE**

Here, there and everywhere we see R.T.E. being sliced for not televising this and that. Well on Sunday last they covered the cross country championships excellently, capturing in style the pulse of this type of running with some lovely shots from many parts of the course. The College grounds looked resplendent and all in all it was very positive coverage for the local area.

This Week's Fixtures

- Waterford Senior and Junior Mens and Womens Cross Country Championships in Ballygunner. Juvenile races for girls and boys under 10, 12, 14 and 16.
- Mallow Ten Miles Road Race.



Pictured above is Kevin Moore, Chairman Dungarvan Crystal Sports and Leisure Club, presenting a voucher to Fintan Lahiffe after he won the recently run Tennis League. Also included is John Cliffe, runner-up. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

Ring/Old Parish A.C. Notes

**ALL-IRELAND
MEDAL FOR
CLAIRE LONG**

Congrats to Claire Long on her fine performance in last Sunday's All Ireland cross country championships held in the Friary College grounds, Dungarvan. With medals for the first ten individuals, Claire ran a super under-17 race and finished up in 8th position and earned herself a well deserved All Ireland medal. Considering Claire is still only under-16 it shows the marvellous ability and determination she has.

Aisling Weldon, another fine young athlete, ran a marvellous under-13 race. Philip Harty ran a super under-17 race finishing up

in 14th place. Marvellous running considering Philip also is only under 16. Jamie Costin ran a great race here also as did Mark Harty and Trevor Walsh.

**SENIOR INTER
COUNTIES**

Our congratulations to John Treacy on his fine race in the senior mens. John took the bronze medal here and led the Waterford team into 3rd position. Well done to Kieran Maher, Ring on being a scoring member of the Waterford team and well done to all the Waterford team.

The junior team was minus two of our best athletes, Darren Drummy (following an eye injury, but we were delighted to see Darren there on the day) and Tony Harty,

to whom we send our best wishes following his appendix operation.

NEW ARRIVAL

Congratulations to Noel and Christine Coughlan on the recent birth of their baby daughter. A future athlete for us!

NON-STOP DRAW

Results, Week 6 — £80 Mrs. M. McCarthy, Ardmore, £40 Nicholas Cunningham, Newtown, Grange, £20 Robbie Whelan, Ardmore, £10 to each of the following, Margaret Coffey, Gates, Old Parish, Sean O Manachain, An Rinn, Kathleen O'Brien, Grange, Angela Collins, Tinabina, Kinsalebeg, Trevor Walsh, Portlaw and Graham Begley, Pulla, Dungarvan. (Advt.)

**Clonea Bowling
Club Notes**

TIGHT AT THE TOP

The ladies Christmas Hamper Competition is open to anyone who enjoys bowling no matter what the standard and only for £2 per morning!

This Christmas competition will run for six weeks but don't worry if you can't make every week, only the first four weeks are being counted. We have over 17 ladies bowling for the hamper.

After week three the top six ladies look like this — 1 Margaret Kiely 308, 2 Mary Walsh 306, 3 Mary Looby 302, 4 Carol McAndrew 301, 5 Peggy Hanrahan 267, 6 Joan Moloney 239.

As you can see it's anyone's hamper yet.

BRYAN'S TOP SCORE

The mixed doubles Christmas competition has just entered its third week with all the mixed doubles teams bowling for the turkey and ham. Bryan Keohan bowled the highest male score knocking 227 pins. This is the highest score bowled in

a competition. Well done Bryan. Carmel Cooney scored the highest female score with 142 pins, but all the other ladies were close behind.

After week two the teams are as follows — 1 Albert Power and Oliver Duggan 1346, 2 Ambrose Mullarkey and Carmel Cooney 1319, 3 Bryan Keohan and Tracey Golding 1317, 4 Colin Glasswell and Ann Dunford 1296, 5 Danny Barry and Mary Fahy 1277, 6 Stephen Donnelly and Josephine Whelan 1272, 7 Ivor Gordon and Kay Cliffe 1264, 8 John Reynolds and Michelle Power 1259, 9 Tom Phelan and Hilda Stober 1233, 10

Anthony Cooney and Claire O'Doherty 1204.

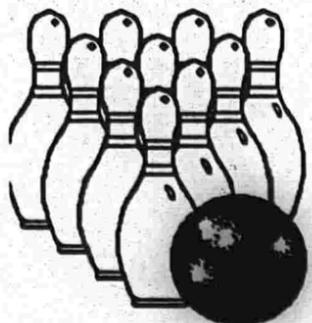
**JUNIOR CHRISTMAS
COMPETITION**

The month of December will see a Christmas competition for all the junior bowlers, junior bowling starts at 10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. every Sunday morning and only for £1. Last Sunday morning saw a brilliant turn out with eleven juniors bowling for their best score.

The highest score came from Joe Walsh who knocked over 202 pins, our highest ever score, followed closely behind by Dan Crotty with 184.

The rest of the lads scored the following — Jim Whit 130, Stephen Walsh 129, Enda Walsh 123, Thomas Burke 111, Michael Curran 101, Owen Browne 100, Mark Raheer 97, J. P. Fennel 97, Peter Burke 81.

So anyone interested in playing can just come along next Sunday morning. Our Christmas competition will be run over the next three weeks!



Colligan Contender
— TOM FITZGERALD —

Tom is a great supporter of the local running scene and he competes annually in this Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup. This year he covered the five miles distance in 38 mins. 25 secs. and in 1993 he clocked 34 mins. 38 secs. Tom trains at a fast pace on his regular route around the by-pass road. As well as Tom Meehan he hopes to have fellow county council employee Michael Wright (available for discos at 43180) competing in the Colligan Cup in January. Tom has a finishing potential of 35 minutes.



TOM FITZGERALD who has a potential finishing time of 35 mins.

**Brickey Valley
Christmas
Classic**

The Brickey Valley Christmas Classic four miles race will be held on Sunday, December 18. This event should attract large numbers of runners, joggers and walkers as it will be held over the most scenic course imaginable. The route involves varied terrain and the run will start from Bushy park where dressing accommodation will be available.

MINNIES SQUASH NOTES

Emmett Byrne And Donnacha O'Dea Are Leinster Open Champions

Recently three of our top junior players made the long trek to Dublin to participate in the Leinster Junior Open.

The three were Ian Power who played in the under-14 (B) and finished a very creditable 4th. In the under 16 (B) we had Donnacha O'Dea. It was a fantastic weekend for Donnacha almost faultless. A 3-0 victory over Patrick McCarthy was the dream start. On Saturday evening, playing good and controlled squash, he quashed the challenge of Edward Collins on a similar 3-0 scoreline to complete a fantastic weekend. Donnacha played brilliantly to beat Con McDonald 3-0 to cap a memorable tourna-

ment.

In the under-19 (B) section we had our third competitor Emmett Byrne. On Saturday morning Emmett opened with a comfortable 3-0 victory over Joe Tobin. Saturday evening saw probably Emmett's toughest and without doubt closest game for a very long time when, by the slenderest of margins, he edged out Richard Corbett 10-9 in the fifth. On Sunday Emmett shook off the effects of Saturday's tough games to overcome the local challenge of Stephen Moore on a 3-1 scoreline.

Both Donnacha and Emmett received beautiful gold medallions in pouches for their tremendous efforts for which they, and I'm sure, everyone in the club are very proud of. The venues of Old Belvedere and

Spheres were used for the weekend, the latter got very creditable reports for its super facilities.

As a treat a forty minute exhibition game between Austin Adanaga of Spain and Ireland's number one Chris Collins was played during the finals before the presentation. I'm told a late journey home was had due to a train delay. Mind you I think the lads were catered for with complimentary teas, etc.

All in all the lads had a very enjoyable weekend and on behalf of everyone at the Club I would like to say well done to all three competitors for flying the Minnies flag and congratulations to Emmett and Donnacha on their tremendous success — treasure your medals lads, treasure the memories!

Paddy Murphy Leads The Way Against Killenaule

On Monday night (Nov. 21) the South East Leagues got underway. Our first team in action were our mens Div. 3 team who hosted a Killenaule team of Tipperary. The good news is our chaps played very well collecting 16 points for their 3-2 victory.

At number five, the team captain (democratically elected on the night) Dan McCarthy, was involved in a five set marathon. Staring certain defeat in the face, 1-7 down and 2 sets to one down, Dan fought his way back to level at two sets all only to narrowly lose the fifth. At four Dave Tuohy, who is just getting back seriously at the game, was also involved in a five set marathon. In a very tough game Dave, after clawing his way back in the fifth to serve 8-7, can feel very unfortunate to have been pipped 10-9. Club captain Maurice Walsh, playing at three, was in super form. He rattled off a very comfortable 3-0 victory. Martin "the boast" Walsh played extremely well at two and can feel well satisfied with his workman-like 3-1 success. Paddy Murphy playing at one is the anchorman of the team. Playing very well Paddy recorded a fine 3-0 victory.

Pat McGovern Holds Off Strong Andrew Lally Comeback

Thursday, November 24 saw three further first round ties take place. On court four, Owen O'Mahoney's team scored an easy 12-2 win over Dave Power's team. At four Liam Byrne beat George Harney 3-0. Owen was involved in a five set marathon with Dave Power, just clinching it 3-2. Gearoid Fraher was in fine form as he beat Pat Cullen 3-0, while at five, Cappagh's Eamonn Flavin beat Anne O'Dwyer from the same district 3-0.

On court one, John Kelly's team pulled off a shock 11-8 victory over Michael Mahoney's strongly fancied team. The fours, Vincent Tutty and Sharon O'Brien, played early, victory going to Vincent 3-0 (the third was 10-8). At five Michael Coffey was back in form as he beat Anne Keaver 3-0. At one we nearly had one of the biggest upsets in the club's history as John Kelly raced away to a cosy 2-0 (9-4, 9-1) lead over Michael O'Mahoney. Michael really had to move up the gears coming back from 5-6 to clinch the third 9-7 and from 3-5 to clinch the fourth 9-5. In the fifth Michael pulled away to clinch it 9-1. The twos John O'Donoghue and Patsy Hackett followed. This was a repeat of the Baumann's final where Patsy won 3-0. This, however, was a different ball game. John stormed away to take the first two sets 9-0, 9-2. Patsy recovered to win the next two 9-7, 9-4 but John wasn't going to

let his chance slip as he clinched it 9-3. This left the tie balanced at 8-8 with Dave Tuohy and Paddy Cummins left to play. Dave was in brilliant form as he race home 9-1, 9-4, 9-4 to give John's team a very sweet victory.

On court two the ones were first on and what an appetiser to the evening it proved as Pat McGovern faced Andrew Lally. Pat soared away to take the first two 9-1, 9-4 but Andrew, who is reported to be training a lot, called on his reserves to win the third (from 5-7 down) 9-7. The fourth was won very narrowly 10-8, but in the fifth The Fox recovered from 1-4 to take the match 9-7. At four Brian Byrne, inspired by the fact that victory would help set up a clash with big brother Liam, played very well to defeat Patrick Power 3-1. In the beginners tussle the honours went to Marie Keane on a 3-0 scoreline against Ger Savage. At two Rene di Fusco was back in top form. He put on a great performance to beat Eamonn Murphy 3-1 (9-4, 9-1, 6-9, 9-6). This meant Tom Mansfield, prompted from five, needed two games to send Andrew's team through. — Things looked good when Tom won the first 9-2 but the experience of opponent John Keane quickly showed as he won the next three to send Pat's team through "on away goals" 10-10.

BAUMANN TEAM TOURNAMENT



Dermot Kelly's team who won the Baumann Tournament sponsored team at Minnies Squash Club recently. Photo shows (seated, left to right) — Dermot Kelly (captain), Des Baumann (sponsor), Michael Gildea (Club President); standing — Kate Cross, John O'Donovan, Ann Hennebry, Felix Shields. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Francis Power Is Back — Ask Larkspur

Tuesday night, Nov. 22 saw our Div. 1 team in the South East Leagues open their campaign when they travelled up the Midlands to take on the Larkspur club in Cashel. After a tour of the town to see the well lit famous rock from practically all sides, it was down to business.

Playing at number five, Ray Moore will probably want to quickly forget his trip to the historic town. Playing below his best form, Ray came out on the wrong side of a 1-3 scoreline (7-9, 6-9, 10-8, 5-9).

Pat O'Brien, playing at one, had a shaky start but quickly found his rhythm as he sailed away 3-0 (9-6, 9-2, 9-4). Dermot Kelly was playing at four. He relished the occasion, as, playing controlled squash, he won a close opener 10-9. But from there his superiority shone through as he won the next two 9-5, 9-4. Number two on the night and captain of the team was Francis Power. It's great to see Francis back in action and representing the club again. On the night Francis faced Brian Fogarty, who, we are

led to believe, is the All Ireland badminton champion. His early touches would seem to confirm this. A very long and tough opening set was won by Francis 9-6. His very agile opponent piled on the pressure in the second and raced away to lead 9-7. But Francis, striking a very good ball, competed for everything and fought back well to take the second 9-7. In the third it was vintage control and skill by Power as he wrapped it up 9-3. In the final game at number three we had Owen O'Mahoney. In an incredible opener Owen went 0-6 down but without losing a hand-out he went from 0-6 to 9-6. The second and third were closely fought out but again Owen shone through to clinch it 9-6, 9-6. So 17 points secured with Dunhill (Sat. 26, home) and Clonmel (Tuesday, Dec. 6, away) to come next.

Anne Hennebry "Pips" Mary Coffey In Thriller

Tuesday night, November 22 saw the commencement of the Hoffmans Lager five person team tournament when three first round games were up for decision. On court four, Ray Moore's team progressed against Martin Walsh's team 10-6. Ray and Martin played on Sunday night due to the leagues, Ray running out a 3-0 victor. Dan McCarthy levelled it with a 3-0 victory over Paul Keane. Walkovers for Michael Kelleher at five and Shane Barry at four sent Ray's team through. The two's Richie Duggan and Jim Harty played with the latter winning 3-1.

Maurice Walsh's team progressed against Jimmy Kiely's team 9-1. The fives, Peggy Whelan and Yvonne Whelan played early. The honours went to Peggy 3-0 in a closer game than the scoreline suggests. Pat Breen at two inflicted the first tournament defeat of the season on Felix Shields as he defeated him 3-1 and with Tony O'Mahony receiving a walkover at four the contest was over.

In the third tie, the game of the night, proved to be Mary Coffey and Anne Hennebry. This had all the makings of a very long close affair as these girls know each others game so well the crowd were not to be disappointed. It was Anne who took early control as she won the early encounters to go 2 sets to one up but when Mary opened a lead in the fourth it seemed we were heading to a fifth but the craft of Anne saw her fight back to pinch a hard earned 3-1 victory. At five in the beginners battle we had Sean O'Regan and Pat Bannon — Sean was unfortunate to pick up an injury early in the match and despite his bravery in playing on it was Bannon who won through on a 3-0 scoreline. The result was settled when at one George Hamilton beat Owen O'Grady in a much closer game than the 3-0 scoreline suggests (10-8, 9-7, 9-7).

Birthday Greetings

All at the club would like to wish "bubbly" club member and current club champion Pat O'Brien a very happy birthday next Monday, December 5 when he reaches the grand old age of 22. If anyone is looking for a gift idea Pat could do with an updating in the shorts line. Patrick Power and some others have taken his mantle here recently. By the way Pat the P.R.O. gave you your present last Thursday in the form of the ladder result.

Sympathy

All at the club would like to offer sincerest sympathy to one of our earliest Presidents Tom Melody and his family on the recent and sad death of his mother Madge.

LADIES FOOTBALL NEWS

Ballymac Bid For Six-In-A-Row

**BALLYMACARBRY V. ROCHFORTBRIDGE (WESTMEATH)
AT SEMPLE STADIUM, THURLES ON SUNDAY NEXT AT 2 P.M.**

Ballymacarbry bid to win the All Ireland club championship title for the sixth consecutive year at Semple Stadium, Thurles on Sunday next, when they take on Leinster champions Rochfortbridge.

Never in the twenty four year history of the club have the stakes been higher as they attempt to win the Dolores Tyrrell Memorial Cup, a magnificent new trophy donated by Ballymacarbry in memory of an outstanding club member, who died tragically last year.

The late Dolores captained Ballymacarbry to win their first club title at O'Connor Park, Tullamore in 1987 and figured prominently in further victories in 1989, 1990 and 1991. Thus Sunday's final is sure to bring a touch of nostalgia to the players who played all over Ireland with Dolores between 1989 and 1991.

Rochfortbridge won't be short of motivation either, this is their sixth final and they have yet to lift the title. Defeat at their first attempt by Castleisland in 1980 was followed by another shattering setback by Galway Gaels in 1982. Seven years in the wilderness saw the 'Bridge bounce back in 1989 at the Gaelic Grounds in Athy where they put Ballymacarbry to the pins of their collective collars to record a 0-9 to 1-3 victory.

A home semi final the following year at Tyrrellspass (Westmeath) again saw their high hopes shattered

as Ballymacarbry turned on what was possibly their best ever performance to destroy the Westmeath standard-bearers. Not to be deterred, they came back the following year and Ballymac' had to pull out all the stops in what was Dolores Tyrrell's last game before retiring.

Again Rochfortbridge qualified for the 1992 final in Athy but Ballymac' again broke their hearts with a resounding 3-8 to 1-2 victory. A number of 'Bridge players who played in all five finals will again line out on Sunday. For sheer persistence they deserve an All Ireland title.

In this year's campaign they have been very impressive. They sailed through Leinster with St. Fintan's (Wexford) and Cretyard (Laois) (last year's beaten finalists) amongst their victims. Cretyard included nine of the Laois senior team which says much about the Westmeath side.

They defeated Monaghan champions Inniskeen in the All Ireland quarter final and then travelled to London to overcome Parnell's and they are in this final on merit. They have played six games along the way, improving in every match and will be confident of at last laying the bogey.

Players such as Edel Clarke, Ann Marie Curran, Colette Cummins and Brigid Healy are as good as any player in the country. They have performed well and are certainly in this game with a chance.

Ballymacarbry will have players playing in their ninth club final since 1985. That first final, played in terrible conditions at Leahy Park, Cashel, brought a two point defeat after Ballymac' had led by seven points at the interval. The 1987 victory was followed by another defeat in the 1988 final at John Locke Park, Callan to Adamstown (Wexford) but Ballymac' are unbeaten since.

Experience alas won't win a final and Ballymac' won't need any reminding of that, having experienced the fright of their lives with Waterford at Croke Park last October at the hands of a very young Monaghan side.

Bernie Ryan, Marie Crotty, Ann Dunford and Patricia Butler were members of the first team that set out on the club championship trail in 1983 and by 1987 were joined by Sinead Walsh, Caitriona Casey and Aine Wall. Players such as Cleona Walsh, Fiona Crotty, Martina O'Ryan, Michelle Walsh and Regina Byrne will be bidding for their 6th medal and have never played on a beaten club team at senior level.

Without question Ballymacarbry have their strongest every panel at the moment. Competition for places is fierce. That is no guarantee of victory, only a top class performance will be good enough. One gets the feeling that the prize on offer will produce that performance.

VICTORY SOCIAL

Waterford were presented with their All Ireland senior medals at a well attended function in Lawlors Hotel last Saturday night. Making the presentation was W.L.R.'s Shaun Organ and Monnie Hallahan, representing Waterford Crystal also made a beautiful presentation to the players and officials. Many thanks to both.

SPONSORSHIP

Mick Burke, the proprietor of Lawlors Hotel, announced that they would be continuing their sponsorship in 1995 and this generous gesture is good news for ladies football. As usual Eleanor Hickey and her team ensured that everything went like clockwork to complete another memorable chapter in ladies football in Waterford.

Causeway Tennis Club Notes



Pictured at the Causeway Tennis Club recently are the winners of the Carlsberg Cup. Photo shows (back, left to right) — Ger Cusack, Liam Crotty, Michael Collins, Gerard O'Donovan (President Causeway Tennis Club); front — Teresa Keane, Teresa M. Keane and Margaret Cusack. —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

Following a very successful A.G.M. certain proposed changes have taken place in the structure of the club. As anyone who has served on the committee knows there is an amount of work undertaken so in order to combat this problem a "Think Tank" was set up to attempt to alleviate the problem. The result was the setting up of the following committees:

Management Committee:
President — Donal McGovern; Vice-President — Jean O'Donovan; Hon. Secretary — Nollaig McCarthy; Hon. Treasurer — Finbar Dunphy; Senior Captain — Noel Herlihy; Senior Vice-Captain — Ger Cusack; Junior Captain — Ann O'Grada; Junior Vice-Captain — Evelyn O'Neill; P.R.O. — Mick Kelleher; Clubhouse Manager — Ann Moran; Representative of Directors — Colin Carthy.

As one can see there are new names and faces added to this list and some of last year's committee still present. Many thanks to all who allowed their names to go forward. We bid "adieu" to the outgoing committee and our heartfelt thanks for all their hard work over the past year.

Also arising out of the "Think Tank" was the proposal to set up the following sub committees: (1) Senior Open Tournament Sub Committee; (2) Fundraising Sub Committee; (3) Catering Sub Committee; (4) Junior Open Tournament Sub Committee.

The names of the members of those committees will appear in the next set of notes.

The team of selectors was also chosen. They are Nial Herlihy, Ger Cusack, Teresa Keane, Liam Moore and Tom Higgins.

The teams for the Winter Leagues have been chosen, names will appear in the

clubhouse and will also be printed in the next set of notes.

Many, many thanks to everyone who attended the A.G.M. A club is only as

good and as strong as its members. Also a special word of thanks to be members of the "Think Tank". Well done!

Cumann Lúthchleas Gael Na Rinne

AONACH NA NOLLAG - 11Ú NOLLAIG

Tá an t-Aonach bliantúil curtha siar go dtí an Domhnach, an t-aonú lá de mhí na Nollag. Beidh cabhair ag teastáil uainn, mar is gnáth - Císfí, bréagain, bia, carraí tís srl. Beidh tombola, dár ndóigh. Agus tiocfaidh an fear fein, Santa Claus ar cuairt chugainn. Bígí linn!

AN CARRCHLÓS - PAIRC UÍ SHÍOCHAIN

And behold a yellow Hy-mac appeared on the horizon. And the earth moved. And a great change was wrought on the wilderness. And the wilderness became a car-park! At the left side, as one enters, two "bays" have been constructed for parking, separated by a line of boulders. A vigorous, healthy-looking hedging plant has been lined along the entrance to the car park - high up on top of the wall. Taimid ag tnúth go mór le forbairt nua.

FÍSTEIP SEOLTA

Seoladh an físteip a hcuir Irial le chéile ar an Máirt seo chaite san Halla Pobail. Bhí slua deag láthair agus faillíodh rompu le fion agus cáis agus cupán tae. D'aontaigh gach éinne a bhí i láthair go raibh an léiriú seo thar a bheith suimiúil agus curtha i láthair le slacht. Eamonn de Paor agus a chuid iománáiochta a bhí faoi chaibidil san cuid is mó den

téip. Molaimid Irial Mac Murchu agus a chúntoir, Eoin Ó Domhnaill.

PEIL NA GCAILÍNÍ

Buóchas le Dúngarbhán a ghlac leis an gCraobh a imirt ar an Domhnach seo caite ar a 11.30 a.m. Thosnaight foireann Dhúngarbhán go maith ach is i bhfeabhas a chuaigh cailíní na Rinne agus an tSean Phobail agus na hAird Móra. Bhí bua maith acu sa deire, agus bhí áthas orthu an Sciath álainn nua a ghlacadh. Maith sibh, a chailíní idir a dó deag agus fiche ?? 'Se an trua nach n-imreofar Craobh an chontae go dtí 1995. Molaimid!

CRUINNÍÚ MÍOSÚIL

AN CHLUB

Is é an Aoine seo chugainn an chéad Aoine den mhí agus beidh Cruinniú na Nollag ag Coiste Gnótha an Chlub an oíche sin. Tarraingeofar na hainmneacha do Chrammchur an Chlub freisin!

Western Scór Notes

The first round of Scór na nÓg will take place on December 9th/10th at Ballinroad Hall at 7.30 p.m.

The Western Final will be held on Saturday December 17th in Ballyduff Hall at 7.30 p.m.

Cunnigar Pitch And Putt Notes

TURKEY COMPETITION

On Sunday our Turkey competition was a very exciting affair indeed. No more than half a dozen shots covered the majority of our players as they set out for the final eighteen holes and as they say it was all to play for. The partnership of Thomas Maher and Tom Whelan set their sights on a Turkey for Christmas. They made no bones about it, today was their day. This was a ding dong battle all the way as challenge after challenge tried to knock Tom and Thomas off the leaderboard. It was left to the final pair of Thomas Delaney and Pat Tutty to mount the final challenge but to no avail, they could not pull back the shots over the last few holes. So it's well done to Thomas Maher and Tom Whelan on a brilliant win. I must say how well Tom was striding out in his new shoes. Hard luck to Thomas Delaney and Pat Tutty, Thomas has been so near to winning a Turkey this season I am sure his time will come.

FIXTURE — Our next Turkey Tournament will be on Sunday December 4th. Tee off will be at 10.45 a.m. Players taking part in it must have the names in the Clubhouse by Saturday December 3rd by 2 p.m.

COMMITTEE MEETING — Our committee meeting will be held in the Clubhouse on Thursday December 1st at 7 p.m. All members to attend.

LOTTO — No winner of last Tuesday jackpot of £300. The numbers were 10, 26, 27. Our jackpot this week will be £400. - Shout Fore.

Deise Development Draw

NOVEMBER 1994

Venue — Kilmacthomas 1st, Car or £10,000 — Eileen Cantwell, Bishops Grove (Ferrybank Club).

2nd, £1,500 Cash — Christy Higgins, Araglen, Kilworth (Ballyduff Upper).

3rd, £1,000 or Holiday — John Power, 39 Ash Road, Kingsmeadow (Roanmore).

4th, £500 Waterford Crystal — Michael O'Dowd, Goresbridge, Ferrybank (Ferrybank).

5th, £500 Waterford Foods — Queenie Ronayne, Aghish, Cappoquin (St. Olivers).

6th, £400 — Mrs. Mabel Burke, Walsh's Place, Kilmacthomas (Kilmacthomas).

7th, £300 — Catriona Giles, 177 Lismore Park, Waterford (Roanmore).

8th, £200 — Jim Curran, Leamybrien (Kilrossanty).

9th, £200 — Theresa Kearns, Abbeyview, Melleray (Melleray).

10th, £200 — Bernie O'Neill, Cappagh, Dungarvan (Ballymacarby).

Twenty prizes of £100 each — Wm. and Helen Feeney, Ballyduff Upper (Ballyduff Upper); Volac Foods, Killeshandra, Co. Cavan (Brick-eyes); James Treacy, 29 Belvedere Grove, Waterford (De La Salle); Mary Tobin, Knockanore (Shamrocks); Batty Power, New Houses, Clonea (Clonea); Nellie Casey, Faha, Kilmacthomas (Faha); Ger Murphy, Cascia, Annewstown (Dunhill); Sean and Marcella O'Brien, Annewstown (Fenor); Willie Heylin, Oak Drive, Hillview, Waterford (Cnoc Sion); Tim Fenton, Aghish (St. Olivers); Liam Whitty, 43 Poleberry, Waterford (Passage); Tony Houlihan, Springfield, Dungarvan (Dungarvan); James Byrne, Abbey Close, Ferrybank (Ferrybank); Anthony, Kevin and Mary Lynch, Rathgormack (Rathgormack); Delia Rafferty, Lismore (Lismore); Michael McCarthy, Slievenamon Service Station, Nire (Nire); Seamus McCarthy, Slievenamon Service Station, Nire (Nire); Seamus Ceannaigh, Woodstown (Passage); Antoinette Boland, Candlelight Inn (Gaultier); Thomas Carney, Ballyduff Upper (Ballyduff Upper); Sandra and Pat McGrath, Paddy Mac's, Ardmore (Ardmore).

Ten prizes of £60 — Betty Walsh, Abbeylands, Ferrybank (Ferrybank); Ben Heaslip, c/o Pat O'Grady (Mt. Sion); John Flynn, Carrigeen, Cappoquin (Cappoquin); Seamus O'Brien Sr., Abbeyside (Abbeyside); Mick Ryan, c/o Ballygunner Hurling Club (Ballygunner); Paddy, Josie and Noeline Coady, c/o Erin's Own (Erin's Own); John Walsh, Coolnasmear, Dungarvan (Kilgobinet); Alice Burke, Modeligo (Modeligo); Maureen Keniry, Lismore (Lismore); Faha GAA Club (Faha).

Co-ordinators Prizes — £200 — Ferrybank, Mickey Heffernan; £100 — Abbeyside, Willie Kiely.

Promoters Prizes — £200 — Brian Ryan (Ferrybank); £100 each — James McCarthy, Melleray, Francie Walsh, Portlaw; £50 each — Michael Harney (Newtown), Paddy Dunphy (Tramore), Declan Bransfield (Lismore), G. O'Keefe, Ballygunner, Ger Power (Clonea), Anne Bowen (Tramore).

Our thanks to Kilmacthomas GAA Club for hosting the draw and also to WLR for broadcasting the results. The Christmas Draw will take place on Wednesday, Dec. 21 in Lawlor's Hotel at 9 p.m.

Dungarvan United A.F.C. Notes

RESULTS

Division 1B League —
Dungarvan 4 Carrick 0;
Division 2B League —
De La Salle 2 Dungarvan 4;
Division 4A League —
Bolton 1 Dungarvan 3;
U-17 League —
Dungarvan 1 Mooncoin 4;
S.F.A.I. U-12 Cup —
Park United (Kilkenny) 5
Dungarvan 1.

FIXTURES

Schoolboys — Saturday
3rd December S.F.A.I. Cup
U-13; T.S.B. U-15 League:
Dungarvan v. Southend 2.30
p.m.

Junior — Saturday 3rd
December 1B League:
Abbeyside v. Dungarvan,
2.15 p.m.; Division 4A: Kil-
macthomas v. Dungarvan,
2.15 p.m.

Sunday 4th December
Munster Youths Cup: Dun-
garvan v. Carrick 2.14 p.m.;
Division 2B League: Ferry-
bank v. Dungarvan 11.30
a.m.

Junior Oscar Traynor Cup
1st Round: Waterford v.
Kilkenny, 2.00 p.m. Ozier
Park.

THREE JUNIOR WINS

All three junior teams in
action on Saturday last, two
of which were away from
home, recorded good victo-
ries. Our 1st Division side
were too strong for Carrick
and led 3-0 at the interval.
They also missed a penalty
and hit the post in this pe-
riod. They eventually ran out
4-0 winners and have scored
128 goals in their last three
games and conceded 4 and
have 17 pts. from 10 games.
They are top of the league
table with eight hard games
to play, five away and three
at home.

Our second Division side
beat De La Salle away 4-2
with Alan Sheehan getting a
hat-trick. This was Alan's
second hat-trick of the sea-
son and he is the leading
goal scorer with the team.
They are well up with the
leaders in this Division hav-
ing won seven of their nine
games and have 14 pts.

Our 4th Division side won
for the second week in suc-
cession with an away win
over Bolton 3-1. Player/Manager Liam Sand-
ford, Vincent Tutty and
Philly Connors were the
goal scorers. They have 10
pts. from nine games and
are half-way through their
league programme.

VICTORY FOR MOONCOIN

U-17 League
Dungarvan 1
Mooncoin 4

Without a game for over 6
weeks our U-17 side had to
give best to a physically
stronger Mooncoin side at
Kilrush Park on Sunday af-
ternoon last. The South
Kilkenny side scored twice
in the first 25 minutes. John
Paul Donnelly scored from a
free kick in the 29th
minute to bring the Blues
back into the game.

In the second half Mark
Coles hit the post with the
'keeper beaten. However,
the visitors finished the
stronger as Dungarvan

faded out of the game and
got two goals on the stroke
of full time to run out de-
served winners.

Nice to see Adrian Kirwan
back in action with this
team after a long lay-off
through a knee ligament in-
jury. Adrian hails from Fa-
hafaela, Kilmacthomas.

Dungarvan — James
Sheehan, Colin O'Connor,
Maurice Tobin, John Kyne,
Kenny Kiely, Mark Coles,
Nicky Thompson, Paul
Sheridan, Paul Keane, John
Paul Donnelly, Christy Con-
nolly. Res. — Adrian Kir-
wan and Leroy Simms for
Paul Keane and Christy
Connolly (half-time). Refer-
ee — Tony O'Neill.

FIXTURES

On this Saturday morning
at 10.30 a.m. our U-13 team
play Ballyduff at Kilrush
Park in the second round of
the S.F.A.I. Cup. A fortnight
ago this game was post-
poned as the referee failed
to turn-up and as we said
at the time Ballyduff will
prove very tough opponents
for Ben and Joe Walsh's
team.

On Saturday afternoon our
U-15 side are at home to
Southend at 2.30 p.m. Dun-
garvan beat the same oppo-
sition in the S.F.A.I. Cup
some weeks ago 5-1, but
their league form has not
been good this season.
However, with home advan-
tage we expect Liam
Simms' team to win.

Four hard junior fixtures
are also down for decision
this week-end. On Saturday
our 1st Division play away
to near neighbours Abbeyside
at 2.15 p.m. in the
league. Our Division 4A
side are away to Kilmac-
thomas also at 2.15 p.m. On
Sunday morning our Divi-
sion 2B side are away to
Ferrybank at 11.30 a.m.
while our youth side are at
home to Carrick at 2.15 p.m.
in the Munster Youths Cup.

On Sunday the Waterford
Junior Oscar Traynor team
play Kilkenny at Ozier Park
at 2.00 p.m. Dungarvan
have three players on this
panel namely Michéal
Downey, Timmy Kiely and
youth player Mark Hyslop.

As a result of these three
players involvement with
this team our Division 1B
team's game v. Abbeyside
and our youth team's Mun-
ster Youths Cup match v.
Carrick may well be post-
poned.

TWO SEAVIEW CELTIC WINNERS

Our total number of win-
ners in the 3rd Seaview
Celtic Draw has now
reached six, as we had two
winners last Saturday. Divi-
sion 4 player Vincent Tutty,
and a great supporter of the
club John Keane were the
winners of £100 each. Well
done lads and thanks for
your support. The fourth
and final draw takes place
on Saturday 17th December.

CARDS

One winner of cards in
Aid of Friends of Dungar-
van Hospital, on Saturday
26th November: Nora Walsh

and Helen O'Sullivan on 12
games. Jackpot this Satur-
day £200 on 14 games.

YANKEE DOODLE

Numbers on Sunday last
were 75 and 43. No winner.
Jackpot £160 on this Sun-
day night. Numbers avail-
able form usual sellers.

OLD FOLKS CHRISTMAS DRAW

The Annual Christmas
Party Fund Draw in aid of
the poor, old and lonely of
the locality takes place in
the club on this Sunday, 4th
December. 26 prizes spon-
sored by local sports and
social clubs are on offer.
Cards £1 each. Cards and
cash to be returned by this
Friday, 2nd December to
Nora Walsh or Helen
O'Sullivan. Clubs are asked
to have prizes handed in
also to the above named be-
fore the week-end.

In next weeks edition we
will carry full results of the
draw plus a report on the
Old Folks Annual Christ-
mas party held on Thursday
night last. It was another re-
sounding success and this
party for the senior citizens
of the Old Boro is going
from strength to strength.

SPEEDY RECOVERY

Best wishes for a speedy
recovery to 1st Division
player Michéal Cowming
and youth player Mark
Crotty who are both
presently indisposed.

3 TABLE CARDS

From now until Christmas
3 table cards every Sunday
night at 9.30 p.m. for
turkeys and hams. These
are proving very popular re-
cently with big number at-
tending so why not come
along and try win your
Christmas dinner for £2.

RONGO

Eyes down every Tuesday
night at 8.30 p.m.

SEAVIEW CELTIC DRAW

The 3rd draw took place
last Saturday night.

DARTS

Tig An Cheoil 5
Soccer Club 5

Our A team drew 5-5
away to Tig An Cheoil,
Ballinagoul, Ring on Friday
last. They are at home to
YODOS (Dungarvan Oak)
this Friday night.

CRYSTAL TABLE QUIZ

Our neighbours Dungar-
van Crystal Sports and
Leisure Club will hold a
general knowledge table
quiz in the clubhouse on
this Thursday 1st Decem-
ber.

JOE PRATT IS CHOSEN "VOICE OF DUNGARVAN"

At a packed clubhouse
on Sunday night last Joe
Pratt was chosen as the
1994 Carling sponsored
'Voice of Dungarvan'. Joe
was a very popular winner
and he won the Carling
Perpetual Trophy and
£100 first prize. Twelve
contestants competed in
this year's talent competi-
tion and the standard as al-
ways was top class.

RUGBY NOTES

DUNGARVAN FIRST XV HIT FORM

With the limelight hog-
ging seconds not playing,
due to receiving a walkover
from Highfield, attention
was diverted to the first XV
which travelled to Kanturk
last Sunday in the J. 1
league.

In contrast to the seconds
who have been beating all
around them the firsts have
struggled to regain their
early season form due to
their inability to field the
same personnel in consecu-
tive weeks. However, once
again suffering from defec-
tions, they set off confident-
ly against Kanturk but were
on the receiving end of a
drop goal against the run of
play. Showing great deter-
mination Dungarvan kept
play in their opponents 22.

Pat Dunphy broke from the
back of the scrum. When
checked scrum half Vinny
Morrissey took the ball
from the maul and passed to
out half Shane White who
played a skip pass to Kieran
Mansfield. The centre made
ground and found Joe Harty
coming into the line from
full back. Joe got the ball
away to Kenny Killigrew
who crossed the line but
aware of Mel Shanley's
kicking skills took the haz-
ardous route to touch down
between the posts. Mel re-
warded his enterprise by
missing the easy conver-
sion. A line out on the Kan-
turk 22 saw Jimmy
Morrissey throw a short ball
to Mel Shanley who drove
on and popped the ball to
Vinny Morrissey. Vinny
found his out half on the
short side and Shane White
faced a by giant of a prop,
did not shirk his responsi-
bility. Lowering his shoul-
der he accelerated into the
unfortunate forward blow-
ing him backwards and
touched down for a marvel-
lous try on half time. Kan-
turk played some spirited
football after the break and
held the territorial advan-
tage for much of the second
half. Dungarvan discipline
was exemplary except for
one momentary aberration
when Mel Shanley invited
Eddie Lonergan to refrain
from lying on top of him in
terms the referee found dis-
quieting and awarded a
penalty to Kanturk. The ball
hit the upright and was
cleared upfield by Anthony
Murphy who had a fine
game on the wing. With 10
minutes to go a Kanturk
back line attack broke down
Anthony Murphy kicked
ahead, the Kanturk full
back fielded and kicked for
touch. Shane White caught
it beautifully over his head
and beat two defenders and
passed overarm to Joe
Harty. Joe made some
ground before passing to
No. 5 Nicky Power up in
support. Nicky sprinted
thirty yards beating all ef-
forts to ground him to score
under the posts. Mel Shan-
ley made no mistake this
time to make the score 17-3
at the whistle.

The team was — Mel
Shanley, Jimmy Morrissey,
Mark Daly, Eddie Lonergan
(capt.), Eamonn Hayes, Pat
Dunphy, Maurice Daly,
Nicky Power, Vinny Morris-
sey, Shane White, Anthony
Murphy, Kieran Mansfield,
Eamonn Phelan, Kenny Kil-
ligrew, Joe Harty, Roy
Maguire and Seán McGrath.

This was a timely win to
boost morale 1 week from
the 1st round of the Mun-
ster Junior Club Challenge
Cup. Dungarvan's oppo-
nents on Sunday will be
Old Christians and the
game will be played at Bal-
lyrandle at 2.00 p.m.

Annual Social — Friday
night 9.00 p.m. in the Club-
house.

Training - Special Cup
training on Thursday 7.30
p.m. - 9.30 p.m. No training
Friday. - Loose Head.

Minor Hurling Trial

A minor hurling trial will
take place this Sunday 4th
December in the Colligan
G.A.A. ground. The follow-
ing players are asked to be
present at 11.30 a.m.

David Fowler (Passage),
Rory Walsh (Passage), Ger
Cunningham (Cnoc Sion),
Ken McGrath (Cnoc Sion),
Jamie O'Meara (Cnoc
Sion), Shane Flynn (Cnoc
Sion), Trevor Flynn (Cnoc
Sion), Shane Twomey
(Cnoc Sion) David Acheson
(Cnoc Sion), Michéal Mur-
phy (Ballyduff Lower),
Johnathon Sheridan (Roan-
more), Tony Reid (St.
Molleran's), Tony Reagan
(Kill), Anton Lannon (Kill),
Francis Halpin (Clonea),
Liam Kelly (Erin's Own),
Billy Power (St. Saviour's),
Francis Crowley
(Dunhill/Fenor), Michéal
White (Dunhill/Fenor),
Freddy Kelly (Portlaw),
Gary Cullinane (Ballygun-
ner), Dave Bennett (Lis-
more), Dan Shanahan
(Lismore), Tom Veale (Lis-
more), Tom Veale (Lis-
more), Michael Shanahan
(Lismore), Eugene O'Brien
(Lismore), Sean Murphy
(Shamrocks), Eoin Murphy
(Shamrocks), Eoin O'Sulli-
van (Fourmilewater), Mau-
rice Cliffe (Fourmilewater),
Joe Mangan (Fourmilewa-
ter), Michael Connolly
(Fourmilewater), Darragh
Breathnach (An Rinn), Pat
Fitzgerald (Naomh Brfd),
James Connors (Naomh
Brfd), Pat Donovan (St.
Oliver's), Michael Murray
(St. Oliver's), Charlie Scan-
lon (Cappoquin), Kieran
Curran (Dungarvan), Bren-
dan Conway (Dungarvan),
Laurence Hurney (Abbeyside),
Brendan Hannon
(Ballyduff Upper), Michael
Molumphy (Ballyduff
Upper), Seamus O'Rourke
(Clashmore), Stephen Cur-
ley (Tallow).

Local Golf Round-Up



DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB NOTES

LADIES FIXTURES

Tuesday 6th December: Christmas Home Alliance presentation of prizes will take place in the Clubhouse at 5 p.m. All non-players are welcome to attend, see notice in Ladies Locker Room. The ongoing Turkey competition (9 Hole Stableford) is now in full swing and will continue until Sunday 18th December.

Please Note: Saturday 3rd/Sunday 4th December: Time sheet both days 2.04 p.m. - 2.52 p.m.

MENS RESULTS

Thursday 24th November, 11 Hole Stableford - Winner, Eddie Elstead (14) 24 pts.

Sunday 26th November, 18 Hole Stableford — 1st, P. J. Kindregan (13) 42 pts.; 2nd, Matt Curran (18) 40 pts.; 3rd, Pat McGovern (15) 39 pts.; 4th Martin Lynch (9) 39 pts.

Sunday 27th November, 18 Hole Stableford (Hamper) - 1st, Michael Morrissey (11) 44 pts.; 2nd, John Considine (10) 42 pts.; Best Gross, Tom Burke (8) 32 pts.; 3rd, John Norris (11) 42 pts.; 4th, Pat Breen (15) 41 pts.

MENS FIXTURES

Thursday 1st December, 11 Hole Stableford; Saturday 3rd December, 18 Hole Stableford; Sunday 4th December, 18 Hole Stroke (Hamper). Society outing: Saturday 3rd December 10.04 p.m. - 12.04 p.m.

Thursday 8th December, 9.30 a.m. - 12 noon.

BALLINACOURTY CUP

The Cup has been returned as requested, many thanks to the club member for his co-operation.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Progressive 45 every Thursday night at 8.30 p.m. in the Clubhouse at Knocknagrangh, all card players are welcome. Results from Thursday 24th November — 1st, C. Power and F. Ryan; 2nd, V. Hayes and D. Cleary. Best last five — V. Tobin and T. Dunford.

Poker Classic - Result of our first monthly Poker Classic which took lace on Friday 25th November - Winner, V. Tobin; Runners up: K. Beresford, M. Brackett, P. McGovern, M. Clancy and J. James.

SERENDIPITY FAIR

Dungarvan Golf Club is playing host to a Serendipity Fair, in aid of West Waterford Hospice Care in the Clubhouse at Knocknagrangh on Sunday 4th December at 4 p.m.

CAROL SINGING

Our annual carol singing night will take place on Saturday 17th December (time to be confirmed) all are welcome.

LOCKERS

There are only a few lockers still available, so kindly remit the locker fee to Michael Clancy or Tom Whelan.

West Waterford Golf Club

CHRISTMAS CRACKERS

The club Christmas Party and Captain's Dinner on Sunday had everything. The day began with a golf competition for the members and visiting captains. Blessed with beautiful weather, the golf proved the ideal appetiser for the magnificent meal in the clubhouse afterwards.

The presentation of prizes followed where special presentations were made to the outgoing Captain Pat Murphy, outgoing President Derry Twomey and Lady Captain Berni Twomey for their outstanding contributions to the club in its first two years in existence.

Then our visitors from Tramore, Waterford, Lismore, Dungarvan, Youghal, Fermoy, Clonmel and Carrick-on-Suir were treated to a feast of music, song and dance.

Many thanks to all who made the occasion so special not least the kitchen and bar staff. Not forgetting the singers, most of whom should forget about the day jobs and concentrate on what they do best.

RESULTS

Saturday, Nov. 26 — 1st M. McGrath (15) 35; 2nd A. Harty (15) 35; 3rd S. Flynn (18) 32. Sunday, Nov. 27 — 1st T. Butler (12) 30; 2nd J. Murphy (7) 35; 3rd B. Hickey (18) 34.

Captain's Invitation Competition — 11

Hole, Men — 1st Ml. French (21) 27 pts; 2nd P. Donnelly (14) 26 pts; 3rd F. Walsh (16) 25 pts; 4th A. Hally (11) 24 pts; 5th Ml. Purcell (19) 23 pts; 6th S. Walsh (15) 23 pts; 7th T. Butler (12) 22 pts; 8th T. Considine (8) 22 pts (Dungarvan); 9th Ml. Burns (1) 20 pts (Tramore).

Ladies — 1st E. Nugent (25) 23 pts; 2nd T. Reynolds (24) 22 pts; 3rd F. Carroll (35) 21 pts; 4th M. Ronayne (24) 18 pts; 5th R. McDonnell (23) 18 pts; 6th A. Condon (12) 18 pts (Clonmel); 7th A. Burns (30) 18 pts (Tramore), 8th A. Hogan (36) 16 pts; 9th V. Nugent (12) 15 pts.

CONGRATULATIONS

Well done to Jimmy Murphy on his second place in the South Eastern Senior Alliance on Sunday last. Also to Austin Spratt in 5th place, and Pat Landers on his success away from home.

SOCIETY TEE TIMES

Saturday, Dec. 3 — 10 to 12 noon. Sunday, Dec. 4 — 10 to 12 noon.

FIXTURES

November 9 Hole finishes on Wednesday, Nov. 30. Saturday and Sunday, December 3 and 4 — Christmas Hamper. Best card over the two days.

W.L.R. Open Charity will take place on Saturday and Sunday, December 17/18. Timesheet.

RESULTS

Monday to Friday — Winner, Dermot Walsh (16) 34 pts.; Second, K. Cullinan (23) 31 pts. Saturday — winner, John Ryan (14) 32 pts. Sunday — 1st, Frank Foley (18) 31 pts.; 2nd, Noel Murray (23) 30 pts.

FIXTURES

14 Holes Stableford all week for Turkeys/Hams. Annual Social — All members and friends are invited to attend our Annual Social in the Clonea Strand Hotel on Friday next at 9 p.m.

GOLD COAST GOLF CLUB

Dungarvan Badminton Club Notes

MODELIGO FAIL TO CONTAIN DUNGARVAN

Our ladies team led by captain Siobhain O'Sullivan, met four Modeligo ladies at Dungarvan Sports Centre last week for a crucial match in the concluding stages of the 1994 leagues. Dungarvan were fully aware of the outcome of this match if they were not successful on the night.

Siobhain and Ann Marie Twomey were the first Dungarvan players to put this top scoring team on the score sheet. Then Niamh McMahon and her partner Celeste Leahy were very much in control and gave Dungarvan a 2/0 lead. In the third game, Siobhain and Niamh had a tough battle but eventually overcame gallant opposition. Celeste and Ann Marie then gave a great account of themselves in the very last game of the night to ensure a great victory for Dungarvan.

DUNMORE TRIUMPH

Just two nights later the team faced the daunting task of challenging the strongest Dunmore team for several years. Siobhain and the girls put up a sustained defence in their quest for league honours. Each and every game was closely contested, but Dunmore eventually came through to

snatch the prize from Dungarvan.

The club is proud of the efforts of this quartet who have put Dungarvan on the badminton map. Well done, girls.

DUNGARVAN MEN'S TEAM SWEET SUCCESS

Our men's team led by captain Fr. Conor Kelly took Dunmore East to a 4/0 defeat in a thrilling match at home last week. This victory puts Dungarvan into the final against Ardmore, which will be held at Ring Hall this week.

The other members of this team are John Power, Vincent O'Brien and Derek Power.

HOFFMAN CUP TOURNAMENT WINNERS

Bernie Ryan and Martin Walsh brought honours to the club in De La Salle last week by winning this prestigious cup having beaten several top badminton players from all over the country. Well done.

DRAW WITH DE LA SALLE

Our other ladies team were in action against De La Salle in a cracker of a game and drew 2/2. This was a

delight to watch as each side sought victory. Team members: Marcella Kiely, Violet O'Brien, Brid Scallion, Nuala Murphy.

ALL-WATERFORD CITY FINAL IN HAUGHEY CUP

Tim McEnery and Martina Ahearn were locked in combat with John O'Brien and Ross Clooney in a tremendous 3-setter which enthralled everybody at Dungarvan Sports Centre. Tim and Martina were the eventual winners.

In the plate, Dungarvan had two of its top players facing each other in this final, namely Violet O'Brien and Breege Uí Murchadha. Violet teamed up with Brian Ahearn and Breege partnered Noel Carew. Again this was a delight to watch as the game progressed. Violet and Brian eventually took the honours.

Nuala Murphy, President of Dungarvan Badminton Club thanked each player for attending this annual get-together. She also thanked everybody who helped run the tournament and a special word for Peter O'Brien who was manager of the restaurant for the day.



TALLOW N.S. WHO WERE BEATEN BY BALLYMACARBRY IN THE I.N.T.O. MINI SEVENS FOOTBALL FINAL. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

WATERFORD CO. BADMINTON ASSOCIATION NOTES

MICHAEL FARRELL CONTINUES GREAT RUN

On Sunday, November 13, Michael won the Munster under-18 singles and doubles titles. He won the singles title in convincing style when he beat his Irish teammate Ronan Eade (Clare) 15/6, 15/9. In the final Michael dominated this game with his all-out attacking shots. He did not let his opponent into the match and ran out an easy winner.

He also won the boys doubles with Pat Marks as his partner. This was their fourth win in a row in the competition.

Michael also played for Munster recently in the under-18 inter-pro series in Ulster. He again showed why he is now the number 1 in Ireland (under-18) when he won all his games. In the game against Leinster he defeated Ireland no. 2 Niall Tierney, Dublin in straight sets. This was an outstanding performance. He also

won his two doubles with Pat Marks as his partner. Scores: Munster 7, Ulster 3; Leinster 6, Munster 4. Leinster also beat Ulster to win it out.

The Munster under-16 championship will be played in Limerick next Saturday, December 3. Entries to John McLoughlin, 7 Tullyglass Crescent, Shannon, Co. Clare. Entry fee is £2 and the venues are: (boys) St. Clements Hall; (girls) CBS, Sexton Street, Limerick.

REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



This week for our "Remembering Other Days" feature we go back to the Brickey country. The year was 1932 and the photograph shows the Brickey Rangers senior football team who were runners-up in the championship that year. The group shows (standing, left to right) — W. Ryan, R. Tobin, M. Tobin, P. Ryan, P. Healy, G. Noonan, M. Whelan, S. Hickey, M. Coleman, E. Power, (———), P. Kelleher, J. Wall, P. Spratt, (———), M. Ducey, M. Hickey; kneeling — T. O'Donnell, N. Noonan, T. Walsh, J. Hickey, W. Fennell, J. Curran, J. J. Whelan. Many have gone to their eternal reward. We are sure the photo will evoke many good memories among our readership.

ARDMORE G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Yes, it's that time of year again and for us the all important get together takes place in the clubhouse on Friday, December 9, starting at 7 p.m. This is the night that everyone can have their say as to how the club should be run, so if you feel that you have anything to contribute please come along — all are welcome.

A MAJOR ATTRACTION

On Sunday next, December 4 we will have a great game in the field when Limerick and Waterford will meet in a senior hurling challenge. This is a wonderful opportunity for all hurling followers in the West to see this very promising young Waterford team in action and who better to provide the opposition than All Ireland finalists Limerick. Our club are opening our venue to stage this classic during our closed season. The game is timed to start at 2 p.m., so please come early as a big crowd is expected.

UNDER-12 FOOTBALL FINAL

At last after play-offs, drawn games and extra time our opponents in the under-12 football final are known and on this Saturday in Cappoquin at 2.30 we play St. Patrick's in what should be a great final.

We would like to see our great supporters out in force on Saturday next to cheer on our very skillful little team who have kept Ard Mhor up there with the best during a very long playing season.

While it would be great to win this final, it is far more important to play the game for the love of it and for players and supporters to enjoy every minute of it. May the better team win.

UNDER-10 FOOTBALL Abbeyside 4-5 Ardmore 5-2

On Saturday morning last we had a most enjoyable away game against Abbeyside. It was our first game for some time and the lads showed they had lost none of their enthusiasm for the game, and indeed a definite improvement in a number of players, particularly the younger ones was easy to spot. It must have been most gratifying to under-10 football coach Declan Barron to see lads like Padraig Crawford, Robert Faherty, Dec Power and Dec Barron making such effective use of skill being taught at the training sessions.

The sides were evenly matched and taking account of the heavy pitch and age of the players it was quite amazing that such a high standard was achieved by both teams.

A draw was the ideal result and we would wish to record our thanks to Abbeyside for the game and look forward to seeing them in Ardmore next season.

Team and Scorers — Conor Hurley, Maurice O'Connor, Alan North, Brian Keane, Walter Mansfield, Gary North, Stephen Conway, Ml. Flavin (capt.), Kevin Mahony (0-1), Dec Power, Anthony Troy, Padraig Crawford (1-0), Robert Faherty (1-0), Cormac Morell (1-0), Dec Barron (2-1).

OLD PARISH WIN TOURNAMENT SHIELD FINAL

Old Parish ran out easy winners in the final of our tournament shield against our juniors on Sunday morning last.

Dungarvan had all the play in the opening ten minutes of the game, but the tide turned in Old Parish's favour, when we lost Mary O'Donoghue, playing at full back, through injury. As we had no sub, to bring on, it left us with 14 players on the field, who couldn't hold out against Old Parish.

In the second half, Sinead Byrne, came on for Dungarvan and although we scored a goal almost immediately,

Dungarvan G.A.A. Club Notes

JUVENILE G.A.A. NOTES

The Annual General Meeting of the juvenile club will take place at the clubhouse on Thursday, December 1 at 8 p.m. We would appeal to the parents of the players to attend this meeting as all help would be very much appreciated in the coming year.

FIELD

Due to resodding our playing fields are closed until further notice.

DEISE DRAW

We had one winner in the Deise Development Draw

held last Friday, Tony Houlihan of Springfield who won £100.

The next draw will take place in Lawlor's Hotel on Wednesday, December 21 and we would appeal to all promoters to have monies returned to the club co-ordinator by Wednesday, December 14.

CORRECTION

It was recently published in the local papers that no club from the Western Division had won a hurling title in any grade this year. We would like to point out that our under-14 hurlers won

the county title by beating Mount Sion thereby saving the West from a whitewash. For the record, our under-14's won both the hurling and football titles, a feat which had never previously been achieved.

BEST WISHES

From all in the club we extend very best wishes to Mary Parker and Michael Duggan who are both presently hospitalised.

LOTTO

The weekly lotto numbers drawn on Sunday were — 23, 22, 2. No winner. Next week's jackpot £500.

Dungarvan Ladies Football Club Notes

it wasn't long before Old Parish settled back down and took their own scores. Although we were well beaten on the day, we could have had more luck in front of goal. Even though we didn't win, we won a few good games to take us there, and it was a tournament enjoyed by all.

Our junior team was — Carol Fraher, Bridget O'Mahoney, Mary O'Donoghue, Michelle Power, Thea O'Riordan, Suzanne Nagle, Catriona Henley, Lisa Power, Deirdre Nagle, Jackie Murphy, Geraldine Hayes, Jane Ferncombe, Sharon Murphy, Patricia Sheehan, Fenella O'Flynn. Sub. —

Sinead Byrne for Mary O'Donoghue (inj.).

Our thanks to Jimmy O'Rourke for refereeing the game of us at such short notice.

INJURED

We wish Mary O'Donoghue a speedy recovery after the injury she sustained last Sunday. Hopefully she won't be out of action for too long.

THANKS

Our thanks also to Dungarvan G.A.A. club for giving us the use of all the facilities for playing our tournament and under-14 league.

UNDER-14 LEAGUES

Our under-14's began

training in August under the guidance of Michelle Power and Geraldine Hayes. They have come on a lot since they began and we hope to see them all again next year. They played a 6-a-side final amongst themselves two weeks ago, team A narrowly defeated team B to take the gold medals.

Team A — Lisa Power, Laura Terry, Laura Brett, Sinead Whelan, Vicky Sheehan, Jennifer Tutty.

— Thea O'Riordan, Laura Tutty, Edel Harney, Muireann Veale, Aisling Dee, Tara Lambdon.

Missing on the day were Nicola and Carol O'Keefe, Nicola O'Riordan, Caroline O'Mahoney.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Carlow Deserving Winners

CARLOW 1-13 WATERFORD 1-5

A great first half which saw them level with the home side at half time gave promise of a surprise Waterford win in this very entertaining National League game against the newly crowned All Ireland 'B' football champions at Dr. Cullen Park, Carlow on Sunday last. This hope was strengthened early in the second half when Pierric White put us a point in front, but soon afterwards our challenge collapsed and Carlow with enormous support, ran out deserving winners by an eight points margin.

Our goal came in the 29th minute from a fist effort

by Eoin O'Brien while A. Keating had Carlow's only goal midway through the second half.

Scorers: Carlow — A. Keating 1-3, G. Ware 0-3, J. Morrissey and J. Nevin 0-2 each. Waterford — E. O'Brien 1-0, P. P. Ferncombe and J. Murray 0-2 each, P. White 0-1.

Waterford — T. Brennan, D. Mahon, D. Donnelly, M. Kiely, T. Gough, M. Fitzgerald, M. O'Brien, M. Power, G. Walsh, E. O'Brien, P. White, J. Power, P. P. Ferncombe, K. Whelan, L. Dalton. Subs. — R. Power for K. Whelan; J. Murray for L. Dalton.

WATERFORD G.A.A. SUPPORTERS CLUB

— DUBLIN BRANCH —

Our "Winter Social" was held on Saturday, November 5 in the Central Hotel in Exchequer Street. It was a successful and enjoyable night — and although the attendance was a little lower than expected, it is encouraging to see more new faces at each function.

Our sincere thanks again to Monnie Hallahan and the Sliabh gCua Set Dancers and musicians who provided excellent entertainment on the night after travelling up especially for the occasion.

Amongst our regular attenders were — Mai O'Higgins, composer of many songs including "Dungarvan My Hometown" and Secretary of Cumann na nDeiseach, Dan Savage, originally from Knockanore and composer of "Farewell, Lovely Deise", Bobbie Begley, who travelled from Mullingar, and a leading light in Deise Gaels in the 1970's, John Power (Sliabh gCua) who was a very active P.R.O. of Cairde Sliabh gCua.

The aforementioned clubs were our predecessors in the 1950's, 1960's and 1970's and it is great that those involved then are such staunch supporters of all our Deise gatherings.

GOOD LUCK

Good luck to Michael Ryan and the Ballymacarby ladies football team as they prepare to meet Rockfortbridge (Westmeath) in the All Ireland Club final on December 4. Their Dublin-based players are always very good supporters of all our functions.

WELL DONE

Well done to our senior hurlers who now take a well-

earned break, after 3 good wins in the N.H.L. Roll on February 1995.

BEST WISHES

Best wishes to Mick Lewis (Dungarvan) who is a founder member of our club and who has been indisposed recently. Get well soon, Mick.

G.A.A. MAGAZINE

A new monthly magazine covering the G.A.A. scene in Waterford is due to be published shortly, and will be distributed through the Primary Schools in the area. It should help to encourage and promote interest in the G.A.A. amongst the younger children. We are pleased to be associated with the sponsorship of this magazine.

The search for new members continues. If you live in Dublin or have family of friends there, we would be happy to hear from you.

Please contact Humphrey Kelleher at (01) 8725355 (work) or Anne Ryan at (01) 4784533 (work).

Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Notes

DEISE DRAW

Club Chairman, Willie Kiely, was the winner of £100 in the coordinators special draw on Friday evening last, as part of the Deise Development Draw.

TIMES PAST

This week we travel back 30 years to 1964 and feature a junior football game against Tourin. The game was played on October 18, Ballinacourty taking the honours by 1-4 to 1-2.

The team was — T. Hogan, B. Shields, P. J.



JACKIE HOGAN (NIRE) WINS THE "MAN OF THE MATCH" AWARD SPONSORED BY LAWLOR'S HOTEL — Pictured at the reception in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan, for the award presentation were (left to right) — Ger Walsh (Nire captain), Jim Joe Landers (adjudicator), Jackie Hogan, Michael Burke (Lawlor's Hotel, sponsor), Eamonn Murphy (Chairman Waterford Co. G.A.A. Board), Paddy Joe Ryan (Chairman Western G.A.A. Board). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

UNDER-21 HURLING COUNTY FINAL

Mount Sion Pip Lismore In Thriller

MOUNT SION 1-10 LISMORE 1-9

It was a real pity that there had to be a loser in this splendid under-age county final as the champions, Lismore, for their gallantry and skill in the final quarter, deserved a share of the spoils and how the big crowd would have enjoyed a repeat of what must have been one of the best finals in the grade for a long time. But at the same time it would be less than justice not to give full credit to Mount Sion who having had their six points lead reduced to just one as the reigning county champions battled back into contention, held out under enormous pressure until the final whistle brought relief in the 63rd minute of a most enjoyable final.

The result was obviously a big disappointment to Lismore who had lost the minor final to Mount Sion, by a single point, some

weeks previously but with their abundance of young talent it will be only a matter of a short time before they are back in the winners enclosure.

Conditions were ideal for the game and the pitch was in excellent condition too. Unfortunately, someone got their wires crossed about the correct starting time and quite a big portion of the crowd (gate £1,100) turned up for a 2.30 p.m. start, as had been announced many times on WLR, only to find that the final had commenced on the dot of 2.15 p.m. Many expressed their anger at the turnstiles.

When the weekly papers and the radio had announced different times, surely someone should have put things right in time to advise patrons.

Lismore, playing onto the road goal, were first to

score when Dan Shanahan pointed in the 5th minute, but the sides were level when Jimmy Quinn sent over in the 7th. Two points free by midfielder Gary Gater sent the visitors two points ahead by the 13th minute but by way of reply Dave Bennett had points in the 17th and 19th minutes to leave the position all square. Ken McGrath and Dan Shanahan exchanged points before Gary Gater and Barry Browne sent over to give Mount Sion a two points lead by the 26th minute before Jamie O'Meara had their 28th minute goal after receiving a pass from a Tony Brown free. This left the challengers a clear 4 points up at half time: 1-6 to 0-5.

At the start of the second half, Mount Sion stretched their lead to six points and by the three-quarter stage it appeared as if they might pull away to win comfortably. A Lismore switch which saw full forward P. Quinn moved out to mid-field proved to be a shrewd decision by the selectors. Quinn's 45th minute point did signal a Lismore resurgence, but Ken McGrath replied with a minor score. Alan Dunne had a 50th minute point before Dan Shanahan's goal one minute later really set the game alight. Ken McGrath came back with a splendid point for 'Sion and this last score for the visitors gave them a 3 points lead with seven exciting minutes still left in the final.

Two points by Alan Dunne in the 54th and 57th

minutes meant that only a puck of the ball stood between the teams for the last hectic minutes. How the crowd hoped and shouted for the point that would bring the very gallant Lismore side on terms and bring this thriller to a replay. Fate decided otherwise and Mount Sion, now entering a new era as leaders on the hurling scene in the county, held out to take the title by the narrowest of margins.

Amid scenes of great excitement, Eamon O Murchú presented the cup to Mount Sion whose excited supporters made no secret of their delight at this hard won victory over such splendid opposition.

Scorers — Mount Sion — J. O'Meara 1-0, G. Gater 0-4, K. McGrath 0-3, J. Quinn 0-2, B. Browne 0-1; Lismore — D. Shanahan 1-2, D. Bennett 0-2, A. Dunne 0-3, D. Ormond 0-1, P. Quinn 0-1.

Mount Sion — T. Flynn, S. Twomey, B. Fleming, K. Forrester, S. Clare, T. Browne, S. Nolan, G. Gater, J. Meaney, J. O'Meara, K. McGrath, J. Quinn, R. McGrath, D. Acheson, B. Browne. Subs — A. Robinson for D. Acheson.

Lismore — B. Landers, P. Barry, J. O'Connor, T. Murphy, J. Roche, B. Ormond, J. Whelan, E. O'Brien, P. O'Donnell, D. Shanahan, D. Ormond, D. Bennett, A. Dunne, P. Quinn, E. Bennett. Sub., A. O'Dowd for E. Bennett.

Referee: F. Whelan (Kilmacthomas.)

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"



An Rinn, who were beaten by Dungarvan in the Boys Mini-Sevens Football Final. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

G.A.A. RESULTS

Under 21 Hurling "A" County Final
 Mount Sion 1-10 Lismore 1-9
 Minor Football "B" County Final
 St. Mary's 0-8 Clashmore 1-3
 National Football League
 Carlow 1-13 Waterford 1-5



WEEKEND G.A.A. FIXTURES

SATURDAY DECEMBER 3rd

Under 21 "A" East Final Replay
 Tramore v. St. Mary's at Portlaw 2.30

SUNDAY DECEMBER 4th

National Football League
 Waterford v. Wicklow at Leamybrien 2.30
 Oireachtas Hurling Final
 Cork v. Wexford at Fraher Field 2.30
 Senior Hurling Challenge
 Waterford v. Limerick at Ardmore 2.30

Cork And Wexford Clash In Oireachtas Final At Fraher Field

Waterford Take On Wicklow At Leamybrien In N.F.L.

The meeting of Cork and Wexford, for only their second time ever in the final of the Oireachtas Hurling Tournament on Sunday next, is certain to attract a very big crowd to the Fraher Field for the 2 p.m. start in case extra time has to be played. When the sides met here for the official opening of Fraher Field the game, which was only a challenge match, lacked the bite that one normally associates with clashes between these counties. Their recent threer in the national hurling league final (1993) certainly excited the hurling people around the country.

Wexford will try to do it a

bit better than against Waterford in the league game here three weeks ago and Cork, who are a grade above them in the league, will use the occasion, I understand, to try out some new blood.

It will be a splendid contest and it being the final 'big' match of the year, it is certain to be very well patronised.

They play for the Tomás Ashe Trophy, details of which can be read in the special souvenir programme produced by Fraher Field Committee.

WATERFORD V. WICKLOW

This final league game in the football series will be

played at Leamybrien at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday next. Winning this one will certainly not be easy as our visitors are one of the counties being tipped to qualify and maybe for the quarter finals.

The venue, which is in excellent condition at the moment has proven to be a lucky one for Waterford football as seen by our recent wins over Limerick and Offaly.

The policy of the selectors has shown them to favour the retention of more or less the same line-out, a policy strongly advocated by selectors in the stronger football counties and something which is more likely to produce the right results in the long run.

It is therefore likely that the lineout for this tie will see little change from the team which lost to Carlow last Sunday.

SENIOR HURLING CHALLENGE

Ardmore club have generously agreed to allow their grounds open for a senior hurling challenge between Waterford and Limerick on next Sunday afternoon. Limerick, who defeated Waterford in the Munster semi-final at Thurles in June this year, have been faring very poorly since losing the All-Ireland final and have asked for this game. Neither team will be in action again in the league until late February, but will use this and other challenge matches to keep them tuned up.

NO HURLING TITLES

All the County Board controlled hurling county championships have now been completed and all have been won by the Eastern champions. The whitewash was completed at Cappoquin on Sunday when Mount Sion defeated Lismore by a single point in a thriller, thus giving the famed Monastery club their fourth hurling title in 1994.

Earlier in the month, Mount Sion had beaten Lismore in the minor final after one of the best under-age hurling games seen for a long time. They also won that one by a single point. As reported before, they also have won the senior and under-16 county finals.

Kill defeated Geraldines, also by a single point to take the junior hurling championship. Erin's own and Abbeyside played a draw in the intermediate final before the city team came off winners in the replay. Dunhill/Fenor won the under-21 'B' hurling title and Passage won the minor 'B'.

So the result certainly do not mean that standards, generally, are better in one division than in another, because in the majority of cases, only a puck of the ball decided the destiny of the titles.

The only county hurling title to be celebrated in this division this year was when Dungarvan took the under-14 'A' hurling by defeating Mount Sion in a splendid final at Fraher Field. Later on I will write about the Bord na nOg Championships. Our record in football is just marginally better with the Nire having won the se-

nior title and Abbeyside winning the minor 'A' county title. Bonmahon made a bit of history when winning the intermediate title for the first time. Kill completed a great double in adding the football junior title to the hurling which was won earlier. St. Marys won the under-21 'B' championship and the minor. So, of the thirteen championships completed, eleven have gone East and so far only two have come to the West.

The odd one out is the under-21 'A' county football final involving the Nire and Tramore or St. Marys who will meet in the replay of the Eastern final on next Sunday. Regardless of the outcome of this, the county final will not be played until February next as the Nire have decided to take privilege under the bye-law (3-20) which states that there shall be a closed season from December 1 to February 1 each year. It is a pity that this is happening, but at the same time it is easy to understand the Nire's decision as they have been waiting for the county final for a couple of months and will, undoubtedly, have 'gone off the boil.'

The delay in the East was due in the main to the extraordinary success of the St. Marys group and one of their parent bodies, Kill. Anyway, the playing season for clubs is now at an end and the time for reflection is at hand and in the next five or six weeks clubs will sit down to analyse the results of their efforts throughout the season and make plans to do better in '95.

Experimental Rules

With the National Leagues now at the halfway stages and activity on the fields drawing to a close, counties including selectors and players will ponder long and hard at the question of accepting or rejecting some or all of the experimental playing rules which were introduced at the start of the leagues in October.

What is important is that counties should realise that this is 'decision' time and the period of experimentation should be considered to be at an end as it is in the next six or seven weeks that counties will have to make up their minds about submitting motions for Congress and through their respective County Boards.

In other words, 'make your mind up time' on this subject, comes before Christmas when motions have to be submitted to county conventions. 1995 is a playing rules year (every 5 years) and counties may contemplate on submitting motions to change playing rules that are already in existence. Unless the new rules are approved by Congress (after being submitted in the normal way by counties) they will fall by the board.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

County Board Meeting

Eamon O Murchu, Chairman, presided at last week's monthly meeting of the County Board held in Dungarvan.

RESTRUCTURING

The Chairman reported that the first meeting of the committee appointed to compile recommendations on the proposed restructuring of the County Board had held its first meeting and further meetings would have to be held before the special convention would take place. It was agreed that the special convention would be held before the annual convention.

The meeting agreed to hold the annual county convention at Lawlors Hotel at 6 p.m. on Saturday, January 28. Clubs will be notified about final date for receipt of nominations and motions, etc.

REPORTS

Detailed reports of their activities were received from both the senior football and hurling committee and both were complimented on the good progress being made in the National Leagues so far.

At this juncture the Chairman reported on a meeting involving Coisde Gnotha and the senior selectors in both codes. Matters such as the size of county panels, travelling/catering, compliance with the games regulations, swopping of jerseys, medial treatment of players, etc., was discussed at this meeting.

Special reference was made to physiotherapy treatment and the abnormal cost to the Board for such treatment of players in all grades and in both codes. This led to a very long discussion. The suggestion from Coisde Gnotha that only one qualified person be employed to treat all teams, did not seem to find favour because training was

normally done at different ends of the county. The matter was eventually referred back to the executive committee for further consideration.

REFEREES REPORTS

Reports of serious incidents were noted in reports of the Naomh Brid v. Passage minor hurling 'B' county final and the Kill v. Geraldines junior hurling final. The reports will be dealt with by the Disciplinary Committee. The incident which led to the hold up during the Fenor/Clashmore under-21 hurling 'B' final was also referred to, but as the referee's report was not dealt with.

CORRESPONDENCE

A letter from Ardmore club stated that their venue was now being closed for treatment of goal areas, etc., and would be available again in the spring. Compliments were paid to the club for the excellent condition of their grounds and for the manner in which fixtures there were managed at all times.

A letter from Coisde na Peil told about the progress being made with the setting up of a 'Friends of Waterford Football' group. The nominations of a four-man minor football selection committee were included in their report and Noel McDonagh, Passage asked if it was proper to nominate a member without prior consultation with his club. It was pointed out that in their selection process, Coisde na Peil were entitled to consider and nominate members who they considered to be interested and suitable without reference to the club to which they belonged.

Following the reading of correspondence from Croke Park dealing with the admission of accredited journalists to our venues, Phil Fanning

raised the matter where John A. Murphy, Cork Examiner was being refused entry to the county senior football final at Walsh Park. He demanded to know what the circumstances were that led to the ban being imposed in the first instance and asked how many members of Coisde Gnotha had agreed to impose such a disgraceful ban on a professional journalist and make us a laughing stock around the country. The Chairman said that he had contacted the members who were contactable. He said that the article in the Waterford News and Star could be construed as an incitement to violence. Phil Fanning said this was a joke and was stretching the imagination way beyond reality as the particular comment in the paper was merely a figure of speech and was in common use. Denis Hanrahan and Seamus O'Brien stated that they had opposed the decision to impose any ban. Phil Fanning then referred to the meeting which took place at the Hilltop Hotel in Youghal when a deputation for here met the executives of the Cork Examiner and he wanted to know who authorised the County Chairman to appoint people on the delegation, who are not members of the County Board or the executive committee. He also wanted to know what the purpose of the meeting was. The Chairman replied that it was a private meeting and he was under no obligation to select people who were members of any committee.

There was a further serious altercation between the two members referred to and other members including Ollie Wilkinson and James Tobin commented on the subject. James Tobin proposed that no further action be taken in the matter.

REPORTS

During a report on council meetings, Munster Council delegate Tommy Hennessey was questioned by Tom Drummy about the reason why the Waterford and Tipperary first round Munster championship game had not been fixed for Dungarvan as we have a home and away agreement with Tipperary. He said he had read in the "Leader" that it was because Fraher Field would not hold the crowd. He said this was disgraceful after we spending half a million pounds in developing the ground. In response Tommy Hennessey said that the Council were not fully sure that a home and away

agreement was in place here, but the officers of the Council having been in Fraher Field estimated that it would not hold the size of a crowd that would be attracted to a Waterford/Tipperary first round hurling game. The home and away claim by Waterford is to be looked into and if this is established, it will apply when they next meet in a first round.

The Central Council report advised the meeting that we will not be permitted to field our second best teams in the junior championships in 1995. A vote at Central Council on the matter decided by 24 votes to 14 against allowing counties this privilege.

P.R.O. Brendan Tobin reported on the problems of getting county team selections in time for publication and for match programmes. He instanced situations where he met with some difficulty in getting a team for a recent programme and this put the committee under great pressure. It was also stated that in fairness to our supporters, all inter-county team selections should be made in time for publication in the local papers.

The timing of the All Ireland 'B' football championship was referred to by Nioclás Mac Craith, who said that it should be run and was meant to be run at an earlier time in the season. He also felt that there should be greater effort on our part to win this championship and referred to our narrow defeat by Carlow who were the ultimate winners.

AWARDS

The awards committee for 1994 will be constituted in the same way as was the groups who decided on the '93 winners. They will meet shortly to adjudicate on these.

Christy O'Brien, Lismore, stated that Rev. Bro. Dormer who was named as the Jack Furlong Award winner for last year, had not yet received the trophy. The Chairman replied that the presentations were organised for a meeting in March or April, but for some reason did not take place.

James Tobin asked that a function be held to have the Munster Under-21 medals presented to the team and was informed that this was a matter for Coisde Gnotha.

The meeting was informed that the final report on the tickets investigation and the banquet matters would be on the agenda for the December meeting of the Board which takes place on next Monday week. The Chairman stated that he had received the report only on the previous day.

Young Hurling And Camogie Prospects



LISMORE C.B.S. — Boys from this well-known hurling nursery take a break during a coaching visit under Sceim Iomana na nOg in the school yard where many a star player learned the skills of hurling.

Jonathan Regan, St. Joseph's Dungarvan, 8 years — This boy is a real natural hurler who has excellent skill. One of the most skilful eight year olds in this division. His uncle John Regan was a star player with Abbeyside and won Co. Waterford Young Hurler of the Year in 1976.

Clashmore N.S., Mairead O'Rourke, 12 years — Mairead has made excellent progress over the past couple of years. A very good striker of the ball, who is always attentive at sessions. Comes from a well-known G.A.A. family. Her father Pat was a very useful player in his day.

Knockanore N.S., Lisa Geary, 10 years, Rang 4 — Lisa is a very lively little girl who loves sports. This school is very well organised by Mrs. Gillen and her staff. Every pupil in this school wears a helmet during hurling coaching visits.

MINOR FOOTBALL 'B' COUNTY FINAL

ST. MARY'S WIN AGAIN

St. Mary's who are certainly enjoying their best season ever at underage had another good win on Saturday last when beating Western champions, Clashmore, in the minor 'B' final at Fenor.

The Eastern champions led by 0-4 to 0-0 at half time but in a very well

contested second half in which both scored 3 points, Clashmore missed a few scoring opportunities that might have changed the trend of the game, and maybe the result. Conditions were not perfect but full credit to both sides for serving up a very enjoyable contest.

SYMPATHY

Everyone who knew Bill Downing or who had heard about the extent of his involvement with the Aghlish/Geraldines Club as well as the G.A.A. in general, were very saddened by his death which occurred on Friday last.

Not yet in his sixties, the very popular Bill as well as being a former player who achieved success with the club, was a trojan worker as an organiser and as a general factotum. Outside his family, the club was his greatest interest. As a player he won a county title in the junior football championships of 1966 and was a substitute on the successful 1965 team. Having retired from playing, Bill worked on the administrative side of things and up to the time of his death, he was the club's P.R.O.

At the removal of his remains on Saturday evening a huge crowd was present as the coffin draped in the club colours and the number 5 jersey, (which identified his place on the team) was being shouldered from his house to the church by club members. On Saturday also there was a huge crowd present, including Board officials and representatives of other clubs for the funeral Mass and interment. Many well deserved tributes were paid to the memory of this wonderful clubman.

To his wife Patricia and son William and the other members of this family we extend our very sincere sympathy. Ar dheis De go raibh a nam.

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Next year 1995 represents the 150th anniversary of the great famine. There will, no doubt, be many events organised around Ireland to commemorate this massive social and human catastrophe. West Waterford drama Festival has just announced its intentions to commemorate the anniversary in a very significant fashion. It has titled its project "Ocras" which, of course, translates from Irish as "Hunger". The project intends to examine the famine at a local level in West Waterford and North-East Cork and place it in its national context. Over a three year period a variety of events are planned including lectures, theatrical re-enactments, pageants, video presentations, exhibitions, historical research, school competitions and the collection of any relevant folklore. The programme of events for 1995 will be announced in the springtime of next year.

The Committee would like to let the public know that it would be delighted with

any offers of help, any suggestions, any stories, snippets of folklore, information or any artifacts or documents (especially letters e.g. from abroad) relative to the Famine Period. You may contact Richie Walsh, Mary Kearney or any member of the committee.

Santa Visits Christmas Fair In Villierstown

Visit Villierstown on Sunday afternoon, December 11 for the first Christmas Fair to be held in the picturesque setting of the local church — this church has been recently renovated at great expense — much of the money was donated by the National Heritage Trust and local fund raising. All kinds of community activities, Irish dancing, craft and keep fit classes are again in full swing. On December 11 Santa will grace the proceedings with his presence. There will be a variety of stalls including arts and crafts, where you may purchase your Christmas presents. One stall will specialise in quality Christmas decorations. Everyone is welcome.

Ring T.V. Company Launches Programme

CONTINUED FROM FRONT PAGE

Teilifís na Gaeilge broadcasts from this area began, and I am sure this is only the beginning of what will be a steady stream of high quality T.V. programmes from Co. Waterford."

Nemeton was set up last year with the intention of supplying programmes from the Waterford area to the new television service, Teilifís na Gaeilge which is due to come on air a little over a year.

The new service will buy in most of its material from independent companies and is seen as a welcome jobs boost to the independent audio-visual industry.

Up to ten jobs could be created locally when the full potential of the industry has been realised. Eight people have already completed training courses with RTE and Údarás na Gaeltachta or are on a production course with FAS in Waterford City. Nemeton's production 'Power an Chamáin' draws heavily on archive material of the 1957, 1959 and 1963 All Ireland senior hurling finals, as well as Waterford's more recently 1992 under-21 victory and the interviews with Ned Power are conducted at several locations around West Waterford.

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