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Ballinacourty Site For Wastewater Plant

BY AISLING CONROY

The former Quigley-Magnesite plant at Ballinacourty, has now been earmarked as the site for the proposed £14 million plus Dungarvan wastewater treatment plant, due to come onstream by the year 2000.

The proposed plant is one of the major objectives of the Water Quality Management Plan (W.Q.M.P.) for Dungarvan Harbour, approved by Waterford County Council at its December

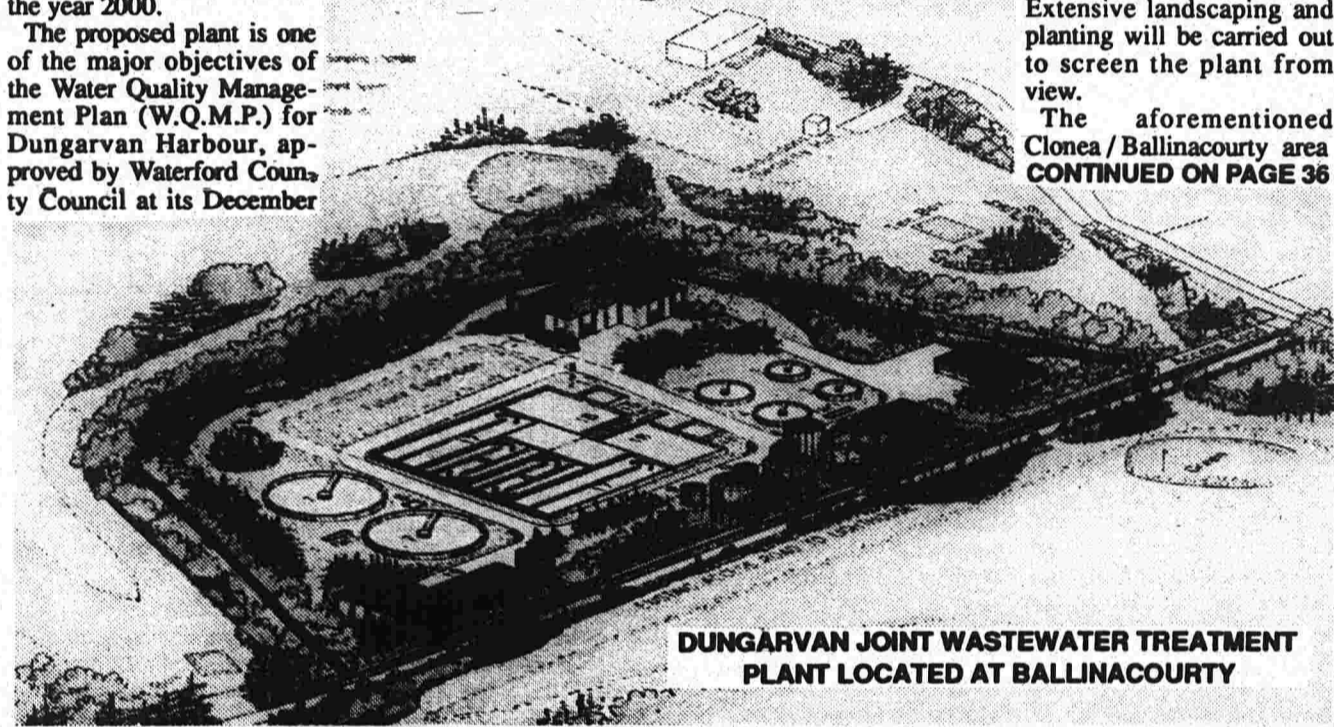
meeting.

Ballinacourty was recommended as the most favourable site for the 'state of the art' plant in a preliminary report by consultants E.G. Pettit and Co., who

based the decision on the fact that the Quigley Site is reasonably remote from densely populated areas with adequate space available while also facilitating the economical inclusion of

the proposed Clonea/Ballinacourty sewerage scheme. The site is deemed the most economical collection system and is also sufficiently elevated above high tide to ensure outfall at all times. Extensive landscaping and planting will be carried out to screen the plant from view.

The aforementioned Clonea/Ballinacourty area
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DUNGARVAN JOINT WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT LOCATED AT BALLINACOURTY

Roads To Benefit From Pilot Scheme

The rapidly deteriorating state of our county roads structure may soon take a turn for the better following the introduction of a new pilot scheme whereby residents on all county roads can now get actively involved in improving their own local roads.

Outlining the scheme to members at last Monday's Waterford Council meeting, County Manager Donal Connolly said the scheme will operate "for the improvement of local County roads towards which the Council will seek a minimum contribution of 15% of the cost towards the work by the immediate benefactors of the scheme".

Certainly good news for those living on overgrown, flooded minor roads, the scheme consists of the following repair works:-

- drainage work on lands adjoining the road, including piped drainage under gateways and entrances.
- the provision of hard stands in the vicinity of gateways and between gateways and the metalled road surface.
- the removal of overhanging trees etc., to provide a clear height of 25 ft. above road surface.
- the removal of grass banks to aid road drainage and other works of drainage piping and pavement repairs.

HOW IT WORKS

The pilot scheme is basically operated where an application is made by residents who then appoint a representative to liaise with the Council and who also ensures that the contribution (i.e. of 15% of total cost) is paid.

Official application forms will soon be made available on which an outline proposal must be submitted to the Council.

Applicants should detail the work necessary to improve the road; indicate the

work they propose to carry out and also indicate the work proposed to be carried out by the Council and/or their nominated representatives.

The Council will then agree to the works to be carried out and by whom and will also indicate the cost of the Council's proposed work and the local contribution payable (15%).

If the proposal is subsequently taken up by the residents, their representative will liaise with the Council's Area Engineer to finalise details of the work to be carried out by the residents and the timescale involved. When the agreed
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BALLYDUFF SINGER CHOSEN FOR NATIONAL SONG CONTEST

Mary Farrell of Marian Terrace, Ballyduff, Co. Waterford has been chosen to sing one of the eight entries in this year's National Song Contest which will eventually choose Ireland's entry in the Eurovision to be held in Dublin.

Daughter of Harry and Sheila Farrell she is a teacher at Bandon N.S. Mary will be appearing on "Kenny Live" this Saturday night January 14th singing a song written by Fermoy's Brian O'Reilly entitled "Nighttime". Brian's presentation of the "Children of Lir" has recently been staged to capacity audiences in Fermoy and Cork and it will go on stage at Cork's Opera House on February 28th.

Mary is well known for her singing talent and has been a regular performer in Hello October and other presentations in Ballyduff and is featured on the tape of "Children of Lir". We wish her every success on Saturday night and the best of luck in her quest for National honours.

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Presentation of the proceeds from the Junior Cert Disco organised by the Junior Cert Committee from the local Post Primary Schools. (Front row, left to right) — Clíodhna Cashin (Chairperson Junior Cert Committee), Sr. Leonora Queally (Romanian Appeal), Sr. Theresa (Mercy Convent, Dungarvan), Very Rev. P. Moran, O.S.A. (Principal, St. Augustine's College), Sr. Margaret (Carriglea Training Centre), Mrs. Joan Begley (Vice-Principal, Dungarvan Technical College), Triona Foley (Dungarvan Youth Resources Centre), Ms. Margaret O'Brien (Principal, Ard Scoil na nDeise); middle row — Tom Keith (Manager, Dungarvan Sports Centre), Shane Hickey, Joanne Fitzgerald, Paul Keane, Majella Dwane, D. Broderick, Fr. Cooney, O.S.A., Louise Conroy; back row — Valerie Flynn, Caroline Shanahan, Catriona Connery, Sandra Clancy, Bridget Kiely, Paul Healy.

—(Photo: Sean Byrne)

The Winter Tree

When I shall come to set
my face,
Unto the vast of farther
space,
When with my final beat
of time,
I needs must seek the far
sublime,
May it be mine ahead to
see,
Against the new-dawn
jewelry,
The tracery of the winter
tree.
My spirit shall take wings
and soar,
Nor see the reeling starry
floor,
If cool and clean — re-
freshment—
I glimpse fine-etched on
limpid air,
Beech, ash, elm, lime,
birch, poplar tall,
Oak, willow, hawthorns,
mazy scrawl—
No matter which, or one
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QUESTION — I have worked in the UK, the USA and Ireland and I understand that the periods I have worked abroad can be added to my Irish insurance for pension purposes. If this is correct, which country will pay my pension?

ANSWER — Under EU Regulations your Irish insurance can be combined with your insurance in the UK or in any of the EU countries.

Under the Bilateral Social Security Agreement with the USA your Irish and American insurance can be combined to see if you would qualify for an Irish pension or an American pension or both.

To qualify for a pension you must have an average of 24 contributions per year from 1953 or the date you first started working for Retirement Pension.

For Contributory Old Age pension you need an average of 20 contributions.

If you fail to meet this average on your Irish insurance alone then your contributions in the UK would be combined to see if this would entitle you to a pro-rata pension here. The UK authorities would likewise do the same to see if you would be entitled to a pension from them.

The Dept. of Social Welfare and the US authorities would then look at your Irish and American insurance in a similar way to see

if you would be entitled to a pension from them.

If you would be entitled here to a pension under EU Regulations and under the Bilateral Social Security Agreement you would be paid whichever was to your advantage. If you were entitled to a pension from the UK and the USA then each of these countries would pay you a pension. However, if you had less than 52 contributions in the UK or less than 78 in the USA then Ireland would pay you the pension.

For further information contact: International Operations Section, Social Welfare Services Office, PO Box 500, Dublin 1. Tel. (01) 8748444.

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Votes Of Sympathy To Local Councillors

In what has been described as an unprecedented event, two members of Dungarvan Urban District Council experienced the sad bereavements of their respective fathers over the Christmas period. Mr. Joe Hart, Kiladangan, father of Cllr. Lar Hart and Mr. Liam Wright of the Burgery, father of Cllr. Tony Wright, both sadly passed to their eternal reward.

At a specially convened meeting of the Council, held on December 27th, UDC Chairman Cllr. Billy Kyne thanked the members for attending at such short notice.

"It is my sad duty," said Cllr. Kyne, "to call this special meeting of Dungarvan UDC to pass votes of sympathy to two of our members, Cllr. Lar Hart and Cllr. Tony Wright on the death of their fathers over Christmas, Mr Joe Hart and Mr. Liam Wright."

The Chairman said that the death of a parent is a very sad occasion at any time of the year but particularly so at Christmas which is a time traditionally associated with family gatherings. Cllr. Kyne then extended his condolences to both of his Council col-

leagues and their families on what he deemed a very sad occasion.

The vote of sympathy to Councillors Wright and Hart and their families was formally proposed by Cllr. Paddy Power, seconded by Cllr. Damien Dillon, with every Council member

contributing their own personal condolences and paying tribute to both of the deceased.

Acting Town Clerk, Ray Moloney also extended sympathy to both families on behalf of the County Manager, Donal Connolly, and all the staff of the Council.

CONFERRED AT TRINITY COLLEGE



David M. P. Stewart who was conferred at Trinity College recently with the Certificate of Full Membership to the Institute of Certified Public Accountants in Ireland, pictured above with his parents Jim and Joan of Glencairn Inn, Glencairn. David was educated at Lismore Christian Brothers School.

Leader CROSSWORD

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SOLUTION: Across — 1 Hobby. 4 Equip. 8 Odd. 9 Adieu. 10 Ideal. 11 Nab. 12 Sprig. 13 Longest. 16 Secure. 19 De-mean. 23 Remnant. 26 Inter. 28 Rig. 29 Wince. 30 Rouse. 31 Sea. 32 Amass. 33 Motor. **Down** — 2 Briar. 3 Younger. 4 Edible. 5 Union. 6 Piece. 7 Allot. 9 Asses. 14 Gum. 15 Spa. 17 Ere. 18 Urn. 20 Epigram. 21 Nurse. 22 Stress. 23 Rowed. 24 Mania. 25 Arena. 27 Trust.

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Council Opposes Removal Of Local Circuit Court Status

Proposals to remove Dungarvan's Circuit Court status as part of a national centralisation plan of the court system have been met with strong objections by members of Waterford County Council.

Practising Bar member, Cllr. Gary O'Halloran moved the motion at last Monday's Council meeting that the Council call on the Minister for Justice, Nora Owen, to ensure that Dungarvan remains a Circuit Court venue.

Plans are already being prepared by the President of

the Circuit Court to remove the huge backlog of Circuit Court hearings nationwide.

Should these proposals be approved by the new Government, Circuit proceedings will subsequently discontinue in Fermoy, Midleton, Dungarvan and Youghal. Voicing his concern over these proposals, Cllr. O'Halloran warned that if the "administrative centre of County Waterford cannot keep its Circuit Court status, - it will be a black day for Dungarvan". The loss of such a valuable status, he

stressed, would be similar to a rural village losing its Post Office.

Lasting a total of 4 days, three times a year, Cllr. O'Halloran said the Dungarvan Circuit Court was a huge benefit to business and economic prosperity in the town.

The loss of such a Court sitting he declared "certainly won't shorten the list of cases", and would only incur extra travelling costs for people having their case dealt with in Waterford.

His motion was seconded by Cllr. Tom Cunningham.

Kilmacthomas Green 'In Shambles'

The overgrown, neglected state of the old fair green in Kilmacthomas was strongly criticised by Cllr. Oliver Coffey at last Monday's Waterford County Council meeting, who said he had received numerous complaints from residents over travellers occupying the town green.

Cllr. Coffey informed members that ten caravans now occupy the green in the vicinity of two local retail businesses, making it "unfair" on customers and owners alike who, he said, are obstructed by the travellers.

"The green is in a sham-

bles", he further declared, "it's a pity to see the way it's going".

Sharing Cllr. Coffey's concern, Cllr. Tom Cunningham said no toilet or water facilities was available for travellers at the site. "The place is in a desperate state", he stressed, "the travellers will have to be moved".

Reacting to the councilors concern, County Manager Donal Connolly said he would certainly examine the site and discuss it at a later date.

"The whole question of making sites available for transient type travellers as opposed to permanent halting sites will have to be looked at", he added.

United Farmers Association

The following has been issued by Paddy Phelan, National President of the UFA—

United Farmers Association deplors the lack of concrete financial assistance from co-ops for the purchase of milk quota by small dairy farmers.

The genuine effort of former Agriculture Minister, Joe Walshe in convincing the EU to grant a subsidy of 50p per gallon to dairy farmers under 20,000 gallons towards the purchase of essential quota has been effectively nullified by lack of commitment by the co-ops.

It has been apparent for a long time that the co-ops and the large farmer lobby have two agendas. One is for public consumption and professes concern for the small farmer and the future of rural Ireland. The second, hidden agenda, which is the real agenda, works actively to economically evict small farmers from their holdings in order to free their land and quota for consolidation into the holdings of the already large and powerful.

The advance force in this economic ethnic cleansing is a subtle but powerful

brainwashing campaign to convince small farmers that they have no future in dairying or in any type of farming.

Our politicians, to their eternal discredit, seem to have fallen hook, line and sinker for this propaganda. A majority of our media, agricultural and otherwise, seem hell bent on running with the official line that small farmers will soon be an extinct species.

It makes no sense for a responsible government to allow the indigenous farming population of rural Ireland to be pushed off the

land into overcrowded towns and cities while at the same time moves are afoot to resettle people from built up areas of our major cities in the same rural Ireland.

A land and quota authority completely independent of the co-ops and large farmers lobby, is urgently needed to regulate land and quota allocation.

UFA calls on small farmers to be proud of their heritage and proud of their holdings. The rich and powerful have always fallen in the course of history and will fall again.

WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL LETTING OF LANDS

Tenders are invited for the letting of the Council's land in the following areas on the 11 month system from 1st February, 1995.

TOWNLAND	AREA		
	A.	R.	P.
Stradbally	13	2	0
Graigueshoneen	7	0	0
Portlaw	11	2	0
Clogheen, Ballymacarbry	3	0	0
Touraneena	2,887		
Ballygambon	1	0	0
Currahaha		1	0
Kealfoun		1	18
Cheekpoint		2	0
Dunmore East (Tillage only)	9	2	0

Tenders in sealed envelopes, marked "Tender for Land," should reach the County Secretary, "Arus Brugha," Dungarvan, not later than 5.00 p.m. on Friday, 25th January, 1995.

COUNTY SECRETARY.

How to improve your garden

JANUARY demands less time spent on physical gardening and allows us more time for mental activity.

There is no better month for sitting down and sketching new garden plans and features. Here are a few improvement projects to consider planning and even building now:



COMPOST HEAP — soil conditioning material such as garden compost is vital during winter digging and a compost heap is a cheap way of providing it and using spent garden clippings and mowings.

Better still, build or buy containers for two heaps so that one can be growing while the other matures ready for use.

The total size for a DIY double structure should be about six by three feet or eight by four, made from treated two by two timber and light battening or wire mesh.

This will make the heaps large enough to generate heat in the middle for rapid decomposition of garden waste.

PERGOLA — this is an easily erected timber framework arching over a pathway or patio, or acting as a 'door' between two sections of the garden, and used to support attractive climbing plants.

Erection is even easier nowadays using modern steel post supports which can be simply driven into the ground ready to take the pergola's timber uprights.

Use three-inch posts and cross-members for rigidity and treat them liberally with non-toxic preservative, so they don't disintegrate before the climbing plants mature!

The structure can have as many legs as you like — four or six are usual — perhaps with a different plant variety at the base of each.

Typical varieties to try are climbing roses, vines — the roots will need a protected location — honeysuckle for a lovely scent, or clematis.

STEPS — potentially hard labour but the digging and preparation will keep you warm if the weather is cold. Modern bricks and slabs also make such a project visually pleasing as well as practical.

The key is to get the location and dimensions absolutely right before proceeding; ideally, treads should be about two feet or more front to back and rise 5-6 inches so that children and the elderly can negotiate them safely and easily.

ROCKERY — once built, this is a labour-saving and attractive garden feature which can be marked and dug out now.

Choose a sloping, well-drained site, preferably facing south and sheltered from prevailing winds.

Mark and dig out to a depth of six inches and refill with a mix of one part grit and gravel for drainage and three parts weed-free soil and compost.

Check neighbouring rockeries and public gardens for ideas on the layout of rocks and plant and shrub stock, before starting your final design.

ARTHUR HINES

Death Of Noted Dungarvan-Born Litterateur

The death occurred recently in London of Dungarvan man Michael Joseph Stapleton who gained international acclaim as both writer and publisher. Born in Dungarvan on May 26, 1923, Mr. Stapleton lived for some time with his family at Youghal Road, near Rice's Street, where the Garda Station now stands. He died in London on November 13, 1994 at the age of 71 years.

The following is an excerpt from the literary section of a well known English national paper written by David Shipman:—

Michael Stapleton was the most erudite and least pretentious of litterateurs, whether advising one to read *The Woman in White* again rather than tackling *The Moonstone*, or observing, with a bemused smile, that one was "mistaken" in never having read Trollope. He was the only man I knew who had read all of Thomas Love Peacock and most of Harrison Ainsworth.

He was entirely self-taught. His first escape from a dirt-poor, unhappy Irish East End family was via the movies — Alice Faye, Cagney, Fred Astaire. He left school at 12 to become a butcher's boy, by which time he was discovering literature and music; opera became an abiding passion. To get away from his father — his mother had died — he joined the Merchant Navy on the outbreak of the Second World War, and spent some of his first 48-hour pass reading Dickens and sleeping in King's Cross station waiting-room.

After the war he became an actor, without much success, and then joined Ox-

ford University Press as a packer. His exceptional knowledge of books did not go unnoticed and he was promoted to proof-reader. In 1956 he published a history of Sadler's Wells, which brought him to the attention of Edith Sitwell who encouraged him to write *The Threshold* (1958), an account of his life to the time of his joining the navy — sharp-eyed, witty and valuable. It was one of the most successful of Hutchinson's New Authors series and brought him literary friends beyond the Sitwell circle.

He joined the Hamlyn Group in 1964 and in time became commissioning editor for all titles on literature, biography, history, mythology and movies. He also wrote several books on ancient and Oriental mythology.

In the late Seventies Hamlyn decided to publish an encyclopaedia of English literature, and at a board meeting the group's adviser, Nicholas Barker of the British Library, suggested that the whole job be consigned to Stapleton rather than a committee. Hamlyn offered him three years on full pay, a royalty and 1,000 pages.

They were so pleased with

the result that they invited the Cambridge University Press to become co-publishers, and CUP were so impressed that they retitled the book *The Cambridge Guide*

to English Literature (1983) — injudiciously, since some academics did not approve of an authoritative work by one who was not of their number.

It is masterly in its knowledge, scope and freshly expressed opinions. He was rightly proud of it. It compensated for what he regarded as his biggest professional disappointment: failing to persuade Hamlyn to start a list of out-of-print titles, which he felt had been unjustly forgotten.



Dr. David O'Mahoney presenting Mr. Nicholas Power with his new powered wheelchair. This was purchased with the aid of a grant from the South-Eastern Health Board and voluntary donations. Nicholas would like to express sincere thanks to all those who contributed and helped in any way. This new chair will greatly improve his independence and quality of life. —(Photo: Pat Crowley)

Roast Pork With A Tang

PORK A L'ORANGE

Ingredients:

- 2-3 lb (900g-1.35kg) pork roasting joint, rind removed and fat trimmed
- Sauce
- 1/4 pint (150ml) white wine
- rind of 1 orange
- juice of 3 oranges
- juice of 1 lemon
- 2 tbsp (30ml) brandy
- 1 tbsp (15ml) sugar
- 1 tbsp (15ml) white wine vinegar
- 1 tbsp (15ml) cornflour

Method

Weigh the joint and calculate the cooking time as shown. Place the joint on a rack in a roasting tin. Open roast in a preheated oven for the calculated time. Meanwhile make sauce. Place all ingredients in a saucepan, bring to the boil,



stirring continuously. Simmer, uncovered, for 5 minutes.

Twenty minutes before the end of the cooking time, brush some of the sauce over the pork.

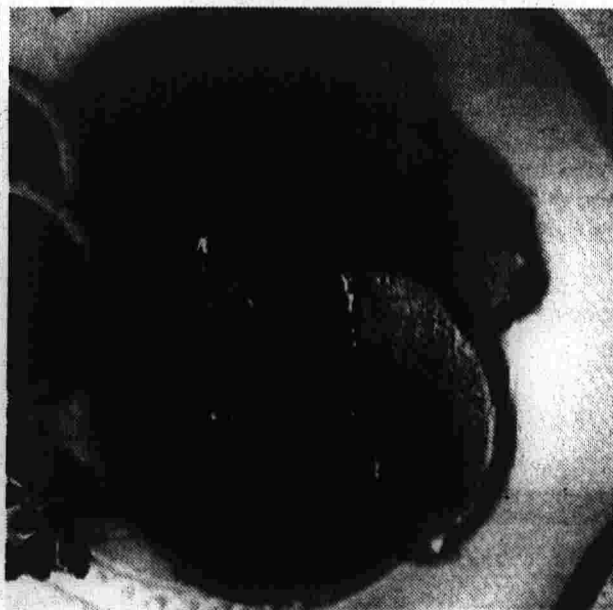
Serve the pork with the orange sauce, new potatoes and green vegetables.

Cooking time: allow 30 minutes per 1 lb (450g) plus 30 minutes for medium.

Allow 35 minutes per 1 lb (450g) plus 35 minutes for well done.

Temperature: Gas Mark 4/5, 180°C, 350°F.

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WEST WATERFORD HOT ROD CLUB A.G.M.

West Waterford Hot Rod annual general meeting was held on Sunday, January 8 at Rose's Bar, Lismore. It was chaired by Pat Clarke of the Irish Hot Rod Federation. The meeting was attended by 50 members and Chairman of the club Liam Prendergast, on behalf of the members and committee, wished Tommy Lawless a speedy recovery and thanked everyone for their help in 1994. He said the club was financially healthy for the coming year, but everyone must pull their weight to keep everything in order for the coming season.

The committee then stood down and Dick Nugent helped Pat Clarke to form the new committee for the 1995 season. They are as follows:

President — Tommy Lawless; Chairman — Liam Prendergast; Treasurer — Mike Kelly; Secretary — Noel Feeney; P.R.O. — Tom Keating.

Membership is up for renewal from Sunday last. Cards are available from Bridget Fuller.

Our annual social will be held on February 24 at Lismore Hotel (see advert for details). Tickets available at £10 each from Mike Geoghegan, Annette Keane, Bernard Cunningham and Jerry O'Rourke. Limited number of tickets for social (total 250). So buy early and avoid disappointment.

Finally, the club would like to thank Rose Dowd for the use of her lounge for the year past and the A.G.M. and the support she gave throughout the past year.

KILL HAPPENINGS

A.G.M.

This Friday January 13, the Kill G.A.A. Annual General Meeting will take place in the Community Centre at 7.15 p.m. All member should attend and new members are welcome.

KILL G.A.A. SOCIAL

On Friday 3rd February a social will be held in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan. This is sure to be a good

night after Kill's great success, winning both hurling and football county finals in Junior, and also winning "Club of the Year" so come along and support this event.

ENGAGEMENT

Congratulations to Maria Mooney, daughter of Ger and Mary, Dunabratton, and Joe Kennedy son of Martin and Maura, Kilbeg, who recently announced their engagement.

THIS WEEK TEAGASC SAYS

PLANNING FOR EARLY GRASS

By far the most valuable feed on any dairy farm is good quality early grass.

Trials at Moorepark and Hillsborough show that even with only a few hours grazing in February and March, concentrates can be reduced to almost half and milk yield and milk composition are significantly increased.

Farmers should therefore make every effort now to ensure a good supply of early grass. Ideally, all animals should have been removed since early November from pastures intended for the earliest grazing. These pastures should have been grazed tightly at that stage to encourage extra tillering, which will improve the quality of spring grass. They should also have received adequate phosphate, potash and lime at this stage, but, if not, any deficiencies should be corrected as soon as ground conditions allow.

Obviously the driest ground should be selected for the earliest grazing. Unfortunately some farmers keep the driest ground for very late grazing for spring calving cows and this limits their opportunities for early grazing.

Growth rates and ground conditions vary widely from year to year and it is impossible to predict accurately how much grass will be available

for early grazing.

Grazing the silage areas in February and March can give a lot of valuable feed and will preserve the grazing areas for the April period when demand will be very high.

It will also help to improve the quality of the silage without seriously affecting silage yields.

Land type will obviously have a big effect on the amount of early grazing that can be carried out, but with good management practices, such as using short periods of grazing and a good roadway and paddock layout, greater use can be made of early grass on most farms.

A number of different entrances to paddocks will greatly reduce damage to paddocks during periods of poor grazing conditions.

Nitrogen — The response to Nitrogen will normally be much poorer in early January than later in the season. However, it will pay to apply some nitrogen to pastures, that are expected to be grazed from mid February as soon as ground conditions allow.

Three quarters to one bag of Urea should be adequate for most situations and quantities sufficient for only a few weeks grazing should be applied at any one time early in the season.

MILK QUOTA

The situation is very serious

on many farms and at this a superlevy is almost certain. If you are over quota, stay in regular contact with your Co-op, and cut back supplies if necessary.

If you are up to 5% over quota, the surplus can be eliminated by feeding milk to calves and drying off any cows that are still milking.

If you are up to 20% over quota you have to take the

following steps:

★ Dry off milkers at end of lactation now.

★ Feed whole milk to calves.

★ Reduce meal input.

Meals can be cut to 4 kgs. of a 16% ration. Where quality of silage is good and intakes are high and cows are in reasonably good body condition. Contact your advisor for details.



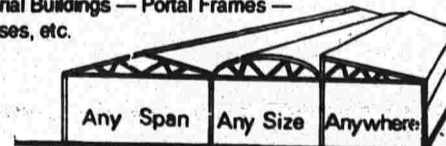
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The Heart Of Gaeltacht Na Rinne

BAILE NA nGALL (TOWN OF THE FOREIGNERS)

BY MAIREAD BREATHNACH

I enjoy talking about my own little peaceful townland, Baile na nGall. This picturesque village is situated in the heart of Gaeltacht na Rinne. It has changed a lot since the last century. That was a time when the stream ran down to meet the fishermen returning from a hard days work or maybe even to greet them in the nights as they made their way home after a little refreshment at Martin Draipear's pub, now known as Tigh an Cheoil.

The old people used to say that the stream was the hardest worker of all, working for everyone.

Before Baile na nGall pier was built in 1847 the fishermen used small boats, hookers, and used trammels. At Christmas they only got one weeks holidays. These men were often eager to get back to the harsh sea as even the joys of Christmas could not feed their families for the coming year.

The Irish language was and is still in use around the little village of Baile na nGall. In the summer many of the Scolairi Gaeilge (referred to by the old people as "gaybricks") make their way down to

the beach to bathe in the clean sea water.

It is nice to see old faces as I come home from school. I love to listen to their stories of the past and their predictions for the future. Sadly I miss the faces of my old friends Willy Hally and Johnneen, now gone to their reward. They always had a little story for us-children who listened intently to the many tales they had (some I'm sure were composed on the spot for us young innocents).

I would love to have seen this gorgeous village in the past before the advent of the motor car. I often think to myself if I had one wish, it would be that I could live for a day in the village as it was one hundred years ago.

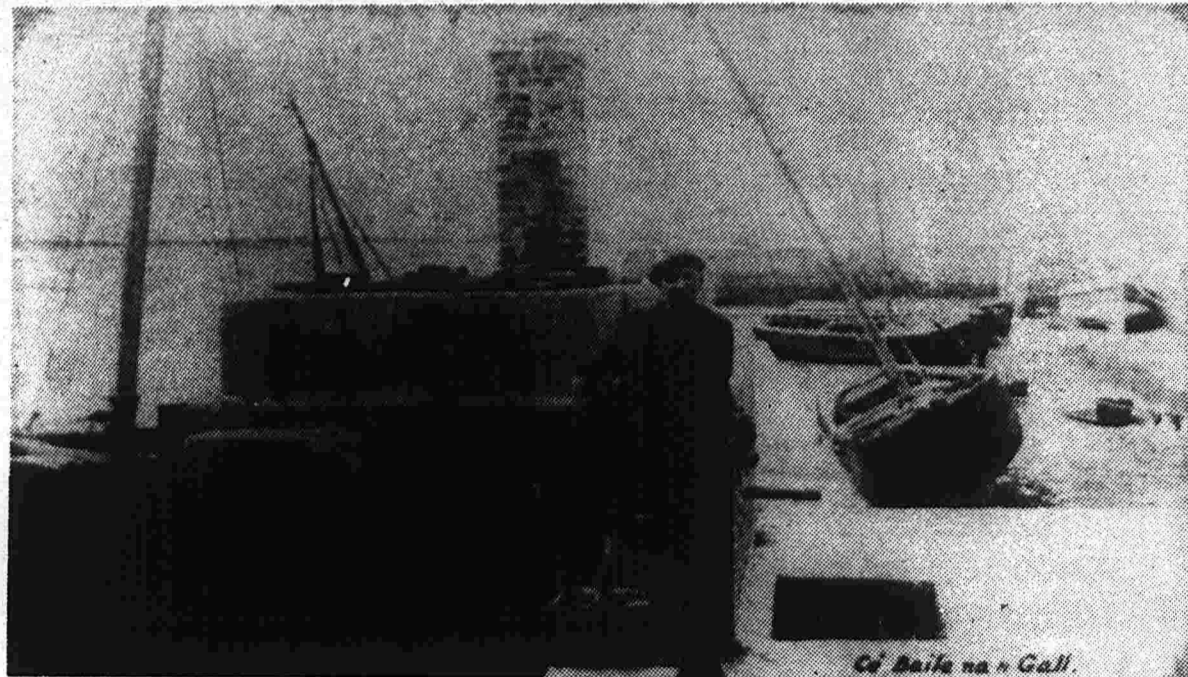
I love to walk along the beautiful beach and remind myself that this is where most of my ancestors earned a living. Fortunately we no longer

depend on it.

Baile na nGall has changed even in the past few years. Once my friends and I used to play in a place we called "the secret passage" where we made little houses. That place has now been taken over by six real houses. Maybe it has changed for the better.

I can guarantee one thing, that is, that the friendliness of my ancestors still lives with every single person who resides in our beautiful village of Baile na nGall.

▲ Photo shows (l. to r.) Jimmy Manahan (R.I.P.) of Baile na nGall and Pat Toibin (R.I.P.) at Baile na nGall pier. Included at rear is the building where the local fishing nets were mended.



BALLYSAGGART NOTES

BALLYSAGGART P.T.A.A. NOTES

On Sunday the 15th of January the Munster Semi-finals of the Readoirí competitions will take place in Palace Green in Co. Limerick.

We wish the following competitors the best of luck — Senior Solo Singing: Ann Carey; Senior Half Set Dancing: Sean Veale, Ann Carey, Siobhán and Eoin Kearney; Senior Recitation: James Lenane; Junior Old Time Waltz: Brian Kearney and Sandra McGrath.

A.G.M. OF BALLYSAGGART G.A.A.

On last Wednesday night a fine crowd turned up at the Community Centre for the A.G.M. of the G.A.A. Club.

Secretary Michael Clancy in his report, pointed out that though success eluded the club once more in 1994, he said it was an achievement to field two adult hurling teams. He thanked all the various people who helped to run the club during the year and supported any fund raising ventures such as Development Draw. He said that he was not going forward for re-election.

Chairman Jim Kearney, who also said that he was standing down, wished the club well, in the coming year, and said it was disappointing to have no success to report. for his involvement with the club over the past three years. He then spoke of the loss to the club of three great supporters during the year. John Joe Troy who was President at the time of his death. Bill Kennefick was one of the finest Chairmen of the club and John Joe Hale who was a member and great supporter up to the time of his death. A minutes silence was observed in their memory. In conclusion he wished the local C.B.A. and, of course, our young members, the best of luck in the semi-final of the Harty Cup.

Treasurer Willie Roche in his report showed the club to be in a reasonably good financial position but urged all present to make a big effort to make the Deise Draw even more successful in 1995.

Election of officers - Joint Presidents — Pad J. Fennessey and Sean Griffin; Chairman: Pat Veale; Vice Chairman: Sean Bennett; Secretary: Adrian Meagher; Assistant Secretary: Michael Clancy; Joint Treasurers: Willie Roche and Diarmuid Walsh; Registrar: Michéal Kearney; P.R.O.: Draw Co-ordinator: Breda Clancy; Delegates to County and Western Board meetings: Chairman and Secretary, Pat Ryan, Pat Fitzgerald, Sean Bennett, John Devine. Committee — Pat Bennett, Paddy Nugent, Liam Ryan, Kieran Clancy, Aidan Ormonde, Pad Fennessey, Matty Meagher, Dave Fennessey, Sean Griffin, J. O'Brien, Fergal Meagher, Jim Kearney, Michael Clancy.

Trainer — Pat Bennett. Capt. of Intermediate Hurlers — Paddy Nugent; Vice Captain — Kieran Clancy.

Committee Meeting — The first meeting of the new Committee will be held on Monday 16th January at 8 p.m. and promoters are asked to have draw money in to Breda Clancy at that meeting.

Canadian Skating Champion With Dungarvan Connection

Matthew Smith, the Junior Mens Figure Skating Champion in Canada, has some well-known Dungarvan connections. Many figure skating enthusiasts will have heard of his previous year's success as Canadian junior champ and know of his goals to earn a place on the senior national figure skating team and to compete in the Olympics and the World Championships. Not many fans however will have heard of the champ's Irish connection. On his mother's side (Mary Smith),

Matthew is the grandnephew of John Lynch, Ballyduff, Dungarvan and the grandson of Dr. Joe Lynch, also of Ballyduff.

Canadian by birth, Matthew started skating at the age of one, hockey at three and figure skating at eight. Just turned 22, he now works with Doug Leigh as coach and Michelle Leigh as choreographer at the Mariposa School of Figure Skating in Barrie, Ontario.

Featured in a recent article in the American magazine -

'American Skating World', Matthew says he enjoys competing and learning how to deal with pressure and nerves.

"It's about what you can take and what you can handle", he adds, "it's when you compete in front of 5,000 - 6,000 people that you really have to dig in deep. You can talk all you want, but you have to put it down on the ice."

Recognised as one of the most demanding sports in the world Matthew freely admits, "I've never had an

easy year." So far, he's competed with a stress fracture and mononucleosis but still he keeps striving to do what it takes to succeed.

A skater of great potential, Matthew is greatly influenced by fellow Mariposa skater Elvis Stojko - the World Champion - who he says has helped him to turn around his skating.

The gold medalist's next major competition is this month's Canadian Figure Skating Championship in Halifax which he will enter at senior level.



Coffee morning in Mac's Fast Food Restaurant raises money for Irish Conquer Cancer Society — Photo shows Mary McCarthy, Sean Dee, Maura Shanahan (Dungarvan Branch Irish Conquer Cancer Society) receiving the proceeds from Terry McCarthy (proprietor), Francis Dee and Eileen Dee. —(Photo: Sean Byrne)

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BALLYDUFF NOTES

PIONEER NOTES

The Munster semi final of the Readoiri competition will take place on Sunday afternoon next in Pallasgreen, County Limerick. The local centre will be represented in the Disco Dancing competition by Helena Walsh, Grainne Murphy and Mary Alice Flynn. We wish them the best of luck in their bid for a place in the Munster final. A meeting of the local centre will take place on Friday January 20th. This is a final reminder for anyone eligible for a Gold or Silver Pin to hand in their names to Pat Barry or Pat Flynn. A date for a presentation night will be announced shortly.

COMHALTAS NOTES

Congratulations to Seamus and Christine Hyland on the birth of a baby boy and best wishes to Mary Farrell in the National Song contest on "Kenny Live" on Saturday night next.

Music and Set Dancing classes resume on this Thursday night after the Christmas recess. With Irish dancing classes on Monday night.

The County Ceol An Gheimridh finals will take place in Aghlish on Friday January 20th at 7.30 p.m. The Irish Language class continues in the Library on Friday night at 8.00 p.m. All are welcome. The

County Chomaltas Convention will be hosted by the local branch on Wednesday night next January 18th in St. Michael's Hall at 8.00 p.m. Membership fees of adults £5 and juniors £1 with a special family fee of £10 are now payable to Catherine Feeney or John Jackson. Only fully paid up members can take part in competitions during the year.

The dancing feis arranged for next Sunday in St. Michael's Hall has been deferred and will now take place in February.

BALLYDUFF DRAMA NOTES

On behalf of the Drama Group I would like to extend greetings and best wishes for the New Year from all our members to all our patrons, and supporters. Although the festive season may be over the Drama Group are in full swing already rehearsing for another hilarious comedy. Due to the ever successful run of "Run for Your Wife" last year, Bill Canning has decided to come up again this year with another hilarious comedy "Noises Off". This play by Michael Frayn is a farce about a farce taking the cliches of the genre, and shaking them inventively through a series of kaleidoscopic patterns. Never missing a trick it has as its first

act a pastiche of traditional farce; as its second, a contemporary variant on the formula; as its third, an elaborate undermining of it. The play opens with a touring company dress-rehearsing "Nothing On" a conventional farce. Mixing mockery and homage, Frayn leaps into this play-within-a-play a hilarious melee of stock characters and situations. Caricatures - cheery char, outraged wife and squeaky blonde - stam-pede in and out of doors. Voices rise and trousers fall A farce that makes you think as well as laugh.

'A pulverisingly funny play', Michael Billington, Guardian. 'The funniest play on offer in London', Benedict Nightingale, New Statesman.

Therefore, combining the expertise Bill Canning as producer and also a cast member and other cast members Geraldine Canning, Hugh Moynihan, Brendan Dunlea, Sheila Heneghan, Fiona McDonnell, Deirdre Whyte, Ritchie Walsh and John Coleman this should certainly be a night not to be missed. The play will open on January 27th and will run for 9 nights in all, January 28th and 29th, February 3rd, 4th, 5th, 10th, 11th, 12th. Enquiries and bookings (058 - 60208).

BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

A meeting was held in the hall on Monday 9th January at 8 p.m. A topic discussed was that a picture in the hall is missing. It's a picture of the Foundation of the hall (1944). If anybody knows the whereabouts they should contact any Council Member. The Auction for 1995 will be on 19th February in the hall. People wishing to give valuable items can put a reserve price on such goods. More on this topic later. Next meeting is on 13th February at 8 p.m.

BALLYDUFF 45 DRIVE

Results 28th December - 1st, Ml. Tobin and N. Mulcahy; 2nd, E. Scanlon and L. Byrnes, L. Leamy and P. Leamy. Lucky tables - 1st, Bertie Neville and P. Moore; 2nd, Cissie and Joe Power; 3rd, Dan O'Brien and Mae Higgins. Raffle - 1st, Kit Scanlon; 2nd, Davy Walsh; 3rd, John Casey; 4th, Bertie Neville; 5th, Ml. Tobin.

Results 4th January - 1st, Bertie Neville and Pat Moore; 2nd, Dan Cotter and Partner, Jim Quirke and Ml. Tobin, Jim Donnelly and Pat Lane, Liam Leamy and Tom Hartigan. Lucky tables - 1st, Bill Brien and M. Maginer; 2nd, Charlie Sullivan and J. Morrissey; 3rd,

Kieran Fenton and J. Casey; 4th, Moss Morrissey and M. O'Neill. Raffle - 1st, Richard Higgins; 2nd, Richard Higgins; 3rd, Tom Kearney; 4th, Tom Kearney; 5th, Ger Sheehan.

BALLYDUFF MACRA NOTES

It's good to be back and to start the year on a high. I'll begin by mentioning the Christmas Party which took place in the Boathouse, Cappoquin on Thursday the 22nd December, Dungarvan and Cappoquin Macra attended and believe me we had a "party" as everyone went crazy for the night. All in all the night was a complete success and capped off 1994 in great style.

Drama - The club is presently doing two drama plays at the moment, the first play "The Homecoming" has the following cast - Mike Leahy, Denis Drislane, Niall O'Brien, Kevin Condon, Margaret and Eilish Flynn and Catherine Leamy and the second play "Hometalk From Abroad" has Martin Kenny and John Leamy in its cast. These plays are taking place in Ballyduff on Friday the 20th and Sunday 22nd of January.

News - There was a meeting in the Hall last Saturday night and as usual there was plenty chat and craic and plans for the New

Year were drawn up. The club also welcomes Phil Hannon who has just signed the dotted line.

Debate - I've just been informed that our senior debating team will be in action on the 21st of January and will be meeting the Limerick champions. Ballyduff who are representing Waterford will be proposing the motion. "That the media manipulates information to suit their own needs" and no doubt a great battle is in store here.

RECENT DEATH

MR. JOHN FRAHER

With profound sorrow we record the passing of Mr. John Fraher, Cahernaleague, Ballinamult, which sad event occurred at Cork University Hospital on Saturday, January 7. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Monday evening to Touraneena Church. Following funeral Mass on Tuesday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To his wife Kitty and family and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

Full obituary next issue. (Funeral arrangements were by Tom Drohan, Funeral Director, Dungarvan.)

BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

SON OF BALLYMAC MAN TAKES CHAIR

The son of a Ballymacarby man Sean Nugent (Kilsheelan) was elected as Chairman of South Tipperary G.A.A. Board on Sunday last. Sean was the outgoing chairman and hit the headlines last year in the Derry Foley case, in which the Chairman and his Board acted in accordance with official rules.

BUCKLEY CUP FINAL

The final of the Buckley Cup took place at the Mill Field, Ballymacarby on Sunday last. A team captained by Michael John Wall defeated a team captained by David Connolly on the score 7-1 to 4-2. The game was refereed by Pat Moore (Abbeyside) and after the game the Buckley Cup was presented to the winning captain by Mrs. Pugh (Dungarvan), daughter of the donor.

STARS FROM THREE COUNTIES HONOURED

Leading G.A.A. figures of the past and present from three counties were honoured at a recent gala function in Carrick-on-Suir. Formerly the Triangle Awards, the new Maurice Davin awards were presented by one of Tipperary's greatest hurlers Jimmy Doyle to recipients from Tipperary, Waterford and Kilkenny at a function in the Kickham Inn. The event was attended by former President of the G.A.A. Pat Fanning who paid a warm tribute to the organising committee. Two ladies figured among the prize winners at the ceremony, the darling of ladies football Aine Wall from the Nire, who captained Waterford to the All Ireland senior ladies title and Angela Downey who won her 12th All Ireland camogie medal. The other Waterford players to receive awards were Sean Cullinane, Passage, as player of the present, while player of the past went to Mount Sion's, Seamus Power who was unable to attend following heart surgery. All present wished him a speedy recovery. Hurler of the year award in Tipperary went to Peter O'Sullivan of Cashel, who is brother of Michael O'Sullivan, Knockaraha, Ballymacarby.

FOURMILEWATER GAELS FOR BOARD POSITIONS

Two well known Fourmilewater Gaels are seeking positions at the forthcoming West Waterford G.A.A. convention to be held at Aglish on Thursday night next. P. J. Ryan, who is outgoing chairman, is seeking another term in the same position, while Billy Walsh is contesting one of the representatives to County Board positions.

BINGO

The bingo in aid of the Nire Football club took place at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarby on Wednesday night. Major winners were Kay Mullins, Dublin and Ann McCarthy, Graignagower, Ballymacarby.

AMBULANCE DRIVER RETIRES

It was a retirement party the likes of which was rarely seen with medical personnel coming from all parts of the South Eastern Region from Dungarvan, Carlow, Kilkenny, Waterford, Clonmel and Cashel to the Aherlow House Hotel to bid a fond farewell to Paddy O'Donnell, one of the most popular and highly regarded ambulance drivers to serve the public.

There were many glowing tributes paid to Paddy from Loughlin Nolan, Chief Ambulance Officer of the South Eastern Health Board Region, Benny Walsh, Ambulance Transport Supervisor, Dr. Joseph Browne and many others. A native of Ballyhurst Paddy joined the staff some twenty six years ago. He was the regular driver transporting patients to and from Waterford Regional Hospital each day.

We wish Paddy and his good wife Mary a happy retirement. He was presented with a television set to mark his retirement.

BREAK-IN AT BALLYMACARBRY

While the owner was visiting his sick wife in Clonmel hospital, on his return he found his house in which he lives at Small Quarter, Ballymacarby, broken into and many items including television, video, radio, toaster and many, many household items stolen. Gardai at Ballymacarby are seeking information from anybody who travelled the Newcastle road from Fourmilewater on that day, Wednesday, December 28.

LOTTO

The Lotto draw in aid of the Fourmilewater hurling club took place at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarby on Saturday night. The numbers drawn were 5, 8, 11. There was no winner. The winners of the 5 x £20 were Laurence Lonergan, Clogheen, Mary Doocey and Shane Cliffe, Ballymacarby, Joan Kirwan, Kilmacthomas, Niall Hyland, Newcastle, Eddie Cunningham, Stradbally. Next week's jackpot £400.

RECENT DEATHS

LATE MR. JAMES RYAN

A wave of sadness swept over the district with the news of the sudden death of Mr. James (Jim) Ryan, Ballykennedy, Cappagh, which sad event took place at his residence on Tuesday, December 27.

Deceased in his early fifties was a member of one of the most respected families in the district. He spent many of his youthful years in the Nire Valley as his parents hail from there. The term "nature's gentleman" was coined with men like Jim in mind. He epitomised the true meaning of the word loyalty during his many years in the employment of John A. Woods of Cappagh Lime Works. For some years he was self employed and his services were much in demand by the public. A wonderful neighbour he was always ready with the helping hand and his integrity, courtesy and outgoing sincere nature commended him to young and old alike.

A wonderful kind husband and father, his family were his pride and joy. A man who enjoyed his social drink and was always welcome in whatever company he found himself, he was indeed the essence of good humour and established a lasting friendship by virtue of his nature and kindness to all who were fortunate to know him, and who now mourn his sudden passing.

The respect in which deceased and his family are held was amply illustrated on Thursday evening when all walks of like were represented in one of the largest gatherings of mourners seen for some time when his re-

mains were removed from Drohan's Funeral Home, Dungarvan to the Parish Church, Ballinameela where his coffin was blessed and received by Rev. Fr. William Ryan C.C., Lismore (cousin) assisted by many other clergy.

On Friday morning the Feast of St. Sabinus, Requiem Mass was concelebrated for the repose of his gentle soul. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Ryan C.C. assisted by Rev. Fr. Brendan Crowley C.C., Ballybricken (cousin), Rev. Fr. Nicholas McCarthy, retired English Mission (cousin). Also in attendance were Rev. Fr. Michael Kennedy P.P., Kilgobinet, Rev. Fr. Michael O'Farrell P.P., Tallow, Rev. Fr. Finbar Lucy P.P., Aglish, Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher C.C., Cappoquin, Rev. Fr. Patrick Butler C.C., Ardmore, Rev. Fr. John Treacy C.C., Aglish, Rev. Fr. Tom McGrath S.J.

After Mass as the winter rain came down he was laid to rest in the little church at the rear of the chapel where he had worshipped the Lord for many years, again in the presence of one of the largest gatherings of mourners seen for many a day, as they came to say farewell to a dear Christian friend whose memory they will cherish.

To his wife and family, his father and mother, his brothers and sisters, his uncles and aunts and his many many relatives we tender to them our sympathy. Ar dheis De go raibh a anam.

LATE MRS. MARGARET O'CONNOR

It is with deep regret we place on record the death of Mrs. Margaret (Gretta)

O'Connor (née Ryan), Ballindoney, Grange, which sad event took place at her daughter's residence, Moycarkey on Tuesday, December 27.

Deceased a member of an old and respected South Tipperary family. She was a lady endowed with many admirable traits of character and anybody who even called to her home was made to feel truly welcome. Her gentle and good humoured nature commended her to all. She was a caring neighbour always ready with the helping hand.

That her memory will be cherished was truly indicated by the large and representative groups of mourners who were present on Wednesday when her remains were removed from her daughter's residence, Moycarkey, to the Parish Church of St. Nicholas, Grange.

On Thursday morning, Feast of St. Thomas of Canterbury, Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul. After Mass she was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery, again in the presence of a large crowd of mourners who came to bid farewell to a dear Christian friend whose memory they will cherish.

To her sons Pat and John, her daughter Catherine, her brother Michael and her sister Mai we extend our sympathy. Go ndeana Dia Trócaire ar a hanam dílis.

LATE MR. EDDIE HOULIHAN

It is with regret we pen the passing of Mr. Eddie (Ned) Houlihan, Slievenamon Road, Clonmel, and formerly of Ballynockane, Kilsheelan. One of nature's

gentlemen, he loved the outdoor life and one of his pastimes was his daily walk, regardless of the weather. He also enjoyed his pint and the chat. A most amiable, good natured man, he was respected by young and old in the community and was identified as the man with the hat and the short-sleeved shirt.

Ned was known far and wide through his dealings with horses and the felling of timber. He was an expert in felling dangerous trees and he was always available for his expert advice.

Predeceased by his wife Madge (née Burke) by some nineteen years, he will be sadly missed by his family of three sons and four daughters. May the Lord grant him a place in heaven.

LATE MRS. NORA KIELY

The district learned with regret the sad news of the death of Mrs. Nora (Nonie) Kiely (née O'Donoghue), Loughegar, Mullingar and late of Lacken, Ballinamult, which sad event took place after a long illness borne with true Christian fortitude at St. Mary's Hospital, Mullingar.

Deceased, in her early eighties, was a member of an old and respected South Tipperary family, the O'Donoghues of Lacken. A lady possessed of an old world charm, she had many charming traits of character. Her gentle, good humoured and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition commended her to all fortunate enough to make her acquaintance.

In her early days she gave many years in service with the Mulcahy family,

Kilkenny, where she was held in high esteem and at the Gap Stage she was one of the outstanding set dancers of that era.

Many tributes have been paid to this lady but perhaps the finest was provided mutely on Thursday evening when all walks of life were represented in the large concourse of mourners who were present when her remains were removed from the hospital mortuary to the Parish Church, Taughman, Co. Westmeath.

On Friday morning, the Feast of the Epiphany of Our Lord, Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul. After Mass she was laid to rest beside her late husband Jim who predeceased her by some years, again in the presence of a large concourse of mourners who were present to pay their final respects to a dear Christian friend whose memory they will cherish.

To her sons and daughter, her sisters and her many relations we tender our sympathy. Suímhneas staría dá hanam.

LATE MR. KEVIN DENNEHY

It is with regret we pen the death of Mr. Kevin Dennehy, Abbey Road, Clonmel, which sad event took place after a brief illness on Sunday, January 1. Kevin was employed by the Post Office for the past 44 years. Of that he spent 34 years collecting the mail from the town and from the rural districts of Ballinamult, Ballymacarby and Ballypatrick. For the last ten years he worked in the sorting office at Clonmel.

Mr. Dennehy was a member of the senior choir

of St. Mary's Church, Clonmel for 55 years. A member of a large family of eight sisters and two brothers, he was married to Nora Power, Carraduff, Carrick-on-Suir. They had six sons and four daughters.

On Tuesday morning after Requiem Mass his funeral took place to St. Patrick's Cemetery where interment took place.

LATE MR. PATRICK RYAN

It is with deep regret we pen the passing of Mr. Patrick (Paddy) Ryan, Toureigh, Ballymacarby, which sad event took place on Thursday in the Regional Hospital, Ardkeen, Waterford. On Saturday evening his remains were removed from Kiely's Funeral Home, Dungarvan to St. Laurence's Church, Fourmilewater and on Sunday after 11 o'clock Mass the funeral took place to the ancient churchyard at Bennetts Church where interment took place. Full obituary next issue.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy of the district is extended to Laurence O'Dwyer, Loughlaher, Cahir, and formerly of Garraucasey, Newcastle, on the recent death of his wife Margaret (née Philbin), formerly of Castlebar, Co. Mayo, which sad event took place in Arizona, USA, on December 23.

On January 3 her remains were removed from Costigans Funeral Home, Cahir, to St. Mary's Church, Cahir and on Tuesday morning after Requiem Mass the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a hanam.

Tourism Brochure First For County



Photo shows members of the Waterford Development Partnership Tourism Committee at the launch of the County Waterford Tourism Brochure in Lawlor's Hotel. Back row (left to right) — John Barry, Michael Kelleher, Jean Duffy, Dick Lincoln, Jimmy Taffe; front row — Seamus McGrath, Pat Gordon, Rose O'Dowd and Jack Walsh

An innovative effort by Waterford Development Partnership to promote the sightseeing and holiday benefits of the county as a whole, has finally culminated in the launch of the colourful Co. Waterford Tourism Brochure - the first time that such a brochure marketing the county as a single entity has been produced.

From the Nire and Blackwater Valleys to Ring and the Comeraghs, the attractive brochure includes a comprehensive easy-to-follow map showing such areas of interest as hillwalking, golf, driving ranges, rock climbing amenities, horse riding centres, St. Declan's Way, heritage centres, beaches, fishing, deep sea angling, shore angling and water sports facilities, with all the secondary and national roads included. The main attraction of the brochure is perhaps the inclusion of so many original and previously unpublished photos of spectacular local scenery including a particularly impressive photo of Coumshingaun Lake.

AIMED AT TRADE SHOWS

The publication is subvented by Waterford Development Partnership Ltd. and the County Enterprise Board with input from four main tourism committees namely Tramore Fáilte, Discover East Waterford, West Waterford Tourism and Dungarvan Tourism.

Speaking at last Friday's launch in Lawlor's Hotel, Chairman of the WDP Tourism sub-committee, Dick Lincoln stressed the importance of the occasion, a first for the county, when a number of groups come together "to make their

wares and tourism products available in one brochure". Following on from the successful launch, Mr. Lincoln said the brochure will now be aimed at trade exhibitions such as the upcoming Holiday Trade Fairs in Belfast and Dublin, where the Co. tourism groups will be joining in one stand.

Not only concentrating on Ireland, Mr. Lincoln said the brochure will also be aimed at trade shows and shopping centres in Wales and England "in an effort to generate business and jobs for the County" which is also the aim of WDP - "to create real jobs and economic activity".

Concluding his speech the WDP Chairman praised Jean Duffy, the hard working secretary and tourism coordinator, based at Teagasc, Lismore, who had done 'trojan work' in getting the brochure off the ground.

Speaking on behalf of the Co. Enterprise Board Chairman, Donal Connolly, Co. Secretary Brian McNally welcomed the joint initiative in launching the project, "we must combine for the betterment of the county", he stressed.

"The problem before was disparate groups promoting their own corner of the county", he stated, adding that now however, all these

separate groups had been pulled together in the Co. Waterford Tourism Brochure, "all working under one banner".

Also welcoming the launch of the unique brochure, Cathaoirleach of Dungarvan Tourism, Nuala Ryan congratulated Waterford Development Partnership and the Co. Enterprise Board in their innovative approach to marketing the county's tourism inventory. She then paid spe-

cial tribute to Jean Duffy on her commitment and dedication in putting together the attractive booklet. "The brochure will do much to promote tourism in Dungarvan", Mrs. Ryan confidently added.

Copies of the brochure are available from Jean Duffy, Tourism Coordinator, Waterford Development Partnership, Lismore Office, Co. Waterford, tel. 058-54646.

President Visits Ferryhouse Pantomime

Her Excellency, President Mary Robinson attended the opening night of this year's Ferryhouse Pantomime "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" in Ferryhouse on December 17 last. Her visit marked the Silver Jubilee production of the Pantomime, which began in 1970 and has seen a production each year since. In her speech following the show, Mrs. Robinson said that she had enjoyed the pantomime very much and continued "we are valuing 25 years of creativity, 25 years of realising the value of this kind of theatrical expression." Her presence was indeed a signal honour to the entire Ferryhouse Pantomime group.

The same pantomime will run for two performances in the Friary Hall, Dungarvan on Friday, January 20, at 8 p.m. with a matinee performance on Sunday 22nd at 3 p.m.

Snow White is currently on tour, completing its Ferryhouse run on Sunday, January 15, on to Carrick-on-Suir for Wednesday 18th and then to Dungarvan for the shows at the weekend. It subsequently plays both Waterford and Dublin.

This year's show is a very special one indeed, with an extra effort being put in by everybody to mark the silver jubilee production. With a cast of over 60 performers, a full pit orchestra, and

the colour and verve for which Ferryhouse has become justly renowned, this year's show is one not to be missed.

In ways, Snow White is the ultimate pantomime, the standard by which all of the others are judged. Walt Disney certainly thought so, and chose it for his first ever full-length feature presentation. This show has everything: the love story of Snow White, and her Prince, a nasty and 'orrible Mean Queen, a glittering Magic Mirror, and a comedy duo in Little and Large "whose lively and madcap acting easily captivated the audience," to quote one of this year's newspaper reviews. No less than 47 songs are performed, ranging from "All the Lies That You Told Me" through "Rock 'n Roll Kids" to "Great Balls of Fire." There is an ultra-violet sequence which would grace a stage in the West End.

The Ferryhouse Pantomime has been coming to the Friary Hall, Dungarvan, since 1974. This Silver Jubilee production of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" will play on Friday night, January 20th, starting at 8 p.m., with a gala matinee performance on Sunday 22nd, starting at 3 p.m. All seats can be booked for both performances, at John Casey, Main Street. (See advertisement this issue.)



Picture shows President Mary Robinson meeting with some of the cast of this year's Ferryhouse Pantomime "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs." The same pantomime will run for two performances in the Friary Hall, Dungarvan on Friday, January 20 at 8 p.m., with a matinee performance on Sunday, 22nd at 3 p.m.

Cappoquin Notes

CAPPOQUIN MACRA NOTES

Christmas Parties — December 22 was the night for partying as the club attended two Christmas parties. The majority of the club joined Kinsalebeg Macra in The Park Hotel and everyone enjoyed the night. The rest of us headed to the Boathouse, Cappoquin, where we joined Ballyduff and Dungarvan clubs. Santa Claus even came two days early to us at this particular party making it a great night of fun.

Pool Tournament - On Tuesday night 3rd January 1995, both teams played Dungarvan in the pool tournament. Both

teams were unlucky on the night. Both will play Kinsalebeg in the next match.

'The First Fifty Years' — Waterford County Macra Na Feirme has published a book, celebrating fifty years of Macra. The book includes history of all the clubs in the county and it would be of particular interest to past members. The book entitled 'The First Fifty Years' is available from our secretary James Meagher and he can be contacted at 058 54104. The cost of the book is £3.

Club Meeting - The club are holding their first meeting of the year next Friday night, 13th January in Affane Hall at 9.00 p.m. sharp. Among the topics to be discussed are the sheep stockjudging and talent competitions. All members are asked to attend.

Indoor Soccer — Finally, for those members, who feel

they have put on a few extra pounds over the festive season Indoor Soccer will resume every Sunday night starting January 8th in Conna Sports Centre. - P.R.O.

AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB

Results January 2 — 1st, Claire Meany and Tom Hackett; 2nd, Teresa Ryan and May Burke; 3rd, Pat Conroy and Andrew McGrath; 4th, Kathleen Barry and Mick Lineen.

MELLERAY DRAMATIC

Card Results 6th January — 1st and 2nd, Mary O'Rourke and Denis McGrath, Anthony Hennessey and Joe O'Shea; 3rd, Joe and Cissie Power. Lucky tables — Anthony O'Rourke and Liam Coleman, Joe and Rose Flynn. Tickets — 1st, Joe Flynn; 2nd, Joe Power; 3rd, Mary O'Neill.

BEREAVED

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Betty Lawlor, Castle Street on the death of her uncle which sad event occurred last week in Abbeyside.

CAPPOQUIN C.Y.M.S. SNOOKER CLUB NOTES

FRANK WALSH PERPETUAL TROPHY SEMI FINALS

Robert Allen (-1) 4 Diarmuid Coughlan (+12) 1, Michael Doherty (-28) 4 Jack McGrath (0) 2

Final result. Best of 11 frames. Handicaps in brackets. Robert Allen (-1) 6 v. Michael Doherty (-28) 5.

This match was played on Bank Holiday Monday 2nd January at 2.00 p.m. The fix-

ture turned out to be a very close encounter indeed.

Robert a surprising finalist, entered his first final in the club in only three seasons. Looking at the handicap status of both players they did very well in reaching the final stages.

Robert had only dropped two frames on his way into the final, on the other hand, Michael had to work very hard indeed, looking at the

handicap it's not surprising.

Michael, reaching his twelfth final in the club was having a nightmare earlier on in the final but after six frames it was three frames all.

In the seventh frame there was to be a turn-around and Robert 'stole' the frame. Michael had only himself to blame as he is quite consistent at wiping off the six colours.

The next two frames were again shared to level the final at 5 frames all.

Michael again went behind as a result of missed simple reds over the pockets in the final frame and every miss was crucial as Robert added to his 27 point advantage (handicap). As long as the reds were potted it made it more and more difficult for Michael as points were disappearing.

Robert on the other hand could not do a thing wrong and proved he is becoming a more formidable player as Michael has taken all five of their previous meetings.

But Michael was not out of the hunt yet as he proved in the second frame, coming from 67 - 9 points down to claim the frame with a clearance of the colours. A bit of good fortune was to come to Robert when leading by 32 points with 35 points remaining, Robert was pleased to see a 'fluke' red disappear into the middle pocket, leaving Michael needing snookers. Michael did not really recover after this and Robert went on to take frame and match by the narrowest of margins.

Congratulations to Robert who deserved victory and his first title.



Members of St. Anne's Post Primary School, Cappoquin who defeated Ard Scoll na nDeise in the first round of the Concern Debates. The debate team is now through to the third round. Group shows (back, left to right) — Sam Maderson, Christine Collender; front — Edel Byrne, Elaine Prendergast. Missing from photo are Christine Collender and Edel Prendergast.

AFFANE - CAPPOQUIN G.A.A NEWS

A.G.M. — The annual general meeting of the club took place on Monday night last. The attendance was most heartening to see so many of our younger members taking an interest in the administration of the club.

Outgoing chairman Jack Cullinane welcomed the members and asked for their cooperation in getting through the huge agenda as quickly as possible. Outgoing secretary Sean Mac Craith presented a detailed report of the money, activities of the past year and was somewhat critical of the poor performance of some of our teams in the championship.

Treasurer Donnacha Mac Craith gave a detailed account of the club finances and suggested that a greater effort be made in the Deise Draw which is now the main source of income for the club.

Both reports were adopted and from the floor Dermot McCarthy complimented both officials not only for their work during the year but also for the excellent way in which their reports were presented.

In an excellent and well delivered address Chairman Jack Cullinane touched on many aspects of club activities. Like the Runai he expressed his concern at the decline of hurling in the Club. The game of hurling was an "art form" he said especially in an area which produced some great players in the past. It is our duty he said to see to it that the game does not die out for the want of effort on our part.

Before the election of officers it was proposed by one of our senior members Eddie O'Shea that in appreciation of the work done that the principal members of the executive be re-elected en-bloc, the entire meeting concerned but the Chairman felt that each position be filled separately and this course was adopted.

The election of officers resulted as follows:- Chairman: Jack Cullinane; Vice Chairman: Eddie Fraher; Secretary: Sean Mac Craith; Assistant Secretary: Mary O'Donoghue; Treasurer: Donnacha Mac Craith; Assistant Treasurer: Pat Casey; P.R.O.s: Eddie Fraher and J. J. Landers; Registrar: Shane Fraher. Committee — M. Fraher, E. O'Shea, J. Mansfield, P. J. Veale, M. Morrissey, J. Buckley, J. Fraher, M. Mason, J. Morrissey, F. McCarthy, M. Murray. Delegates to Western and County Board — Donnacha MacCraith. Delegates to Western and County conventions — Jack Cullinane, Sean Mac Craith, Donnacha Mac Craith. Selectors junior hurling and junior football — M. O'Donoghue, M. Lacey, E. O'Shea, E. Flynn.

The meeting concluded at 10.15 p.m. due in no small measure to the excellent stewardship of Chairman Jack Cullinane.

The club would like to express its appreciation to the management and staff of the sportsman's for the first class arrangements laid on for the annual general meeting.

CAPPOQUIN GIRL GRADUATES



Shirley Landers, Melleray Road, Cappoquin, who graduated with a Bachelor of Education Honours Degree at Mary Immaculate College of Education, Limerick, recently.

CAPPOQUIN AND DISTRICT DARTS LEAGUE

We had a full league programme last week-end after the Christmas break. Division one leaders Lindsay's were in superb form when they travelled to Lalor's winning by eight games to nil. Second placed Morrissey's did not play the week-end but third placed the Tavern dropped well back when they lost 6-2 away to the Village Inn A. The Village Inn also lost ground when they were defeated by 6-2 away to Deckies in a back game. Deckies were at the wrong end of a 6-2 scoreline on Friday when they were away to Kereen. The league table is as follows — Lindsay's 50, Village Inn A 41, Tavern 40, Morrissey's 39, Deckie's 32, Kereen 30, Paddy Mac's A 24, Lalor's 15. Morrissey's and Kereen have a game in hand while Paddy Mac's have two.

In the second division Barry's are still out in front but only just. Barry's were at home to the Village Inn B and won by seven games to one. The Decies Bar kept up their challenge with a superb 6-2 victory in Dunne's. Paddy Mac's B and the Red House drew four all. The league table is as follows - Barry's 53, Decie's 50, Dunne's 43, Paddy Mac's B 30, Red House 29, Cruiscin Lan 27, Village Inn B 27, Castle Lodge 13. The bottom four have a game in hand.

A meeting will take place in the Castle Lodge, Lismore, next Monday 16th at 9 o'clock. All clubs are asked to attend.

DEATH OF FORMER STATION MASTER

The death took place last week-end of Mr. Harry Doyle. Harry was the local C.I.E. stationmaster for a number of years and indeed held the office until the line closed in 1967. He was then transferred to Castlebellingham, Co. Louth. The late Harry and his family were well known locally and participated in many local voluntary bodies. Harry himself was a great G.A.A. follower and was involved in the local club but his main interest lay in the fortunes of his native County Offaly.

A most courteous and efficient Railway man he was well liked and respected by the many customers and travellers who used Cappoquin Station.

Sympathy is extended to his widow May and to his family. May he rest in peace.

CUP WIN FOR CAPPOQUIN A

The two Cappoquin teams met last Sunday in the first round of the cup. It was a hard and fast game but the A team come out the easy winners. Gossie Mason had a superb hat-trick, with goals also from Dave Power, Martin Lacey and Kenneth O'Donnell. The B team scored one goal - thanks to the A team sweeper who went missing? Man of the match would have to be Gossie Mason who played a great game throughout. Final score 6-1 to Cappoquin A.

FIANNA FAIL

— An Pairti Poblachtach

COMHAIRLE DAIL CEANTAIR PHORTLAIRGE

The Annual General Meeting of the above was held recently at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan. The meeting, which was chaired by, at the outset, by outgoing vice-chairman Cllr. Austin Flynn, was attended by over 30 delegates, representing Dungarvan, Kilmacthomas, Lismore, Tramore and Waterford City Comhairli Ceantair.

Also in attendance were Mr. Gerry Collins, M.E.P., Mr. Brendan Kenneally, T.D., Mr. Martin Cullen, T.D., Cllr. Pat Leahy, Constituency Delegate, County and Urban Councillors and Town Commissioners. The election of officers for the coming year was chaired by Cllr. Pat Leahy, Constituency Delegate and resulted as follows: Uachtaran — Patrick J. Kenneally P.C., Waterford City C.C.; Cathaoirleach — Austin Flynn M.C.C., U.D.C., Dungarvan C.C.; Leas-Cathaoirleach — Michael Murphy, Waterford City C.C.; Runai Onorach — Michael Ivory, Tramore C.C.; Oifigeach Poblaoichta — Cllr. Nuala Ryan P.C., Dungarvan C.C.; Cisteoir Oinigh — Martin Mulcahy, Tramore C.C., Maurice Lonergan, Waterford City C.C.; Oifigeach Ogra — Brian Cullen P.C., Waterford City C.C.

The incoming Cathaoirleach, Cllr. Austin Flynn then addressed the meeting and this was followed by a very lively and enthusiastic discussion by the delegates. Mr. Gerry Collins M.E.P. then brought us up-to-date on happenings in Europe, while Mr. Brendan Kenneally T.D., and Mr. Martin Cullen T.D. informed the meeting on Government matters and answered delegates questions. The meeting concluded with votes of sympathy being passed to families and relatives of all members who died during the year.

I wish to take this opportunity, as P.R.O., to wish all members of Fianna Fail in the constituency, a very happy and prosperous New Year. Get well wishes are extended to Johnny Moloney, C.D.C. delegates from Ardmore who was hospitalised over Christmas and a speedy recovery to Cllr. Geoff Power who is presently hospitalised in Waterford. — Oifigeach Pobaoichta.

County Council Votes Of Sympathy

At the January meeting of Waterford Co. Council, members extended their sympathy to Council Chairman, Cllr. Lar Hart and Cllr. Tony Wright who had both experienced sad bereavements over the Christmas period.

Cllr. Hart suffered a dou-

ble bereavement with the death of his father Joe Hart, Kiladangan and his uncle Mick Hart of Lyrattin, Ballinamult, while Cllr. Wright also suffered the loss of his

father, Liam Wright of the Burgery.

The formal vote of sympathy to both Councillors and their families was proposed by Councillor Oliv-

er Coffey, seconded by Councillor Billy Kyne, who said Christmas was an especially poignant time for the death of a family member.

Responding to his colleagues vote of sympathy Cllr. Hart thanked the members on behalf of his family for the concern they had expressed.

As a mark of respect the meeting was subsequently adjourned for a brief period.

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Lismore Notes



1994 DO YOU REMEMBER?

As we said in last week's issue we would take a brief look back at 1994 at some of the events which took place in Lismore or had a bearing on the town. January saw Lismore Town Commissioners request to have representatives from Cork Multi Channel visit Lismore for a public meeting eventually take place. With a few hundred present in Lismore Hotel from Lismore, Cappoquin and Tallow the two representatives were left in no doubt about the dissatisfaction of the subscribers to the new infamous "black box".

February saw the long awaited allocation from the Department of Education for the construction of the Community School in Lismore. The Minister for Education Niamh Breathnach allocated £1.3 million.

At the same time we heard unofficially that the primary schools of C.B.S. and Presentation Convent were also earmarked for amalgamation. Sporting wise, on the 6th February Lismore defeated Modeligo in Lismore by 3 goals to 2 goals in the 2nd round of The Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup. On the 27th February Lismore won the 1/4 final defeating Ardmore in Ardmore 5-4 on penalties after a scoreless 120 minutes. March saw the proposal of the two primary schools in the town to amalgamate gain momentum and meetings were held with the respective boards of management and parents councils.

In March we wrote that the point to point had one of the largest entries ever with over 70 horses being saddled for the 7 races.

In Affane, Lismore played Grange in the semi final of The Cup and were lucky to draw 2 goals each. In the replay at the same venue Lismore won easily 3 goals to nil to set up a Cup final meeting with neighbours Bride View.

April saw Lismore win the Cup in The Cricket Ground (Lismore pitch unplayable due to some very bad weather) by one goal scored by Barney Prendergast. This was the 7th time Lismore won The Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup. John O'Gorman presented his trophy for man of the match to "Busty" Fitzgerald.

St. Carthage's House received a grant of £.5 million for the new 41 housing unit development. After many years of planning the new Health Centre eventually opened in a very spacious building in Parks Road.

May saw a public meeting of parents in Lismore Hotel to hear the plans for the amalgamation of both Primary Schools. A proper sized play-

ing field for the boys was a stumbling block as the new primary school would be situated in the convent, leaving the present primary at the C.B.S. for the Community School. The public meeting ended with the parents no wiser at the end than at the start. The month of June was exciting with the election of the Town Commissioners. Davy Whelan headed the poll with a record number of 1st preferences.

The second annual West Waterford Early Music Festival took place also in June and the town was thronged for the week-end especially on the Sunday for the Pageant. July saw royalty visit Lismore, when Lismore Gymkhana had the Duchess of York on one of Robert Splaines horses. Security was tight for Fergie and she was full of praise for the Castle Farm Grounds where the Gymkhana was held. It was a relief she said to get away from the paparazzi. John Heneghan is elected Chairman of Lismore Town Commissioners, the Water Safety Lessons at the Abha an-Sead had to be abandoned when the river became polluted. This pollution ruined the swimming at "the waterfall" for everyone for the remainder of the summer.

August had the Lismore Festival but the weather proved to be a spoilsport. Lismore Grotto Committee received a statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary from Sr. Imelda Wickham, Provincial Superior of the Presentation sisters and on Wednesday 10th September the statue was put in place in the alcove prepared for it at the grotto.

Lismore Cricket Club was defeated by Cork Church of Ireland at Garryduff in the semi final of The Munster Junior Cup.

Johnny Matthews brought Waterford United to Lismore to play a Red House League selection in aid of charity. The Blues won 2 goals to 1 goal. In September the former Taoiseach Albert Reynolds visited St. Carthage's House on a courtesy visit.

Lismore, senior hurling champions, relinquished their crown to Ballygunner in the County semi-final at Dungarvan.

Lismore camogie club won the County final (senior) by defeating Ardkeen at the Fraher Field after a replay.

On Thursday 8th September The Bishop of Waterford and Lismore, Rev. William Lee blessed the Grotto to the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

In October Lismore C.B.S. defeated De La Salle in the Blue Ribband of Munster Colleges senior hurling The Dr.

Harty Cup.

Ballyduff football club defeated Bride View in the final of The Tony Bolger Cup played in Lismore on Monday 31st October.

The amalgamation of the two primary schools is now official with some slight alterations to the original plans. The primary school will be situated at the convent.

The 4th of November was the day the committee of St. Carthage's House had been waiting for, as the Minister for the Environment Ml. Smith officially opened the new 41 unit housing project for the elderly. The building is a credit to the hardworking committee who deserve so much praise for their effort and commitment.

Sergeant Pat Norris is transferred from Tallow to Lismore.

The month of December arrived with non stop rain.

Work commenced on renewing the footpaths in the Main Street causing disruption to business, but the side of the street that is completed does look well and has the look that the town needs to be a heritage town.

The town of Lismore said goodbye to 1994 at various functions on New Years Eve - The Dramatic Society in Ballyrafter, The Golf Club, The Viennese Ball at Lismore Castle and the Disco at Lismore Hotel.

WELCOME 1995

All we have written is just a very brief look back through 1994. No doubt many of our readers will have other memories or more important events to recall.

One of our highlights must surely have been meeting the Duchess of York at the Lismore Gymkhana and despite no press interviews for any journalists present, she willingly spoke to this correspondent for a short while when we explained that it was a local paper.

The surroundings, peace and quietness of the area would she told us definitely bring her back to Lismore.

LISMORE GAA NOTES

A.G.M. — The annual general meeting of the club takes place on this Sunday January 15th in the clubhouse at 2.30 p.m. sharp. This is the opportunity for people to 'speak their words' and for a full discussion to take place on all aspects on the year gone by. It is hoped to see a full turnout of all players, former players and people who would like to get involved with the club for the forthcoming year. Please note that the meeting starts at 2.30 p.m. sharp.

LISMORE LADIES GOLF CLUB

Results — Wednesday, January 4 — Christmas Prizes — 1st A. Rochford (31) 221/2 pts; 2nd C. Ormond (19) 181/2; 3rd B. Henry (19) 171/2 pts; 4th V. Nugent (12) 17 pts (back 6); 5th M. Renahan (16) 17 pts; 6th S. O'Meara (23) 161/2 pts; 7th M. Cashman (26) 16 pts.

Fixtures — Wednesday, January 18 — 9 Hole Stableford. 9 Hole Stableford ongoing until January 31.

Wishing all our golfers a happy and successful golfing New Year.

BALLINVELLA COMMUNITY CENTRE

Cards results of 3rd January — 1st, Paddy and Eileen Prendergast; 2nd, Bertie Neville and Paddy Moore; 3rd, Jimmy Hornbrook and Mick Crowley.

Tickets — 1st, Timmy Flaherty; 2nd, Jack Frazer; 3rd, Josie Curley. Lucky tables — 1st, Mary Mangan and Jack Frazer; 2nd, Mick and Pat Ormonde.

Get well soon to Tease Power, Campire and sincere sympathy to all the Hornbrooks on the death of Mrs. Chris Hornbrook, Lismore recently. - P.R.O.

PROGRESSIVE 45 DRIVE

A progressive 45 card drive in aid of Fathers Coleman and Broderick Missions will be held on Saturday next, January 14 at 8.45 p.m. in Ballysaggart Community Hall.

ST. CARTHAGE'S HOUSE 45 DRIVE

Results 2nd January — Winners - Moss Morrissey and Mary Whelan, John Pratt and Noel Pratt, Mick Pratt and Pat O'Connor. Raffle — Jack Cotter, Moss Morrissey, John Hickey. Lucky tables — Jim Russell and Mary Canning, Mary Pratt and Rose Prescod.

Results 9th January — Winners - Tom Brennock and Mary O'Neill, Jack Cotter and Bertie Neville, Mary Pratt and Eamonn Cusack. Lucky tables — Jim Russell and Mary Canning, Mick Pratt and Pat O'Connor. Raffle — Mary Mangan, Jack Cotter, Moss Morrissey.

LISMORE BRIDGE CLUB

Results 14th December — 1st, May Burke and Tom Roche; 2nd, Ann Murphy and Marjorie O'Brien; 3rd, Greta Barry and Mike Lineen.

21st December, Christmas Party — 1st, Ann Murphy and Jenny Allen; 2nd, Martha Keniry and Marjorie O'Brien; 3rd, Teresa Doocey and Maureen Hales; 4th, Teresa Ryan and May Burke; 5th, Greta Barry and Tom Ryan; 6th, Molly McCarthy and Kathleen Barry; 7th, Tom Roche and Stephen Hales; 8th, Betty Kelleher and Brid Bergin; 9th, Mary Radford and Addie Buckley.

LISMORE DRAMATIC SOCIETY

As we briefly outlined last week the story of "Little Shop Of Horrors", has everything one would ask for in a musical - timeless lyrics, superb plot, and a mixture of horror, romance and fun.

The story opens in a Jewish florists shop in New York. Musitnik (Pat O'Halloran) has a moderately successful business. He has a shy, quiet assistant Seymour (Billy Lee) who develops (by a unique method) a plant. This plant becomes the talk of the country - radio, T.V., papers and magazines compete with each other to interview Seymour. His fame grows as the plants infamy grows as well (although this is only known to Seymour). His love life improves with his girlfriend Audrey (Yvonne Murphy). She has a particularly peculiar relationship with a professional man Orin (Denis Fitzgerald). However true love wins out in the end (or does it??). As the paper says - all human life is there.

A particularly interesting feature of this musical is that practically throughout we get a running commentary from three ladies who could loosely be described as our answer to The Supremes. The trio, Crystal (Mandy Coleman), Ronnette (Phyl McGrath) and Chiffon (Aileen Murphy) are a revelation. All through the show they are disinterested observers (apparently) who make musical comments on all that happens on the stage. Their contribution is invaluable to the show.

Tom Murphy (Stage Manager) has assembled an enviable array of helpers to have everything ship shape for the show.

Our musical director Donal Kennefick has his orchestra in full flow - Dermot Dwyer (Percussion), Johnny Hughes (guitar) and Michael Casey (keyboard).

Our show runs from Thursday January 26th - Friday February 3rd (except Monday 30th) at 8.15 p.m. Tickets bookable at Maddens (058 - 54148).

LISMORE BADMINTON NOTES

Our first division mixed team finished off 1994 on a disappointing note with a big defeat away to Tullaghough. They are hoping to make amends this week, however, with a home game against Waterford. With Sharon off on her travels Nora comes back into action this week, let's hope for a good start for 1st division in 1995.

Team — P. Morrissey, C. Coleman, P. Ahearn, B. Lyons, A. Dunne, S. Warren N. O'Sullivan.

The 3rd division team had two important encounters at the end of 1994. One was away to Dungarvan where we won the two mixed games, but after some thrilling battles had to give way to Dungarvan in the ladies and mens doubles.

The second game was at home to De La Salle. On the night Lismore had a great start with Brian, Paul and Kieran winning 1st and 2nd mens doubles. Mag and Jo Jo took 1st ladies to go 3 games up, unfortunately that was to be our lot with the 2nd ladies doubles and both mixed games going to De La Salle. Both the mixed sets went to three sets and Lismore should really have taken the points on their home ground, but the city team had the edge on the night.

Team - B. O'Gorman, P. Walshe, K. Cahill, M. Morrissey, C. Dowd, J. J. Tobin.

This week 3rd division have a tough game away to Toura-neena let's hope they get the start they need for 1995.

The club would like to send deepest sympathy to the Dowd and Hornbrook families on their recent bereavement.

We would also like to wish Sharon, David and Amy bon voyage and good luck on their new start down under. - P.R.O.

LISMORE AND CAPPOQUIN CREDIT UNION LTD.

The following officers were elected following the A.G.M.:-

Chairman: Gerard Walsh; Vice Chairman: Paddy Lawton; Secretary: David Lee; Treasurer: Eleanor Burns.

Credit Committee — Paddy Lawton, Mary Murphy, Betty Lalor, Ena Cullinane, Gerard Walsh.

Supervisory Committee — Dermot O'Leary, Rose Campion, Donal Kennifick.

Directors also elected — Alice Kiely, Helen McGrath, Joe Bennett, Eddie O'Shea, William Leahy, Mgt. Casey.

GALAXY 1994

During the Christmas break we received a copy of Galaxy 1994, a magazine produced by the Transition Year Pupils of Lismore Presentation Convent.

There are stories, poems, interviews all compiled by the students themselves, and we would recommend the magazine which only costs £1.

Next week we will discuss some of the items in detail.

WED IN U.S.A.

KILROSSANTY NOTES



The wedding took place recently in Brighton, Boston, U.S.A. of Mr. Oliver Aherne, Ballyphilip, Knockanore, Co. Waterford and Miss Pauline Burke, Athenry, Co. Galway.

WALK
Kathleen O'Brien, Adra-mone, will undertake a walk from Waterford to Leamybrien on January 27th to raise funds for Childrens Hospital, Dublin. Anyone wanting to fill a card for same can be had from Kathleen. This is for a good cause. Best of luck to Kathleen.

DEATHS
Deepest sympathy is extended to the following who suffered bereavements in the last week. Tom Riordan, Ballintlea on the death of his aunt Nell Mulcahy, Carrick-on-Suir who was buried in Carrick-on-Suir on Friday; Kay Veale and Mary Coffey on the death of their aunt Bridie Mears, Kilmacthomas, burial took place in Newtown on Saturday; Mrs. Mary Cunningham, Boolattin on the death of her brother Paddy Ryan, Ballymacarbry, who was buried in Bennett's Church Cemetery on Sunday; Linda Daly, Mahonbridge on the death of her grandfather Ned Walsh who was buried in Newtown Cemetery on

Friday last. May they all rest in peace.

HOME
Welcome home to Pat, Margaret and Ann Harty, Bellaheen who returned last week from a holiday in Africa spending the Christmas there. Also to Billy, Peggy, Fiona, Richard and Aidan Walsh, Leamybrien who spent Christmas with the rest of the family in England.

GAY BYRNE
The Gay Byrne team will be visiting Lyre Heritage Centre this Thursday and will be broadcasting live on their radio show so listen in at 9.10.

DEATH
The death took place in Dungarvan District Hospital on Saturday last of Brigid Ciss Walsh, Glendaligan, she was predeceased by her husband Pat only three months ago. Burial took place in Kilrossanty Cemetery. May she rest in peace. (Full obituary next week)

COMMUNITY ALERT
The annual general meeting of Kilrossanty community

Alert was held recently. Officers elected as follows — Chairman: Phil Cusack; Secretary: William Walsh. Next meeting on January 23rd at 8.30 p.m. in Kilrossanty hall. We would like to see more people at these meetings.

CARDS
As a mark of respect on the death of Ciss Walsh the cards were cancelled last Monday night. They will resume next Monday night.

A.G.M.
The annual general meeting of the Hall will be held on Tuesday night 17th January at 8.30 p.m.

KILROSSANTY G.A.A. NOTES

Annual General Meeting — Last Friday night our A.G.M. was held in the clubhouse in St. Brigid's Park. After the outgoing chairman outlined the agenda to be discussed, the meeting got underway. Eileen Walsh read out her report on the Development Draw and thanked the promoters for their work during the year. Noel Power, along with Liam Brazil then outlined the financial position up to the end of last year. This led to a debate about the expenses concerning injuries with the situation to be reviewed shortly.

The outgoing secretary Jim Maher commented on the Under 21 football success and said that there was great

hope for the coming year in the senior grade if the right commitment is given by all the players. The underage scene was dealt with by chairperson Nora Kirwan and some of the selectors. The 1993 Under 14 football B county title was finally awarded to the club after a lot of controversy.

Sean Lennon addressed the meeting and proceeded to give a very good report concerning everything that happened within the club in the past year. He thanked the organisers for their magnificent work in the lead up to the Presentation Night which was a huge success.

The election of officers for the coming year then took place.

Adult First Aid Officers — T.D.A.; Underage First Aid Officers — T.B.A.; Kit Officers — T.B.A.; Field Managers — Jimineen Power, D. O'Brien, Jimmy Power; Caretaker — T.B.A.; Co. Board Draw Co-ordinator — Eileen Walsh; Membership Officer — Eddie Walsh; Underage Chairman — Tony Coffey; Underage Secretary — John Power; Underage Committee — T.B.A.; Under 14 Football Selectors — T. Coffey, V. Kirwan, (one more T.B.A. at first underage meeting); Under 16 and minor football selectors — T. Coffey, V. Kirwan, T. Keating; Under 14, 16 and minor football selectors — Jimineen Power; Under 10 and Under 12 football selectors — John Power, N. Walsh, T. Prendergast; Under 10 and Under 12 football trainer/coach - John Power.

Presidents - Fr. Frawley, D. Maguire, P. Veale, S. Ormonde, M. Walsh; Vice Presidents — Fr. O'Brien, Jimmy Power, Sean Baldwin, Jimmy Power, D. Prendergast, John Walsh (Snr.), Pa Walsh.

Chairman — S. Lennon; Vice Chairman — John Power; Secretary — P. Prendergast; Assistant Secretary — Jim Maher; Registrar — Jim Maher; Joint Treasurers — N. Power and L. Brazil; P.R.O. — S. Coffey; Adult Committee — T.B.A.; Delegates to County and Western Boards — T.B.A.

Senior Football Coach — F. Kelly; Senior Football Trainer — Jimineen Power; Senior Football Selectors — F. Kelly, T. Keating, V. Kirwan; Senior Football Captain — R. Power; Senior Football Vice Captain — P. Power; Junior Football Selectors — T. Keevers, H. Quinn, J. Kiely; Junior Football coach — F. Kelly; Junior Football Trainer — Jimineen Power; Junior Football Captain and Vice Captain — T.B.A.

Under 21 Football Selectors — T. Keating, H. Quinn, J. Kirwan; Under 21 Football Captain - M. Kiely; Under 21 Football Vice-Captain — N. O'Connor. Junior Hurling Manager — C. O'Donovan.

Membership — Anybody still to pay membership must do so by January 31st.

Clotto — The Clotto draw will take place on Sunday night in Crotty's Inn.

MUSICAL TREAT FOR DUNGARVAN!

Dungarvan will be treated to a feast of music on this Friday night, January 13, when St. Mary's Choral Society from Clonmel stages its sparkling presentation of

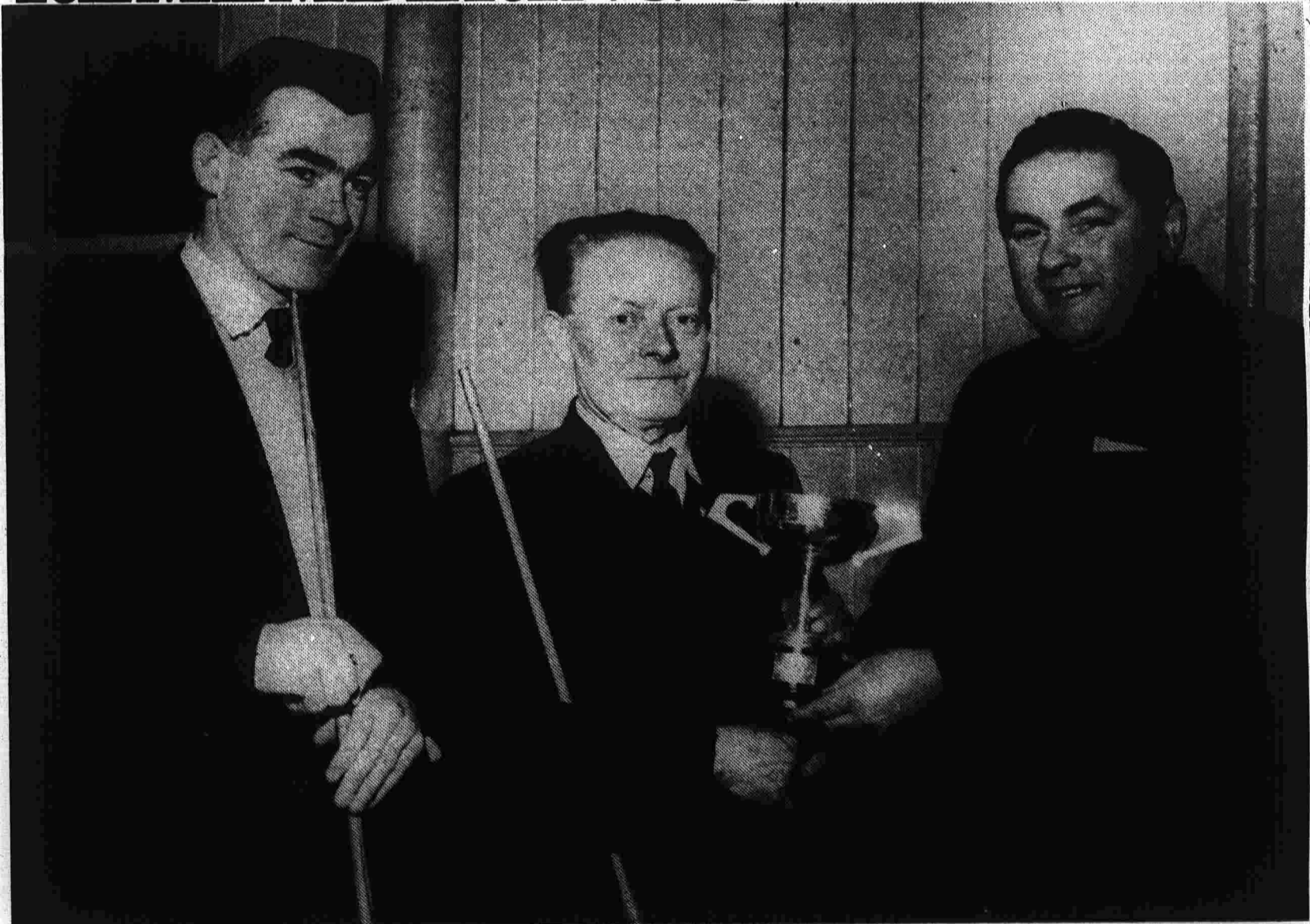
"Showstoppers" in Lawlor's Hotel.

With a cast of 50 soloists, chorus and dancers, the show features some of the best known excerpts from the

world of the popular stage musical, blended with a generous helping of the hits of Simon & Garfunkel and topped off with a layer of contemporary Irish works.

Tickets for "Showstoppers," which is being hosted by The Friends of Dungarvan District Hospital, can be had from Lawlor's, or from Libby Flynn at 058/43462.

REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



The photograph for our "Remembering Other Days" series this week takes us back to the early sixties and was taken at the presentation of the Billiards Championship Trophy in the National & Commercial Club, Mary street, Dungarvan, which was one of the big events of the year in the club at that time. Photo shows Michael Wade, Friary Street presenting the cup to the winner Tommy Butler, Quay Street with runner-up Billy Kiely, Shandon Street, looking on. All three have since, sadly, passed on to their eternal reward. Readers with photographs for publication in this series should send them on to our offices at O'Connell Street, Dungarvan. The photographs will be well looked after and can be collected again or returned by us after publication.

TALLOW NOTES

TALLOW G.A.A. NOTES

John Hartigan's Memories

John Hartigan is an octogenarian now. You can meet him any day in Tallow or on the Lismore-Tallow road or the Tallow-Fermoy road as he strolls along, his faithful German Shepherd, Ben, loping in his wake trying to match his pace stride for stride. His upright bearing and firm purposeful stride are a reminder of the once powerful hurler whose memories of his youth, his minor years in the 20's and of his prime in the 30's and 40's remain undimmed.

As a boy he was smitten by an enduring love of hurling. Like all boys at the time he knew his place and that place at the hurling field. Curley's Field, was behind the goal while the adult players got on with their training. A little like the Bible story where the poor man Lazarus was dependent for his food on the crumbs from the rich man's (Dives) table, John and his pals had to await the occasional wide or score for a puck. Over a three-hour period he could get possession maybe a few dozen times and was already learning how to dispute possession with others, even behind the goals. His fascination with hurling grew and his interest increased as his young talents blossomed. Besides one learned as much from observing the adults in actions as he did from peripheral participation.

Beecher's Yard in West Street was another training venue for John. Beecher's were bakers and grocers and the boys of the family — Paul, Billy and Jack — had two passions — greyhounds and hurling. John had a polite interest in dogs. Some of his best friends were dogs, even before Ben came into his life, but hurling dominated his life almost to the exclusion of all else. The side expanse of Beecher's yard and garden offered a heaven-sent chance for hurling. No easy task because the surface was of clay and stones, (none of your tarmac or concrete) but then John was, like all good

hurlers, a consummate ground striker, left or right.

The regime was simple. First Mass on Sunday, then to the field where hurleys swung until the pangs of hunger reminded them of dinner. After dinner it was back once more to the field until tea time. In summer it was hurling again after tea until the shades of evening enveloped the pitch and darkness brought a halt to the activity. The emphasis at all times was on hurling the ball on the ground. No wonder John's generation were accomplished ground strikers. Because he was so adept with the ground ball he was masterly in the air throughout his career as I well remember. Most present day hurlers don't realise how good ground striking makes every other hurling stroke easier.

In his teens John was a considerable hurler. Selected on the Waterford minor team, he found himself lining out at full back when his team took on Tipperary in Thurles in the Munster championship where the powerful home team proved too strong for the Decies. Interestingly enough he preferred centre back to any other position and my memories of John in that position were of a solid unyielding rock of a man who coped comfortably with any ball, high or low. When I saw him he was past his prime but I can still remember his commanding presence, the absolute ease with which he repulsed attacks and how little he needed to handle the sliotar.

Tallow were crowned junior hurling county champions in 1925 and John had a clear remembrance of that campaign and of the great caman-wilders who represented his native town. Too young himself to be part of the panel he derived inspiration from Jim Deane, Bob and Noel Condon, Tom Burke, Frank Ryan and Jack Slattery (the midfield pairing). Jim Deane father-figure and goalie that year was grandfather of the Sheehan's Billy, Noel, David, Sean and

Pat as well as Mairead and Bernie all of whom, in one way or another, have become part of the Tallow G.A.A. story. Frank Ryan, internationally celebrated tenor, was grandfather of Kieran, Frankie, Con and Aidan Ryan all of whom backboned Tallow teams of the 60's, 70's 80's.

The year 1930 saw the rich fulfilment of the promise of John's earlier years when he tasted county success for the first time, five years after watching Tallow's first win in the junior grade. For the county junior hurling final in Waterford against Ballytruckle he lined out at left half back. In all of the earlier rounds he played in the no. 6 jersey but centre back on that big day was Bill Henley with the great Tom Burke captaining Tallow from right half back. In goal, just as he was 5 years previously, was Jim Deane. It was to be Jim's last game for Tallow after a twelve year span of consistent service.

Tom Burke and Jim were the only survivors from Tallow's first ever hurling match on October 5, 1919 against Castleyons in Aghern, which Tallow won by a point. Seventy five years ago!

Tallow had many stars on that Autumn Sunday in 1930 because the teams was a well-balanced combination. Pa and Billy Sheehan had established themselves as a formidable centre field. Mick Curley (yes, the man who afterwards won fame between the posts), Noel, Pat and Ned Condon, with Michael Hickey of Rosybower and Willie O'Brien were a free-scoring forward line. Pat Condon was a brother of Noel and Bob who starred in the 1925 final.

A report on the Dungarvan Observer of that time (the Dungarvan Leader had yet to come into existence) read: "Hartigan played brilliantly. He seemed to be everywhere and gave yeoman service." High praise indeed. The sub list throws up some names ever afterwards associated with Tallow hurling — Tommy Sheehan, Jimmy Cunningham, Dave Doyle, Jack Burke, Mick Harty, Mick Mullahy and Joe Prendergast. Two Knockanore men were on the panel, John Donovan and William Browne.

Tallow, by winning that final, were now senior hurlers and looked forward with great anticipation to measuring themselves against the senior big guns in 1931 when they would have to tangle with the Dungarvan's, Lismore's, Erin's Own's and Mt. Sion's of this world. Subsequent championships were to show that Tallow could more than cope with the best not alone of Waterford club sides, but of

Cork's, Tipperary's and Kilkenny's best too. (To be continued).

BALLYNOE BOWLING CLUB NOTES

In the East Cork Novice Team championship on New Year's Day, Pat Murphy, Pat Sullivan and Joe Neville were in action at Ballynoe. This was the second round, they threw against Cobh 'B' team and true to form our boys came out on top, winning comfortably by 3 bowls of odds.

This team is now into the quarter finals, so keep up the good work lads.

A date for the final of the juvenile tournament will be set shortly, and also a new novice tournament will be getting under way soon, so watch this space.

TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Bingo Results from January 8 — Mick Cashman, Lismore; Deirdre Donnelly, Woodview Park; John O'Shea, Castlelyons; Peggy Murray, Convent Street; Mrs. Enright; Emma Feeney; Johnny Dalton; Caroline O'Sullivan, Fermoy; Mary Buckley, Woodview Park; Ann Walsh, Dunmoon; Sinead from U.S.A.; Marion Forbes, Woodview Park; Ann Murphy, Woodview Park; Catherine Pratt, Convent Street; Angela Clancy, Aghern; Tom Hartigan, Conna; Mrs. Ahern, Ballynoe; Mrs. Feeney, Ballyduff; Mary Daly, Castlelyons; Nuala Rolan, Woodview Park (£575 jackpot); Peg Aherne, Ballynoe; Michael Geary, Knockanore; Seamus Woods, Woodview Park.

TALLOW AND DISTRICT ANGLING CLUB

The annual general meeting is on Friday, January 20 at the Bride View Bar, commencing at 8.30 p.m. sharp. Please note that members living in the Tallow district will be allowed to vote and under no circumstances will members outside that area be accepted as officers in the incoming committee.

At this point in time I would like to thank all my fellow officers and committee for their help and co-operation during the past year. Thanks to our Chairman MI. Delaney for all his help and guidance during my term of office. A very special word of thanks to Gena and Alan Syver for the use of their premises for all our meetings, free of charge, and often with sandwiches provided at no cost. To Gena and Alan, once again, on behalf of all our members a very big thank you. Thanks to the Dungarvan Leader for all their publicity. — R. Pratt P.R.O.

BRIDE VIEW UNITED NOTES

Bride View New League Leaders

Inch 1 Bride View United 5

Bride View are the new league leaders. On Sunday last United got back on the winning trail and went top of Division One after defeating East Cork side Inch.

United were well on top but the first goal did not come until the 30th minute. Philly Curley took a shot from the edge of the box which took a slight deflection and the ball ended up in the net.

Two minutes later United were two up. A free kick just outside the box was sent low into the corner by John P. Grey. Stuart Barry grabbed United's third goal after 43 minutes, to leave United 3-0 in front at the break.

United started where they left off on the attack. A Stuart Barry header just grazed the crossbar but slowly Inch clawed their way back into the game. A James Fogarty goal after 64 minutes lifted Inch. Inch came more into the game but United upped the pace and when Barry set up Grey to score after 72 minutes there was only one side in the game after this.

The final goal came in the 88th minute when Pat Murphy set up Brian Henley to score from close range.

A good win this for the Tallow side which takes them to the top of the league table.

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

Lotto — Last weeks number 7, 8, 15. The jackpot was £1,100 and yes we had a winner Margaret Daly of Convent Street won the jackpot. Congratulations Margaret. £10 winners — Joe Donnelly, Leonard Fraser Snr., Catherine Brown, Peg O'Brien and Billy McNamara. Jackpot this week is £200. Draw in Bride View Bar.

Best Wishes — From all in the club to Kit Fitzgerald of Woodview Park who is in hospital at the moment. Kit we are sorry the lotto jackpot went on you last week.

Happy Birthday — From all in the club to Margaret Murphy who celebrated her birthday last Monday. Now was it twenty something or a bit more. Say no more on this subject.

IMOKILLY PEOPLE EAST CORK/WEST WATERFORD LEAGUE

U-14 League: Mogeely 5 Bride View United 1

Our U-14 team went down away to Mogeely on Saturday last. However, the scoreline does not reflect the effort put in by a United squad who made this game a thriller.

Mogeely took the lead in the 3rd minute and Maurice McGrath brought off a marvellous save in the 10th minute before Shane McCarthy equalised for United in the 15th minute. Some slack marking by United's defence a minute later saw Mogeely restore their one goal advantage which they held onto 'till the break despite some tremendous pressure by United. William Henley had a shot well saved by the 'keeper and Paul O'Brien was unlucky with a header which just grazed the crossbar.

In the second half David O'Brien broke through the 38th minute but the 'keeper saved well when a goal looked certain. The turning point in the game came ten minutes into the second half when United's centre half had to come off after picking up an injury. Mogeely had the better of the game after this although Paul and David O'Brien both had shots saved. However, the East Cork side scored three times between the 19th and 26th to run out deserving winners after a marvellous game.

United — M. McGrath, D. Aherne, P. Tobin, D. Beecher, A. Tobin, P. O'Brien, S. McCarthy, P. Murray, O. Fitzgerald, D. O'Brien and W. Henley. Res. - K. Keating and P. Geary both used.

FIXTURES

Imokilly People Schoolboy Leagues. U-12 League — Bride View United v. Inch, kick off 2.30 p.m.

Red House League. Sunday 15th January:- Division One: Bride View United v. Inch, kick off 11.30 a.m. Division Two: Affane v. Bride View United, kick off 2.30 p.m.

News To Hand — "The Party" of the year is coming up next month. Everyone and anyone will be there. The band is booked well so we are told. Invitations will be in the post shortly. Whose party is it I hear you say. Watch this space.

MRS. MADGE McGRATH

We record with very sincere regret the death of Mrs. Madge McGrath, Ballymuddy, Knockanore, which took place on Wednesday December 21st, in St. George's Hospital, Tooting, London.

Mrs. McGrath was a member of a well known Knockanore family and news of her death has been received in the area with feelings of profound sorrow and regret.

Burial took place in Lambeth Cemetery, Tooting on January 4. She is survived by her husband Liam, son John Joe, sisters May in London and Chrissie in Youghal and relatives to whom we extend deep and sincere sympathy on their sad loss.

BIG NIGHT FOR CARMILITE CONVENT FUNDS

Tallow Community Centre will host a big fund raising night for the Carmelite Convent Building Fund on this Friday night, January 13th. Special entertainers the Leaside Singers from Cork will be on stage and the show commences at 8.15 p.m. sharp. This group are no strangers to Tallow and the surrounding areas and patrons can be assured of a top class night's entertainment. The hall will be specially heated for the occasion and admission is £4 including teas etc. As well patrons will have the chance to win prizes on the night.

Tickets can be had from Con Ryan (058) 56502, Tom Mulcahy (058) 56516 or Bart O'Donoghue (058) 56160. Hurry, don't be disappointed.

ABBEYSIDE TOPICS

OUR LOCALITY

Recently a census of Ireland undertaken in the late seventeenth century has come to hand and outlines some interesting statistics about the spread of population in various areas of the Parish of Abbeyside, Ballinroad and Garranbane. The document was edited by Mr. Seamus Pender, M.A., a former lecturer in history at University College, Cork.

Townland	No. of Native Eng. People	Irish
Abbeyside	44	41
Ballinle-hissery	10	10
Ballinacourty	6	6
Ballinroad	4	4
Garrinageragh	12	12
Clonroskeran	37	35
Clonea	35	35

By way of information and interest we include the statistics for Dungarvan:

Dungarvan Town	213	178	35
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The document also outlined the frequency of the principal Irish names and their number: McGrath 5, Carbery 5, McDonagh 5,

McDaniell 5, Offling 6, Fowlow 12, Fitzgerald 4, Hagherin 5, Kennedy 5, Kelly 10, Morrissey 10, Mullany 5, Nagle 7, Power 12, McShane 8, Shearhy 5, McThomas 6, Tobin 5, White 8.

TENNIS AND GOLF

With the very mild weather during last weekend, the tennis courts on the Causeway were extremely busy. Also, Dungarvan golf club's course at Knocknagranagh was dotted with players as they began to wind down after the festive season.

Community Centre Project

Last June during the campaign for the Urban Council elections, the provision of a community centre for all age groups in Abbeyside was a very topical issue. During 1995 Abbeyside people would like to see the urban councillors indicate their commitment to this project by dealing with the issue of making land available in a suitable location for this project.

Whisperings From the Poor Man's Seat

Conversationally, it was said that Abbeyside's minor footballers who won the county championship by defeating Tramore in the final were technically the best team ever produced by the club.

Pioneer Folk Group

The local group take part in the Munster semi-final in Pallasgreen, Co. Limerick on Sunday next, January 15. The group comprises of six girls — Karen Murphy, Gemma Flynn, Caroline Condon, Deirdre Nagle and Marie and Laura Cliffe. They have been practising continuously over the holiday period and they bring with them our best wishes in Munster.

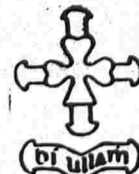
Abbeyside Scout Notes

TROOP MEETING

It was the first meeting of the New Year with lots of confusion about when the meeting took place. The meeting started with the prayer, and subs were taken by S.L. Sean. After this the S.L. played a version of snatch the bacon and the other objects which included a chair, pen and a box. This game proved to be good for a laugh with the score being kept by A.S.L. Mark and Ronan McCarthy's team winning easily. The stars of this game were Tomas Kiely and Killian Phelan.

Next we had the monthly drill competition with the right turn proving too much for Graham Shepherd and with Killian Phelan proving his form by winning 100 pts for his patrol for the N.L.B. Second was P.L. Michael Fives getting 50 pts and Rick Hanrahan getting 25 pts. Well done all.

It was time for some rope work and the troop was broken up into three groups with a P.L. or A.P.L. in each group which "knew" their stuff, "not"! After a few knots were tried and tied, the leaders showed the groups how they were meant to be



done. To test the patrols we did a relay game, gave a different knot to each member of the patrol and a use of same. It was at this stage we or rather S.L. Sean decided to test the vocal cords of the troop with some of the old favourites of the den and campfires of past camps. Was there really cuckoos in the den (ask Garvan and Co.)? Meeting ended with notices and prayers.

Court of honour was held at the patrol meeting on Sunday morning.

MONTHLY PARADE THIS FRIDAY 13th

Monthly parade this Friday, January 13 at 7.30 p.m. Full uniform, no white socks and black shoes only. Meeting Saturday night, mufti with neckerchief.

Happy New Year to all in the area connected to the 4th.

— Scribes

ABBEYSIDE GIRL GUIDES

PANTOMIME OUTING DETAILS

Saturday, January 14 — meet at the Den at 12 noon, returning to Den at 6 p.m. Bring: packed lunch, a small amount of sweets for consumption during the panto; plastic bag for rubbish.

Wear — Ladybirds: navy tracksuit, red neckerchief and black woggle, dark

socks and dark shoes or runners; plain red hair accessories only. Brownies — yellow sweatshirt and navy culottes, navy neckerchief and woggle, navy badge sash, white knee socks or white tights, dark shoes, plain yellow hair accessories only.

Note — No extra money is required. Everyone is responsible for their own belongings. No chewing gum

is allowed. Nobody is allowed to eat or drink while on the bus. Further enquiries to Ann or Jenny on 058-44273.

MEETINGS

Ladybird and Brownie meetings return to normal this week. Guides return Friday, January 20, 7 p.m. sharp. Patrol Leaders please contact members as full attendance at this meeting is essential.

Annual Senior Citizens' Party

The organising committee are now all set for another bumper social which will take place at Clonea Hotel on Sunday next, January 15 at 2 p.m. Transport to the function will be provided by the Abbeyside-Ballinacourty GAA Club members and those requiring transport will be collected at around 1.15 p.m. Those wishing to be collected should give their names to members of the ladies committee.

It is sincerely hoped that the senior citizens have a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon of fun, dance and song.

The annual collection for the above fund will take place on the weekend of January 21/22 outside all churches in the parish of Abbeyside, Ballinroad and Garranbane and also outside churches in Dungarvan.

News Items

People wishing to have items of news, social and personal, etc., published on this page next week please telephone 058-41836.



CAUSEWAY TENNIS CLUB, ABBEYSIDE — Photo shows group of winners and runners-up in the recent Open Mixed Tournament, sponsored by Sterling Winthrop. Included in the photo are Jim O'Dwyer, Sterling Winthrop (sponsors), Donal McGovern, President Causeway Tennis Club, Nial Herlihy and Ger Cusack, tournament directors. —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

WEST WATERFORD NOTES



CARD RESULTS

On Monday night last three pairs divided the main prizes at the 45 Drive in Clashmore. On eight games each we have Batt Curran and Eamonn Meehan, Pat Condon and Noel Nugent, Chrissie Cotter and Joy Byrne. Best of the last five — Brian Foley and John Connery, Edmond and Kay Ledingham. Last game winners — Paddy and Nell Foley, Mary Coughlan and Birdie Cunningham. Congratulations to all.

GARDEN TOPS IN LIMERICK

Regular visitors to Clashmore Paddy and Mary Long from Herbertstown, Co. Limerick have just enjoyed the past week-end in Clashmore.

During his visit Paddy received many messages of congratulations and good wishes following the 1994 success of his garden in competitions at local and national level.

A regular prize winner down through the years Paddy's hard work was well rewarded this year when he won the Limerick County Council county competition making Paddy's garden the Pride of Limerick. He then went on to be placed 3rd in Munster National Garden of Ireland. To crown it all Paddy's garden was also placed 3rd in the National competition in the "All Ireland for Containers" section.

A wonderful achievement Paddy, all your friends were delighted to learn of your success and long may you enjoy gardening.

SYMPATHY TO MRS. FRANCES O'REILLY

The members of the Clashmore Tidy Towns Association and the many friends of Mrs. Frances O'Reilly, Clashmore and England were deeply saddened to learn of the death of her niece Ursula Bowles, Glanmire, Co. Cork at Cork University Hospital on Friday last January 6th following an illness. This is the second bereavement for this family in recent months as Mrs. O'Reilly lost her brother Joseph in October.

Ursula's removal took place from the hospital mortuary to St. Joseph's Church, Glanmire on Saturday evening last and following requiem Mass on Monday morning Ursula was laid to rest in Rathcooney Cemetery.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Continued good wishes for a speedy recovery to little Chloe Walsh baby daughter of Siobhan (nee Curran) and James Walsh, Kinsalebeg who has been a patient in St. Finbarr's Hospital, Cork over Christmas and is now home making a full recovery.

DEATH OF MRS. BETTY MURPHY

The death has occurred on this Tuesday evening of Mrs.

Betty Murphy, Youghal mother of Mr. T. Murphy, Coolboa, Clashmore. Funeral later this week.

AID CANCER TREATMENT

Clashmore branch of Aid Cancer Treatment will hold their church gate collections throughout West Waterford this week-end January 14th and 15th. Collections will be taken up at the following churches: Aghlish, Ballinacree, Cappoquin, Lismore, Ballysaggart, Affane, Colligan, Kilbrien, Kilgobinet, Ring/Old Parish, Clashmore/Piltown, Ardmore/Grange, Mount Stuart, Knockanore, Glendine, Kilwatermoy, Talbot, Fourmilewater/Nirè, Touraneena, Modeligo, Mt. Melleray, Gortroe/Ballymacoda.

Anyone wishing to help with collections should contact Clashmore A.C.T. Chairman John Trihy or any member of the committee.

We are asking everyone to give generously to these collections.

Collections Next Weekend: On the week-end of January 21st/22nd Church gate collections will be held in Killeagh and Inch. Here again we are asking for lots of support.

East Waterford Collections: The following churches were omitted from the pre-Christmas list of church gate collections for East Waterford. Once again a big thank you to all the people of East Waterford for their generous response. Saleen £26.54, Stradbally £116.51.

CLASHMORE - KINSALEBEG G.A.A. ITEMS

Annual General Meeting — A very constructive and well attended A.G.M. of Clashmore - Kinsalebeg G.A.A. Club took place in the clubhouse, Clashmore on Thursday night last January 5th.

The meeting commenced with the minutes of our last A.G.M. followed by a very detailed and positive secretary's report which outlined our successful victories in the Under 21 hurling Western final and the Western minor football. Also the very successful silver jubilee celebrations of our victorious 1969 Junior hurling and Intermediate football County finalists. Our Treasurer reported the finances of the club to be in a healthy situation.

This was followed by the election of officers and the officer board representing the club for 1995 are as follows: President: Joseph O'Keefe; Vice Presidents: Very Rev. Maurice O'Gorman and Very Rev. Gerard O'Connor; Chairman: Dan Leahy; Vice Chairman: Roger Hynes; Secretary: Noel Nugent; Assistant Secretary: Billy O'Halloran; Treasurer: Martin Lynch;

P.R.O.: Noel Nugent.

Committee - Fr. O'Gorman, Michael Hynes, Mossie Curran, Noel Nugent, Martin Lynch, Roger Hynes, Dan Leahy. Also on the committee will be a representative from the juvenile club and a representative from the ladies football.

Ending the meeting on a positive note our hopes are high for a victory in Intermediate football and junior hurling county championships this year. We have in our club a wealth of talented players at present and we look forward to a very sporting 1995.

1995 VOICE OF CLASHMORE

Following last Monday nights meeting of the Clashmore Tidy Towns Association dates have now been arranged for the first three opening rounds of the 1995 Voice of Clashmore which gets underway on February 4th (not February 5th as stated last week).

The first round will take place at The Decies Lounge, Clashmore. The second opening round will be held at The Old Still on February 11th and the third opening round will take place at The Rising Sun on February 18th.

Anyone wishing to sing at any of the above venues may do so by contacting any of the following David Foley (024) 96486, Finbarr McSweeney (024) 96188, Veronica Curran (024) 96402.

Once again there are some valuable prizes on offer with the winner taking home £100 plus a beautiful trophy, hile each of the runner-ups will receive a beautiful piece of crystal. Prizes well worth singing for so get in tune.

LOTTO

Clashmore Tidy Towns and The Decies Darts club seem to be keeping a tight rein on their Lotto Jackpot which once again was not won this week.

Last Saturday's jackpot had reached £500 and while we had no winner we had three people sharing the match three numbers prize of £50. Sean Woods, Abbeyside; Fergal O'Brien, Grange and Jim Fitzgerald, Coolboa. Congratulations, Sean, Fergal and Jim!

Next week the jackpot reaches the grand total of £550 so get your numbers in early.

DECIES DARTS CLUB

Our dart players are back in action following the Christmas break and we are delighted to report victory in our first match of 1995 when we were away to Dunnes, Touraneena with a final score of 6-2.

Next week-end we are back home in Clashmore where we will play the team from Barry's of Tallow.

CLASHMORE PLOUGHING ASSOCIATION

Annual Social - Anyone who might be under the impression that socials were a thing of the past, had all their thoughts dispelled following last Saturday's hugely successful annual Clashmore Ploughing Social which was held at Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan. Tickets were fully sold out for the event, the excellent meal and fantastic music of the Zodiacs made everyone's night enjoyable.

Special guest on the night was county chairman Tom Kirwan and his wife Pauline. In his address Mr. Kirwan paid special tribute to the late Bill Kennefick founder member of many ploughing associations throughout Waterford, who passed to his eternal reward during the past year. He also congratulated Clashmore Ploughman Seamie McGrath and Paddy Barron who were among the prize winners at this year's All Ireland ploughing at Wexford when they represented Waterford. He also thanked the other members who took part. He wished all the members well in competition for 1995.

Branch chairperson John Connery also thanked everyone for their support and wished all the competitors well for 1995. He also thanked all the sponsors especially those who sponsored spot prizes for the social.

Good wishes and some witty comments also from our two other guests Fr. O'Gorman and Fr. O'Connor, kept the speeches on a high note.

A successful and enjoyable start to 1995, hopefully it will continue throughout the year.

KINSALEBEG MACRA NA FEIRME

The club was by no means hibernating over the festive season. The club held its annual Christmas Party with neighbouring club Cappoquin on Thursday 22nd December at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan. A great night was had by all.

Many club members ventured the cold water on Christmas Day to participate in the annual swim. Proceeds this year are going to M.S. All members are reminded to bring their swim money to the next meeting on Friday January 27th.

The next competition coming up for the club is Drama. This year the club are putting on a play by N. J. Harburton called "Don't Blame It On The Boots". The cast are Eamonn Flavin, Caroline Smiddy, Mary Fleming and Lisa Walsh. The producer is Geraldine Veale.

Finally I would like to wish all club members and readers a very happy and prosperous New Year. - P.R.O.

TOURANEENA NOTES

PROGRESSIVE 45 DRIVE

The winners of last week's progressive 45 drive were as follows — 1st George Foran and Nancy Kiely, Johnny Kiely and Margaret Grace, Paddy Cullinan and Bridget Fitzpatrick. Lucky Table — Paddy Boyle and Owen McDonald. Last Game — Piery Butler and Theresa Fitzpatrick. Raffle — Nancy Condon, Piery Butler, Owen McDonald.

FIANNA FAIL CUMANN

A special meeting of the "Captain Jack O'Mara", Touraneena, Fianna Fail Cumann was called by Chairman Michael McCarthy and was held in the Parish Hall of Touraneena on Thursday, December 29.

This was a very well attended meeting and the chairman in his opening speech left the large attendance in no doubt as to the affect that this new "drink driving law" was having on the rural population, not only in the local areas but across the country as a whole.

A number of members spoke of the effect this new law would have on their personal life-style, many were incensed by the new regulations saying that the people who make the laws, many of whom live in large cities have no comprehension of what happens in rural areas.

It was decided by large majority that a letter would be sent to all the local representatives stressing the seriousness of the situation reminding them that they could not be sure of the Cumann's active support if they were not seen to be doing everything in their power to change such an unjust law.

HARVEST HAMPERS

Alice Burke would like to thank all her customers who supported her last year. The response was excellent and her many customers were very satisfied with their goods. Alice is continuing to be an agent for the coming year so if you would like to avoid the Christmas rush, order your goods now, pay a small amount weekly and have your order delivered to your door free of charge. Anybody interested in the above can contact Alice Burke at (058) 47224. Alice would like to wish all her customers a very happy and peaceful New Year.

News of Town & Roundabout

BLACKBOARD JUNGLE

The Dungarvan CBS team begins its run on the popular tv quiz show "Blackboard Jungle" on this Wednesday night on Network 2 at 8.05 p.m. Tune in to see how Brian Finnegan, Peter Curtin and Jonathan O'Donovan get on.

CITIZENS INFORMATION CENTRE

As from next week, the hours of opening at the Citizens Information Centre will be as follows: Tuesdays, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Wednesdays, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.; Fridays, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Saturdays, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Please remember to read "Know Your Rights" column in this paper.

HELP SHARE A DREAM

The "Share A Dream Foundation," the wonderful charity that fulfils dreams for Irish children fighting life threatening illness, is making an urgent appeal for help.

The charity is having its very first flag day (ever) in the Waterford-Kilkenny area on Wednesday, January 25 and Thursday, January 26. They urgently need people to help them collect, so please if there are any ICA, Scouts, groups, housewives, individuals, etc., who could spare some time (even an hour) during either or both days, to help this charity raise urgently needed funds to continue their great work, please contact Caroline or Deirdre at: "Share A Dream" 021-273399.

DEISE BRIDGE CLUB

Results, January 2 — 1,

Moira Ormonde and Derry Twomey; 2, Doireann Keane and Cait Christopher; 3, Billy Cusack and John Phelan; 4, Mimi Christopher and Kathleen Deasy.

Results, January 9 — Section A — 1, A. McNally and B. Burke; 2, N. O'Donovan and M. O'Neill; 3, K. Beresford and P. Hallahan; 4, T. Mulcahy and S. Ui Mhacháin. Section B — 1, M. O'Donnell and M. Fahy; 2, R. Harnedy and M. Foley (guests); 3, M. Christopher and M. Spratt; 4, K. Deasy and J. Spratt.

DUNGARVAN BRIDGE CLUB

Results, December 29 — 1, Justin Spratt and Leo O'Donnell; 2, Tom and Marion Mulcahy; 3, Eileen Veale and Pauline Dempsey.

Results, January 5 — 1, Helen Russell and Tom Mulcahy; 2, Kathleen Deasy and Colin Carthy; 3, Avis Cusack and Agnes Hartney.

HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB

Results for January 7 — 1, Patsy Fay and Gabriel Mullins; 2, Mai Mernin and Nellie Moloney; 3, Anna McGuinness and Jenny Kiely; 4, Pauline Enright and Peggy Kingston.

CUNNIGAR BRIDGE CLUB

Results, January 4 — 1, Bridget Burke and Leo O'Donnell; 2, Nellie Moloney and Betty Prendergast; 3, Maeve O'Riordan and Mary Walsh; jt. 4, Ann Veale and Ella Whelan, Kay Shanley and Eileen O'Donoghue.

RECENT DEATHS

Siobhán Ní Lonáin



Creach dá muinntir, creach do Rinn Ua gCuanach agus creach do chúis na Gaedhealuinne Siobhán Ní Lonáin do imeacht uainn.

A duine dob óige agus an duine be shia a mhair de aoine déag clainne Liain Uí Lonáin agus Mháire Ní Chorraoin, Mhaoil An Chóirigh.

Bhí muinntearas mór i gcomhnaí idir Mhuinntir Uí Lonáin agus muinntir Choláiste na Rinne agus chaith Siobhán reidh fhada ar fhoirinn chaite cailce an Choláiste ar na cúrsaí samhraidh. Thugadh sí an chuid eile de'n mbliain ag múinteoireacht i mBaile Átha Cliath. Faid ba ann di bhí aithne ceathair áird ar a guth agus a canúin Déiseach ag craoladh dhí ar Radio Éireann.

Gabhal de mhuinntir a máthar, na Corraoinigh úd a leath, nios féarr na céad bliain ó shoin, go Dún Garbhán istreach, agus go raibh talamh Shean-Dhúna-Pairc Uí Fhearchair an t-am so — ina seilbh. Ba uncal dá máthair an tAth. Séamus Ua Cadhla a adhlacadh sa Sean-Phobal 12-3-1874.

I ndeire an t-samhraidh d'imigh tharainn bhuaill mé isteach cuiche ag tomadh mo chléite in tobar a cuid colais agus a cuid staire. Bhí na deich mbliana agus ceithre fichid slánaithe aice, ach bhí sí suite annsan, go h-uabhbreach, ag ceann an bhúird agus í i mbun obair-snáthaide agus radharc léir ar a dheannta aice. Bhí an léireacht cheana ar a h-aighe agus ar a chuimhne.

Go raibh a chothrom dhe shaol agus dhe radharc ar an t-siorraíocht aice agus gura greadhan le Dia thall í.

Mr. Joe Hart



With deep regret and a great sense of personal loss I pen this tribute on Joe Hart, our neighbour. Little did we know that on Christmas Eve morning that the Master would call Joe home to his heavenly dwelling. Words fail at this time to do justice to a man

who had shared our joys, troubles and worries over the last twelve years. Without a shadow of a doubt I relate go raibh an tadh liom gur bhuaill mé le fear mar Joe Hart agus is truanach mbeidh a leithéid ann arís.

Predeceased by his brother Mick by only three weeks, Joe, who was aged 83 years, was the last surviving member of an old Modeligo family. A quiet, inoffensive man, who endeared himself to one and all, his warm cordial manner made him extremely popular with both young and old. A man of exemplary character who gave of his best at all times, his work, be it on the land or in the woods, was for him a true vocation, his duties were carried out with vision and a diligence par excellence.

He loved the old ways and customs and yet was very receptive to modern developments. His solid, sound counsel was always listened to as Joe was a man of experience who always had his finger on the pulse of life, he understood people, their language, their humour and above all, their problems. He was a neighbour who will never be forgotten, his hand of assistance was always greatly appreciated.

Our memories, some very personal, will always remain with us, photographs and video only scratch the surface. A true Christian, Joe personified all that was good, his values and virtues ensured he was a true witness for his Creator. He loved his Mass at the Friary, his devotion to prayer was that of a sincere man who today enjoys the fruits of his beliefs. Joe lived life with dignity, humility and a clearly defined perspective.

Joe's winter has passed, he has changed to come alive in a new and wonderful way. To have had close association and friendship with him is much to be grateful for. He was a man who touched us all and who enriched our lives in a variety of ways. We are left with the memory of a Christian man, an ordinary man with extraordinary gifts who loved the simple things of life, be it attending to his garden, caring for his dogs and Bob his donkey. Even though Christmas time is a period of coming, but for others it's a time marked out for a return to that homeland where there is no death but lasting joy.

On Christmas night, relatives, neighbours and friends gathered for Rosary, while on St. Stephen's Day Service at Joe's residence was recited by Very Rev. M. Kennedy, P.P. Godchild Michael Burke carried the lighted candle when Joe's remains were brought to the hearse for the full journey to Touraneena. The funeral cortege travelled via Millstreet to St. Mary's Church. Rev. Fr. Hayes, C.C., blessed and received the coffin.

At 11 a.m. next morning concelebrated Mass was offered for the happy repose of Joe's soul. Fr. Kennedy (chief celebrant) was assisted by Very Rev. J. Kiely, P.P. The

liturgy of the word was read by Gráinne (granddaughter), Michael (grandson) and Carmel (daughter). The Prayers of the Faithful were shared by Laurence and Anthony (sons), Marie (daughter), grandsons Joseph, Kieran and Margaret Kiely (neighbour). Joe's sons Laurence and Anthony, daughters Marie and Carmel brought the Offertory gifts to the altar, while John (Touraneena), Darragh, Siobhán Kiely (neighbours) were altar servers. Jim Keohan sang and played sacred music which indeed was a request of Joe as he always remarked on Jim's contribution at the Friary liturgical services.

Following graveside prayers and in the presence of a large and representative gathering of mourners, Joe Hart was laid to rest after life's labours. Indeed Joe's resting place was covered with beautiful floral tributes.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Margaret (his wife), sons, daughters and very many relatives on their cross of bereavement.

Chief mourners — Margaret (wife), Laurence and Anthony (sons), Marie and Carmel (daughters), Liam Kelly and Mick Walsh (sons-in-law), Ann (daughter-in-law), Gráinne, Liam Óg, Kieran Kelly, Kealan and Sarah Walsh, Joseph and Michael Hart, Caroline and Tony Hart (grandchildren), and a wide circle of other relatives including great-grandchildren Marina, Wayne, Colleen and Leon Kelly and Adam Hart, sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law.

(Obituary by David Kiely for James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan.)

Mr. Robert Walsh

It is with very great sadness and regret we chronicle the death of Mr. Robert (Bobby) Walsh, London and formerly Mary Street, Dungarvan, who died on Christmas Day in the Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, London after a duration of illness. The deceased was a very well known and popular gentleman and a member of a very old Dungarvan family.

The late Bobby Walsh had spent the greater part of his life in England where he worked as a Quality Controller Technician at Heinz Factory until he retired. To his sorrowing sister Margaret, nephews, nieces, cousins and relatives and friends we tender our sincere condolences.

His remains were flown into Cork Airport on Saturday evening, December 31 and conveyed from there to the Kiely Funeral Home where reposing took place until Sunday evening when removal took place to St. Mary's Parish Church after prayers were recited by Very Rev. G. Canon Power, P.P., who also blessed and received his coffin on arrival at the church.

Requiem Mass was offered on Monday morning for the repose of his soul and the in-

terment then took place in the adjoining family plot. Rev. M. Kennedy, C.C., officiated at the graveside. Also present was Very Rev. Fr. J. O'Sullivan.

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

Mrs. Bridget (Bridie) Maher



It is with feelings of sincere regret we record the passing of Mrs. Bridie Maher, Gortnadiha, Ring, which occurred on Tuesday evening, January 3, at her residence after a very short illness. She had been out and about on the previous day and in her usual good spirits.

The deceased was an extremely popular lady who endeared herself to many legions of friends by reason of her gentle disposition and many good qualities of life.

She was relict of Willie Maher who predeceased her by some time. She was a true native of the Gaeltacht area and a great lover of Irish culture. She was a lady with true Christian values and possessed deep religious beliefs.

To her sorrowing daughter, sons, brother, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, relatives and friends we tender our sincere condolences.

Her remains were removed on Wednesday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to Ring Church after prayers and rosary were recited by Very Rev. C. Daly, who also blessed and received the coffin on arrival at the church.

Requiem Mass was offered on Thursday morning which was concelebrated. The chief celebrant was Very Rev. J. Kiely, P.P., and concelebrant was Fr. Daly. After the Mass the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery. The same clergy officiated at the graveside.

Large attendances were present at the obsequies testifying to her great popularity.

Chief mourners — Mrs. Cissie Kiely, Stradbally (daughter), Liam, Gortnadiha, Ring, Sean, Moanbrack, Ring, Tomás, Gortnadiha, Ring (sons), Thomas Curran, Abbeyside (brother), Mathew Kiely (son-in-law), Breda, Margaret and Breda Maher (daughters-in-law) and a large circle of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, relatives and her many friends.

Large sheaves of Mass cards were received and some beautiful floral tributes were placed on her grave.

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

Miss Margaret O'Brien

Once again the death bell tolled in the Ring area announcing the passing of Miss Margaret O'Brien, Knockenpower, Ring, whose death occurred on January 4, at the Waterford Regional Hospital after a duration of illness and at an advanced age.

The deceased was a lady with many charming qualities which won for her great numbers of friends and true friendships which lasted all her life time.

To her sorrowing nephew, nieces, relatives and friends we wish to join in expressing our sincere sympathy.

Her remains were removed on Thursday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to Ring Church after rosary and prayers were recited by Very Rev. C. Daly who also blessed and received the coffin on arrival at the church.

Concelebrated Mass was offered on Saturday morning by Very Rev. J. Kiely, P.P. and Fr. Daly and the interment then took place in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. Kiely, assisted by Fr. Daly imparted the final blessing at the graveside.

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

Mr. Patrick (Paddy) Ryan

It is our sad duty to record the death of Mr. Patrick (Paddy) Ryan, Toureagh, Ballymacarby and Kiladangan, Dungarvan which took place on Thursday evening, January 5, at the Waterford Regional Hospital after a rather short duration of illness.

The deceased was a very well known and popular gentleman not only in his native Ballymacarby area but also in Dungarvan and surrounding areas, where he was employed and resided for many years.

He was a man possessed of great knowledge of cattle and livestock which he put to good use in his place of employment. He had a great love and was most interested in GAA affairs, not only at local club level (especially his native Nire team), but also at county level and he was a regular attender at the games.

To his sorrowing brother, sister, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends we tender our sincere condolences.

His remains were removed on Saturday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to Fourmilewater Church, where, on arrival, they were blessed and received by Very Rev. E. Tobin, P.P. Requiem Mass was offered on Sunday morning which was concelebrated by his cousin Rev. W. Ryan, C.C., Lismore and Very Rev. E. Tobin, P.P. After Mass the funeral took place to Bennetts Church Cemetery where the interment took place in the family plot. Fr. Ryan, assisted by Fr. Tobin and Rev. W. Hallinan, officiated at the

graveside.

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

Chief mourners — John Ryan, Knockacoola, Ballymacarby (brother), Mrs. Mary Cunningham, Boolatin, Leamybrien (sister), and a large circle of nephews, nieces, relatives and friends and more especially the Power family Ballymacmague, Dungarvan.

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

Mrs. Bridget (Ciss) Walsh

It is with deep and most sincere regret we record the death of Mrs. Bridget (Ciss) Walsh, Glendalligan, Kilrossanty, which sad event occurred on Saturday, January 7 at the District Hospital, Dungarvan after a duration of illness and at an advanced age.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to her sorrowing sons, daughters, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nephews, nieces, sister-in-law, relatives and friends.

Her remains were removed on Sunday evening to Kilrossanty Church. Concelebrated Mass was offered on Monday morning for the repose of her gentle soul and the interment then took place in the adjoining family plot beside her late husband Pat who predeceased her by only three months.

(Full obituary next week.)
(Funeral arrangements by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan.)

Mr. Joe Mannion

With regret we record the passing of Mr. Joe Mannion which sad event occurred at Waterford Regional Hospital on Friday, January 6. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Sunday evening to St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan. Following funeral Mass on Monday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To his wife Mary and son Martin we extend our deepest sympathy.

Full obituary next issue.
(Funeral arrangements were by Tom Drohan, Funeral Director, Dungarvan.)

Mr. Kevin Crotty

With sadness we record the passing of Mr. Kevin Crotty, Ballyvoile, Stradbally, which sad event occurred on Monday, January 2. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Wednesday evening to Stradbally Church. Following funeral Mass on Thursday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To his sons, daughters and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

Full obituary next issue.
(Funeral arrangements were by Tom Drohan, Funeral Director, Dungarvan.)

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FROM WEEKEND JANUARY 13

★ **ARIES** **MARCH 21 to APRIL 20** New Year resolutions must be remembered or you will feel disappointed by your efforts. Hard efforts in the work place bring praise while kind words in the home bring understanding. For an astrological understanding of an informative week, telephone 1550 151. Finances are well aspected and money matters continue to be prevalent.
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★ **TAURUS** **APRIL 21 to MAY 21** This week make an extra effort to curb Taurean stubbornness. Locking horns with someone equally fixed will prove counter-productive. Educational matters are well aspected and give food for thought. Let optimism fuel all your endeavours. For a detailed analysis of a far from routine week telephone 1550 151.
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★ **GEMINI** **MAY 22 to JUNE 21** It is now time to sever ties with negative individuals and situations. Don't risk sinking your ship by carrying deadwood. Believe in yourself, your abilities and most of all, your dreams. After all, you have to have a dream to have a dream come true! Telephone 1550 151 for further astrological trends.
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★ **CANCER** **JUNE 22 to JULY 23** This week, concentrate on pursuits and the development of talents. Inspirational ideas should be acted upon. Commit yourself to making a dream, a reality. Home life is happy, for a detailed astrological assessment of life and love, work and money, telephone 150 151.
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★ **LEO** **JULY 24 to AUGUST 23** Be prepared to see the funny side of a serious situation. Better to meet life and her challenges with a smile! Positive thinking can assist you in overcoming obstacles. Need advice? Then telephone 1550 151. Professionally, you are set to take the Lion's share — but someone is threatened by your progress.
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★ **VIRGO** **AUGUST 24 to SEPT. 23** Although by nature you have a deep rooted need for reality, you are an earth-creature with finely tuned instincts. Be more prepared to listen to your inner voice and go with intuition. Listen to me on 1550 151. I can provide you with some interesting insights into a busy but booming week.
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★ **LIBRA** **SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23** 1995 is a year when you Acquire so much more than you did in '94. This week, be prepared to ask. You will receive. You have a lot to offer to the world and the world has a lot to offer to you. Professionally, a new day dawns. Turn your back on what is outdated. Telephone 1550 151 for further details.
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★ **SCORPIO** **OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23** Appreciate all the good things in your life and recognise your tendency to be self-critical. Give yourself a well earned pat on the back for progress made and allow yourself the occasional falter. Rome wasn't built in a day! For an in-depth astrological analysis of a deceptively progressive week, telephone 1550 151.
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★ **SAGITTARIUS** **NOV. 23 to DEC. 21** Recognise your potential and others will too. An important though perhaps extravagant purchase makes you happy — so don't feel the need to justify it. Remind someone that life really is too short for worrying. Spread a little Sagittarian sunshine. For an in-depth assessment, telephone 1550 151.
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★ **CAPRICORN** **DEC. 22 to JAN 20** This is a week of variety and fresh experience. You are prepared to let go of the past and launch out on something new. Professionally, branch out rather than sticking to the tried and tested. Emotionally, you are put to the test by someone who needs to know the depth of your feelings. Telephone 1550 151 for details.
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★ **AQUARIUS** **JAN 21 to FEB 19** At the moment there is an element of confusion in your emotional attitudes that is causing worry and insecurity. Make a real effort to discipline mood-swings and most importantly, be prepared to talk through difficult situations. Let me talk you through the coming week. Telephone 1550 151.
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★ **PISCES** **FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20** Your strength lies in your sensitivity. Your natural empathy brings you closer to others. Don't get so close however that others' problems become yours! A detailed astrological analysis is but a phone call away. Telephone 1550 151 in a week when you need all the help you can get!
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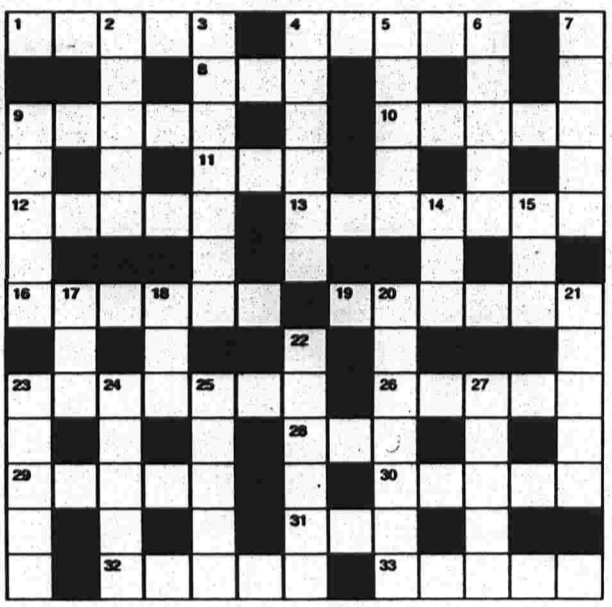
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Ormonde Cinema Guide

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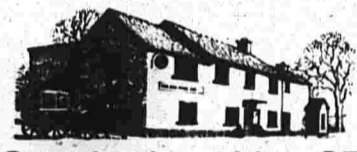
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IN MEMORIAM



BURKE — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Julia Burke, late of Barrack Street, Tallow, who died on January 15, 1993.

You're never more than a thought away,
Still loved and missed each passing day.
(Sadly missed and never forgotten by her loving husband Sean.)

BURKE — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Julia Burke, late of Barrack Street, Tallow, who died on January 15, 1993.

Time slips by, but still you stay,
As near and dear as yesterday,
No longer in our lives to share,
But in our hearts you are always there.

(Always remembered by your loving daughters Patricia and Carmel.)

EGAN — Twelfth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear father, Peter Egan, late of 7, Boreenatra, Dungarvan, who died on January 14, 1983. R.I.P.

A thousand words won't bring you back,
We know because we've tried,
Neither will a million tears,
We know because we've cried.
Sometimes we think we're dreaming,
We cannot believe it's true,
That we can all go on living,
Now that we no longer have you.

Forgive us, Lord, if we still weep,
For a father we loved and wanted to keep,
Perhaps one day you will tell us why,
You broke our hearts and let him die.

(Sadly missed but never forgotten by his daughter Margaret, sons Tommie, David, John, son-in-law Davy, daughters-in-law Mary, Olga, Kim and grandchildren.)

FENNESSY — Seventeenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband and father, Daniel (Dan) Fennessy, late of Ballysaggart, Lismore, who died on January 19, 1978. R.I.P.

No time can heal a heartache,
Or stop a silent tear,
Or take away the memories,
Of a father we loved so dear.
Although we sadly miss you,
We know you are not alone,
And we know you are watching over us,
From a place we now call home.

(Never forgotten by your loving wife Madge and family and sister Mary.)

FLYNN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Ellen Flynn, late of Ballinamuck, Dungarvan, who died January 9, 1993. R.I.P. Masses offered.

Two tired eyes are sleeping,
Two willing hands are still,
The one who worked so hard for us,
Is resting at God's will.

(Always remembered by your daughter Helen, son-in-law Pat, grandsons Pat Jnr. and Derek.)

FOWLER — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of Anthony Fowler, late of 13, Byrneville, Dungarvan, who died on January 16, 1987.

Sad are the hearts that loved you,
Silent the tears that fall,
Living life without you,
Is the hardest part of all.
Your memory is precious and never grows old,
It is locked in our hearts in letters of gold,
Your presence we miss and memories we treasure,
Missing you always, forgetting you never.

(Always remembered by your loving mother and father Anne and Ken, sisters Lorraine and Teresa, uncle Willie and nephew and nieces.)

FOWLER — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of Anthony Fowler, late of 13, Byrneville, Dungarvan, who died on January 16, 1987. R.I.P.

A smile for all, a heart of gold,
One of the best this world could hold,
Never selfish, always kind,
These are the memories you left behind.

(Never forgotten by his aunt Birdie, Joe and family, Stockwell, London.)

GOUGH — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of Máiread Gough (née Flynn) of Old Parish and Dublin whose anniversary occurs at this time. Beannacht dílis Dé lena hanam.

(Tony and Lawrence.)

MOLONEY — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of William (Bill) Moloney, Bishopstown, Lismore and London, who died on January 9, 1991.

A special day, another year,
A loving thought, a silent tear,
A little prayer to keep in touch,
Just to say I miss you so much.

(Always remembered by his loving wife, Mary.)

O'SHEA — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Pius O'Shea, late of St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, who died on January 5, 1990.

You have crossed the flowing river,
To the shores of evergreen,
We would dearly love to see you, Pius,
But the river flows between.

Away on a beautiful hillside,
Free from sorrow and pain,
Some day we will go to meet you
And find you waiting there.

We will know your voice among the crowd,
And your loving smile of old,
And our hands will meet on God's own street,
And never more unfold.

(Never forgotten by Auntie Ann, Joe and family.)

PRENDERGAST — Fourth Anniversary — Treasured memories now and always of my beloved husband, Frank, late of Barrack Street, Tallow, who died on January 11, 1991.

A bouquet of beautiful memories,
Sprayed with a million tears,
Wishing God could have spared you,
If just for a few more years.

(From his loving wife, Helen.)

PRENDERGAST — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of Joseph Prendergast, late of Barrack Street, Tallow, who died on January 14, 1973. R.I.P. Masses offered.

Our words are few, our feelings deep,
Our memories of you will always keep.

(Always remembered by his daughter Frances, son-in-law Jimmy and family.)

PRENDERGAST — Twenty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of Joseph Prendergast, late of Barrack Street, Tallow, who died on January 14, 1973. R.I.P. Masses offered.

Time slips by but yet you stay,
As dear and near as yesterday.

(Always remembered by his daughter Kathleen, son-in-law Mike and family.)

TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Elizabeth Tobin, late of 6, Connolly Row, Dungarvan, who died on January 11, 1988.

A heart of gold, a life so true,
Loved and remembered by all she knew,
Always willing, helpful and kind,
What beautiful memories she left behind.

(From her loving daughter Rosarie, James and grandchildren.)

TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth Tobin, late of 6, Connolly Row, Dungarvan, who died on January 11, 1988.

The years have passed since we parted Mum,
Our hearts still yearn for you,
We watched you battle till the end,
There was nothing we could do.

We stood around your bedside,
And watched you fade away.
We prayed and prayed to God above,
That He would let you stay,

But no, God came and took your hand,
And whispered from pain you are now free.
You will be with me in paradise,
How happy you will be,

(Never forgotten by her loving daughter Marie, son-in-law Denis and grandchildren Barry, Darren and Ross.)

TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth Tobin, late of 6, Connolly Row, Dungarvan, who died on January 11, 1988.

They say in time you will forget,
Dear Mam, that isn't true,
For every day in some small way,
I always think of you.

Tó me you were someone special,
Someone kind and true,
You will never be forgotten,
For I thought the world of you.

(Always remembered — your loving daughter Breda, son-in-law Martin and grandchildren Rachel, David, Colin, Kevin and Laura.)

TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth Tobin, late of 6, Connolly Row, Dungarvan, who died on January 11, 1988.

I want to tell you something, Mam,
So there won't be any doubt,
You're so wonderful to think of,
But so hard to be without.

I wish I could see you, Mam,
Sitting in your chair,
I wish that I could go back home,
And find you waiting there.

It seems like only yesterday,
The wound is still so sore,
For every hour of every day,
I miss you more and more.

They say that hearts don't really break,
Dear Lord, that's just not true,
The day you took my Mam from me,

You broke my heart in two.
(Never forgotten by her loving daughter Ann, son-in-law Christy and grandchildren.)

TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth Tobin, late of 6, Connolly Row, Dungarvan, who died on January 11, 1988.

Behind the gates of heaven,
There is someone special there,
A mother we loved so dearly,
A mother who will always care.

You gave us all you had to give,
Gifts both big and small,
But most of all you gave us love,
The biggest gift of all.

The tears in our eyes we can wipe away,
But the pain in our hearts will always stay.

(Never forgotten by your loving daughter Kathleen, son-in-law John and grandchildren Yvonne, Paul, Tony and Eoin.)

TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Elizabeth Tobin, late of 6, Connolly Row, Dungarvan, who died on January 11, 1988.

God chose to take my mother,
He wanted one so fine,
Oh God above, please tell me
Why it had to be mine.

To know her was to love her,
Her kind and loving smile,
To have her as my mother,
Made everything worthwhile,

No length of time will heal my grief,
My love for you is far too deep,
With broken heart I whisper low,
God bless you, mam, I miss you so.

(From her daughter Betty and Billy, Eliza and Liam.)

TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Elizabeth Tobin, 6, Connolly Row, Dungarvan, who died on January 11, 1988.

A loving spray of memories,
Tied up with all our love,
Memories we will treasure,
Of the one we dearly loved.

In the centre of God's garden,
There is someone special there,
That someone is our mother,
The best beyond compare.

(Never forgotten by her loving son Pat, Alan, Craig and Ian.)

TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Elizabeth Tobin, late of 6, Connolly Row, Dungarvan, who died on January 11, 1988.

As time goes by without you,
And days turn into years,
They hold a thousand memories,
And a million silent tears.

You showed us love and kindness,
You showed us how to care,
You bound us all together,
With a love few families share.

Someday we will meet again,
Where sorrow is unknown,
We will fold our arms around you,
And tell you we've come home.

May the God of love be with you, Mam,
And grant you eternal rest.

(From her loving daughter Margaret, Paddy, Valerie, Gillian, Sharon and Shane.)

TOBIN — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth Tobin, 6, Connolly Row, Dungarvan, who died on January 11, 1988.

No matter how we spend our days,
No matter what we do,
There is a longing in our hearts,
For yesterday and you.

Remembering you is easy, mam,
We do it every day,
But missing you is a heartache,
That never goes away.

Will those who think of her today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Your loving son John, daughter-in-law Frances, grandchildren Michelle, Siobhán, Deirdre, Lorraine, Jacqueline.)

WALSH — Treasured memories of my dear sister, Patricia, who died on January 4, 1984, late of Townspark West, Lismore.

Happy memories kept forever,
Of days when we were all together,
Unheard, unseen, you are always near,
Still loved, still missed, you are always near.

(Always remembered by your sister Margaret, Clem, Daniel and Patricia.)

WALSH — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my sister, Pat, late of Townsparks West, Lismore, who died on January 4, 1984.

Your memory is precious and will never grow old,
It's locked in our hearts in letters of gold,
Your presence we miss, your memory we treasure,
Loving you always, forgetting you never.

(Always in our thoughts — your sister Ann and niece Lynne.)

WALSH — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my sister, Pat, late of Townsparks West, Lismore, who died on January 4, 1984.

As each day dawns and starts anew,
Ads each day ends we think of you,
And in between, no matter where,
Deep in our hearts you are always there.

(Always remembered by your brother Pat, Margaret, Nicola, Tanya

WALSH — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our daughter, Patricia Walsh, late of Townsparks West, Lismore, who died on January 4, 1984.

Remembering you is easy,
I do it everyday,
Missing you is heartache,
That never goes away.
(Your loving Mam and Dad.)

WALSH — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my sister, Pat, late of Townsparks West, Lismore, who died on January 4, 1984.

I always sit and think of you,
When I am on my own,
I think about your sickness,
I wish I'd never known.

All the pain you suffered,
You faced it day by day,
All the prayers I said to God,
Asking Him to let you stay.

A sister who suffered deeply,
For someone else I fear,
You paid a debt you did not owe,
Alas it was too dear.

They say that time will heal the pain,
But Pat, it's just not true,
No matter how much time goes by,
Our hearts still ache for you.

(Always remembered by Nora, John, Kelly, Shaun and Robert.)

WHELAN — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Michael Whelan, late of 54, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, who died on January 15, 1987.

Anniversary Mass for Dada will take place on Saturday, January 14, at 7.30 p.m. in St. Mary's Parish Church.

I'm proud I was your daughter,
I thought the world of you,
To me you were someone special,
You know I always loved you.

If I could visit heaven,
On this my saddest day,
Maybe for a moment,
The pain would go away.

I'd put my arms around you, dad,
And say those words so true,
My life has been so empty,
Since the day I lost you.

(Too dearly loved to be forgotten — your loving daughter June, son-in-law Monnie and granddaughter Helen.)

YOUNG — Twelfth Anniversary — In loving memory of Paddy, late of Pulla, Ring, who departed this life on January 11, 1983.

God has you in His keeping,
We keep you in our hearts.

(Loved and remembered every day by your Mam, brother and sisters.)

Acknowledgment

NORA O'CONNOR Ring, Dungarvan

The family of Nora wish to express sincere gratitude to all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement. Ba mhór againn gach cárta, gach fleasc bláthanna, gach focal tacaíochta a tugadh dúinn ó shin. Particular thanks to those who cared for Nora in her illness. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for their intentions. I bh-Fiaitheas Dé go raibh anam Nora.



Pictured above are the ladies committee 1994 of West Waterford Golf Club — back row (l. to r.) Mary French, Frances Carroll, Bernie Twomey, Tess Reynolds and Mary Spratt. Front (l. to r.) Rena McDonnell, Mary Ronayne (Vice-Captain), Vera Nugent (Captain), Elizabeth O'Dwyer (Secretary), Eleanor Nugent (Treasurer).

(Photo: Sean Byrne)

WEST WATERFORD GOLF CLUB NOTES



MEN'S CLUB

Saturday, January 7, 18 hole stableford — 1, A. Spratt 43 pts. (5); 2, D. O'Brien 42 pts. (13); 3, J. Kelly 40 pts. (16); Sunday, January 8, 18 hole stableford — 1, P. Landers 41 pts. (16); 2, J. Kelly 41 pts. (15); 3, T. Butler 40 pts.

(12).

Fixtures — 18 hole stableford, Saturday and Sunday, January 14/15.

LADIES BRANCH

During the holiday period, the West Waterford ladies enjoyed plenty of good golf while our lady captain fin-

ished off 1994 with a fine win. The following are the results of competitions:

Charity Competition — Proceeds in aid of Rwanda — winner, Eleanor Nugent.

9 hole stableford, Thursday, December 29 — 1, Vera Nugent (12) 18 pts.; 2, Linda Butler (36) 18 pts.; 3,

Bridget Spratt (36) 15 pts.

9 hole stableford, Thursday, January 5 — 1, Nora Spratt (23) 14 pts.; 2, Eleanor Nugent (25) 14 pts.

Please note that a committee meeting will take place on Wednesday, January 18, at 7 p.m. in the clubhouse.

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB NOTES

LADIES FIXTURES

New Year Bottle Competition, 9 Hole Stroke, entry and re-entry.

A very well done to Betty O'Brien and Ann Morrissey on their success in the ladies Senior Alliance played at Clonmel Golf Club recently. Please Note — Next Home Alliance on Tuesday, January 24.

MENS RESULTS

Thursday, January 5, 11 Hole Stableford — Winner, Roger O'Connor (15) 26 pts.

Saturday, January 7 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st P. J. Kindregan (13) 40 pts; 2nd Francis Power (18) 39 pts; 3rd Jim Harty (10) 39 pts.

Sunday, January 8, 18 Hole Stableford — 1st Pat Breen (15) 43 pts; 2nd Jim Heylin (17) 42 pts; Best Gross - Jimmy O'Donnell (6) 32 pts;

3rd Francis Power (18) 40 pts; 4th Thomas Lenihan (15) 40 pts.

MENS FIXTURES

Thursday, January 12 — 11 Hole Stableford. Saturday, January 14 — 18 Hole Stableford + 11 Hole Stableford. Sunday, January 15 — 18 Hole Stableford + 11

Hole Stableford.

Progressive 45 every Thursday night at 8.30 p.m. in the clubhouse at Knocknagranagh, all card players are welcome.

Results of progressive 45 from Thursday, Jan. 5 — Winner, Jackie Tobin and Michael Veale; Joint Runners-up, Ollie O'Neill and Seamus O'Neill, Ina Considine and Tom Coffey. Best Last 5 — Pat McGovern and Frank Ryan.

Poker Classic — Friday, January 27 at 8.30 p.m.

MESSAGE OF SYMPATHY

Our sincere condolences to Moyra Baumann on the death of her beloved mother, Helen, and to Kate O'Brien on the death of her beloved mother, Catherine.

REMINDER OF DRAW FOR FREE SUBSCRIPTION

On Sunday, February 5 a draw will take place for a free subscription. To be eligible for the draw, members have to have paid their subscription in full by January 31, 1995.

Results — Saturday and Sunday, January 7/8 — 9 Hole Stableford — 1st Tony Shalloe (15) 231/2 pts; 2nd P. Morrissey (14) 23 pts; 3rd P. Walton (19) 22 1/2 pts.

Clashmore's farmer Tony Shalloe was last weekend's winner with 231/2 pts with former Lismore hurler Pa Morrissey just a half point back in second place with Leeds native but naturalised Knockanore man Philip Walton a further half point back in third place.

Fixtures: Saturday and Sunday, January 14/15 — 9 Hole Stableford Fourball. Monday, Jan. 16 to Sunday, Jan. 22 — 9 Hole Stableford. First round of Spring League, best score to count.

Dave Feeney and Sons, Contractors Spring League — The popular Spring League sponsored by Dave Feeney and Sons starts on Monday next with the first of three 9 Hole rounds. The list of names is in the clubhouse and names may be added until the selectors meet to select the team next Saturday night.

Smithwicks Darts 'A' League Table

This is how the league stands after games played on Friday, January 6

SHANDON ARMS	19 pts
YE OLD DUNGARVAN OAK	18 pts
PARK HOUSE	16 pts
TIG MUIRTE	14 pts
TIGH AN CHEOIL (1)	8 pts
SOCCER CLUB	7 pts
BRIDIE DEE'S	4 pts
TIGH AN CHEOIL (2)	2 pts

With only three matches remaining Shandon Arms, Dungarvan Oak and Park House have booked their places in the knockout section. Tig Muirte look to be favourites for the final place, only Tig an Cheoil 1 could frustrate that and force a play-off, but at this late stage that task would appear too difficult.

The next meeting of the league will be in Tig Muirte on Monday, January 16 at 8.30 p.m. sharp.

— Bulls Hitter



HANDING OVER OF CAPTAIN'S BLAZER — Pictured at West Waterford Golf Club are (l. to r.) — Derry Twomey (outgoing President) and John Power, receiving the Captain's Blazer from the outgoing Captain Pat Murphy.

(Photo: Sean Byrne)

Gold Coast Golf Club

RESULTS

Tuesday, Jan. 4 to Saturday, Jan. 8 — 14 Hole Stableford — 1st Lawrence Boland (20) 33 pts. Sunday, January 9 — 1st Tom Fennell (15) 33 pts; 2nd Sean Wade (23) 31 pts.

FIXTURES

Monday, January 10 to Saturday, January 15 — 14 Hole Stableford. Sunday, January 16 — 14 Hole Stableford.

Wishing our Lady Captain Helen Fennell and her officers and committee a pleasant and successful 1995.

HURLERS ENJOY THEIR VISIT AND PROMISE TO COME BACK!

We were delighted to welcome a number of hurlers to the club during the week. They came from Callan and the Emerald Golf Club, New York. Among those who visited was M. Fitzpatrick, T. Donovan, M. Donovan, D. J. Carey, R. Duggan and Christy Heffernan. They enjoyed their visit and promised to return.

Telephone Bookings — 058-42249.

GRANGE UNITED F.C. NOTES

Amazing Comeback By Grange

Two one down with five minutes remaining, Grange's involvement in the 1995 Tyre Centre Cup looked all but over. Two minutes remaining, the scoreline? Araglen 2 Grange 3, bring on Modeligo in round two.

Seldom have I seen the course of a game change so rapidly, with eighty five minutes elapsed in the Cup tie, Grange must have been beginning to lose hope. At this stage in the game they trailed two-one having given away two poor defensive goals, both in the first half, one on either side of Martin Curran's sixth strike of the season.

Having pressed so hard to gain an equaliser in the second period, with Joe Salmon in particular doing most of the prompting from the middle of midfield, Grange must have felt it was not going to be their day, but just when heads were beginning to drop up popped "Tucker" Curran to notch his fifth goal of the season to bring Grange level. Tucker's goal relieved all the tension in the Grange team particularly the defence who thought they had sold the game in the first half of farce.

Both teams were just coming to terms with the prospect of an extra half hour of play, when the Araglen left back attempted to throw the ball back to his goalkeeper. Eamonn Power was first to spot the possibility of a Grange goal and quick as lightning he darted between the thrower and goalkeeper and headed the ball over the unfortunate net minder to give the ever alert Tucker the chance to notch his sixth of the season and his second of the game, and to seal Granges' passage to a second round tie versus Modeligo.

On the balance of play Araglen will feel very unlucky not to have earned a draw. But even though Grange nearly threw the tie away by giving away such soft goals, it must be said that the performances of "Tucker", Joe, Martin and second half substitute Franny Keating merited a victory for Grange.

Great credit must go to "Tucker" for his brace of goals but the man of the match in my view has to be Joe Salmon for his tireless hard work in defence, midfield and attack.

Grange lined out as follows — David Condon, Seán Wade, Mike Power, Peter Roche, Micheál Ó Domhnaill, Martin Curran (Capt.), Joe Salmon, Tomás "Tucker" Curran, Eamonn Power, David Mansfield, Pdraig Mahony. Subs. — Francis Keating for David Mansfield, Trevor Power, Muiris Quinn, Luke O'Brien.

Pinewood Rangers F.C. Notes

PINEWOOD RANGERS 2 GORTROE 0

Last Sunday we played host to newcomers Gortroe who hail from just outside Youghal. This was a game we definitely wanted to win because both teams were in second place and just two points behind Ardmore, the league leaders. Playing on a new pitch we settled very quickly and Ger McGrath opened the scoring on 20 minutes. Tom Guiry extended our lead on 25 minutes when he struck a fantastic left foot shot, from outside the box, all the way to the back of the net. Kevin Crotty went close on 30 minutes and unlike Guiry hit the angle with a perfect free kick on 40 minutes. Gortroe had all the play for the first 25 minutes of the second half. Even being awarded four 20 yard free kicks they couldn't break down our defence and in-form 'keeper Michael Ryan. Final score 2-0.

GOLDEN GOAL

Times were 20 minutes and 90 minutes.

BEST WISHES

Best wishes to Darren Hennessey (Ardmore) who is recovering in hospital at the moment after a very serious operation on St. Stephens Day. So Darren from all the players, the manager and committee we wish you a speedy recovery and hope to see you back in the team in the very near future.

P.R.O. — Dick O'Keeffe.

ARDMORE SOCCER NEWS

Ardmore Stay Top After Struggle

While the scoreline may look impressive the Ardmore performance could be described as anything but that as they struggled to overcome strong resistance from Glenview. In a game that never rose above mediocrity, the home side took the points by virtue of three well-taken goals.

The first came after 25 minutes when a Glenview corner was headed clear by Nicky Keating. Clinton Hennessey gathered the clearance and played a perfect cross for Kevin Lenane to finish it to the net. Half time: Ardmore 1, Glenview 0.

The second half saw the Ardmore midfield started getting on top and Anthony Sullivan made it two with a neat back-header from a Kevin Lenane cross Clinton Hennessey had the last say when he headed home a Tony Keane cross.

Adrian Yellop and the back four coped with what Glenview had to offer. Midfield took awhile to get to grips with the game, but

ARDMORE 3 GLENVIEW 0

eventually came out on top. It has to be said Nicky Keating put in another tremendous performance which gives him his second man of the match award in two weeks.

Up front Kevin Lenane scored and made another. Anthony Hearne had a frustrating day and ended up with a red card. Clinton Hennessey had a fine game but at times over-elaborated and at times would have done better to have passed earlier. Ardmore's best was Nicky Keating.

NEWS BITS

Glad to be able to report that Darren Hennessey is recovering all the time and while it will still take some more time, it is great news that he is on the road to recovery.

I had a good story about one of our panel on new year's eve but I said I wouldn't print it if he

bought me a pint. He did buy the pint and being a man of my word I won't say any more, but people do sleep in funny places from one year to the next!

Winning ticket, St. Stephen's Day, 22 — winner, Harry Veale; winning ticket on Saturday, January 7, 48 — not claimed yet.

RUGBY NEWS

Great League Win For Dungarvan

Dungarvan 1st XV changed their tactics completely and recorded a well deserved 21-0 victory over Galbally at home last Sunday in the J1 League.

Despite the absence of notable heavyweights Frankie Ahearn and Tony Clarke the Dungarvan pack was still too strong for the Galbally eight and took a

steady stream of possession including Galbally's scrums. However in a departure from the normal Dungarvan streamrolling tactic when in this sort of control the ball was released to the back with devastating results. First Kenny Killigrew split the Galbally defence with a searing break to run fifty yards to

score under the posts, Mel Shanley converting. Shane White then capped a faultless personal performance by doing similarly and Mel again on target added the points. Finally Nicky Power drove through the Galbally pack to score a great try once again converted by Mel Shanley. The openness of the play was reminiscent of that great victory over Old Abbots in London when Dungarvan played Barbarian rugby to record a big win on that occasion. Perhaps there is a lesson to be learned here!

The team was — Mel Shanley, Ronan Hallahan, Jimmy Morrissey, Eddie Lonergan, David Considine, Eamon Phelan, Nicky Power, Tom Shanley, Mark O'Connor, Jim McGrath, Donal Looby, Shane White, Kenny Killigrew, Pat McGrath, Joe Harty.

Training now needs to be stepped up in preparation for the Munster Cup. New members welcome. Contact Roy 43331. Juniors (8-18) training Saturdays 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Loose Head

BLACKWATER RANGERS F.C. NOTES

Rangers Very Unlucky

BLACKWATER RANGERS 0 BALLYBRIDGE UNITED 1

This is a game that we didn't deserve to lose. Every player on the pitch gave his all, running themselves into the ground to try and gain a result. However it just wasn't meant to be on the day. It must be said however, that if we start to play like this every Sunday then it won't be long before our league position improves.

We started strongly, run-

ning at the Ballybridge defence causing no end of problems for them. When we did lose possession we made every tackle count allowing Ballybridge no time on the ball. Our defence was well on top, catching the Ballybridge forwards offside time and again. Midway through the first half Jason Radley came close with a good header following a good move in-

volving Christy Lombard and Paul Connery. As half time approached we created more chances but just couldn't convert them.

The second half was just the same with Francie Cotter, Christy Lombard and Roger Ronayne all coming close. The game looked to be heading towards extra time when Ballybridge broke up field to score the winner ten minutes from

time. That was the way the score stayed until full time.

We lined out as follows — Kieran Cotter, Roger Ronayne, Tom Scanlon, Noel Downing, Brian Connery, Laurence Maher, Paul Connery, David Cullinane, Francie Cotter, Christy Lombard, Jason Radley. Subs. — Brendan O'Connell, Royco Ware, Alan Ronayne.

BALLINROAD A.F.C.

DIVISION 4B NOTES

Ballinroad Get Hard Earned Draw

KILMAC' 2 BALLINROAD 2

On Sunday morning last we took on Kilmac' at Alaska Park. After the Christmas break this was going to be a hard game to get through. On a morning, that was perfect for football we started well.

After five minutes we took the lead when, after a good move up the right, the ball was passed through to Nicky Hayes who made no mistake from just inside the area. We were well on top at this stage and it was no surprise when we made it two nil five minutes later when Pat Flynn (playing on the left wing) lobbed the 'keeper for a splendid goal.

We created many more chances and a Kevin Lonergan header from a Fergal Cunningham cross shaved the upright. A third goal here would surely have killed off the opposition. But credit to Kilmac' they battled away and slowly came back into the game as we seemed to tire rapidly. Shortly before half time they pulled one back with a great shot from the left side.

We started the second-half on the attack and went close on a couple of occasions.

The wind which was non-existent in the first half blew in Kilmac's favour and we were pegged back in our own half for long periods. We lost our sweeper Denis Crotty after he received a head injury in clearing the ball from a corner.

Pat Flynn reverted to sweeper with Pat Pender coming in at midfield. With twenty minutes remaining Kilmac' drew-level when the ball seemed to be kicked out of 'keeper Cavanagh's hands. The final whistle sounded with both sides deadlocked at two all.

Ballinroad — Cavanagh, Lynch, O'Connor, Crotty, M. Cunningham, N. Hayes, F. Cunningham, R. Hayes, J. Flynn, Lonergan, P. Flynn, Res. — Pender for Crotty, M. Fraher, Kenneally, Murray.

Next game — Home versus Abbeyside on Sunday at 11.30 a.m.

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 GILLIAN HAYES
 (Basketball)**

Outstanding display and top scorer with Snowcream Wildcats in National Ladies Basketball Cup Final



**(2) FEBRUARY
 NEIL GOUGH
 (Boxing)**

Brilliantly retained his National Welterweight boxing title with victory over Neil Sinclair from Belfast



**(3) MARCH
 MICHEAL DOWNEY
 (Soccer)**

Featured prominently on the Irish Schools Team and scored a hat-trick for Waterford Youths



**(4) APRIL
 JOHN O'CONNOR
 (Greyhound Trainer)**

Trainer of "Come on Ranger" that romped through the National Breeders Produce Stakes unbeaten



**(5) MAY
 DECLAN LONERAGAN
 (Cycling)**

Winner of FBD Milk Ras and led the Ireland/Lee Strand team to victory



**(6) JUNE
 REBECCA O MEARA
 (Swimming)**

Won three gold medals for Ireland in New York Games for the Physically Challenged



**(7) JULY
 PAUL FLYNN
 (Hurling)**

Outstanding for Waterford in the Munster U-21 hurling semi-final, scoring 2-11 against Tipperary



**(8) AUGUST
 CAPT. JOHN LEDINGHAM
 (Showjumping)**

Won Silk Cut Derby and Speed Derby at Hickstead, first time any rider scored this double



**(9) SEPTEMBER
 MICHAEL BURNS
 (Golf)**

Captain of his club and key member of Tramore team that won the Barton Shield



**(10) OCTOBER
 AINE WALL
 (Ladies Football)**

Heroine of Waterford's third All Ireland, scored one goal and five points in win over Monaghan



**(11) NOVEMBER
 FRANCIS CONNORS
 (Showjumping)**

Clinched the National League Championship at Millstreet for the fourth year in a row



**(12) DECEMBER
 PAT FLYNN
 (Horse Racing)**

Saddled a string of winners, including double at Leopardstown with Lady's Vision and Aries Girl

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RED HOUSE LEAGUE ROUND-UP

DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP (First Round)

Valley Rangers Defeat Holders Lismore

Cup holders Lismore were knocked out on Sunday last in Conna where the local side Valley Rangers ran out winners. There was plenty of goals in Tourin when both of Cappoquin's sides faced up to one another. The first team ran out easy winners here by 6-1. Grange defeated Araglen in a five goal thriller while Ballybridge United defeated Blackwater Rangers with the only goal of the game coming in the final quarter.

RESULTS

VALLEY RANGERS 2
LISMORE 0

Rangers advanced to round two when they defeated cup holders Lismore at home on Sunday. Rangers are having a marvellous season but Lismore are the cup specialists having won the trophy seven times. Donal O'Leary got a vital goal in the 44th minute. This goal coming as it did just before the break lifted Rangers for the second half.

Both sides had their chances early in the second half before Rangers got another crucial goal after 65 minutes when one of Rangers longest serving players Billy Carr rattled the Lismore net. Lismore tried hard to get back into the

game but Rangers defence stood firm. Outstanding here for Rangers were young stars Paddy Lane and Brendan Hickey.

CAPPOQUIN A 6
CAPPOQUIN B 1

The fans turned up and the goals came but apart from the opening 45 minutes where the first team led by 2-0 and the game provided plenty of thrills for the fans.

The second half saw the A team dominate the game completely. The B team seldom showed in this half. The A team upped the pace of the game and at one stage led 5-0 before Drummy made the scoreline 5-1.

However, the A team finished the stronger and added two further goals before the final whistle. Scorers for the A team were Gossy Mason

(3), Michael Walsh, Martin Lacey and Ken O'Donnell.

ARAGLEN 2
GRANGE 3

A thrilling game this for the fans with Grange coming from behind twice and then getting the winning goal in the 75th minute.

Araglen opened the scoring in the 10th minute but Martin Curran equalised for Grange in the 15th minute before Araglen again restored their one goal advantage after 35 minutes. At the break Araglen led 2-1.

It was a very exciting second half with both sides playing an open attacking game. Grange got back on level terms midway through the second half when Tucker Curran scored. Tucker became the hero for Grange when he scored the winner

in the 75th minute and Grange advanced to the second round after a thrilling game.

BLACKWATER RANGERS 0
BALLYBRIDGE UNITED 1

This was a tough but at times a sporting game. The game itself was overall a poor game with both defences well on top. Chances were few and far between and at the break the sides were still scoreless.

For long periods in the second half it looked as if the game would go to extra time with just a quarter of an hour to go, up popped Michael Broderick to score for the East Cork side. Overall Ballybridge just about deserved their victory.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE TABLES

Bride View and Ardmore are table toppers at the moment but as the league tables show, there are still a lot of teams in contention



(weekending January 8, 1995)

DIVISION ONE

	PL	W	D	L	PTS
BRIDE VIEW	9	6	3	0	21
CAPPOQUIN	10	6	1	3	19
BALLYBRIDGE UTD.	11	6	1	4	19
BALLYDUFF	9	5	2	2	17
VALLEY RANGERS	7	4	3	0	15
MOGEELY	9	4	3	2	15
LISMORE	7	3	0	4	9
KILLEAGH	9	2	1	6	7
INCH	8	1	2	5	5
MODELIGO	11	0	0	11	0

DIVISION TWO

	PL	W	D	L	PTS
ARDMORE	10	7	2	1	23
PINEWOOD RGS.	8	7	0	1	21
GORTROE	10	5	3	2	18
BRIDE VIEW	10	5	2	3	17
GRANGE	9	4	3	2	15
AFFANE	11	4	2	5	14
ARAGLEN	1	4	1	6	13
GLENVIEW	10	2	3	5	9
BLACKWATER RGS.	10	1	3	6	6
CAPPOQUIN	9	0	1	8	1

DIVISION ONE RESULTS

Bride View Go Top Of Division 1

INCH 1 BRIDE VIEW UNITED 5

Bride View United are the new league leaders. With joint leaders Cappoquin and Ballybridge United involved in the cup United took full advantage by winning away to Inch.



Philly Curley put United ahead in the 30th minute and John P. Grey added number two direct from a free in the 32nd minute. Stuart Barry added number three after 43 minutes to give United a 3-0 lead at the break.

Inch came more into the game for the first 20 minutes of the second half. James Fogarty lifted Inch when he scored in the 64th minute. The Tallow side finished the stronger and further goals from John P. Grey 72nd minute and Brian Henley in the 88th minute gave the points to United and put them on top of Division One for the first time this season.

KILLEAGH 3 BALLYDUFF 2

This was a tough game on Sunday last with four players sent off. Admittedly some of the sending offs had to do with the new rules but their was a lot at stake here in this game, Killeagh trying to get away from the relegation zone and Ballyduff, trying to keep pace with the league leaders.

The man of the match here as far as Killeagh are concerned was Paul Fitzgerald. Fitzgerald grabbed a hat trick here (the third a beauty) which helped Killeagh leap frog Inch. The half time score here was 3-1 to Killeagh with Ballyduff's second goal coming in the 87th minute.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE DIVISION ONE PREVIEWS

EXCITING PROGRAMME THIS WEEK-END

This week sees some very interesting and what should be exciting games place throughout East Cork and West Waterford.

CAPPOQUIN V.
MOGEELY

This should be a cracker of a game on Sunday next in Tourin. Cappoquin with that big cup win behind them will be anxious to continue this winning run. Backed by Morrissey, Mason, Walsh and company this side have their eyes fixed on the championship. Likewise East cork side Mogeely will be hoping to keep up with the leaders

and if McCarthy sees enough of the ball it could be a close finish. A hard game to forecast with a draw on the cards.

BALLYBRIDGE V. LISMORE

United at home are hard to beat. Backed by O'Driscoll, Broderick, Swayne and squad this side are well in the hunt for league honours. Lismore knocked out of the cup can now concentrate on the league but their form to date has not been great. Home advantage should give United the edge here but Lismore led by Shanahan and Quinn will give it a

real go.

BALLYDUFF V.
KILLEAGH

Both sides met last week and were involved in a five goal thriller and if both sides can repeat that form then this game should be a marvellous game. Can home advantage swing it this time for Ballyduff? The homeside will be hoping that it will but this game could end in a draw which would not suit Ballyduff.

BRIDE VIEW UNITED V. INCH

These sides met in Inch on Sunday last with United running out easy winners.

Every game is different but it's hard to see the Tallow side losing this especially now that they are league leaders. Without doubt United are one of the better footballing sides in the league and they should continue their winning ways on Sunday.

MODELIGO V.
VALLEY RANGERS

Anything other than a Rangers win here would be a major shock. Modeligo have yet to record their first point and on Sunday they come up against a high flying Rangers side. It's got to be a Rangers victory and they will keep well in the hunt for league honours.

DIVISION TWO RESULTS

Ardmore and Pinewood Rangers March On

League leaders Ardmore and second placed Pinewood Rangers both had good home wins on Sunday last. Because of the cup games just two league games took place in Division Two.

ARDMORE 3 GLENVIEW 0

League leaders Ardmore continued their winning ways at home on Sunday last where they overcame the challenge of Glenview. Kevin Lenane gave Ardmore the lead in the first half and they held this lead till the break.

Ardmore kept the pressure on Glenview in the second half and further goals from Anthony Sullivan, and Clinton

Hennessey saw the points go to the homeside and see them remain on top of the league table.

PINEWOOD RANGERS 2 GORTROE 0

Gortroe were level with Rangers in second place before this game so it was a vital game for both sides. Rangers opened the scoring through Ger McCarthy after 20 minutes. Tom Guiry increased their lead three minutes later. At this stage it looked as if Rangers would win handsomely but it was not to be. Gortroe tightened their defence and caused Rangers some anxious moments. However, Gortroe failed to find the net and Rangers winning run continues.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE ROUND-UP

DIVISION TWO PREVIEWS

Glenview And Grange Face Tough Home Games

GLENVIEW UNITED V. ARDMORE

A back to back fixture for these sides. Last week the league leaders won and they should bring off the double as it were on Sunday against a Glenview side at the wrong end of the league table.

GRANGE V. PINWOOD RANGERS

This should be one of the better games in Division Two on Sunday. Both sides won last week and for Grange they will still see themselves in with an outside chance of the league title. Rangers on the other hand will be anxious to keep the pressure on leaders Ardmore, however, this game could end in a draw.

BLACKWATER RANGERS V. ARAGLEN

Title hopes for both of these sides have gone out the window as it were. However, both sides will be looking to finish as high up the table as possible. It's a game that could go either way.

AFFANE V. BRIDE VIEW UNITED

This game will attract a good crowd to the home venue. United still have an outside chance of league honours but a draw maybe on the cards here.

GORTROE V. CAPPOQUIN

Gortroe are having a good season and they should be too strong for a Cappoquin side finding the going tough.

EAST CORK/WEST WATERFORD SCHOOLBOY SOCCER LEAGUES

Big Victories For Youghal & Mogeely

For once the weather was kind and all underage games down to be played were played even if some games were transferred. There were big wins for the East Cork sides. Youghal's U-14 and U-16 teams had big wins while other East Cork side Mogeely had a big home win. The U-16 East Cork derby between Ballybridge United and Inch ended with a share of the points.

U-14 RESULTS
MOGEELY 5
BRIDE VIEW
UNITED 1

East Cork side Mogeely had a big home win over Bride View United on Saturday last. The scoreline, however, does not do justice

to a great display from United. Fergal McCarthy opened the scoring for Mogeely after just 3 minutes. Shane McCarthy equalised for United in the 15th minute but Lar Hayes restored Mogeely's one goal advantage. Aa minute later at the break Mogeely led 2-1.

An injury to United's centre half Pdraig Tobin five minutes into the second half saw Mogeely gain the upper hand and further goals from Connie Horgan and two from Peter Hogan saw the East Cork side get the points after a very entertaining game.

BALLYDUFF 0
YOUGHAL 12

Youghal travelled to Ballyduff and collected all three points. Ballyduff were short

their regular 'keeper for this game and it showed as they seldom troubled the seaisiders who ran out easy winners. Scorers for Youghal were P. O'Brien (3), Sean Ahearn (3), Alan Healy (2), Eric Walsh (2), James Barron (1), and Garry Roche (1).

U-16 RESULTS
BALLYBRIDGE 0
INCH 0

This East Cork local derby ended scoreless. One of the main reasons for this was the great display from both 'keepers, Stephen Hennessey of United and Packie Mahoney of Inch.

United had most of the play but they failed to convert their chances. Inch's defence also played well

here and when they were breached Mahoney saved the day for them.

For Ballybridge Jason O'Donoghue, Ger Hennessey and John Rogers were outstanding.

LISMORE 1
YOUGHAL 6

Lismore came under pressure from a very strong Youghal side who led 3-0 at the break. Edward Pollard scored for Lismore but the Seaisiders finished the stronger and added three further goals without reply from Lismore.

Scorers here for Youghal were Kevin Kenneally (2), Paul DeLacour (2), Tom Byrne (1) and Patrick McCarthy (1).

RAILWAY ATHLETIC F.C. (CAPPOQUIN) NOTES

Great Run Continues For Railway

RAILWAY ATHLETIC 2 RATHGORMACK 0

Railway recorded their fifth consecutive win on Sunday last when they scored a comprehensive two-nil victory over a physically stronger Rathgormack side.

We started the game at a very fast pace and dominated most of the half, but failed to get any clear chances and most of our efforts were from long distance which didn't trouble the visitors keeper. Our back four were well on top and Rathgormack didn't really trouble Arrigan in the Railway goal. The half ended 0-0.

Railway came out the much hungrier in the second half and started to create a lot more chances. We opened the scoring fifteen minutes into the half when Tommy Pratt broke the Rathgormack offside trap and raced away. He was pushed wide but crossed to Frank McLoughlin who gave the keeper no chance. Five minutes later a snap shot from McLoughlin was parried by the Rathgormack keeper and Eamon Murphy tapped into an empty net.

Railway kept up the pressure and Rathgormack began to counter attack. During one of these attacks a Rathgormack player was taken down in the box but Glen Arrigan made a great save from the resultant spot kick.

During the last ten minutes Railway worked very hard for one another and in the end they totally deserved their win.

We are on a great run at the moment and let's hope that every player will keep training and working and we may end up fairly well up in the table.

Railway — G. Arrigan, S. Quinn, G. Reddy, B. Whelan, M. Reddy (capt.), G. Morrissey, J. Fleming, C. Prendergast, E. Murphy, T. Pratt, F. McLoughlin. Res. — P. Manahan for Morrissey; T. Dec, D. Foley, P. Ormonde.

JUNIOR FIXTURE

Next Sunday we are away to Hibs with an 11.30 a.m. kick-off. This will be a very tough game for us, but we will have to work hard and hopefully get a result. Bus leaves the Square at 9.45 a.m.

UNDER-16 FIXTURE

Our under-16 side are at home to Kilmacthomas on Saturday, January 14, kick-off 2.30 p.m. This side are still on top of the league but have not played in the league since December 10.

Our lads will have to be at their best against Kilmac' if they want a result. This should be a very tight game.

COMMITTEE MEETING

Our committee meeting will be held on Friday next, January 13 at Scouts Den at 8.30 p.m.

GET WELL

Our club would like to wish a speedy recovery to our committee member Alice Reddy and under-16 player Mitchel Moynihan both of whom were in hospital over Christmas.

GOOD HAMPER DRAW

Our Christmas hamper draw was a big success. I would like to thank everyone who helped to make the draw a success.

UNDER-11 TEAM

It is all systems go for our under-11 teams. Mick Foley is very busy getting the lads ready for the under-11 league which will start in a few weeks. Training will continue on Sunday next, January 15 at 11 o'clock.

Abbeyside A.F.C. Notes DOUBLE SCORES

Week 20 — The F.A. Cup third round proved to be a lucky one for Joe Mulcahy when his pairing of Q.P.R. and Crystal Palace surprisingly scored nine between them to give Joe the £100 jackpot. A Robert Lee goal denied Div. 1 manager Michael O'Connor the Low Score of £10.

Week 21 — Jackpot £50; Low Score £20. Teams — 1 Arsenal, 2 Aston Villa, 3 Blackburn, 4 Chelsea, 5 Crystal Palace, 6 Leeds, 7 Liverpool, 8 Manchester City, 9 Everton, 10 Q.P.R., 11 Nottingham Forest, 12 Sheffield Wednesday, 13 Leicester, 14 Southampton, 15 Tottenham, 16 Newcastle, 17 Manchester United.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE FIXTURES SUNDAY 15TH JANUARY

DIVISION ONE

Cappoquin v. Mogeely, kick off 2.30 p.m., referee P. Marks;

Ballyduff v. Killeagh, kick off 11.00 a.m., referee L. Fraser;

Bride View United v. Inch, kick off 11 o'clock, referee N. Donoghue;

Modeligo v. Valley Rangers, kick off 11.30 p.m., referee S. Kearns;

Lismore v. Ballybridge United, kick off 11.00 a.m., referee J. Foley.

DIVISION TWO

Glenview United v. Ardmore, kick off 11.30 a.m., referee S. Hickey;

Grange v. Pinewood Rangers, kick off 2.30 p.m., referee M. O'Neill;

Blackwater Rangers v. Araglen, kick off 2.30 p.m., referee S. Kearns;

Affane v. Bride View United, kick off 2.30 p.m., referee N. Donoghue;

Gortroe v. Cappoquin, kick off 11.00 a.m., referee P. Marks.

EAST CORK/WEST WATERFORD SCHOOLBOY FIXTURES

SATURDAY JANUARY 14TH

U-16 LEAGUE

(all games kick-off at 2.30 p.m.)

Valley Rangers v. Ballybridge United, referee N. O'Donoghue;

Inch v. Mogeely, referee M. Harper;

Ardmore v. Youghal United, referee S. Kearns;

Lismore v. Cappoquin, referee P. Walsh.

U-12 LEAGUE

Bride View United v. Inch, k. off 2.30 p.m., referee L. Fraser.

U-14 LEAGUE

Valley Rangers v. Youghal, kick off 10 o'clock, referee N. O'Donoghue.

DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C. NOTES

RESULTS

T.S.B. U-13 League — Dungarvan 1 Portlaw 0; Division 1B League — Mooncoin 1 Dungarvan 6; Division 2B League — St. Joseph's 0 Dungarvan 4.

FIXTURES

Schoolboys: Saturday 14th January — T.S.B. U-12 League: Dungarvan v. Seaview Celtic, 10.30 a.m.; At Bray, Wicklow v. Waterford, Kennedy Cup U-14.

Junior: Saturday 14th January — Division 1B League: Abbeyside v. Dungarvan, 2.15 p.m.

Sunday 15th January — U-17 League: Kilmacthomas v. Dungarvan, 2.15 p.m.; Division 2B League - St. Paul's v. Dungarvan, 2.15 p.m.; Junior Oscar Traynor Cup, Waterford v. Wexford, Ozier Park, 2.00 p.m.

GOOD WEEK-END

It was another successful week-end on the playing pitch for the club as all three teams in action were successful. Our U-13's caused a shock as they defeated league leaders Portlaw with a late strike. Billy Duggan and Bob O'Brien together forced the ball over the line to put the young Blues right back in contention. They have three games left and if they can get maximum points from these games they can lift the trophy.

Our 2nd Division recorded their seventh successive victory with a superb 4-0 win away to St. Josephs on Saturday.

Veteran Johnny Hughes scored two first half goals, one a super strike, and Alan Sheehan got another two in the second to give them a fine victory. This win maintains Thomas Duggan's side's top position in the league table.

Our Division 1B side maintained their six point advantage at the head of the table with another big win away to South Kilkenny team Mooncoin on Sunday morning last. Goals by John (Snail) Power (2), Alan Sheehan (again!), Mark Hyslop, Dermot Dee, and Willie Coward gave them a comprehensive 6-1 victory.

POSTPONED

Two games fixed for last week-end did not take place. Our U-15 league game at home to Bohs was cancelled as Bohs were involved in an S.F.A.I. Cup replay.

On Sunday morning our youths game did not take place as Southend failed to show.

FIXTURES

On Saturday morning our U-12 side are at home to Seaview Celtic at 10.30 a.m. and Francie O'Brien's charges will need to be at their best to beat the Anestown side.

Also on Saturday the Waterford Kennedy Cup side are away to Wicklow in the first round of this national cup competition. This game will take place in Bray and Dungarvan have three players on the Waterford team, namely Vincent O'Sullivan, Killian Lyons and Martin McGovern. Liam Simms has been transporting these lads to Waterford every Wednesday night for training since October and we wish these lads and the Waterford team the best of luck. Anthony Browne of Johnville is the manager of this side.

Our Division 2B side face fellow table toppers St. Paul's away on Sunday next at 2.15 p.m. The outcome of this match could well decide the destination of the title. St.

Paul's hammered the Blues 5-1 in Kilmashogue on Saturday 17th September. But Thomas Duggan's side are unbeaten in their seven games since then and it should be a cracking match.

Our U-17 side are away to Kilmacthomas on Sunday at 2.15 p.m. This is our U-17's first away game of the league and their first game since they lost to Mooncoin on 26th November. We expect a close game from Kilmac' but expect Anselm Hayes's side to take both points.

Our Division 1B game fixed for Saturday versus Abbeyside will be postponed as we have three players involved in the Waterford Junior Oscar Traynor Cup team to play Wexford in Ozier Park on Sunday at 2.00 p.m. Timmy Kiely, Mark Hyslop and Micheál Downey are the three players involved and we wish the Waterford squad the best of luck.

CARDS

One winner of progressive 45 cards drive on Saturday 7th January — Helene Hayes and Tom Curran on 10 games. Jackpot this week £110 on 15 games at 8.30 p.m.

YANKEE DOODLE

Numbers on Sunday last were 19 and 12. One winner of the £400 jackpot Sarah Carey, Seapark, promoter Mag Walsh. Happy spending Sarah and well done Mag on selling another winning ticket.

DARTS

Our A team are away to Bridie Dees on this Friday night and we expect a big support.

DUNGARVAN UNITED — DIVISION 2B

Blues Keep The Pressure On

ST. JOSEPHS 0 DUNGARVAN 4

The four nil scoreline does not reflect how hard the Blues had to battle to bring home the two points against bottom of the table St. Joseph's and remain in contention for league honours.

This was a very poor first half for the Blues as far as football was concerned. They never approached anything near the football they are capable of and will have to improve 100% if they are to have any chance in the next three weeks against top of the table teams St. Paul's and Ferrybank.

After half an hour a good cross into the box by Finbar O'Rourke was met by Johnny Hughes who headed the ball over the advancing 'keeper to give the Blues the lead at the break.

At the start of the second half the home side fought hard to get back into the game but after 25 minutes it was that man Hughes again who gave the Blues breathing space. He received the ball outside the box jinked his way past three defenders and this marauding midfielder smacked the Blues into a two nil lead.

Hughes was unlucky not to get his hat-trick when Alan Sheehan set him up but his shot hit the post and the post was to deny the Blues again from the follow up by David Sheehan.

This was how it was to stay until the final few minutes until goal machine Alan Sheehan came on the

scene. A good cross again from O'Rourke was headed home by Sheehan. A few minutes later he again received the ball in a tight position, he wriggled free from his markers to get his sec-

ond of the game and make it an astonishing 12 goals in eleven games. Kieran Foley then ran the length of the field to receive a pass but his ageing legs let him down at the last minute. He was soon to recover after receiving some oxygen. John W. was next to score but unfortunately it was eight hours later at a disco. Looks like my bet is safe

John.

Next Sunday we travel to take on top of the table St. Paul's. This team beat us 5-1 at home so it will require a mighty effort if we are to get anything out of this game. Bus leaves the club at 12.45 sharp.

Dungarvan — A. Landers, F. O'Rourke, K. Foley, G. Hamilton, M. Cummins, D. Sheehan, J. Hayes, J. W. Power, B. Sheehan, A. Sheehan, J. Whelan. Res. — M. Donnelly, M. Ducey, P. Flynn.

Man of the match — J. Hughes.

UNDER-13 LEAGUE

Blues Topple League Leaders

DUNGARVAN 1 PORTLAW 0

On Saturday last the Blues under-13 teens played their first league game of '95 against the league leaders Portlaw, and caused an upset by scoring the only goal of the game to give the Blues two valuable points.

The Blues started the game without the services of captain Benny Horn, Ray Kirby and Brendan Roche, but this did not dishearten

the spirit of the Blues.

Dungarvan started very well with Alan Lennane playing well at right back. The first chance of the first half fell to Bob O'Brien but his shot was way off target. The first half ended scoreless.

In the second half the Blues tried very hard to get the winning goal but Portlaw did everything to stop them. The two best chances of the half fell to Ivan Fitzgerald but he failed to avail of them. Billy Duggan and Ger O'Brien were doing their best but the tiring work by Craig Cowming was beginning to take its toll. Just when it seemed we were heading for a draw, the Blues gave it one last try and when the ball was crossed into the penalty box Bill Duggan put a lot of pressure on the keeper and he and Bob O'Brien knocked the ball into the net.

This win puts the Blues in with a great chance of taking league honours, win their last three games and they are champions.

This was a great team display with Craig Cowming standing out in the game.

Dungarvan — J. P. Healy, A. Lennane, S. Sheridan, B. O'Donovan, D. Power, B. Wright, B. O'Brien (capt.), C. Cowming, G. O'Brien, B. Duggan, I. Fitzgerald. Subs. — J. O'Donovan.

Manager — Ben Tosh Wall.

DUNGARVAN UNITED — DIVISION 1B LEAGUE

Another Fine Display By League Leaders

MOONCOIN 1 DUNGARVAN 6

The Blues began the New Year as they finished the old by hitting the opposition for six and indeed had it not been for an inspired display by the home 'keeper the goal tally would surely have reached double figures.

Once again some of the tackling by the homeside was questionable and were it not for the pace of frontman Michael Downey whose speed took him past two attempted tackles (which had they connected would have caused him serious injury).

Mooncoin had the better of the opening 15 minutes and took the game to the visitors but the Blues defence stood firm with "Bomber" Sheehan outstanding and despite their possession O'Neill in Dungarvan's goal was never threatened. The Blues went ahead after 20 minutes when O'Connor's great through ball put Downey clear and he squandered the ball to Dee who shot home.

The visitors took control from this point and swarmed all over Mooncoin but the 'keeper produced a string of remarkable saves to thwart Power, Downey, Dee and O'Connor. Just before the break the Blues lost Kiely with a nasty ankle injury and he was replaced by Alan Sheehan. The game ended as a contest 5 minutes into the

second half when Downey (who had a superb game) cut the ball back and Power rammed home Dungarvan's second. Sheehan headed just over from O'Connor's corner and O'Connor saw his fine free kick hit the bar as Dungarvan threatened to run riot.

Hyslop scored the best goal of the game just on the hour when he won the ball in mid-field made 10 yards and unleashed a fierce shot which flew into the net. Gough set up no. 4 when he set Downey free on the right and when his shot was parried by the 'keeper ace poacher Alan Sheehan was on hand to tap home. The home side pulled a goal back shortly after but Coward added the Blues fifth when he headed home "Bombers" corner. Power wrapped up a fine display by Dungarvan when he hammered home Hyslop's pass. This was a vital win for the Blues and keeps them firmly at the top of the table.

Dungarvan — Kealan O'Neill, Cris Gough, Willie Coward (capt.), Pat Tutty, Tommy Sheehan, Timmy Kiely, Mark Hyslop, Gerry O'Connor, Dermot Dee, Michael Downey, John Power. Res. — Alan Sheehan for Kiely (injured), Stan Cummins for Downey.

ATHLETICS BY RACE LEADER

Waterford Trio Represent Ireland

The current high standing of the county's distance runners was demonstrated in Mallusk, Belfast last Saturday when John Treacy, Jimmy Mulligan and Sean Foley, all of Waterford Athletic Club, were selected on the Irish cross country teams which competed at this Northern Ireland Annual International meeting.

John Treacy continues to compete regularly on the cross county circuit and he enjoyed his best performance for some time on Saturday when finishing fifth in a race won by Ismael Kirui of Kenya for the second year in a row.



JOHN TREACY
who ran a marvellous race in Belfast last Saturday

Two midlanders, David Burke and Cormac Finnerty finished fourth and sixth re-

spectively and they came from the Mullingar club which has benefited greatly in recent years from the motivation of former Waterford runner Bobby Begley, Ballysaggart. Ireland had the team competition won against the fancied Kenyan and British



JIMMY MULLIGAN

teams but for the fact that David Burke was listed on the Irish 'B' squad. National inter counties champion Noel Berkley finished in eighteenth position.

It is a noted achievement

in the athletic careers of friends and club mates Jimmy Mulligan and Sean Foley that both were selected to represent their country on the same day. Jimmy also competed at the same fixture last year and for Sean it was the first



SEAN FOLEY

time to wear the green vest of Ireland. Congratulations to both. Jimmy finished 49th in 25.50 and Sean clocked 26 minutes even when finishing 52nd. The race distance was 8000 me-

tres. Both runners are expected to line up in the 7th annual Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup on Sunday, January 29. This is your opportunity to beat international runners!

FULL LIST OF FIXTURES FOR JANUARY



- SUNDAY 15** — Munster Intermediate and Vets Cross Country in Carrignavar at 1.30 p.m.
- FRIDAY 20** — Irish Universities Indoor Championships at Nenagh.
- SATURDAY & SUNDAY 21/22** — Munster Underage Indoor at Nenagh.
- SUNDAY 22** — Munster Senior and Junior Cross Country in Plassey, Limerick at 1.30 p.m.
- SUNDAY 29** — 7th Annual Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup in Colligan Wood. Irish B.L.O.E. 'B' Cross Country Championships in Horse and Jockey, Tipperary.

ALLROUNDER LEAGUE

HALFWAY STAGE

The Pearse Moloney sponsored Allrounder road running series reached the halfway stage at the Crystal Centre last Wednesday following Eoin Riordan's victory in a personal best time of 34 mins. 33 secs. Eoin has shown great improvement in recent weeks and he will be one of the 'ones' to watch for the remainder of the series.

Twenty six runners have taken part so far in this year's league and as there is already a big difference on

the points table, two divisions will be in operation for the remainder of the series.

Division One includes the following — 1 Eoin Riordan 98 pts, 2 James Moore 97 pts, 3 Michael Dwyer 89 pts, 4 Darren Healy 85 pts, 5 John Clarke 81 pts, 6 Tom Meehan 80 pts.

The second division will be completed by the rest of the runners and the leading seven at the half way stage are — 1 Colin Lyons 71 pts, 2 Seamus Healy 70 pts, 3

Siobhan O'Mahoney 62 pts, 4 Paul Keating and Anthony Dwyer 55 pts, 6 John Lyons 51 pts, 7 Liam Rossiter 50 pts.

TOP TEN TIMES TO DATE

- 1 Kieran Maher (29.37), 2 Michael Roche (31.39), 3 Finbarr Kelly (32.24), 4 Colin Lyons (32.31), 5 Dermot Hickey (32.37), 6 Gerry Cantwell (32.55), 7 Liam Rossiter (32.10), 8 Darren Healy (33.15), 9 Tom Meehan and Liam Flynn (33.26).

IRISH INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Joe Gough's Double

Dungarvan born Joe Gough won the Irish Vets 400 metres and 800 metres indoor titles at Nenagh last Sunday. Last year Joe created sporting athletic history when he became the first Dungarvan man to

win a Welsh athletic title. A former member of Dungarvan Athletic Club, the Waterford city based youth officer is a possible contender for this year's Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup on Sunday, Jan-

uary 29.

Also in Nenagh last Sunday, John Hallissey (Ferrybank A.C.) won the Irish senior multi events title and his sister Brid was second in the ladies multi events championship.

SINCERE SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to Liam Maher and family from Ring on the death of his mother Mrs. Bridget Maher which occurred last week.

COLLIGAN CONTENDERS

FERGUS NOLAN



Anybody who ever trained for, competed in and recovered from a marathon knows well the effort required by a runner to achieve this. Fergie Nolan from Waterford is the only man from this county to take part in and finish all fifteen Dublin marathons from 1980 to 1994. This is a remarkable achievement by Fergie who is also a loyal supporter of all running events in the Dungarvan area. Last year Fergie ran the Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup in 35 mins. 42 secs. and he finished in eighth position behind Gerry Cantwell. For 1995 Fergie has a finishing potential of thirty five minutes even.

LIAM FLYNN



The first of the Trans Atlantic Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup challengers flew in from Chicago recently to prepare for this year's event. Liam has kept himself busy during the year running 5k and 10k races in and around Chicago. He also ran the Tennessee Marathon which he completed in 2 hrs. 49 mins. In 1992 Liam ran 'Colligan' in 31.39 and last year he clocked 29 mins. even. He has a finishing potential of 28.30 this time round.

COLLIGAN CUP MEETING

A meeting to organise this year's Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup will be held in Lawlor's Hotel on this Thursday at 9 p.m. All are welcome.

Bright Start To New Year

Waterford athletes rang in the New Year in style in Nenagh on New Year's Day when they claimed many Munster titles at the Southern Region Senior and Junior Indoor Championships.

Brid Hallissey from Ferrybank won the senior 60 metres hurdles and high jump double and her clubmate N. Hayes won the triple jump title. In the senior mens competition John Hallissey, also from Ferrybank set a new championship record of 4 metres 40 cms in the pole vault competition.

At junior level Jacinta McCarthy (K.C.K.) won the 3000 metres title and Patricia Cahill (Lismore A.C.) won the long jump and triple jump double. Fergal English from Ballygunner enjoyed a great day of competition when winning the 60 metres hurdles, the high jump and the pole vault. Jamie Costin (West Waterford A.C.) won the 5000 metres walk, Jason Flynn (K.C.K.) captured the shot putt title and Larry Morrissey won the 800/1500 metres double with times of 2 mins. 3 secs. and 4 mins. 8 secs.

MINNIES SQUASH NOTES

LOOKING FORWARD TO 1995

We open our first notes of the new year by wishing all our members, their families, management, sponsors and friends of the club a very happy, prosperous and successful 1995. To President Michael Gildea, we wish continued

success and all we can say is that if the second half of the season is half as successful or has half the buzz of the first half, it will definitely go down as one of the, if not the, most successful seasons of the club's history.

1994 - BRIEFLY

Before we kiss a final goodbye to 1994, we will take a brief look back at some of the highlights. It was one of the best years for teams representing the club, with seven different teams taking part in 3 different leagues.

The south east leagues were reborn. We had mens division 1 and 2 teams, but it was our ladies division 1 team of Helen Kiely, Cindy Brady, Michelle Mernin, Anne Hennebry, Margaret Browne, Hilary Browne and Mary Coffey who were crowned champions.

Minnies organised and hosted both the mens and ladies country league finals. In a very exciting ladies final before a capacity crowd the team of Jenny McGrath, Sinead Byrne, Colette O'Mahoney, Sharon O'Brien, Sharon Wyse, Mary Ann Coffey and Marie O'Sullivan defeated Youghal on a 3-2 scoreline.

In the Cork leagues, we had teams in mens division 1 and 3. After mammoth travelling our div. 3 team of Michael Hayes, Pat McGovern, Dermot Kelly, Ray Moore, Owen O'Mahoney, Maurice Walsh and Jimmy Kiely were crowned champions. In the cup the team lost narrowly to Killarney.

It was a great season for players travelling to the various opens with the Munster Open, Munster Closed (in Killarney which attracted a very large Minnies contingent), the Cork Closed, Freshford Open and Galway Open - just some of the venues visited. Prizes were picked up at

the various venues by Francis Power (Munster Open B runner-up); Pat O'Brien (Munster Closed B winner, Cork Open B winner); Jenny McGrath (Munster Closed C winner, Munster Open C winner, Cork Open B winner); Pat McGovern (Munster Closed C plate winner, Freshford Open B runner-up); Maurice Walsh (Munster Open D runner-up, Cork Open C plate winner); Dermot Kelly (Freshford B winner) and Frank O'Donoghue (Galway Open E plate winner).

1994 "AT HOME"

On the home front, our own open back in February was a huge success, the star attractions being former world open semi-finalist Austin Adarraga of Spain and top world player from Australia Craig Rowlands. However, it was our loyal supporters from England who stole the show when in the main final Jon Perry beat compatriot Dean Watson 3-2 (9-8, 8-9, 3-9, 9-8, 9-7) in a very exciting final.

Ireland's current top lady Aisling McArdie was a huge attraction as she took part in and won the mens C beating our own Francis Power 3-1 in the final. Other Minnies finalists were Helen Kiely who won the ladies B plate, Michelle Mernin who won the ladies C plate and Maurice Walsh

who won the mens D plate. At the Crystal invitation, Maurice Walsh won the mens C plate, Helen Kiely was ladies A runner-up, Anne Hennebry was the ladies B runner-up, Colette O'Mahoney won the ladies B plate, Donnacha O'Dea was victorious over Michael Gildea in the mens D plate final.

The Pat Cullinane challenge trophy was comfortably regained against the Crystal. On the junior front 5 players represented Munster under the Minnies banner those being Paul O'Brien and Trevor O'Mahoney u-19, u-14 Brian Byrne and John Phelan and girls u-14 Sharon Foley. At the Munster Open, John Phelan won the u-14 (B) title while at the Leinster Open, Emmett Byrne won the u-19 (B) and Donnacha O'Dea won the u-16 (B) titles. Donnacha made the long solo trip to Galway for the Irish junior closed where he earned a very respectable number 13 ranking in the country.

Before I close the review, I think the biggest success story of '94 has to be the massive influx of beginners who have joined, were coached, played on the ladder and in tournaments. From September onwards over 30 beginners have joined the ranks, so all in all, I think 1994 can be considered a very successful one for Minnies Squash Club. Here's to an equally successful '95 and many more with it.

BANK OF IRELAND TO KICK US OFF

With the festivities well and truly out of the way we kick off '95 with our very popular tournament sponsored by Bank of Ireland. Entries close for this event next Wednesday night, January 18 at 8 p.m. Members of Minnies and the Crystal are invited to enter. The action will kick off on Tuesday night, January 24. All players are encouraged to enter, so let's get '95 rolling with a large entry.

For the record, last season's winners were: (1) Paul Freyne, (2) Paddy Walsh, (3) Michelle Mernin, (4) Vincent Tutty, (5) John Foley Jr. The runners-up were: (1) Ray Moore, (2) Michael Hurley, (3) Emmett Byrne, (4) Jim O'Mahoney, (5) Michael Coffey.

So come on squash players, let's get rid of the turkey and pudding and enter the Bank of Ireland, closing next Wednesday, January 18, at 8 p.m.

PADDY MURPHY LATE SHOW AGAINST DUNHILL

Our men's Division Three team held their final game of '94 when they hosted Dunhill on Monday, December 19. The result was a

Profile On Minnies Squash Club Young Players

John Phelan, Abbey-side - Munster Junior Open "B" under-14 squash champion.
—(Photo: Sean Byrne).



ALLROUNDER LADDER UPS AND DOWNS

Due to pressure of space from all the various opens and teams we never got a chance to list the promotions and relegations from round one of the Allrounder Ladder. There are seventy on this year's ladder, broken down into fourteen sections of five. Here are the ups and downs:

Relegated from Div. 1, Ray Moore and Owen O'Mahoney; promoted from Div. Two, John O'Brien and Paul O'Brien. Relegated from Div. 2, Maurice Walsh, Dick Brady; promoted from Div. 3, Martin Walsh, Pat

Cullen. Relegated from Div. 3, Pat Breen, John Reynolds; promoted from Div. 4, Gearoid Fraher, Tony Burke. Relegated from Div. 4, Jenny McGrath, Rene di Fusco; promoted from Div. 5, Eamonn Murphy, Felix Shields. Relegated from Div. 5, Michael Gildea, Ger Cusack; promoted from Div. 6, Ray Hahessy, Gerry McCullagh. Relegated from Div. 6, Michael Tutty, Colm Bannon; promoted from Div. 7, Kevin Tutty, Tom Mansfield.

Relegated from Div. 7, George Harney, Larry Kiely; promoted from Div. 8, Anne Heneberry, Mary Coffey. Relegated from Div. 8, Jimmy Beresford, Joe Brennan; promoted from Div. 9, Josephine Harty, Michael Coffey. Relegated from Div. 9, Sean O'Regan, Sharon O'Brien; promoted from Div. 10, Willie Browne, Anne Keaver. Relegated from Div. 10, Declan O'Brien, Sharon Wyse; promoted from Div. 11, Peggy Whelan, Rose Dwane. Relegated from Div. 11, Paul Wallace, Eamonn Flavin; promoted from Div. 12, Anne McGrath, Mary Power. Relegated from Div. 12, Ciara Robinson, Clare Walshe; promoted from Div. 13, June Whyte, Martina O'Ryan. Relegated from Div. 13, Claire O'Brien, Siobhan Cullinan; promoted from Div. 14, Kay Norris, Louise Conroy.

As I write, the second round of the league is nearing completion so hopefully, next week we will have more ups and downs and some results.

very narrow but vital 3-2 victory. At five Dan McCarthy won a marathon first set 10-8. Unfortunately, from there on, his opponent took command to win the next three 9-4, 9-1, 9-4. At four Dave Tuohy came back from losing the first two 5-9, 6-9 to clinch a vital but sweet victory by taking the next three 9-2, 9-3, 9-5.

At three, Maurice Walsh was in very clinical form and he romped home by a very comfortable 9-0, 9-2, 9-1 victory. At two Martin Walsh had a very long and hard four setter. He narrowly and disappointingly lost the first 9-7; he took the second 9-5, but unfortunately, lost the third 10-9 and the fourth 7-9.

So, all square with number one Paddy Murphy to come. This was a very tense encounter. Paddy lost the first 9-3, won the second 9-5 and a brilliant comeback from 6-8 down saw Paddy fight back to nick the third 10-8 and he raced away to seal the victory with a 9-0 fourth set score.

So, unbeaten in '94, let's hope the boys can keep on going for the second half of the league.

CONGRATS

Finally, before we close, on behalf of everyone at the club, may I take this opportunity of wishing very popular club and committee member Mary Coffey our heartiest congratulations on the wonderful news of her engagement over Christmas to John Gough. May you both enjoy the happiness that you undoubtedly deserve. — THE PEN.

JUNE WHYTE CLINCHES TITLE FOR TEAM

The beginners coaching on Wednesday nights was such a success that a separate tournament was held prior to Christmas. Eight teams of 3 entered and these were divided into two groups of 4 with each team in the group playing the other, thus giving everyone at least 3 games. The winners of each group then met in the final. Some scores from the games played during Christmas week were Sharon Wyse 3 Anne McGrath 0, Ann O'Brien 3 Marie Keane 0, Louise Conroy 3 Declan O'Brien 2, Mary Power 3 Clare O'Brien 0, Kay Norris 3 Claire Robinson 0, Pat Barron 3 Martina O'Ryan 0 (this was a much closer and keenly contested game than the scoreline suggests), Siobhan Cullinane 3 Ann O'Dwyer 0.

The game of the week was probably Sean O'Regan and Kate Cross. Sean won a very tight first 10-8 and the third narrowly 9-7. Kate weighed in by winning the second 9-4 and the fourth 9-3. In the decider with little to choose it was Sean who just pinched it 10-8. When all the totting was done from the three nights of action, Pat Barron and Kate Cross's team were deemed their group winners and so contested the final on Wednesday 21st Dec.

The ones were first on here. The very lively and fit Pat Barron never gave Kate Cross a chance to reproduce her

form of the previous night as he won 3-0. The threes played the previous night and here Ballymac's Clare Walsh was in superb form as she beat the rapidly improving Anne O'Dwyer on a 3-0 scoreline. This left the tie balanced with the twos June Whyte and Declan O'Brien to come. A very nervous start by both players saw Declan seize the initiative. He was always in command as he served at 5-2 and 8-5 only for June to rally back and sneak it 10-8. In the second June dominated, playing superbly she wrapped up the set 9-4. In a very exciting third despite saving 6 match points and having the crowd on the edge of their seats, Declan's best efforts were just a shade unlucky as June held her nerve to serve 10-8 for the match and give victory to Pat Barron's team.

The prizes were presented at the Christmas Party on the night. Before I close on the beginners I would like to congratulate each and every player who took part in the tournament. Every one of you were winners. The atmosphere generated over the four nights would rival any Minnies open, while the punctuality, sporting play, team support and general good feeling around was an example to all of us. The beginners coaching will recommence very soon so watch the notice board for details.

Dungarvan G.A.A. Notes

MEETING

Another reminder that the first meeting of the new executive will take place at the clubhouse on this Wednesday evening at 8 p.m.

MASS

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for the deceased members of the club will be offered up at St. Mary's Parish Church next Sunday, January 15, at 10.30 a.m. This is a very special occasion for us when we remember all who have gone before us, who in their day did trojan work for the club. Ar dheis De go raibh siad.

CONVENTION

The annual convention of the Western Board will take place this Thursday, January 12 in Aglish. Our delegates will be in attendance.

NEW SEASON

Soon it will be a case of "all systems go" when we

must get into readiness for the coming season. We hope the next few months will be more beneficial to us at adult level than last year. The beginning of this decade has been very good to us at both juvenile and adult level, and we look forward to this year with confidence.

LOTTO

The weekly Lotto numbers drawn on Sunday were 13, 19, 1. We had two winners — Eoin Cunningham, O'Connell Street, promoter Margaret Cunningham; Patsy Kirwan, Old Parish, promoter Paddy Foley's (£450). Next week's jackpot £100.

SYMPATHY

On behalf of the club we extend sincere sympathy to Mary and Martin Mannion on the death of Joe. Ar dheis De go raibh a anam.



DUNGARVAN CRYSTAL SPORTS & LEISURE CLUB — The winners of the team squash tournament (sponsored by TSB Dungarvan). Back row (left to right) — Jimmy Kiely, Kevin Moore (Chairman Sport & Leisure Club), Justin Walsh, Johnny Byrne; front — Helen Kiely (captain), John McGrath, TSB (sponsor), Eoin Simms. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

St. Oliver's G.A.A. News

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

St. Oliver's hurling and football club held their 20th Annual General meeting last Thursday, January 5 at St. Mary's Hall, Aglish and it turned out to be a very well attended one.

After the outgoing chairman Jim Power welcomed everyone to the A.G.M. both Secretary Tony McCarthy and Treasurer Tony Morrissey read their excellently compiled reports, which were both accepted. The treasurer's report showed the club to be in a healthy financial state, mainly because of the support of the Deise Development Draw. Then it came to the election of officers.

Here are the main men and (women) for 1995:

Patron — Fr. John Treacy C.C.; Presidents — Fr. Finbarr Lucey P.P., John Longan (Snr.), Dick Curtin (outgoing); Chairman — Jim Power (outgoing); Vice-Chairman — Roger Ronayne (outgoing); Secretary — Tholm Keane; Assistant Secretary — Tony McCarthy; Treasurer — Tony Morrissey; P.R.O. — Anthony Morrissey; Deputy P.R.O. — William Downing; Membership Officer — Michael Tobin; Committee — Daithi O'Brien, Michael Stack, Pat Fletcher, Tom Curran, Kay Murray, Joan Keane, Seamus Murray, P. J. Connery, Brian Connery, Declan Glavin, Marie Ronayne, Aidan Ahearne, Marianne Cliffe, Paddy Corkery, Jim McGrath.

Selectors — Under-12: Brian Connery (trainer), Jim McGrath, Seamus Murray. Under-14: Nicholas Walsh (trainer), Tom Curran, Roger Ronayne. Under-16: Tholm Keane (trainer), Pat Fletcher, Michael Murray, Jim Power. Minor: Daithi O'Brien (trainer), Tony Morrissey, Tony McCarthy. Under-21: Paddy Corkery (trainer), Michael Tobin, P.

J. Connery, Daithi O'Brien.

The meeting saw Tony McCarthy step down as Secretary after doing an excellent job for the last six years and for four years previous to that, he held the position of Chairman. Tony has been involved in the club's activities from the start and in all this time has always been a selector.

In his Secretary's report, Tony paid tribute to Bill Downing who died late last year. Bill held many positions within the club, and his dedication to St. Oliver's was immense.

Membership Fees — Membership Fees for 1995

are £3 (adult) and £1 juvenile and are to be paid in to Membership Officer, Michael Tobin.

INTER-COUNTY

During 1994 a number of St. Oliver players represented the club with distinction at inter-county level, they being Michael Murray, Tholm Keane, Aidan Ahearne, Paul Connery, Pat O'Donovan and Donnacha Tobin. Aidan, Donnacha and Paul were in the Rockwell side who took the Agricultural Colleges football title for the first time last year.

AND £25 GOES TO... At the Annual General Meeting a special draw was

held for all paid-up members of the Deise Draw who bought their tickets from St. Oliver's. The eight winners who each pick up £25 are Larry Hallahan, Noel Downing, Parish Senior Citizens, P. J. Keane (Killishal), Brendan and Joan Mernin (Villierstown), Maisie Walsh and Paddy Mullhall (Kereen), Jim McGrath (Ballinameela) and Tony Morrissey.

21ST BIRTHDAY

Congratulations to Joanne Morrissey, who turned 21 over the weekend and held her 21st birthday party in Villierstown last Saturday.

CLCG Rinn Ua gCuanach

ÉARLAMH — SAN NIOCLÁS

Rugadh san Áise Bhig é san 4ad aois. Bhí ina Easbog ar Myra in Lycia. In 1087 d'fhuaidh ceannaithe Iodálacha leo a chnámha agus táid iniú in Bari, baile san Iodáil.

Tá cáil domhanda ar mar choimhdire na n-óg agus éarlamh ag iascairí. Is ar an 6adh. Nodlag a comórtar a fhéile.

CRUINNÍÚ

CINN-BHLIANA C.L.G. Uachtarán — Micheál Ó Corraoin; Tánaiste — Partholán Breatnach; Leas-Uachtarán — An tAth. Ó Cadhla, Oirmh., Tomás Ó Ceallaigh, Nodlaig Ó Cionnfhaoil, Dóirín Mhic Mhurchadha, Peig Uí Riagáin; Cathaoirleach — Tomás Ó Cadhla; Leas-Cathaoirleach — S. Ó Muirthe; Cisteóir — Pádraig Ó hArtaigh; Clárthóir — Tomás Óg Ó Corraoin; Oifigeach Caidrimh Pobail — Breannán De Faoit; Oifigeach An Árrachais — Nioclás Mac Craith (Óg); Rúnaí — Nioclás Mac Craith; Coiste — Siobhán De Faoit, Mac Dara Mac Dornchadha, Gearailt Ó Corraoin, Tomás Ó Corraoin (Gort na D.), Tomás Ó Corraoin, Liam Ó Corraoin, Cáthach Mac Craith; Feadhmannach Crannchur Na nDéise — Domhnall Ó Murchadha; Maor Na Faithche Imeartha — Muiris De Róiste.

Roghnoirí — Peil: P. Ó hArtaigh, M. Ó Corraoin, T. S. Ó hArtaigh; Iomáint: P. Ó Cuanach, G. Ó Corraoin, S. Ó Corraoin; Fé 21 agus fé 18 — Cáthach Mac Craith. Ballraíocht — Gnáth bhall £10; Aosánach £2; Lanamha phósta £15.

PAIRC UÍ SHÍOTHCHÁIN

Tá forbairt mhór á dheanamh agus le deanamh

sa pháirc fé 'Scéim Fáis' — Árdán, seomra cruinnithe, Teach innill. Daoine sa cheanntar go bhfuil radhaise airgid acu agus gan aon t-slí len a chaitheamh acu, má thugann siad do Choiste Na Páirce é, cuirfidh siad san ag obair é, agus beidh cead acu súd a thug é, teacht ag feachaint ar thoradh na hoibre.

COMÓRTAISÍ '95

Iarrfaidh Rinn Ua gCuanach ar Coiste An Chonndae eadar-dhealú do dheanamh in '95 idir na Comórtaisí Iomána agus na Comórtaisí Peile — An Iomáint do thús sa mBealtaine agus críoch a chur leis fé dtosnaithe ar an bPeil.

COMHBHRÓN

Dhein na baill comhbhrón le Mnt. Nóra Uí Chonchubhair; Mnt. Pheig Bhreatnach, Bn. Dhubbáin; Mnt. Shiobháin Uí Lonáin agus Mnt. Mhichil Turraoin.

PÁDRAIG Ó MURCHADHA

Ba dheas le gach aoinne Pádraig do bheith sa mbaile ar saoire. Ceid slán leis an am a bhí se ina Chlarthóir againn; bhíodh 1,000 ball éigin sa chumann aige.

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D Ó Murchadha, G. Breatnach, Ó. Ó Céileachair, L. Ó Droma, S. Ó Lonáin, S. Ó hArtaigh, C. Ó Conchubhair (Capt.), P. Ó hArtaigh, M. Ó Druacháin, N. Ó Faoláin, L. De Grás, S. Ó Meachair, S. Mac Gearailt, T. Ó Murchadha. Fir Ionaid — C. Ó hUalacháin, P. Ó Catháin, F. Mac Eochagáin, P. Ó Corraoin, S. Ó Cadhla, C. Ó Manacháin, N. Ó Murchadha, M. Tóibín, A. De Siún. — O.C.P.

Ardmore G.A.A. Club Notes

GOOD NEWS

We are delighted to report that Darren Hennessy is well on the road to recovery following a very serious knockout recently. It was a very worrying time for Kathleen, Pat and family so together with their many friends and neighbours we are thrilled with the good news.

It is good too to note that Denis Conway is making a complete recovery from a recent injury. Both men are very valued club players.

MEETING

A most constructive club committee meeting was held on Wednesday of last week. The meeting was presided over by Vice-Chairman Joe Brien in the absence of An Cathaoirleach Liam Lynch. Our new Runai Kevin Gallagher launched himself into the fray at this meeting and the former colleges, club and county player seems destined for a very bright future as a club official.

1995

As we look forward to new playing season we wonder what 1995 holds in store for us or rather are we prepared to make a title winning effort this year. Last year in hurling we showed on our day

that we could beat the best in the division and indeed we did just that, in fact, had all our players been available for our vital game with Tourin we could have went all the way.

Hurling is a game that needs a lot of practice especially at developing our weaker points and even though our pitch might cut up there are four fine playing pitches in the locality when the tide is out. Yes we can play hurling if we wish to do so — what about a puc fada competition?

Football on the other hand doesn't require the same time to develop the various skills, in fact, if a player is fit, fast and agile on his feet with a reasonable football brain, he is half way there — the only other and very important ingredient is, of course, belief in ones self and this will come as we develop our skills.

It is now thirty years since we won our first county senior football title and the men of 1965 will be honoured during this year, so wouldn't it be a good time to make the breakthrough, or go on forever listening to the deeds of the old men — that choice is ours.



DUNGARVAN MAN WINS £10,000 IN DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW — Pictured at the cheque presentation at Lawlor's Hotel were (back row, left to right): John Foley (Secretary Deise Development Draw), Kieran Curran (Secretary Dungarvan G.A.A. Club), Willie Walsh (uncle of winner); middle row — Greg Fives (Treasurer Deise Development Draw), Billy Walsh, Caseyville (£10,000 winner), Declan O'Meara (Chairman Deise Development Draw), Margaret Cunningham (Dungarvan G.A.A. Club); front — Maura Curran, Paddy Fitzgerald, Ann Butler (Dungarvan G.A.A. Club), and Noel Sheehan (Dungarvan G.A.A. Club, winner of winning ticket). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Dungarvan Boxing Club News

The local club are starting the new year very optimistically with no fewer than eight boxers entering the Cork Leagues:

67 kg Pa Cummins (senior final), 63.5 kg James Keohane (senior final), 63.5 kg Bert Ahearn (junior), 60 kg John Pául Keohan (senior), 60 kg Garry Collins (junior), 39 kg Richard O'Leary (senior), 33 kg Arthur McDonagh (junior), 33 kg (Rep.) Arthur McDonagh (junior).

These fights will all take place over the next two weeks.

The end of 1994 saw the Dungarvan club well represented on all levels. In December Gerry O'Mahoney was judging at the All Ireland Intermediate finals in Dublin. James Keohan, Timmy Coughlan and Richard O'Leary were selected to box for the Cork County Board when they took on an English team over from Devonport. This show was held in Carrigaline, Co. Cork. Richard O'Leary took on R. Lee from Devonport. Richard was very unlucky to lose this fight on a majority decision. Timmy Coughlan fought J. Hudson (Devon). Timmy was suffering from a stomach bug before the fight and had to retire in the second round. James Keohane had the crowd on their feet when he took on A. Kennedy of Devonport. Although Kennedy was the older and more experienced boxer, Keohane never let him get into his stride, he dominated the fight from start to finish which was early in the second round when the referee stepped in to declare Keohane the winner.

The results of our Christmas draw which took place at the Ormond Hotel on Friday, December 23 are as follows:

1st prize £100, Liam Moore, Hillview Drive; 2nd prize £30, Tommy Mooney, St. Bridget's Terrace; 3rd prize £20, Chris Tutty, Childers Estate.

The committee of the Dungarvan Boxing Club would like to thank everyone who supported our Christmas draw and indeed throughout the year. Without this support it would be impossible to compete at national level.

Colligan Equestrian Centre Hosts Winter League

Due to commence on Friday, February 3rd, the Colligan Equestrian Centre Winter League offers the ideal opportunity to all local horse fans to improve their riding skills, while meeting with riders their own age in a friendly competitive atmosphere. The 1995 Winter League will be incorporated into the Colligan Woods Riding Club Leagues with all club members taking part.

Starting at 5.30 p.m. the League is certain to transform the Centre into a hub of activity with novice and seasoned riders all compet-

ing for valuable points in the various competitions.

John and Louise Moloney are looking forward to the next eight weeks and hope to see all the past participants of the 1994 Gain League and those who took part in the Centre's recent Francis Connors training show joining in the fun.

"The Winter League will be of great benefit to all our supporters to improve their riding skills", said Louise.

The League is open to every rider young and old, with plenty of prizes to go around. Competitions are divided into the following;

Mini (1.5 to 2 ft.) kindly sponsored by John Coade of TSB, Davitt's Quay, Dungarvan; Midi (3 ft.) sponsored by Dungarvan Sand and Gravel; Maxi (3.5 ft.) sponsored by Waterford Foods GAIN Animal Feeds and Young Horses, sponsored by John Cleary, producer of young horses, Old Parish.

The prize for the leading rider is kindly sponsored by Bertie and Rosemarie Gaynor of Kilcannon House tackshop.

The Centre is pleased to announce the recent addition of a new car park,

thereby ensuring adequate parking facilities for all visitors to the Winter League.

POINTS SYSTEM

The rider with the most points will be announced as the winner in each category. Two points will be awarded for a clear round with 5 points for a double clear round. In the event of a tie, the prize will be divided.

This year the young horses section will be held jointly with the Maxi competition.

Destined to be yet another success story for the Centre, why not saddle up and join in the fun on February 3rd. All enquiries to John or Louise at 058-68261.

Don't forget the Centre's training shows commencing on Friday, January 13 and continuing Thursday, January 19 and Friday, January 27.

Waterford Ladies Football Notes

The Waterford Ladies Gaelic Football Association are holding their next meeting on Wednesday, January 25 at 8.30 p.m. in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan. All intending clubs for 1995 must be affiliated at this meeting. Clubs are also asked to inform the Co. Board of the grades at which they are participat-

ing in the championship for the coming year.

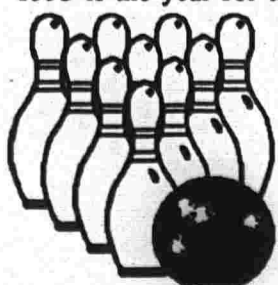
January 13 sees the start of the School Competition. This year five schools are taking part — Ard Scoil na nDeise, Dungarvan; St. Declan's Community College, Kilmacthomas; Dungarvan VEC; St. Anne's Secondary, Cappoquin, and the Friary College, Dungarvan.

Clonea Bowling Club Notes

LADIES BOWLING
Ladies bowling will start again on Tuesday, January 10, at 10.30 a.m. All new ladies are more than welcome — only £2 plus a cuppa and a chat!

Clonea Bowling would like to wish all their ladies a happy bowling new year!

JUNIOR BOWLING
1995 is the year for the



girls, so the lads better watch out!

Junior bowling is held every Sunday morning at 10.30 to 11.30 for one hour of fun bowling, and only for £1. Junior league starting, January 15.

HEINEKEN INTER PUBS '95

It's the time of the year again when entries are being taken for our Annual Inter Pubs Tournament. This has to be one of the most popular tournaments of the bowling calendar and with your help, one of the biggest. This competition has never been captured twice by the same team. In 1991 "Clonea Ten Pins" took the title,

1992 The Village Inn, 1993 Downys Bar and last year saw The Anchor romp home to the winners enclosure. Who knows, this year it could be you!

All you need is a team of two ladies and two gents to play one night a week for four weeks. The cost of £2.50 per person per week. It doesn't matter if you have never bowled before because a handicap system is operated which benefits beginners.

So if you are looking for something to do why not round up some friends and enter the competition. Contact 42416 for further details.



Bill MacNamara, Vice-Chairman, Ballyduff G.A.A. Club (2nd left), presenting a cheque for £1,500, won in the Deise Development Draw to Christy Higgins, Ballyheaphy (2nd right). Also included are (left to right) — Pat Flynn, Seamie Daly (Club Draw Co-ordinator) and Paddy Jim Feeney (seller of winning ticket). —(Photo: M. Flynn).

DUNGARVAN C.B.S. FOOTBALL LEAGUE WINNERS



Timmy Kiely, captain of the winning team in the C.B.S. Senior Football League, pictured here receiving a £300 cheque voucher from Ms. Katie McGrath of McGrath's Newsagency which sponsors the competition each year. Included also are Ms. Jean McGrath, Pat Moore (who refereed the final), Eamon O Mairtin (gamesmaster) and Larry Tomkins (supervisor of the County Football Coaching Scheme).

Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty G.A.A. Notes

SCOR NA nOG

Our question time team of Niall Moore, Jonathan Donovan and Brian McNamara qualified for the Munster final at last Friday evening's semi-finals in Banteer, Co. Cork. Our ballad group were also in action and put up a commendable performance. The Munster final takes place at the Glen Eagle Hotel, Killarney on Saturday, January 28.

TIMES PAST

This week's delve into the records takes up back 24 years to 1971. As defending champions we took on Eire Og in the first round on April 18, winning the local derby by 6-4 to 0-2.

It was August before the next round was played against Cappoquin. This game ended all square Abbeyside 2-8 Cappoquin 4-2. Both the drawn and replayed games turned out to be thrillers. Indeed there was a keen rivalry between the Cornerstone club and ourselves in the under-21 grade in the early 1970's. Cappoquin took the honours on the second day by 1-11 to 4-4.

The team for the replay was — Richie Goode, Jim Kiely, Micheal O Floinn (R.I.P.), Jimmy Kelleher, Nicksy Cashin, Michael Fives, Jimmy Fraher, Peter Flynn, Michael Hanrahan, Felix Shields (capt.), John Beatty, Humphrey Kelleher, Marty Kiely, Aidan Barron, Donal O'Connor. Subs. — Paddy Cashin, Pat White, Eddie Cashin, Vincent Feeny, John Moloney, Ivor Gordon, John O'Donnell, Richie Hanrahan, John Fraher (R.I.P.), Philip Cleary, Kieran Lennon, Brendan Lynch, Lar Hanrahan.

Cunnigar Pitch And Putt Notes

Well it's the time of year when our thoughts turn to a new season ahead. What a fabulous tournament calendar we had last season. We are looking forward with great confidence to another marvellous calendar for the 1995 season.

With so many people giving a lot of their time for the good of our club, I am sure we will see the same commitments from all our members for this season as we did in 1994.

With all our tournaments being very well supported in 1994. We are looking for the same again in 1995. Over the next few weeks our tournament committee will be getting our calendar for the season of 1995 together. We wish them every success in their task.

CUNNIGAR PITCH AND PUTT COMMITTEE

Members of 1995 — Chairman: Leonard Duggan; Vice chairman: Paddy Power; Treasurer: Patsy Hackett; Secretary: Mary Monihan; P.R.O.: Alfred Ebanks; Officers: Eddie Lenihan, Tommy Lenihan, Anthony Landers, Andy Keohan, Frankie Wright, Heather Wright, Mikes Donovan, Paddy O'Neill, Mike Daly, Martin Hayes.

LOTTO

Our numbers for last Tuesday's draw were 4, 10, 17. Two winners Willie Murray and Marie Ozie. Promoters Willie Murray and Mikes Donovan.

May I say a big thank you to all our lotto members who do a marvellous job for the club. Keep up the good work.

COMMITTEE MEETING

A committee meeting will be held on this Thursday night January 12 at 7 p.m.

Shamrocks GAA Notes

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The annual general meeting took place at the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore, on Wednesday night, January 4 and was very well attended. The meeting was preceded by Mass at Knockanore Church for all living and deceased members.

The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were most comprehensive and drew rounds of applause from the members present. The address of Chairman James Tobin was a lengthy one and was followed by the election of officers which resulted as follows: Hon. President, Rev. J. Mulcahy, P.P.; Hon. Vice President, Rev. Fr. Mangan, C.C.; Willie Murphy, Michael Neville, Edmond Murphy, Tom Roche, Ml. Tobin, Jack Neville, Jim Morrisson, Jim Murphy and Frank Corcoran; Chairman, James Tobin; Vice-do., John O'Callaghan; Secretary, Ann O'Keefe; Treasurer, John Baldwin; PRO/Registrar, Declan Ahearn; First Aid, Liam Casey; Membership Officer, Dan Casey; Insurance Officer, Noel Casey.

Committee: Jim Nicholson, Michael Leahy, Frank Corcoran, Tom O'Donovan, Liam Ahearn, Larry McGrath, Billy O'Keefe, Seamus Murphy, Noel Casey, Noel Tobin, Frank Roche, Conor Butler, Michael Murphy, Joe Geary, Gerard Murray, Liam Dalton, Dan Casey.

Teams for 1995 — Intermediate Hurling and Football; Junior Hurling and Football; Under-21 Football

and Minor Football.

Selectors — Junior and Inter. Hurling — James Tobin, John Baldwin and Seamus Murphy; Junior and Intermediate Football — Noel Tobin, John O'Callaghan and Tom O'Donovan; Under-21 Football — Dan Casey, Liam Dalton and Jimmy O'Neill plus two from Tallow; Under-21 Hurling — Liam Ahearn and Billy O'Keefe plus three from Tallow; Minor Football — Billy O'Keefe, Liam Ahearn, James Tobin plus two from Tallow; Minor Hurling — Liam Ahearn, Billy O'Keefe plus three from Tallow.

It was decided to hold an important committee meeting on Wednesday, January 18 at which arrangements will be made for the annual social to be held at a later date.

DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The second last draw in the present series takes place on Friday, January 27 and any members of our club not yet paid up are asked to contact the various promoters before that date.

THANKS

As we are now at the start of a new year we would like to thank all involved in the running of the club during 1994 — players, supporters, committee members and sponsors, etc.

Special thanks to the editor and staff of the Dungarvan Leader for their co-operation at all times during the year and we wish all a happy and successful 1995.

WON SPORTS STAR AWARD



Congratulations to Leeanna Tutty, 30 Newports Terrace, Waterford, who has been selected as BLOE Sports Star for County Waterford for 1994. The award will be presented at the Annual Star Awards Dinner in the Springhill Court Hotel, Kilkenny on March 4. Leeanna is daughter of Pat and Margo Tutty (Pat is formerly of 57, Cathal Brughra Place, Dungarvan) and granddaughter of Margaret and the late John Tutty and granddaughter of Margaret King, Newparks Tce.

Dungarvan Ladies Football

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The club will hold their A.G.M. in the Dungarvan G.A.A. clubhouse on Tuesday, January 17 at 8.15 p.m. All are welcome to attend.

THANKS

On behalf of the club we would like to thank the Dungarvan Leader for publishing our notes throughout the year and wish them and all our members a happy and prosperous New Year.

CHANGE OF DATE SPECIAL

CONVENTION

The Special Waterford G.A.A. Convention to deal exclusively with restructuring, due to be held on Monday, January 23, has been deferred to Tuesday, January 24. The venue is Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan, time 7.30 p.m. Clubs take note of date change.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

WESTERN CONVENTION

On tomorrow, Thursday, night, every club in the division will send a full delegation to the annual convention of the Western Board who will review a very successful year of non-stop activity.

The convention is timed for 8 p.m. at Aglish where the Geraldines club, whose major contribution to our games and gaelic affairs, generally is widely known, are hosts. This will be the club's first hosting of the event which will be preceded by Mass in the convention hall and will be offered for the repose of the souls of all deceased members of the association in the West.

The Board officers have requested that all delegates attend in good time for Mass.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The splendid report of secretary Anthony Walsh is comprehensive and detailed and touches on every aspect of Board activity during a tremendously busy year which saw all championships completed in good time for the county finals. This is a very fine report with some pertinent comments on policy and on how some clubs are careless in running their affairs and therefore it should not be passed over lightly, as is the norm with such reports. In my view delegates should take particular note of what the secretary has to say in his opening paragraphs in which he says:

"At the culminations of another years work, on behalf of Cumann Luthcleas Gael Portlairge Thiar it affords me considerable pleasure to present for your adoption and consideration a report of activities and events proper to convention. It was in many respects a satisfactory period with solid and constructive progress being made within the Division. The key question for us assembled delegates in convention must surely be "is the Association within the Division infinitely stronger than when we assembled for the same purpose twelve months ago." The answer is in the affirmative then we have reason to be satisfied, if it is otherwise then there is real reason for concern as we face into another season of endeavour for our Division, County and Association.

"A high degree of goodwill and co-operation and some outstanding achievements during 1994 by some

clubs brings credit to all concerned, however, once again attention must be turned to the club and the structures that govern the control of the basic unit of the Association. It is not sufficient to say that here in Portlairge Thiar we can boast of at least a club in every parish, but we must endeavour to insure that all our clubs strive more diligently towards perfection. It is hardly in keeping with the spirit of the Association to merely affiliate, fulfill fixtures or guarantee attendance at Board meetings. A good club must always be ready to pin-point where necessary, defects and suggest and implement remedies that will in the final analysis be for the improvement of our games and the organisation in general. It is pleasing, of course, to place on record that there exists within the Division many clubs of the right calibre and there is now scarcely a club who cannot claim 'a field of their own'. Yet we cannot turn a blind eye to the fact that there still exists a number who remain clubs in name only. The number is getting smaller but the fact that such still exists hardly calls for complacency. Perhaps it is high time therefore that we took a serious look at affiliations in the light of late withdrawals, non fulfillment of fixtures more so in 1994 than in previous years. Affiliations should be curtailed where necessary in order that we can have meaningful competitions at all levels in both codes. Let's maintain uniformity and avoid the unsatisfactory situation which prevailed in 1994. Surely late withdrawals and non fulfilment is not in accord with the promotion of playing standards and more often than not, it had the diverse effect of holding up and prolonging an already over burdened championship programme. If we have too many teams and grades then surely it would be in the best interest of all to streamline and gauge what is best for the overall good and playing standards."

CONDUCT AND DISCIPLINE

With regards to the above Anthony says:

"It is vitally important that Cumann Luthcleas Gael should impose a good disciplinary code which produces order, self control and respect for opponents. Mentors should be fully aware of their responsibilities not only to reprimand and discipline players quietly of breaches of discipline but also set good example themselves. No longer can field encroachment be tolerated. Another breach of conduct which cannot be condoned or tolerated is the use of foul language by both mentors and players alike. Not only are the people concerned demeaning themselves, but they are showing a scant regard for the clubs, the supporters of our games and the Association in general.

"The number of breaches of good conduct on the playing fields during the year under review were virtually non existent. However, some incidents did take place that necessitated Board action and while these were few and far between, the fact that they took place at all should be a good reason for greater vigilance and attention in the future.

"In presentation, however, we still have a great deal to be desired. How many times have we witnessed players and through them club officials showing little regard for uniformity of attire. Even at Divisional and County final level its old bug bear manifested itself and clubs must be fully prepared to eradicate the problem totally from our midst. A further reminder in punctuality whether it be getting our games or meetings under way at the appointed time would not be out of place. By attention to such matters we are improving our image and winning the admiration and respect of all."

REFEREES

Referring to referees the report says:

"Twelve months ago, I reported to convention that in my opinion a near crisis situation had been reached in regard to referees. Little had happened in the meantime to make me alter this opinion with the exception perhaps of the efforts of the Referees Association within the county. Sadly to relate however, their efforts within the Division to recruit and improve standards were largely ignored. No longer

can we expect to be serviced by a mere handful of the most dedicated officials one is likely to find anywhere in the land. What is not appreciated by most people is that many, if not all of our referees are actively involved in some way with their clubs and their availability is determined by the clubs programme on any given day. I wish to express my appreciation to all the referees who have worked so unselfishly in the Boards interest during the year. I would like to compliment Waterford Crystal on their initiative in honouring our referees."

FINANCIAL REPORT

As will be seen from the very detailed report from the Board Treasurer, Tony Morrissey, and which is exceptionally presented by the officer responsible for managing the Association's finances in the division, the Board had its most successful season to-date with record returns.

The total income for the year under review was £13,995 as compared with a total of £9,623 in the previous season and leaves the Board with a very healthy surplus. Efficient monitoring of gates allied to the fact that we did have some great 'runs' by good crowd pulling clubs this year, were factors in achieving such splendid returns.

Sponsorship by firms, hotels, individuals, etc. also showed an increase and there was increased income from the County Board controlled intermediate hurling championships.

Including the 'in and out' transactions, a total of over £40,000 was handled by the Board during the year under review.

A figure of more than £15,000 was collected from clubs for All Ireland and Munster championship tickets and passed on to the Senior Board.

The host club, Geraldines, will see their name mentioned in two of the three biggest 'gates' of the championships. Their game against Glen Rovers in J.H. which was played with the Modeligo/Lismore junior football game, brought in a gate of £1,165. Modeligo were also involved in the second biggest return when they met Emmetts in junior football and Ring played Ballinameela in intermedi-

ate football on the same programme. Shamrocks, Brickeys, Faha and Kilgobinet are also listed among the big crowd pullers on the balance sheet.

The total gates (which do not include intermediate hurling) at Fraher Field amounted to £6,307 and at Cappoquin a total of over £4,900 was collected. Championship games were also played at sixteen other venues and their returns are also listed. The fact that games can now be played at no less than eighteen grounds in this division tells its own story about the extent of the club grounds development which has taken place over the past ten or fifteen years. By any standards this is a first class financial report and presented in such a manner as to make easy reading.

MOTIONS

I have no doubt but that all the seven motions listed on the convention booklet will be moved and discussed, but not all of them are matters for convention and are proper to the draws and fixtures meeting of the Board which will be held in February.

Still all the motions are good ideas and if approved, in whatever form, will help to improve the running of the affairs of the Board.

ELECTIONS

I am still unsure of the intentions of a number of the nominated members, but over the week-end it was strongly rumoured that we may have only one contest. The outgoing chairman, P.S. O Riain, who has had a very successful first year in office, will be unanimously re-elected and he will appeal for better relations between clubs and greater harmony all round.

P.S. is also a strong contender for the county chair and this could mean that his reign could be brief.

His deputy, Paddy Walsh, is also likely to be given a free run and the same applies to some of the other positions, like Nicky Donovan who is returned unopposed as asst. secretary and also the post of registrar is not being challenged. It is also strongly rumoured that Anthony will be given a free run and this will mean that the only contests will be for the three positions of representatives to the County Board and here we are likely to have a four man contest for the three positions.

I understand that we went pretty close to having a lady candidate for one of the positions on the Board this year. The particular lady would certainly have made a very worthy contender.

SYMPATHY

During the course of the past week a number of well-known GAA personalities suffered bereavements and we offer them our very sincere sympathy.

To well-known County and Divisional Board referee, Tom Maher, Ring and his brother Liam on the death of their mother; to popular Chairman of the Stradbally Club, John Crotty on the death of his father, Kevin Crotty, who was a very well known supporter of our games, and to Pa and Tom Walsh, well-known county and club footballers on the death of their mother.

May they rest in peace.

Kilgobinet Handball Club A.G.M.

The very progressive and successful Kilgobinet Handball club will meet on Wednesday night of next week, January 18 at 8 p.m., to review a great year in which much progress will be reported, particularly at underage level and to plan a programme of competition for the coming season.

For many years this club have produced some All Ire-

land class players and have kept the county to the forefront in handball affairs and hopefully 1995 will see them make further progress and bring them more honours.

All members and intending members are invited to come and make their contributions to the discussions. We hope to keep readers up to date with their activities throughout the season.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Canvassers' Guide

I received the following over the weekend:
Dear Commentator,
In view of the highly organised canvassing that takes place before conventions here, this might be the appropriate time to publish a guide which can help frustrated canvassers who might be doing the rounds of the clubs.
It will be a handy guide for all future hopefuls!
Study the club structure of the particular club before setting out on your first visit to enquire if they will support you and honour you with their votes.
When their officers advise you that they decided to support your opponent, don't be put off just because they arrived at their decision in democratic fashion at their AGM.
You can then contact the various other club officers and members of their club committee to put your case. Widen your approach with other supporters, contacting their contacts within the club to see if their committee will discuss the matter again.
Propose they may give you one vote.
For example, your cousins brother-in-law may have a brother on their club committee and he may be good enough to propose that their delegates be allowed a free vote.
Always check, or double check as to who will be their actual delegates to the convention, as if they have not appointed them yet, you might be able to encourage your cousins brother-in-laws brothers to get himself appointed as one of their delegates and, who knows, he might give you the vote (unknown to the club of course).
Even if the club have appointed their delegates do not let this deter you as every experienced canvasser knows that with careful planning, one of their delegates may opt out and your cousins brother-in-law will be on hand to fill the gap.
In the final days concentrate on canvassing the clubs which you know won't vote for you and keep the pressure up right to the last moment. It is all great fun, is it not?
And don't worry about canvassing being banned under the rules!
Note — I don't know if this advice is intended for your's truly, but I have no objection to sharing it with others who might be interested. — 'Commentator.'

County Convention

With such a big number of people nominated and no definite withdrawals as yet announced, it might be too soon to engage in any kind of speculation until some positive announcements are made in this regard.

With such a situation, it is difficult for clubs to make a choice of candidate for most of the positions and the feeling around the county is that County Board should insist on a withdrawal date for candidates who do not intend to stand.

Usually all this 'buzz' for county convention begins when the Divisional conventions are over, so it will be some time next week before the air begins to clear in this respect. Nominations for County Board

Chairman — Frankie Cullinane, Portlaw; Paddy Dunphy, Tramore; James Tobin, Shamrocks; Padraigh S. O Riain, Fourmilewater; Tony Mansfield, Abbeyside/Ballinacourty; Ollie Wilkinson, Tourin; Denis McGrath, Affane/Cappoquin.

Treasurer — James Walsh, Kilgobinet; Christy Dowling, Erin's Own; Tony Morrissey, Geraldines; Denis McGrath, Affane/Cappoquin; Ray Hennessey, Kill.

Secretary — Seamus Grant, Mount Sion; Eamon O Murchú, Dunhill; Greg Fives, Abbeyside/Ballinacourty; Denis McGrath, Affane/Cappoquin; John Jackson, Ballyduff.

Development Officer — John Fraher, Cappoquin/Affane.

Hurling Officer — John Kiely, St. Patricks.

Youth Officer — John O'Leary, Ballyduff East; Paddy Dunphy, Tramore.

PRO — Brendan Tobin, Sliabh gCua/St. Marys; Jim Landers, Affane/Cappoquin; John Jackson, Ballyduff West.

Oifigeach Gaeilge — Nioclás Mac Craith, An Rinn; Seamus O hAonghusa, Mount Sion.

Munster Council — Jimmy O'Gorman, Lismore; Tommy Hennessey, Kill; Frankie Cullinane, Portlaw; John Jackson, Ballyduff West; Denis McGrath, Affane/Cappoquin; Seamus Grant, Mount Sion; Paddy Fitzgerald, Dungarvan; James Tobin, Shamrocks.

Central Council — Seamus O'Brien, Abbeyside/Ballinacourty; Eamon O Murchú, Dunhill; Michael Dowling, Erin's Own.

This gives a grand total of 37 members nominated for

the eleven positions on the Board.

MOTIONS

The first four motions relate to the restructuring of the inter-county junior and intermediate championships.

Motion 5 — Congress being the supreme governing body as laid out in TO 1992 directs that: (1) A Committee comprising of four elected County Treasurers — one from each of the four nominees of Ard Comhairle to be appointed to review annually Grant-Travel and Hotel expenses as set out in Rial 92 TO 1992.

Rial 92 TO be amended to read: Travel and Hotel expenses and grants which shall be reviewed annually, shall be paid to teams competing in All-Ireland semi-finals, All-Ireland semi-final replays, All-Ireland finals and All-Ireland final replays. Amend Rules TO 80, 92 and 93. (Dun Aill).

Motion 6 — That Rule 126 TO 1992 be amended as follows: second sentence to read three points for a win and one for a draw. (Ath Mhean/Ceapach Chuinn).

Motion 7 — That this convention wants negotiations to be concluded by Provincial Councils and Central Council in order that live coverage of Gaelic games to be screened every Sunday at 6 p.m. during the provincial and All-Ireland championships in hurling and football. (Baile Ui Dhuibh).

Motion 8 — That this convention instructs incoming Board to enter into negotiations with other Munster counties with a view to establishing home and away arrangements for provincial championships. (Ath Mhean/Ceapach Chuinn).

Motion 9 — That Foth Dliithe 2.01 be deleted: That the present Eastern and Western Boards be abolished and that the County Board be restructured as follows: The County Board consist of separate hurling and football boards. The Choiste Gnotha to consist of County Chairman, County Secretary, County Treasurer plus three members of hurling and football boards, plus Munster Council delegates and Ard Chomhairle members. All relevant bye-laws to be amended. (Rogha Eireann).

Motion 10 — Foth Dliithe

1.12 — "There shall be a Coiste Gnotha having Executive powers and consisting of An Cathaoirleach, dha Leas-Chathaoirleach, An Cisteoir, An tOifigeach Oige, Ionadai chul na hArd-Chomhairle, dha ionadai chun Comhairle Na Mumhan, an dha Runai Ceanntair, an tOifigeach Iomana agus an Runai Conndae without voting powers. An Coiste Gnotha shall meet in the week prior to each meeting of Coiste an Chondae. (Rinn O gCuanach).

Motion 11 — That all officers except Secretary, elected at County convention, shall hold office for five (5) successive years only. Having served a five (5) year term of office, each officer will be obliged to stand down from the office held for one (1) year after which each officer may again contest the position previously held. A retiring chairman shall be an ex-officio member of Coiste An Chonndae for one (1) year following his/her term as Chairman. Existing Bye Law and other relevant bye laws to be amended. (Rogha Eireann).

Motion 12 — That Bye-Law 8.11 Fo-Dliithe 1986 be deleted. (Dun na Mainistreach/Baile na Cuirte).

Motion 13 — That Bye-Law 8.12 Fo-Dliithe be deleted. (Dun na Mainistreach/Baile na Cuirte).

Motion 14 — That the county senior hurling and football competitions be restructured along the following lines:

(a) Senior Hurling and Football Championship — That the senior hurling and football championships shall consist of 16 teams divided into four groups of four. Groups to be seeded on the previous year's championship results. Each group to be run on a league basis, playing one game in May, one in June and one in July where possible. The top two teams in each group shall qualify for the quarter finals of the championship and the bottom team in each group will play off for relegation.

(b) Sargent and Phelan Cups — That the Sargent and Phelan Cups be reorganised and played on a proper league basis consisting of two groups of 8 teams divided geographically. The top teams in each section to advance to the

semi-finals of the league. Games to be played on a home and away basis. The league shall commence on the first Sunday in March, rotating hurling and football every Second Sunday. Hurling league matches to be played on the same Sunday as National Hurling League matches.

From the month of May on, rounds could be played on Tuesday evenings. Failure to fulfil a league fixture will mean automatic removal from the competition, and that team shall not be allowed take part in the following year's league. In addition, a heavy financial penalty (to be determined by the Fixtures Committee) shall be incurred.

Major sponsorship to be sought for league and attractive prizes to be awarded to the winning clubs. (De La Salle).

Motion 15 — That the senior hurling and football county championships be completed by the last Sunday in September each year. (Deuglan Naofa).

Motion 16 — That County Board through the County Fixtures Committee put in place a Fixtures Programme that would ensure the following to happen: (a) That clubs have a regular programme of games during the season and at regular intervals; (b) That our senior county finals be played before the second Sunday in October in order that (1) Both our senior club representatives are available for the Munster Club Championships. (2) All our players are available for National League duty. (3) Finals be played in reasonable playing conditions. (c) In order to achieve the above the following should be implemented: (1) only 6 days freedom be allowed to all intercounty players (senior, junior, under-21 and minor); (2) A specific time be allowed for the running of under-21 competitions. (3) That Choiste Gnotha ensure that all fixtures committees — County, Divisional Bord Na nOg co-ordinate with each other in a proper manner regularly. (d) That clubs fixtures become the number one item on Clar of each County Board meeting. (Micheal Mac Craith).

Motion 17 — That all existing and relevant bye-laws be amended in order that the following be achieved: Regulate and streamline the number of teams in all

adult grades as follows: (a) Phase 1 — Reduce to twelve the number of teams competing in the senior hurling and senior football grades for the year beginning January 1996 and thereafter. (b) Phase 2 — Reduce to twelve the number of teams competing in the intermediate hurling and football grades for the year beginning January 1997 and thereafter. (c) Phase 3 — Junior A and B to be structured on a Divisional basis and maintain an even amount of teams in both grades for the year beginning 1998 and thereafter. (Clais Mhor).

Motion 18 — That Divisional Boards be allowed to enter a team to represent Division in the senior championships. The players from all intermediate and junior clubs (proper) be eligible for selection. The respective Divisional Boards to be responsible for all affairs of such teams. Any existing or relevant bye laws to be amended. (Ma Dheilge).

Motion 19 — That all minor county finals in hurling and football be played prior to the start of adult championship games (Baile Ui Dhuibh).

Motion 20 — That the number of players per team in the Minor B Hurling Championship be reduced from fifteen to thirteen (Relevant bye laws to be amended accordingly). (Baile Dubh).

Motion 21 — Cumann Rogha Eireann proposes that all Senior Citizens who produce identification be allowed into all games free of charge. (Rogha Eireann).

Motion 22 — That family tickets i.e. 2 adults and 2 children up to and including 2nd level standard, be introduced for all senior championship matches admittance. (Portcladach).

Motion 23 — Amend County Bye Law 7.07 to read — Admission tickets be issued for all championship matches within the county and schoolboys and school girls to be admitted free. (Baile Ui Dhuibh).

Motion 24 — That admission to all games under the auspices of County Board be restored to Board Officers, referees, umpires, county selectors and other members whom the County Board would deem to have such entitlement. (Dun Na Mainistreach/Baile Na Cuirte).

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Ballinacourty Site For Wastewater Plant

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and St. Augustines College will be serviced by the treatment plant rather than by a separate plant as proposed in 1991.

Included in the W.Q.M.P. is a proposal to upgrade the existing septic tank at Helvick, servicing Ring/Ballinagoul/Helvick, by providing full secondary treatment, so as to protect the shellfish cultivation in the area.

The existing Ballinroad Treatment Plant will require upgrading to tertiary treatment in the future.

SIGNIFICANT LOCAL BENEFITS

Speaking at last Monday's Council meeting, Co. Manager Donal Connolly outlined the various advantages of the provision of a joint wastewater treatment plant at Ballinacourty and a secondary treatment facility at Baile na Gall.

Such a development, he felt will result in significant environmental benefits to the environment in the Dungarvan region the main advantages being the protection of public health and considerable improvement in water quality in Dungarvan Harbour which in turn will promote the development of mariculture activities, tourism potential and water leisure activities. The construction of such a scheme will also create employment and enhance long term employment prospects for the area in industry, commerce and tourism.

Other positive benefits of the wastewater plant is, of course, the provision of high quality treated effluent to replace the multiple untreated wastewater discharges which at present are outfalling to the Harbour.

"The scheme will place Dungarvan in a very advantageous position for future development", Mr. Connolly declared, adding that the joint wastewater treatment plant is "one of the major infrastructural plans" ever to come before the County Council.

UNANIMOUS SUPPORT

Both the preliminary report and the environmental impact statement received the full support of Council members with Cllr. Billy Kyne describing the proposed plant as "one of the most exciting and pivotal plans in the history of the Council".

Proposing the Council's approval of the reports, Cllr. Kyne enthused that the Ballinacourty site will be a cornerstone of development for the whole region for years to come. He particularly praised the environmental benefits of the Water Quality Management Plan in im-

proving the quality of urban beaches and the general water quality of the Harbour and hinterland.

The construction of a wastewater plant will also greatly enhance the possibility of drawing in future development to the town and area. Complimenting the County Manager, the Co. Engineer and staff on their clear summaries of the reports, Cllr. Kyne said it was now 'critically important' how the response of the public is dealt with. "I have every confidence that the public will look on this development as very positive", he added, "nothing must come in the way of this project which will enhance and protect our environment".

Concluding his speech, Cllr. Kyne gave the unanimous support of the Dungarvan Urban Council of which he is Chairman.

"NOT NEGATIVE SIDE"

Seconding the proposal, Cllr. Austin Flynn said he could see "no negative side" to the proposed development. "The plant will improve the water quality and make Dungarvan Harbour and hinterland more attractive to potential developers", he urged.

Congratulating the Council staff on their hard work, Cllr. Flynn said he hoped the public will see the development as being extremely positive.

Following the Council's unanimous approval of the joint wastewater treatment plant report, a foreshore licence application will now be lodged with the Department of the Marine.

Meanwhile the plans and reports of the proposed Joint Treatment Plant and the Environmental Impact

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Roads To Benefit From Pilot Scheme

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work is carried out and the contribution paid, the Council will then undertake the remainder of the works required on the road, including piping of drainage, strengthening/reshaping and grouting.

£100,000 AVAILABLE

Mr. Connolly said the total funding for the 1995 scheme is set at £100,000 maximum. Should the

overall number of applications exceed this limit the projects would then be prioritised by the County Engineer on the basis of assessed need.

The pilot scheme was warmly welcomed by members who saw it as a step in the right direction in improving the county's seriously neglected road network and in alleviating the current roads crisis.

Dungarvan Lions Club Says Thanks

We wish to thank most sincerely all those who helped to make the 1994 Lions Club / WLR FM Christmas Hamper Appeal such an outstanding success. The wonderful support we received enabled us to provide assistance to those in need throughout West Waterford.

We deeply appreciate the support and generosity we received on this and so many occasions in the past.