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American Ambassador Launches Famine Book In Lismore Castle

BY AISLING CONROY



Pictured at the launch of the book titled "The Famine in Waterford 1845-1850" in Lismore Castle were (l. to r.) Mr. Oliver Coffey, Chairman, Waterford County Council, Mrs. Jean Kennedy Smith, American Ambassador to Ireland, who officially launched the book, Mr. Donal Connolly, County Manager and Mr. Donal Brady, Waterford County Librarian and co. editor of the book.

The first event in the commemorations for the 150th anniversary of the famine, organised under the auspices of Waterford County Council was held in the

packed banqueting hall of Lismore Castle last Monday night, where US Ambassador Jean Kennedy Smith performed the official launch of "The Famine In

Waterford 1845-1850". Already sold out in the hardback edition (over 1,500 copies) the book was edited by Tramore C.B.S. teacher and historian Des

Cowman and Waterford County Librarian Donald Brady with voluntary contributions from 13 writers throughout the county. Among those attending last Monday's proceedings were members of Waterford County Council, Dungarvan U.D.C. members, local Dail deputies, members of the Lismore Town Commissioners and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, wife of former US President Lyndon Johnson.

"BIGGEST DISASTER EVER"

Co. Waterford's first citizen-Council chairman, Cllr. Oliver Coffey described the Great Famine as the "biggest disaster ever to hit this country", during which time over one million died, most unknown, and in excess of one million emigrated.

Waterford was badly affected by the famine having over 50% of the potato crop destroyed in 1845, the highest rate in the country. Dungarvan and West Waterford, CONTINUED ON PAGE 7

Report Findings Support Dungarvan Shopping Mall

A further chapter opened in the wrangle over the Main Street/residential emporium last Friday when Dungarvan UDC issued notification to developers - Irish Nationwide Building Society.

The first planning application of its kind in Dungarvan, the proposed development grabbed local headlines last February when it was submitted by local architect Muiris O Criostoir in association with Edmund Fitzgerald Selby.

URBAN REVITALISATION

As part of the proposed innovative development, part of the former semi-derelict Mulcahy property would be demolished to make way for a pedestrian mall which would run from Main Street to the rear of Scanton's

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Answer: Every situation is different. Factors to be considered include tax relief, disposable income and the individual's circumstances. It is advisable to contact your credit institution in order to discuss various options.

Question: My mortgage has fallen into arrears, will I pay more interest now?

Answer: The simple answer is to contact your credit institution immediately. They will sit down and make arrangements for you to clear the arrears. The longer you leave it, the more the problem will blossom.

Readathon At Clashmore School



Pupils from Clashmore N.S. who completed a Readathon for World Book with their medals and certificates. Also included at the back are (left to right) — Oliver Walsh (Manager World Book, East Cork and West Waterford), James Flavin (Board of Management), Geraldine Shine (School Principal), Fr. O'Gorman, P.P., Clashmore, Kit Lombard (Parents Association), Veronica Curran (Teacher). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Villierstown Famine Commemorations

The Rev. Philip Homan served the Church of Ireland community in Villierstown for 25 years and died of famine fever on November 20, 1846, aged 47 years. He is buried on the right-hand side of the sanctuary in Villierstown Church.

These stark details hide a story of adventure, romance and indeed tragedy. His father, Isaac Homan, a Dublin barrister, emigrated to Georgia to live in a log cabin, where he later died. His widow and son Philip

survived shipwreck, were marooned for a whole winter on an unidentified island, and finally got back to Ireland.

Philip entered Trinity College, Dublin, in 1815, was ordained and appointed to the chaplaincy in Villierstown through the influence of Sir William Homan, a cousin, who lived in Tourin. He married Marion Cameron from Lismore on November 16, 1828 and lived in blissful happiness in Villierstown. They were blessed with six children,

four girls and two boys.

The family put down very deep roots in the locality, through hikes and jaunts with the physical surroundings, through birthday parties and social events with the local community. Underneath was a deep Christian faith.

The harvest of 1846 was disastrous — the people of the surrounding area were reduced to eating blackberries by the summer's end. Philip Homan multiplied his efforts to feed the suffering. His family helped in every

way they could. On November 2 his wife was struck down with the famine fever. For days she lay unconscious on her sick bed. Just as she got better, Philip himself got sick. At first there was no alarm. His condition deteriorated and doctors from Cappoquin, Lismore and Carrick were summoned — but he was beyond help.

Countless seemed the number of poor from far and near, east and west, of every persuasion and denomination, who attended his funeral. The monks in Melleray had Mass for his recovery.

All of this information has been gleaned from a highly charged account "Memories of Villierstown," written by a daughter of Philip Homan in 1872. At that stage the family had been scattered to the four winds. Such is life. It is difficult to imagine that practically no memories of the Reverend Homan, no folklore surrounding him, nothing tangible remains. His body is still interred in Villierstown Church and an impressive white marble memorial is now housed in Lismore Cathedral. Yet his story is part of that overall situation as it affected us here in West Waterford.

In this 150th year it is fitting that a tablet is to be laid to mark Rev. Homan's burial place in the floor of Villierstown Church and a facsimile of the memorial tablet will be displayed on the sanctuary wall.

A commemorative lecture will be given by Monsignor Michael Olden, P.P., Clonmel on Friday, July 21, in which he will outline the impact of the famine on the wider locality in the Blackwater Valley. The lecture will be at 8 p.m. in Villierstown Church.

£117,194 In Grants For County Fisheries and Marine Projects

The Minister for the Marine, Sean Barrett, T.D., has announced the allocation of £117,194 in EU and government grant aid for four marine related projects around the county under the EU PESCA Initiative. The projects receiving grant aid cover a range of activities from lobster and mussel cultivation to development studies and tourism related ventures. Two development officers have also been appointed to oversee and progress the development programme.

£18,700 has been granted to Ring Co-op to finance a research and development study for a community-based fishermen's co-op to diversify into marine related activities.

Waterford Development Partnership has been allocated £9,669 to undertake — (1) Socio-economic study of the fishing areas in County Waterford; (2) Multi-tier training programme to address the needs of fishermen.

Meanwhile, South-East Shellfish Co-op has received £83,875 for the extensive bottom cultivation of mussels in Waterford Harbour and the East Water-

ford Co-op Society receives £4,950 for harvesting, collecting, notching, tagging and placing of female adult lobsters in the fisheries along the East Waterford coast.

PESCA is an EU initiative aimed at helping the fishing industry overcome difficulties caused by factors such as global fleet reductions, ongoing instability in the markets and the enlargement of the EU. It focuses particularly on regions which are dependent on fisheries to support their local economies and aims to contribute to their socio-economic survival through a range of job-creating measures.

The Minister said that the allocation of funding under the PESCA Initiative would complement and enhance the substantial £140 million investment programme already under way under the Fisheries Operational Programme. "The aim of these investment programmes is to maximise the potential of the fisheries resource and at the same time provide realistic alternatives and opportunities for development in other marine-related areas," Minister Barrett said.

Sponsorship For Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Community Games



Decies Bar, Clashmore, sponsor, set of tops for the Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Community Games Committee — Pictured at presentation are (left to right) — Maria Guily (treasurer), Bernie Fleming (secretary), Emer Curran, Decies Bar (sponsor), Teresa Foley (chairperson), Ann Seward (assistant secretary). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Leader CROSSWORD

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SOLUTION: Across — 1 Brow. 3 Lid. 5 Find. 7 Spectator. 9 Hoot. 10 Pain. 11 Slant. 14 Spent. 15 Octet. 17 About. 18 Gleam. 19 Arrow. 20 Pedal. 23 Sigh. 25 Rude. 27 Notorious. 28 Nice. 29 Yes. 30 Nest. Down — 1 Bash. 2 Wept. 3 Local. 4 Drawn. 5 Flop. 6 Dawn. 7 Sovereign. 8 Rapturous. 11 Stamp. 12 Aloud. 13 Total. 14 Sag. 16 Tow. 21 Ebony. 22 Adios. 23 Soon. 24 Hope. 25 Ruin. 26 Exit.

Successful Motor Sport Week-End

DUNGARVAN HILLCLIMB RECORD BROKEN

The third Dungarvan Motor Sport Week-End, which took place last Saturday and Sunday proved to be yet another resounding success, attracting crowds of racing fans and motor sport enthusiasts for the popular 2 day event.

Highlight of the week-end was the famed Dungarvan Hill Climb on the notorious Old Sweep road at Windgap. The longstanding

record of 55.07 seconds was smashed by County Down racer Richard Young who clocked 52.15 in his single seater. Richard's speed average on the straight was an impressive 147 mph.

Sponsored by Dunlop, Lawlor's Hotel and Waterford Crystal the 1.25 mile climb attracted 39 entries from all over the country.

After a break of nineteen years, the hillclimb was fi-

nally revived in 1992, jointly organised by Tipperary and Carrick-On-Suir Motor Clubs. This year's exciting speed event proved that the event is going from strength to strength although it was disappointing not to see any local contestants taking part.

DUNGARVAN FUN RUN

The second part of the national hillclimb championship took place in Millvale, Carrick-On-Suir on Sunday.

Another crowd grabber was Sunday's Veteran and Vintage Run - a low speed event which attracted 122 entries of antique cars, racing cars and motorbikes dating from 1914 to 1970. This years run assembled on Sunday morning at Davitt's Bar to travel over the scenic route of Colligan via Coolnasmea, Kilbrien and Gar-

ranbane before finishing up at Lawlor's Hotel for an entertaining night of music and craic.

The week-end was also fitted with many entertaining sideshows such as Saturday's exhibition of Irish Dancing by the Modeligo junior set dancers and the Ballinroad Barn Dancers. Also performing in the Square were "The Beachcombers" with a session of lively music. The ever popular Motor Sport Dinner Dance on Saturday night at Lawlor's Hotel was again packed to capacity and proved to be the social highlight of the week-end.

Looking to next year's motor sport festival, committee members are already making plans for what they expect will be an even bigger and better event than ever.

Big Tom Competition Results

Last week the "Dungarvan Leader" offered readers the chance to win two pairs of tickets to Big Tom and The Mainliners Summer Show at the Cats, Melleray on Saturday night July 22nd.

Our two lucky winners are — 1. Noreen O'Donnell, Gates, Old Parish and 2. Margaret Browne, Colligan, Dungarvan.

Tickets can be collected from the "Dungarvan Leader", O'Connell Street, Dungarvan on Thursday.

Report Findings Support Dungarvan Shopping Mall

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Yard. This pedestrianised area would be the first new street in Dungarvan for over 100 years since the town was laid out by the Duke of Devonshire.

The remaining half of the former Mulcahy property and the adjoining former Ducey's would be totally reconstructed with a new shop front timber window.

At its mid-point the new street would open into a square covered by an impressive glazed roof cover, lined on each side with retail units and 13 upstairs apartments.

Speaking to the Dungarvan Leader, Mr O Criostoir said he was delighted with the UDC's recent decision.

Although the development is still not authorised, Mr. O Criostoir said that if full planning permission is finally granted, the proposed development which covers over 1/2 acre would come on stream by early next year.

Comprising ten retail/commercial units ranging in size from 32 to 64 square metres and 16,700 square feet of potential supermarket floorspace, Mr. O Criostoir said the development would constitute the size of a major industry in the town with initial employment figures estimated at 100 during the 2 years construction period.

The £2 million project was the first planning application to be lodged under the Urban Renewal Scheme which runs until July 1997.

Just four weeks later after the application was lodged,

however, the development came under strong attack from the Retail, Grocery, Dairy and Allied Trade Association (RG DATA), who lodged a detailed 5 page objection with the UDC.

Then began months of correspondence involving the UDC's planning section together with town planner John Reid in an effort to overcome the impasse between INBS and RG DATA.

The main focus of the objection is the effect such a proposed retail/residential mall would have on local existing retailers.

These local retail outlets, the objection says, are presently adequately serving Dungarvan and its hinterland in terms of both quality and convenience. Indeed, Dublin based architect and Town Planner Fergal McCabe who lodged the objection on behalf of RG DATA, envisages the proposed project as a threat to existing shopping outlets.

The loss of public parking spaces in the vicinity of the pedestrianised project and consequential traffic problems also figure in the 5 page objection as does the 'adverse' effects of such a mall on both urban conservation and the character and particular townscape of Main Street. Another point of the RG DATA objection is that the 21,500 sq. ft. development would represent a 20% increase in the number of local retail outlets which, according to Mr. McCabe was not allowed for in the Dungarvan Town Development Plan.

ECONOMIC REPORT
Under the General Policy

Directive 1991, the UDC was obliged to prepare a report to provide an economic assessment of the town's retail economy and to examine the potential impact of a proposed shopping development at Main Street. This report was prepared on behalf of the UDC by Dublin economist James Eustace.

The report concludes that the proposed development can be assimilated into Dungarvan's urban economy without adverse impacts.

"insofar as it promotes competition between retailers, the development will generate a general raising of standard particularly in terms of building maintenance, shop front design and an upgrading of customer services".

The report continues, "the development is important to the proper planning and development of Dungarvan for it provides an initial and substantial check to a further spread of urban blight in the town centre; it will contribute to the consolidation and expansion of Dungarvan's retail catchment areas and it will contribute directly and indirectly, through spin-off effects to the provision of employment in the town".

The notification of a decision to grant planning permission was issued by Co. Manager Donal Connolly after a thorough examination of the report, the INBS application and RG DATA's objection. A total of nineteen conditions however were attached to the notification in the interest of public health, public safety,

proper planning, traffic safety and visual amenity etc.

"FOREGONE CONCLUSION"

The UDC's decision has already been given an unreserved welcome by President of Dungarvan Chamber of Commerce, John Walsh who said the £2 million project would revitalise the town centre and attract badly needed business back into Dungarvan from other main shopping centres such as Clonmel and Waterford.

Likewise, Chairperson of Dungarvan UDC, Cllr. Nuala Ryan was pleased with the council's decision, adding however that it was a 'foregone conclusion' that the development would now go before An Bord Pleanala.

The general expectation is that the objectors RG DATA will lodge an appeal with the planning board against the Council's decision within the next month.

In strong support of the proposed shopping emporium, Cllr. Ryan said the development would be a big plus for Dungarvan keeping local shoppers in the town while also attracting people in from surrounding areas.

It remains to be seen however what course of action RG DATA will now take in light of the Council's most recent decision. Time is of the essence to the developers who, if given the go-ahead will have until July 1997 to complete the project, to avail of the many financial incentives offered under the scheme.

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Monday, July 24 — Feast of St. Declan of Ardmore.

Thursday, July 27 — Pilgrimage day at St. Declan's Well, Toor. Mass at 12 noon.

Wednesday, July 26 — Feast of St. Ann, Mother of Our Lady — Evening Devotions at St. Ann's Church, Colligan, 7.30 p.m.

FRIENDS OF ST. MARTIN

Trip to Melleray Grotto on Thursday, July 20. Bus leaves the Square at 7.30 p.m. Usual pick-up points.

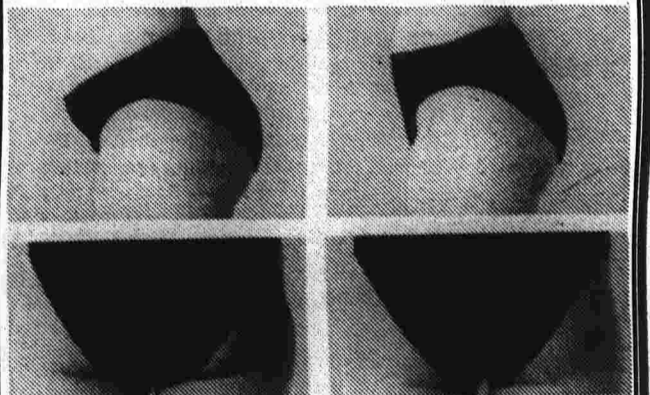
PILGRIMAGE

Pilgrimage to Our Lady's Island, Wexford, Sunday, July 23. Bus from Square, Dungarvan, 12 noon. Fare: £6. Further details from Patricia Mulcahy or Nuala Veale 058-41853/44593. The pilgrimage is organised by St. Joseph's Young Priests' Society in this their centenary year.

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With more time available per square foot of growing space you can also afford to go for quality rather than quantity, by raising unusual or temperamental blooms.

FLEXIBLE

The most flexible way of running a 'mini-garden' is to rely on containers such as tubs, pots and boxes, which can be features in their own right.

Replace compost annually — gro-bags from the DIY store are a cheap and plentiful medium.

But beware of weight if your garden is above ground on a balcony or flat roof — it is surprising how much a terracotta planter and soil can weigh.

Save weight with a light soil compound such as vermiculite, or cut down on pounds weight and sterling by buying polythene pots and boxes made to look just like terracotta or stone. Or you could opt for natural look fibre containers made from peat.

You also need drip trays in aerial gardens so that you don't upset those living or walking below or cause rot or decay to the building.

If you have a balcony which is rather stark then break up angles and edges with trailing plants, such as fuchsias, and erect trellises to encourage climbing plants.

These will also minimise draughts, although you can install sheet perspex to keep out particularly strong prevailing winds.

FAVOURITE

Ivy is the favourite climber here, but honeysuckle and roses might settle to an unexposed site and reward your efforts with their blooms and scent, though rose thorns are literally a pain in tight spaces!

At the back of the balcony you can install tubs growing standard fuchsias, roses or even tomato plants to give height and depth.

If you really are restricted to window boxes, don't despair — they can be made very attractive through smart wood stains or paint-work to match doors and windows.

BRACKETS

Apart from favourite blooms you could grow herbs and vegetables, but weight is also a problem with boxes. Use stout brackets and attach them to the wall — don't assume that just because the laden box is heavy it will stay on the ledge in a strong wind.

If you are lucky enough to have a little yard, you can lay flags or decorative bricks and arrange tubs and boxes to effect, but choose the right plant varieties — confined spaces are sometimes heavily shaded. Clothe walls and high fences with creepers and climbers or bright hanging baskets to break up the towering effect and look forward to some great barbecue nights!

— ARTHUR HINES



TALLOW ENTERPRISE GROUP VISIT ACTIVE CO. DERRY CENTRE

The members of the Tallow Enterprise Group recently spent some time visiting a very active and successful enterprise centre in Draperstown, Co. Derry. Included in its many success are

- The provision of work space with hundreds of jobs in Draperstown, Maherafelt, and Castledawson.

- The set up of a company called Business Results Ltd. to provide consultancy services to small businesses.

- Provides job training both in house and a home delivered training scheme.

- Development of a food park in Draperstown designed specifically for small food businesses.

- Launched a programme to facilitate training for alternative rural enterprise.

- Installed lifeline telephones for the elderly of the area.

- Launched the first Employment Agency in Mid Ulster.

- Started country markets in Draperstown and now they are held throughout



Northern Ireland.

- Started a local radio show which is a channel through which local people can air their views.

Their most recent development has been the building of a Rural College in Derrynoid. With co-operation from a university in the North and one in the South a joint programme of study has been devised which is set to begin for the coming autumn.

The members of Tallow Enterprise Group came home from Draperstown full of enthusiasm and new ideas.

▲ Included in the photograph above is (back row L to R) Francis Tobin (Tallow Enterprise Group), Sean Twomey (Treasurer Tallow Enterprise Group), Helen McCarthy (Chairman Tallow Enterprise Group), Patsy McShane (Chief Executive Work Space, Draperstown Ltd.), Sheila Ryan (Sec., Tallow Enterprise Group), Pat Ferguson (Tallow Enterprise Group), John O'Sullivan (Tallow Enterprise Group). (Front) Sean Tobin (Education Officer - Tallow Enterprise Group), Michael Shanahan (Enterprise Worker - Tallow Enterprise Group), Pat Geary (Tallow Enterprise Group).

Forest Fires — Coillte Appeal For Public Vigilance

Forests are most vulnerable to fires during March to May when vegetation is withered or dry. However, during dry spells similar to that which we have experienced recently, forests at all stages of development are extremely susceptible. Apart from the danger to human life and the forests, fires wreak environmental and economic havoc. Forests provide a habitat for a diverse range of wildlife and Coillte's estate is worth over £800m. and supports over 11,000 jobs. "We are

very conscious of the threat and potential damage caused by forest fires and plans are reviewed regularly to minimise the risk of fire occurring in our forests," says Michael Carey, General manager of Operation in Coillte. Coillte's fire plan reduces the risk of serious fire damage but Coillte needs the continued support from the public.

"Forests are a source of great beauty, recreation and enjoyment, but all of this depends on the considera-

tion shown by each person to everything in the forest," says Michael. Coillte asks people to observe the following simple rules:

- Do not light fires in or near a forest.

- Do not leave litter behind in the forest.

- If you smoke, do not casually throw away matches or cigarette ends. Better still, avoid smoking in the forest altogether.

Incidents of fire damage have decreased in recent years, mainly due to Coillte's fire plan which is

in operation in all forest centres. This includes trained fire fighting teams, the use of helicopter fire fighting services and liaison between forest staff and fire brigades. The advice from Coillte is that if you discover that a fire has broken out, you should immediately call the emergency services and the local forester. "The quicker we can get to a fire the less damage will be done," says Michael, "and the vigilance and support of people in this respect is invaluable."



Tomatoes - All Dressed Up!

DRESSED UP TOMATOES

For tempting jaded hot weather appetites, food needs to be cool and simple, but tasty. Tomatoes have a refreshing taste, mozzarella cheese has a gentle, tangy flavour. Put the two together and you get tomato and mozzarella salad which served as a starter fits the bill on all counts.

Ingredients

8 oz (225g) mozzarella cheese, thinly sliced
1 lb (450g) tomatoes, sliced
salt and black pepper
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Method

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County Roads

— Greatest Talking Point

By Aisling Conroy

According to West Waterford Councillor, Willie McDonnell, the current greatest talking point in the county, particularly so for rural dwellers, is the dilapidated state of our county roads, a fact which is greatly reflected at each monthly Waterford County Council meeting, where the hotly debated roads issue is now a permanent discussion point on the agenda.

The stereotypical potholed, overgrown and extremely dangerous back road issue again raised its ugly head at last week's Council meeting with Cllr. McDonnell claiming that the current situation regarding roads had never been so bad. In the Lismore area alone, he claimed the roads are actually closing in with briars and weeds covering important road signs and dangerous turns.

WHO CUTS WHAT?

Continuing, Cllr. McDonnell said there was a lot of confusion among rural landowners as to who claims responsibility for verge and hedgecutting. "A lot of farmers will not cut the side of their road as they feel they're not responsible," said Cllr. McDonnell.

"If no improvement is done, we won't be able to drive the roads of West Waterford," he warned.

Cllr. Ciaran O Riain said he always felt a sense of helplessness whenever the matter of roads was raised. "Our county roads are now dangerous to the public," he stressed, "and it's only a matter of time before we have a serious accident."

DEPUTATION TO MINISTER

Cllr. Jackie Fahy submitted that the current roads problem was due to a lack of finance and confusion over hedgecutting responsibility. "Our funding is now reduced to the lowest possible level," he stressed. The Fianna Fáil Councillor then proposed that they request the Minister for the Environment, Brendan

Howlin to receive a deputation from the Council so that they could highlight the dire urgency of the situation to him.

His proposal was subsequently seconded by Cllr. Ollie Wilkinson who warned that were it not for the recent drought, a number of non-national roads would be totally closed.

Reacting to the motion of sending yet another deputation to the Environment Minister, Cllr. Pat Coffey dismissed the proposed ministerial meeting as "only a waste of time." Cllr. Wilkinson however remained adamant, stating that the Council had a legitimate case to make concerning this year's cut in non-national road funding. "We have been treated unfairly by the Minister," he added.

The motion to meet with Minister Howlin was subsequently passed.

COMBINED SOLUTION

Dispelling any confusion over hedgecutting responsibilities, Co. Manager Donal Connolly said the legal position under the Road Act was

that landowners are responsible for the sides and hedges on roadside fences, while the Council is responsible for the flat grass verges.

Mr. Connolly reported that he is currently negotiating with the IFA and the ICMSA in trying to come to a combined solution on the matter.

In the meantime, Mr. Connolly said that limited hedge and verge cutting will be carried out by the Council. The legal obligation however rests firmly with landowners.

Water Safety Courses

Instruction in swimming and lifesaving will take place at the following venues during the week, July 24/29 — Clonea Strand, Dungarvan and Lismore (riverpool).

This week's safety message is: "Going to the beach? Ensure there is a lifeguard on duty."

FHS To Reconsider Dungarvan Move

Local company Food Hygiene Systems Ltd. (FHS) who recently announced their intention to leave Dungarvan owing to a "lack of support and commitment" are now willing to reconsider their position.

Established last March, FHS install a range of upgrade systems for dairy farmers and food processors and currently have offices in Thurles and Kilkenny.

At the end of last month, Managing Director, Eamon O'Neill, publicly announced the company's intention to relocate group management from Dungarvan to either Kilkenny or Waterford. The Dungarvan based assembly operation would also be moved elsewhere.

POSITIVE CONTRIBUTION

As a gesture to overcome the current impasse, Mr. O'Neill announced last week that he will now allow an audit on the company's profit and loss figures.

"FHS has, in the space of three months, created 25 jobs," said Mr. O'Neill, "and with our aggressive expansion plans can make a very positive contribution to the local economy in Dungarvan."

The Clonea Road firm currently employs 20 people with 3 more vacancies to be filled by the end of this month. Five people are employed in the Thurles branch while the Kilkenny branch employs three employees.

Should FHS relocate to either Waterford or Kilkenny, a sales, customer service and installation facility will remain in Dungarvan, employing 11 people by year end.

RECENT DEATHS

Mr. Liam Crotty



It is with sincere regret we place on record the death of Liam Crotty late of Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died unexpectedly at his residence on Wednesday, July 12.

The deceased was a member of a very old Dungarvan and widely connected West Waterford family. He was a very popular member of the local community by reason of his many talents which consisted in his younger days as a strong supporter and player of Gaelic football for local clubs Brickey Rangers and Dungarvan and he had many outstanding performances with both.

He was a man with very strong religious beliefs. He was also a life long member of the Pioneers and did trojan work on their behalf.

He was an employee with Dungarvan Leathers for many years and then on the clerical staff of Waterford County Council.

He had a great love of music and was a member of the Parish Choir for many years. He played with Dungarvan Brass and Reed Band and was an outstanding clarinet player, though he could play the saxophone with equal skill. He won many competitions playing with local Cheili bands namely Jimmy Walsh, John Galvin and Jim Duggan. He loved all things Irish not least his native language which he spoke fluently.

We tender our deep condolences to this brothers Patrick and Paul, sisters Mrs. Maisie Hally, Mrs. Brenda Meehan, nephews, nieces, cousins, relatives and friends.

His remains were removed on Thursday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church after prayers and rosary were recited. The funeral cortege pro-

cession was led by the Dungarvan Brass and Reed Band playing a selection of appropriate music.

On arrival at the church his coffin was blessed and received by Rev. Fr. C. Kelly C.C. assisted by Rev. Fr. Canon Power P.P., Very Rev. W. Callanan P.P., Rev. Fr. Billy Deasy O.S.A. and Rev. Fr. Kevin Moylan O.S.A.

Requiem Mass on Friday morning was offered for the repose of his gentle soul by Rev. C. Kelly C.C. The Readings were read by Damien Meehan (nephew) and Eibhlin Fennell (niece). The responsorial psalm was sung by his cousin Mary O'Riordan. Prayers of the Faithful were read by Ross Power, Kealan Burke and Aisling Fennell. Gifts for the Offertory were presented by Mrs. Brenda Meehan (sister), Ciara and Orlaith Manahan, Nathan Burke, Leigh Power and Shane Fennell. Organist was Mrs. Gertie Morrissey, guitarist Mr. Christy O'Neill and flautist Mr. Nicky Power. Hymns sung by Mrs. Libby Flynn.

After the celebration of Mass the interment took place in the adjoining family plot amid manifestations of great sorrow from the very large attendance. Rev. Fr. C. Kelly C.C. imparted the final absolution at the graveside. Very many Mass cards were received and some floral tributes were placed on his grave.

(Funeral arrangements by James Kiely and Sons, Funeral Directors.)

Mr. Joseph Prendergast

A great gloom was cast over a wide area especially in the Ardmore districts at the unexpected death of Joseph (Joe) Prendergast, late of 2 St. Patrick's Terrace, Cork and Crobally, Old Parish, where he had a holiday home. His passing occurred on Saturday, July 8 while he was spending his annual holidays at this Ardmore residence.

The deceased was a member of the Cork Harbour Commissioners until he retired some time back where he enjoyed wide popularity.

The late Joe Prendergast was a son of the late Jim Prendergast and his passing at the comparatively early age of 63 years was the cause of a great shock not only to his wife Kathleen, daughter Louise, his brother Paddy, his sisters Rose, May, Eileen and Meta, also to his aunt Molly, nephews and

nieces, but to his legion of friends in the City of Cork and Ardmore to whom we tender our sincere sympathy.

The late Joe Prendergast was a friend of all who had the great pleasure of his acquaintance by reason of his jovial disposition and his great wit. He will be long remembered by his many friends in both Cork and Ardmore.

His remains were removed on Tuesday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home, Dungarvan to St. Declan's Church, Ardmore after prayers and rosary were recited by Rev. P. Butler C.C. On arrival at the church his coffin was blessed and received by Rev. P. Butler C.C. assisted by Very Rev. D. Canon O'Connor P.P. and Very Rev. Fr. Murphy P.P., Cork.

Concelebrated Requiem Mass was offered on Wednesday. Chief celebrant was Rev. P. Butler C.C. and co-celebrants were visiting clergy. Very Rev. D. Canon O'Connor acted as M.C.

After the Requiem Mass the interment took place in the new cemetery Ardmore amid manifestations of great sorrow from the very large concourse present. Rev. Pat Butler C.C. imparted the final absolution at the graveside.

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

(Funeral arrangements by James Kiely and Sons, Funeral Directors.)

Mr. William Attridge



It is with deep and sincere regret we write of the passing of Willie Attridge of Keating Street, Dungarvan which sad event occurred on Tuesday evening, July 11 in the comfort of his own home.

The deceased was husband of Kitty Attridge who is well known by the local community.

Deceased as a quiet, gentle and inoffensive man, happy and content and a retiring person. He had all the qualities of a true Irish husband and father. A man who was always ready to help others who required assistance he was also a most industrious man who with the help of his wife ran his own vegetable business in the town for many years before he retired.

We wish to extend our sincere and deepest sympathy to his sorrowing wife and daughter Mary.

His remains were removed on Wednesday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church after the prayers were recited by his

friends and family. On arrival his remains were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. C. Kelly C.C. assisted by Rev. J. O'Sullivan. Requiem Mass was offered on Thursday for the repose of his soul. Rev. C. Kelly C.C. was celebrant. The lessons was read by Majella Cummins and Caroline Moynihan.

After Mass his coffin was borne shoulder high to the family grave in the adjoining cemetery by his grandson Brendan Moynihan and close relations where Willie was laid to rest with his other grandson David Moynihan. Rev. Fr. C. Kelly C.C. officiated at the graveside.

Very many floral tributes were placed on his grave.

A very large and most representative concourse was present which consisted of all sections of the community, neighbours and friends who came to pay their respects to Willie and to sympathise and support his family on their sad loss.

Chief mourners were wife Kitty Attridge, only daughter Mary, grandchildren Brendan, Caroline and Maria Moynihan and a large circle of cousins, relatives and friends.

The family wish to thank everyone who attended and especially to their friends and neighbours who gave tremendous help and moral support.

(Funeral arrangements by James Kiely and Sons, Funeral Directors.)

Mrs. Kate O'Mahoney

It is with deep and most sincere feelings of regret we place on record the unexpected death of Mrs. Kate O'Mahoney (nee Tobin) of 54 Caseyville, Dungarvan, which took place on Thursday, July 13.

The deceased was relict of Thomas O'Mahoney who predeceased her by some years and was a member of a very well-known and popular West Waterford family. The late Mrs. O'Mahoney was a kind and loving mother, a wonderful neighbour always ready to help those requiring her assistance. She was a lady with all the fine qualities of life especially her gentle and retiring disposition.

She was a woman with a kind word never a bad one, always with a most charitable approach to life. She had a great love of her religion which she practised faithfully all her life.

To her sorrowing and heart-broken son, daughters, brothers, sister and relatives we extend our sincere sympathy at her passing.

Her remains were removed on Saturday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church, after the prayers were recited by Rev. M. Kennedy C.C. On arrival at the church her remains were blessed and received by Rev. M. Kennedy C.C.

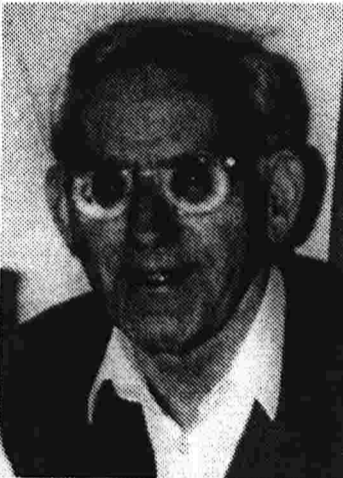
The last Mass on Sunday was offered for the repose of her soul and the funeral then took place to Kilbrien Cemetery followed by a very large and most representative cortege. Rev. Fr. C. Kelly C.C. imparted the final absolution at the graveside.

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

Chief mourners were John (son), Rosaleen, Mary and Sara (daughters), John, Gusti, Michael and Willie (brothers), Maisie (sister), grandchildren, sons-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

(Funeral arrangements by James Kiely and Sons, Funeral Directors.)

Mr. Maurice Murray



With deep sadness and profound regret we record the passing of Mr. Maurice (Mossie) Murray, "The Anchorage", Newline, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, following a long illness which he bore with great strength and fortitude. He was a kind, unassuming man whose main concern in life was the well being of his wife and family.

He was born in Main Street, Dungarvan and later he moved to England where he resided for a number of years. He then moved to Wexford but never forgot his home town. Mossie returned to Dungarvan 27 years ago and spent most of those years employed at Waterford Co-op where he enjoyed great respect and friendship.

Mossie loved the sea and spoke of his seagoing days with a gleam in his eye and fond memories.

His remains were removed on Monday evening from Drohan's Funeral Home to St. Augustine's Parish Church, Abbeyside, where they were received by Very Rev. R. Doherty P.P. Also present were Fr. P. Ahearne C.C. and Fr. J. Denmead C.C. A huge cortege followed from all sections of the community.

Requiem Mass was offered on Tuesday morning for the repose of his soul by Rev. Fr. P. Ahearne C.C., assisted by Rev. Fr. T. Fogarty.

The lessons were read by his son Maurice and niece Noelle. Prayers of the Faithful were recited by his nieces Joan, Fionnula and Mary. The gifts were offered by his grand daughters Sharon and Sara Higgins. Music was by Jim Keohan.

After the Mass the funeral took place to St. Mary's Parish cemetery where Rev. P. Ahearne C.C. gave the last fond farewell at the graveside.

He will be sadly missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him but especially by his loving wife Cora, his daughter Indra, sons John and Maurice, son-in-law Tom, daughters-in-law Alice and Linda, grand children Sharon,

Zweena and John, brother Anthony, sister Mary, brother-in-law Noel, sister-in-law Theresa, nieces, nephews, relatives and friends to whom we extend deep sympathy.

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

Late Mary Coughlan

We record with sincere regret the death of Mary Coughlan, Kilminnion, Dungarvan, which took place on Tuesday, July 11.

An esteemed member of the farming community she was very well known in the locality and had been held in high regard by a large circle of friends.

Sincere sympathy is extended to her sorrowing brother and other family relatives to whom we extend sympathy.

Following rosary on Wednesday evening removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home to Ballinroad Church where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. Ahearne C.C. assisted by Fr. Moylan O.S.A. and Fr. Dee. The funeral Mass on Thursday morning was celebrated by Fr. Dee.

The readings were read by her nephew Jim Coughlan and grandnephew Senan O'Halloran.

The burial took place afterwards in the adjoining cemetery in the presence of a large cortege.

The chief mourners were Tommy (brother), Mary O'Halloran, Kilsheelan and Kathleen Kiely, Carrick-on-Suir (nieces), Jim Coughlan, Limerick and Paddy Coughlan, England (nephews).

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

Miss Hanna Downing

With sadness we record the death of Hanna Downing, Aglish, Cappoquin which occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan on Thursday, July 13 after a very short illness. The deceased was 99 years young.

The removal took place on Friday evening to Aglish Church. Following Requiem Mass on Saturday morning the burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

We extend our sincere sympathy to her nieces, nephews, grand nieces, grand nephews, relatives, cousins, neighbours and many friends.

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

Mr. William O'Connell

With sadness we record the passing of Mr. William O'Connell, Aglish, which sad event occurred on Friday, July 14.

Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Sunday evening to Aglish Church. Following funeral Mass on Monday morning burial took place in Mount Stuart Cemetery.

To his family we extend our deepest sympathy.

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

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American Ambassador Launches Famine Book In Lismore Castle

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he said, were the worst affected areas in the county.

From 1847 to 1850 workhouses were set up throughout the county, one in Lismore for 500 people and one in Dungarvan for 600 people.

Cllr. Coffey said he was indebted to the contributors and particularly to Des Cowman for his total commitment to the project. He also paid tribute to the publishers, Geography Publications and to Cappoquin artist Arthur Maderson who produced and donated the full colour jacket entitled "Dawn Near Lismore".

The Council Chairman was also highly appreciative of the amount of effort put into the publication by Co. Librarian Donald Brady together with his library staff, Anne Walsh, Eddie Byrne and Richie Walsh.

Concluding his speech Cllr. Coffey also acknowledged the major work of other countywide organisations in the line-up of events for the famine commemorations - Pulla Graveyard Restoration Committee, Lismore Town Commissioners; the Dungarvan Museum Society; Villierstown Community Group; Mrs. Twomey I.C.A., Tramore; the Youth Drama Group in Waterford city and the Decies.

HISTORIC OCCASION
On behalf of his fellow Town Commissioners, newly elected Chairman Peter Dowd welcomed Ambassador Smith to Lismore on what he described as a very historic occasion.

"Today we are here to commemorate the Great

Famine by the launch of this very fine book which records much of what happened in County Waterford during those years. However, it is a little known fact that Ireland suffered another famine more than a century earlier in the year 1740. At that time", he said "the then Duke of Devonshire (of Lismore Castle) who was also Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, passed a decree forbidding the export of foodstuffs which had the effect of limiting the duration of the famine to that year."

In light of these facts, Mr. Dowd continued that it was indeed fitting that Lismore should be chosen as the venue for this important part of the ongoing 150th commemoration of the great famine.

"In this regard", said Mr. Dowd, "I would particularly like to compliment our County Librarian Donald Brady and his staff for having the foresight to bring together all those associated with the publication of this very fine volume which commemorates in such a unique way the history of the time".

Having accompanied the ambassador on a tour of Lismore Library earlier in the evening, the Commissioner Chairman said he was particularly delighted that she was able to visit the Commissioners famine exhibition which was part of a local inter-schools competition.

The prize-winners in this competition were Aislinn Kenneally for her 3-dimensional model of an eviction scene and Maeve England for her objective historical and photographic research

on the famine in the locality.

WARM WELCOME
Next to address the assemblage was County Manager Donal Connolly who extended a warm welcome to Mrs. Kennedy - Smith.

"That welcome is all the greater", he added "when that representative is the Ambassador of the United States of America and more significantly, a member of that great Irish family, the Kennedys. No other country has been a greater friend to the Irish than the United States of America and no other family in that great country has won a great place among the Irish than the Kennedys".

Thanking all who had been associated with the launch of the book, Mr. Connolly then revealed that in September, the Council will be unveiling a piece of sculpture prepared by Waterford Crystal to depict the famine.

Other speakers on the night were Donald Brady and Des Cowman.

A MOVING EVENT
Officially launching "The Famine In Waterford", Ambassador Smith said she was especially honoured to be joined by the former First Lady of the United States, Lady Bird Johnson.

She first visited the Castle, while still in college while other members of her family such as President Kennedy have also visited Lismore. "So it means a great deal to me to launch this book at this beautiful place which played such an important role in the history of my own family; the history of Ireland; and - in particular - the history of Waterford County during

the famine years", she said.

Describing the famine as the "most demoralizing and devastating of times", Ambassador Smith said that essay after essay in the book "tells us about how people were stripped of their livelihood, their security and their pride. About how families, who had been rooted in Waterford for centuries, were forced by hunger and by need to leave their homes".

Indeed, the ambassador revealed that her own great grandfather was among those pioneers who emigrated to America where they sought a better life for themselves and their children. "And in finding those dreams", she declared "as my brother President Kennedy once said, they helped build a great nation. They are a model to us of determination, perseverance and spirit - and for them, America is deeply grateful".

MESSAGE OF HOPE
Congratulating the writers, editors especially Mr. Brady and County Council members for compiling the Waterford famine book, Ambassador Smith said "not only have you captured the famine's most tearful and heartbreaking moments, you have also inspired us with its equally important message of renewal and hope".

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BALLYDUFF NOTES

BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

A meeting was held in the hall on Monday the 17th of July. The Council would like to congratulate Michael Molumphy and Brendan Hannon who played for the Waterford minor hurling team on Sunday last. This year's gala week-end is on 25th - 28th of August. Lots of different events will be taking place.

Deepest sympathy was expressed to the families of James Barrett, Riverstick, Peig Morrissey, Lismore and Mary Kenneally, Coolisheal. Next Community Council meeting is at 9 p.m. on Tuesday 8th August.

COMHALTAS NOTES

Congratulations to the U-18 set dancers who were runners up in Skibereen on Saturday night last. The dancers were Claire Mills, Jennifer Feeney, Ciara Dunne, Sandie McGrath, Patrick Carey, Eoin, Brian and Kenneth Kearney. The senior all ladies and senior mixed sets took part on Fri-

day but unfortunately were not placed. The dancers were - (all ladies) Theresa Noonan, Claire Dunne, Grainne Flynn, Fidelma Feeney, Ann Carey, Sharon Geoghegan, Colette Noonan and Margaret McGrath; (senior) Nuala Carey, Sharon Geoghegan, Ann Carey, Margaret McGrath, Sean Veale, Thomas Hyland, Michael and Eoin Kearney.

We will have further results next week. The branch would like to thank all who travelled both nights to the finals.

G.A.A. NOTES

Congratulations to the senior hurlers on qualifying for the championship quarter finals as a result of their 3-13 to 0-12 win over Tallow at Lismore on Sunday evening last. Despite the final scoreline this was a very competitive game with only one point separating the sides at half time - Ballyduff 1-7 Tallow 0-9. The sides were level six times in that opening 30 minutes with the Ballyduff goal being scored by Ml. Walsh

who has made a welcome return to the club colours in recent games after a long lay off through injury.

Ballyduff got more on top in the second half and early points from Ml. Molumphy and Walsh stretched the lead but Tallow stayed in contention despite Ballyduff leading by 1-11 to 0-11 at the end of the third quarter. A Brendan Hannon goal early in the last quarter gave us a good cushion and he scored the third at the end. It looks like Passage will be our quarter final opponents in a game that looks like being played the second week-end in August.

Team v. Tallow - M. Leamy, M. Geary, M. Casey, M. Barry, M. Drislane, T. Feeney, F. Hickey, P. Prendergast, G. Hickey, M. Molumphy, D. Hannon, B. Tobin, M. Walsh, B. Hannon, R. Walsh. Subs. used - D. Drislane and O. Hickey.

The junior footballers are in championship action this Saturday night when they play Kilgobinet in Cappoquin at 7.30 p.m.

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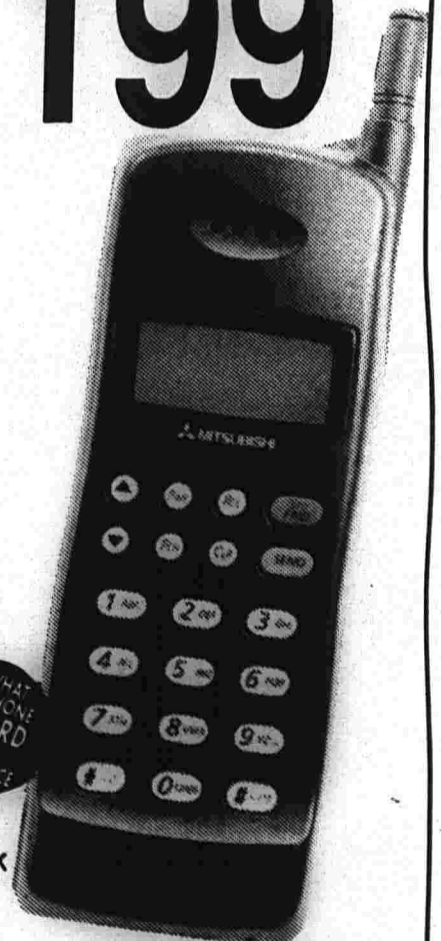
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BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

HEROES HONOURED

At a function in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on Saturday night organised by Fourmilewater hurling club, they honoured the club heroes of forty years ago, the team that took the first county title, the junior hurling county championship, to the village in 1955. Of the team who won the title fifteen are still alive while four have passed to their reward, of the selectors two are still alive while three have passed to their reward. Of the selectors two are still alive while three have passed to their reward and of the club

officers just one has passed on.

The presentation of a beautiful framed picture of the team and a scroll to each member was made by Billy Walsh, Chairman of Fourmilewater hurling club. The attendance included P. J. Ryan, Chairman, Waterford County Board, Seamus Grant, Secretary, James Walsh, Treasurer, their wives, Rev. Fr. Edmond Tobin P.P., Fourmilewater, Rev. Fr. Sean Nugent P.P., Lisronagh/Powderstown who received one of the presentations.

The players, selectors and

officers who received their rewards were Eamon Ryan (capt.), John Grant, Ned Sheehan, Larry Kiely, Billy Grant, Paddy Halpin (R.I.P.), Mick Cashman, Don Desmond, John Phelan, Sean Whelan, Patrick Murray (R.I.P.), Michael Guiry, John Joe Cashman, Fr. Sean Nugent. Selectors — Tom Walsh, Paddy John Grant (R.I.P.), William Grant (R.I.P.), Paddy Ormonde (R.I.P.); Officers — James B. Moloney, Chairman, John Grant (Snr.) (R.I.P.), Vice-Chairman and John Coffey, Secretary.

A most enjoyable night was had by all present.

MASS AT ANCIENT CHURCHYARDS

On Wednesday evening, July 12 the Feast of Saint John (Gaulbert) the holy sacrifice of the Mass was celebrated for all those interred in that churchyard for close on three hundred years. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle, also present was Rev. Fr. Maurice O'Gorman P.P., Clashmore/Piltown. Some beautiful hymns were rendered by the Fourmilewater Church Choir. There was a large crowd present, at the end of the ceremonies Fr. Tobin thanked Mr. Thomas Lonergan, F.A.S. Overseer and his little band of workers for the trojan work they have done in that old churchyard, it's a credit to them. On Friday evening the Feast of St. Bonaventure, the holy sacrifice of the Mass was celebrated at Bennett's Church burial ground for the repose of the soul of all who are laid to rest here since the end of the eighteenth century. Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle was celebrant. Some beautiful hymns were rendered by the Fourmilewater Church Choir. There was a fine crowd present. Fr. Tobin thanked the County Council Workers for the cleaning of the graveyard.

On this Wednesday evening Mass will be celebrated at the Ancient Church at Kilronan at 8 p.m. Your attendance is requested.

HURLING CLUB'S SOCIAL NIGHT

Fourmilewater hurling club will hold the very first social at the Hidden Inn "Roadhouse", Kilmanahan on Saturday night, July 22. Music by Black Velvet. This Roadhouse was burned to the ground some time ago, it now has been rebuilt and is a credit to the new owner Mr. P. J. O'Neill. It's one of six pubs in the parish of Fourmilewater.

LOTTO

The lotto draw in aid of the Fourmilewater hurling club place at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry on Saturday night. The numbers drawn were 1, 9, 10. There was one winner, Mrs. Nellie Moore, Waterford City. She receives £800. Jackpot this week £200.

BINGO

The bingo in aid of the Nire football club took place at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry on Wednesday night, the major prize winners were Joan Hackett, Newcastle and Kitty Hickey, Lackendarra, Ballinamult. This week's jackpot £380.

PRETTY WEDDING

The beautiful parish church of St. Mary's of Newcastle was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Saturday afternoon, July 8, when Samuel Prendergast, Tullow, Ardfinnan was united in matrimony of Teresa Humphries, Largewood, Newcastle. The marriage ceremony with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing was solemnised by Very Rev. Fr. James Denmead C.C., Fourmilewater/Newcastle in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The bride was attended by her nieces Yvonne Cullinan as bridesmaid and Marie Power as matron of honour, the bestman was Patrick Prendergast, brother of the groom, while the groomsmen were William Quinlan, brother-in-law of the groom.

With the church ceremony over the entire party left for Hearn's Hotel, Clonmel where the wedding reception took place and where a most enjoyable and musical time was spent for many hours. Later in the evening the happy couple left on their honeymoon, as they left they were accorded a most congratulatory and enthusiastic send-off, accompanied by the best wishes of all present for a life of unclouded happiness in the years that lay ahead.

PRIZE WINNER AT CLONMEL SHOW

Congratulations to Michael Purcell, Bee-hive, Kilmanahan on taking two first prizes at the recent Clonmel Show. He took first in the Pedigree Suffolk Ram Lamb class and first in the Pedigree Suffolk Ewe Lamb class.

KNOCKLOFTY I.C.A. NEWS

The monthly meeting of Knocklofty Guild I.C.A. took place on Tuesday night at the Community Hall, Grange. This was the last meeting before the summer break, and on the night a make-up demonstration took place.

At the recent Annual General Meeting of the Guild the following officers were elected:

President — Esther Brett; Vice-President — Maura Duggan; Secretary — Rita Looby; Treasurer — Cora Lonergan; the committee and specialist officers remain as heretofore.

Members of the Guild attended the 85th anniversary national celebrations of the foundation of the I.C.A. which were held in Clonmel last week, they had the honour of meeting Ms Bordin Twist, National President, who was guest of honour at a social that night.

LATE MISS KATE POWER

It is with deep regret the district learned of the death of Miss Kate (Katie) Power, Kilbrack, Rathgormack, which sad event took place at Melview Nursing Home, Clonmel on Monday, July 11 after an illness of some duration.

Deceased was a member of an old and respected County Waterford family, the Power's of Kilbrack. She was a lady of many charming traits of character, her gentle good humoured and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition. She possessed a most charitable outlook on life and was a most kind and loving neighbour, her demise is deeply and justifiably mourned.

That her memory will be cherished was truly indicated by the large and representative concourse of mourners who were present on Wednesday evening when her remains were removed from Joe Walshe's Funeral Home, Carrick-on-Suir to the parish church Rathgormack. On Thursday morning the Feast of Saint Bonaventure, Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul. After Mass the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery again in the presence of a large concourse of mourners who came to say farewell to a dear Christian friend, whose memory they will cherish.

To her sister Alice and her many relatives we tender to them our sympathy. Go ndeana Dia trocaire ar a h-anam.

LATE MR. JOSEPH COVENEY

It is with deep regret we record the death of Mr. Joseph Coveney, St. Finnans Avenue, Ardfinnan, Co. Tipperary, which sad event took place on Thursday, July 4th. Deceased, was for many years was a school bus driver. He was possessed of a rare ability to instil untold depths of humanity into the smallest task undertaken. Of a quiet and at all all times pleasant demeanour, he possessed a most charitable outlook on life and he was an excellent neighbour whose demise is deeply and justifiably mourned.

The respect and high regard in which deceased and his family are held was truly evidenced on Wednesday evening by the large concourse of mourners who were present when his remains were removed to the Parish Church, Ardfinnan.

On Friday morning, the Feast of Saint Pantaeus, Requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his gentle soul. After Mass the funeral took place to the New Cemetery, Ardfinnan where interment took place again in the presence of a large crowd of mourners who came to pay their final respects to a Christian friend whose memory they will cherish.

To his relatives we tender our deepest sympathy. Ar dheis De go raibh a anam.

WELL-KNOWN GENTLEMAN DIES IN HOUSE BLAZE

A man in his early seventies lost his life during a fire at his home in Kilsheelan on Thursday night, July 7th. He is thought to have died from smoke inhalation.

The district was saddened following the tragic death of Mr. James (Jim) Ahearn who was a popular resident of Kilsheelan for several decades and a well-known character. Mr. Ahearn, a widower who lived at Ballinara, Kilsheelan was asleep in his bedroom on Thursday night when the fire started. He was alone in the house at the time. His son, who lives nearby, called to see him at 10.15 p.m. He immediately raised the alarm and with the ambulance crew attempted to resuscitate Mr. Ahearn, but he was pronounced dead at the scene.

Jim, affectionately known as "Pop" was a native of Kilsheelan, Co. Cork. He served with the Irish Army during the Emergency and left the army in 1945 to rejoin in 1950. He served with the 38th Battalion in the Congo in 60/61.

Jim's great passion was the game of hurling. A noteworthy stylist himself in his day, in 1951 he won a Tipperary Junior Championship with the 13th Battalion. He was on four Chaplains Cups, a very prestigious competition at that time. With Ballyneale he won a South Tipperary title. He first played for Kilsheelan in 1956.

On Saturday evening his remains were removed from Condon's Funeral Parlour, Clonmel, to the Parish Church at Gambonsfield, Kilsheelan. On Sunday morning, the Feast of the Seven Brothers, Martyrs and Saint Felicitas their mother, the 11 o'clock Mass was celebrated for the repose of his gentle soul. After Mass he was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

To his sons and daughters, his sisters and his many relations we tender to them our deepest sympathy. I hiontaib De ga gcastair sinn.

PARISH PRIEST POTS THE BLACK

One of the diocese of Waterford and Lismore most popular men in black, Newcastle born Rev. Fr. Sean Nugent P.P., Lisronagh/Powderstown, potted the black to win a senior snooker tournament last weekend. Fr. Nugent emerged top of the league from sixty competitors in the tournament, the final of which took place in the Community Centre, Piltown. He has competed in this tournament for the past ten years but this is his first victory. He has very little time for practice because he is running two parishes singlehanded, whereas many of the other competitors have time for practice. A keen snooker player, he has been playing for many years and is an honorary member of the Piltown club since he was a curate in the nearby parish of Portlaw.

PAPAL HONOUR FOR TOURANEENA CHURCH SERVANT

Fuair Dónal Ó Cadhla, o Cathair na Léige, ard onóir on Papa Eoin Pól nuair a bhronnadh an bonn Bene Merenti air. Chaith Dónal beagáinín le leathchead-da shaoil ag tarraingt an clog i dTempall Mhuire, i dTuar an Fhíona. Nuair a d'éirigh se as an phost, i 1994, bhriseadh ceangal leis an Teampall agus na Cadhlaigh a bhí ann o an am a oscloídh na doirse ar an cead uair i 1826. Ar dtús bhí Seán Ó Cadhla, o Cathair na Léige, i gceannas ar an clog agus a mhic Thómais ina dhiaidh. Timpeall 1890 no mar seo thit an dualgas Chríostach ar Muiris Ó Cadhla as Buaile an Mhóintín. Cé go raibh an sloinne ceadna acu ní raibh aon ghaol ag Muiris le Tómas. Chailleadh Muiris i 1942 agus as sin amach bhí a nia Dónal i lathair mar theachtair Dé.

The long and devoted service of Danny Kiely to St. Mary's Church, Touraneena was recognised by Pope John Paul II when he awarded him the Bene Merenti medal. Danny was recently presented with his medal and illuminated scroll by Fr. Michael Power P.P. When Danny retired as bellringer in 1994 it marked the end of over a century of service by his family. His uncle Maurice took on the job around 1890 and when he died in 1942 Danny took over. Danny's retirement also breaks an even longer link stretching back to the foundation of St. Mary's in 1826 for the first bellringer was John Kiely and he was succeeded by his son Thomas. However, John and Danny's families were not related.

SCHOOL SPORTS RESULTS

The annual primary school sports took place recently at Newcastle in glorious weather. The results were 1st and 2nd toddler (mixed) — Tomas Lonergan, Mairead McGrath. Junior (infants) — Johnnie Kelly, tie between Ann Marie McCarra and Caomhin McGrath. Senior (infants) — Ger O'Donnell, Conor Grant. Junior Infants egg and spoon — Katie Hallinan, Ann Marie McCarra. Senior (infants) — Ger O'Donnell, Lizzie O'Halloran. Sack Race (jnr. infants) — Conor Devaney, tie between Johnnie Kelly and Rebecca O'Shea; Seniors (do.) — Timmy Cleere, Conor Grant.

Girls (80m) — Kathy McGrath, Joe Ann Mangan; Boys — Niall Kennedy, Michael Condon. Girls (egg and spoon) — Claire Hallinan, Claire Cullinan; Boys — David Freany, Michael Condon. Girls (sack race) — Jenny Kennedy, Kathy McGrath; Boys — Paul Fennessy, Padraig O'Flynn. Mixed (3 legged) — Kathy McGrath, Joe Ann Mangan, Claire Cullinane, Aideen Hickey.

Fourth Class (girls 100m) — Cait McCarra, Mary Hackett; Boys — Jonathan Ryan, James McGrath. Girls (3 legged) — Claire Ryan, Cait McCarra, Reene Ryan, Gerry Mangan; Boys — James McGrath, John T. Egan, Liam Kelly, Brian Sweeney. Girls (100m) — Cheryl Fennessy, Geraldine McGrath; Boys — Paudie O'Shea, Mark Lonergan.

Wheelbarrow — Mary McGrath and Geraldine McCarra, Cheryl Fennessy and Lisa Maria Cleere. Girls (piggyback) — Lisa Maria Cleere and Cheryl Fennessy; Boys — Donal Hanley and Grant Forbes.

Relay Race — Shane Mangan, Michael Kennedy, Mark Lonergan, Ciaran O'Flynn. Adult Race — Ann Forbes and Peter Ryan, Helen Mangan and Diarmuid O'Keefe.

The organisers wish to thank all who made the evening what it was, a huge success.

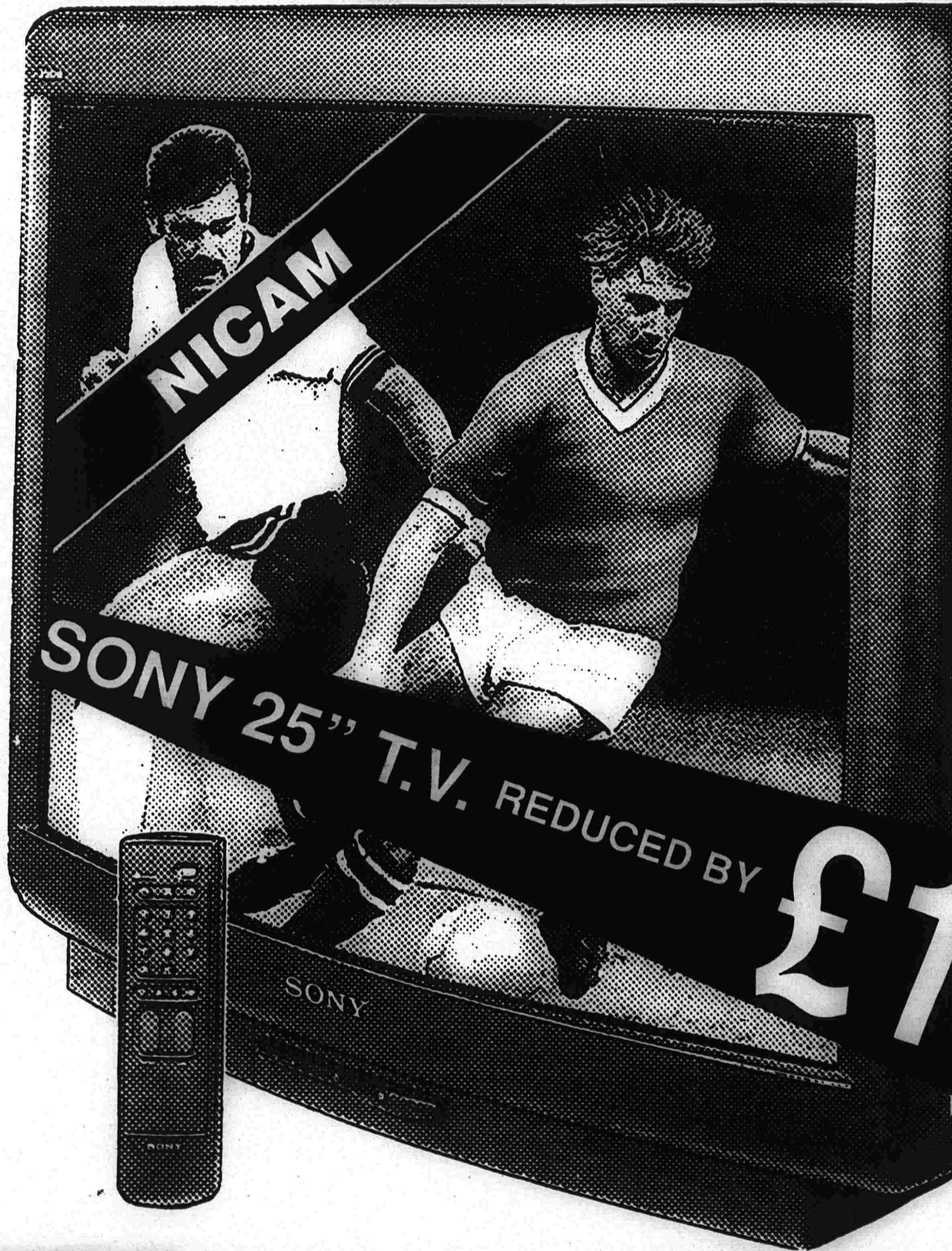
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Cappoquin Notes

DEVELOPMENT PLAN

We have recently been given a copy of a survey which was commissioned by the local Development Company in conjunction with Waterford County Council. The actual work was carried out by an independent person qualified in this field and is therefore free of any local prejudice or indeed vested interest.

It is a lengthy and comprehensive document and would merit far closer study than that afforded to it by this writer.

In brief it gives a history of the town from the day of the first settlers up to the present time. A large section is devoted to matters such as population trends in the various age groups. There is much detail of house numbers and the number of persons per house. These figures relate to 1991 but would presumably be the most recent available from the central statistics office.

Employment in the town is examined in depth and

comparisons are made with towns of similar size. In this regard it is noted that our town compares very favourably.

The area of ground available for recreational purposes is considered and there are some suggestions as to what might be done in this area. It is recommended that the town square be given a facelift which would involve removing the walls so as to improve the visual impact of the flower gardens.

Tourism and attracting visitors to the town is given much consideration. It is accepted that the river Blackwater is the main attraction in this regard and the survey sets out what might be done to improve facilities for visiting anglers. Given that extra people might be attracted to the town it would be necessary to have greater overnight accommodation available. The need for a hotel is highlighted and possible sites are suggested. The lack of retail outlets for certain types of goods is em-

phasised with the knock-on effect of people having to travel to other towns for items such as clothing, jewellery etc.

The survey has been a useful exercise in so far as it highlights the many aspects of the town (good and bad) which we are all aware of but hadn't up to now been documented in any shape or form.

We hope to tackle this matter in more detail in future issues.

CAPPOQUIN INTER-PUBS MIXED 7-A-SIDE SOCCER TOURNAMENT

Fawly's 0 Blackwater 0
Blackwater won 2-1 on penalties

The final took place on Friday evening last at 7.30 p.m. at the Dane's Field, Cappoquin, with a very large crowd in attendance. Both teams were very evenly balanced and both had some good chances. Fawly's had a very good chance just before half-time when they were awarded a penalty, but unfortunately the lethal Jackie "Baggio" Fleming failed to convert. At full time the score was still dead-locked, so it meant penalties with only females allowed to take them. Jackie Fleming scored Fawly's only penalty, while Viv Uniacke and Caroline Ormonde scored the Blackwater's two.

Blackwater - M. Ormonde (Capt.), Martin Ormond, M. Reddy, B. Ormonde, P. Ormonde, G. Reddy, F. McLoughlin, T. O'Donnell.

Females - C. Reddy, C. Ormonde, V. Uniacke, G. Henneby, P. MacCarthy.

Fawly's - T. O'Donnell, A. Power, C. Barry, G. Mason, L. Costin, N. Landers.

Females - J. Fleming, I. Fleming, E. Barrett, M. Hale.

We would like to thank our referee Tommy Sullivan who handled all the games superbly, and our sponsors. And a special thanks to our main sponsor John O'Brien, Livestock Haulage who donated to the tournament generously.

AFFANE BRIDGE RESULTS

1st, Nora Willoughby and Teresa Doocey; 2nd, Brid Bergin and Kay Barry; 3rd, Brid Culloo and Mary Whymys; 4th, Kitty Greany and Mel O'Connor.

WEDDING BELLS

BUTLER - FRAHER

St. Mary's church, Cappoquin was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Thursday July 6th when June, daughter of Michael and Jenny Fraher, Mill Street, Cappoquin and Eamonn, son of Ned and Theresa Butler, Bearys Cross, were united in Holy Matrimony. The ceremony with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing was performed by Fr. Frank L'loyd, C.C., Waterford, assisted by Fr. Kelleher, C.C., Cappoquin. The bride who was given away in marriage by her father looked charming in a full length ivory coat dress embroidered with pearls and sequins. She wore a matching hat and face veil and carried a trailing bouquet of lilies with greenery. The bride was attended by her cousin Linda Mason and sister Amy Fraher who wore full length gold dresses with check jackets and carried bouquets of lilies and mixed flowers. The flower girl was Robyn Cassidy (niece of the bride). She wore a full length gown of gold with check overshirt and carried a basket of mixed flowers. The page boys were Sam Cassidy (nephew of the bride) and Niall Waters (nephew of the groom). The bestman was Eoin Butler and the groomsmen were Conor Butler (brothers of the groom). During the Mass the lessons were read by Eddie Fraher (brides uncle) in Irish and Orla Quirke (grooms sister) while the Psalm was sung by Irene Cahill (aunt of the bride). During the Mass some beautiful hymns were sung by the members of the Cappoquin Choir including cousins of the bride and groom.

The soloists were Irene Cahill and Philip McCluskey accompanied by Mairead Cullinane on the organ. The gifts were presented by Jenny Fraher (brides mother) and Theresa Butler (grooms mother). The reception was held at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan and the honeymoon is being spent in Greece. Going away the bride wore a navy silk trouser suit, with cream accessories. The church was beautifully decorated for this special occasion by Irene Cahill (aunt of the bride). We would like to wish Eamonn and June many years of happiness in their future life together.

QUINNERS (CAPPOQUIN) A.C.

The club had a large turnout in the local "Dromana 5" race last Thursday night. We had a surprising number of first time lady entrants namely Sandra Burke, Mary Glavin, Rita Hickey, Eleanor Cahill, Norma Grey (who travelled from Sligo), Colette Fitzgerald and Ber Burke (a noted runner up until now based in

England). There were a few surprises amongst our male competitors. There were personal bests for Fox McGrath (glad to see the aero-dynamic haircut worked), Gerard Fitzgerald (with a PB over the DR), and John Cahill. Kieran Cahill also came in in a very creditable time for his first run with the club,

T.J. Mason had a good run, considering his mind was on his medical activities for the following night.

The club is united in wishing a speedy recovery to Paddy Mason, our veteran competitor, who received an injury in training for the run. We hope he will be in top form for the next local race.

AT THE SPORTSFIELD

The game at the venue on Saturday evening was the County intermediate hurling meeting of Abbeyside and Ballysaggart. The former were county finalists last year and would, of course, be expected to clear that last hurdle this time around. 'Saggart on the other hand have found life difficult at this level and hadn't had a win so far this season. The Village had the best of starts when full forward Sheehan goaled in the first minute and by the 7th minute Michael Enright had tacked on three points for them. Corner forward Veale pointed two frees for Ballysaggart but Abbeyside countered with one each from Cliffe and Smith. Then in the 12th minute Adrian Meagher playing at centreforward had a goal for 'Saggart which brought them right back in to it but Enright hit three further points for Abbeyside before half time. While their opponents hit four one a mighty effort from 90 yards by Pat Ryan they also had points from Roche and Veale (2) to leave the half time situation Abbeyside 1-8 Ballysaggart 1-6.

Ballysaggart introduced Pat Bennett and he scored four points from placed balls in the second half. He was in fact their only scorer in the period. It was Enright again to open the Abbeyside account with a point followed by another from corner forward Cunningham. Michael Collins emulated Pat Ryan's feat in the first half when he too pointed from 90 yards. Enright added a further points then that wily veteran Jimmy Healy had a goal in the 20th minute which in truth should have been easily saved by the goalkeeper. Smith's point completed the scoring making it 2-14 to 1-10 at the final whistle. Abbeyside have taken another step towards a county title but they cannot have been overjoyed by this performance except for Enright who was easily the best forward on the field, the attack was weak. They had an advantage at midfield in a game that was played at a very slow pace. Their backs were adequate against weak opposition. They will most certainly have to improve to get to where they were last year.

Ballysaggart too look out of contention for this year, they just don't have the material available to them. They do have a number of promising youngsters and will no doubt be back next year with a more serious challenge.

Abbeyside — C. Clancy, M. Cosgrave, J. Shields, G. Breen, D. Cliffe, M. Collins, D. Ryan, D. Moore, S. McGrath, M. Enright, G. Smith, J. Moore, J. Healy, D. Sheehan, P. Cunningham.

Ballysaggart — M. Maher, M. Clancy, P. Ryan, P. Nugent, M. Brackett, J. Clancy, A. Ormonde, P. Roche, D. Nugent, F. Meagher, A. Meagher, J. O'Brien, T. Veale, S. Roche, S. Kearney. Referee — E. Cunningham (Tallow).

On Sunday afternoon it was the junior hurling clash of near neighbours Tourin and Glen Rovers. The former had been doing very well in this competition having won all but one of their games. It has been a poor hurling season for the Glen's even though they were western finalists last year. To add to their problems they lost star goalkeeper David Kiely through injury early in the game. Tourin scored 1-3 without reply in the first half with a goal by Frank McLoughlin and points by Darren Wilkinson (2) and J. D. Leahy. J. D. was on hand again with a point at the start of the second half and when Brendan O'Sullivan goaled in the 8th minute the game was over as a contest. John Fives had points in the 12th minute. There was no score for 13 minutes then J. D. hit another point. Then in the space of a minute their best forward Darren Wilkinson scored a goal and a point. Substitute Leo O'Donnell had the Glen's only score.

Final score — Tourin 3-8 Glen Rovers 0-1.

Tourin — P. Scanlon, P. Leahy, P. O'Keefe, J. Morrissey, K. O'Donnell, T. Fives, K. Wilkinson, C. Scanlon, W. Leahy, F. McLoughlin, D. Moore, J. D. Leahy, B. O'Sullivan, J. Fives, D. Wilkinson.

Glen Rovers — D. Kiely, J. Cahill, J. Nugent, T. Murphy, T. Duggan, J. Power, G. Power, K. Curran, J. Kett, T. O'Donnell, A. Power, M. O'Gorman, J. Power, M. O'Reilly, E. Byrne. Referee — L. O'Donnell (Clashmore).

Major Development Plans For Cappoquin

By AISLING CONROY

Major plans are on the horizon for the West Waterford town of Cappoquin which was recently the focus of a detailed 88 page report, commissioned by the Cappoquin Community Development Company Ltd with the objective of improving the economic and social conditions of the town.

The draft plan which includes comprehensive surveys of population, industry, housing, education, tourism, community facilities, dereliction and labour force etc, was submitted at last week's Waterford County Council meeting where it received warm commendations from members.



Cllr. Ollie Wilkinson, Chairman of the Cappoquin Development Company Ltd.

Proposing that the Council adopt the non-statutory plan, company chairman, Cllr. Ollie Wilkinson acknowledged the help and work of Patricia Griffen, Co. Manager Donal Connolly and Jim Shine of the Council's planning department. He also thanked the Ireland Fund and the Waterford Development Partnership who played a major role in getting the company off the ground. Cllr. Wilkinson described the amount of work put into the plan as "top class" and said it was socially and economically essential for a town to have a development plan.

His proposal was seconded by Cappoquin Councillor Nora Flynn.

BACKGROUND

Having identified a number of key problem issues in the town, the Company secured a grant from the Ireland Funds to undertake a planning study of the area which was completed in May.

The main purpose of the plan is to allow the orderly development of the physical, economic and social fabric of Cappoquin and to assist in investment decisions which will achieve these development objectives. The hardworking members of the 4 year old Cappoquin company whose initiative and motivation has

culminated in the publication of the report are; Cllr. Ollie Wilkinson chairperson; Denis McCarthy secretary; Patricia Stam recording secretary; Tom Feerick joint treasurer; Anthony Prendergast joint treasurer; Esther Barron; Michael Doherty; David Keane; Dr. Ben Murphy and Joe White.

In preparing the plan, the views of Cappoquin residents were included via a number of public meetings and the circulation of a questionnaire to each household.

DECLINING POPULATION

After a brief period of decline between 1956 and 1966, Cappoquin's population grew steadily to reach a peak of 971 people in 1979. From then on however up to 1991, the population declined by 14.6% (142 people). The report states that this pace of decline has been accelerating with the major reduction in the 0-14 age group. As seen from the table below, the population decline in Cappoquin is proportionally greater when compared to four other towns of roughly similar size. It is also notable that both Cappoquin and Portlaoise are experiencing a significant reduction in the 25-44 age group.

According to the report, the main reasons for this decline are "the difficulties experienced by private individuals seeking to build houses in the area; the emerging imbalance between public and private housing; the need for the Co. Council to actively help in developing private sector housing; the underdeveloped potential of the river Blackwater and other natural amenities for generating tourism revenue; the extent of dereliction and vacancy in the building stock; unemployment and the need to attract further employment generating activities to the area; the expansion and upgrading of the sewage facilities to support the expansion of the town; absence of passive recreational facilities; pending loss of the sec-

ondary school in the town; traffic congestion and car parking".

The report stresses that it is vital to curtail population loss especially in the 25-44 age group and recommends that steps be taken to make Cappoquin an attractive place to live. It is Council policy that by the year 2006, it will accommodate an increase of 220 people.

EMPLOYMENT & INDUSTRY

As of February '95, seventy people are registered for unemployment benefit in Cappoquin, 13 are temporarily out of work and a further 33 are on FAS schemes, thus reflecting the deficiency of employment opportunities in the area.

On its own, Carrigeen Industrial Estate is not sufficient to meet the requirement of maintaining the 25-44 age group. "It must be an essential component of any strategy for the area to seek to expand existing employment and attract new enterprises to the area", reads the report.

Future job creation, it states, depends on the continuing viability and expansion of the five local manufacturing companies and the development of tourism. "Further employment may be created by new business arising from local initiative and the fostering of a spirit of entrepreneurship".

The Cappoquin development company's policy is to encourage and facilitate job creation in all sectors, through the medium of the Co. Enterprise Board, the IDA, Forbairt and all agencies involved in employment, training and industry.

NEED FOR PRIVATE HOUSING

Private housing development in the town is expensive due to a shortage of undeveloped land being serviced by the existing sewer network.

The direct effect of this situation is that the town is losing the considerable economic and social benefits which would follow from having more couples and families building houses in the town area.

Many of the older houses which date pre 1919 are very narrow and small in size and are generally unsuitable for family living. According to the report these houses

require either expensive refurbishment or demolition.

The report also indicates a considerable demand from the private sector for housing designed for elderly people and suitable sites for such development are already available in the town.

There are currently 17 people on the waiting list for local authority housing in Cappoquin. Some of these will be accommodated on existing land at Danes Field.

The County Council intends to facilitate the development of private housing in Cappoquin by servicing land and getting involved in joint venture schemes with landowners. The Council will also seek to fulfil some of its own housing needs by acquiring and redeveloping derelict and obsolete buildings in the town.

SCHOOLS TO AMALGAMATE

Cappoquin has 2 primary schools and one post-primary school. The Mercy Convent runs St. Anne's mixed secondary school which is to be amalgamated with the secondary school in Lismore in 1997 so the existing buildings and site will become redundant. In addition the two primary schools are also expected to amalgamate due to declining numbers and move to a new site across the road on land owned by Mount Melleray Abbey. The Council has zoned 7 acres of land behind the group homes for the development of such a new primary school. The report recommends a policy of cooperation with the school authorities in the provision of new educational facilities and to encourage the immediate redevelopment for suitable uses of any educational land which becomes vacant following the schools amalgamation.

NEW RETAIL OPPORTUNITY

At present the town has 24 retail outlets and sufficient retail space to cater for its current population and any foreseeable growth. According to the report a market niche exists for specialist retail outlets due to a large young population and comparatively low unemployment. As a shopping centre however, Cappoquin is considerably overshadowed by larger urban centres such as Dungarvan.

The Council's objective is to confine retail development to the more central town areas and to promote the establishment of new retail businesses which would fill the gap in market deficiencies.

NEED FOR CARPARK

A parking survey undertaken by the Council earlier this year supports the need for a carpark at the western end of the town. The report puts forward four locations for such a carpark; part of the old bacon factory site, at Twig Bog, the Mill or at Castle street. On street parking is provided in all areas and the central part of the town contains a total of 214 parking spaces.

With regard to transport, the report states, "Cappoquin is not well served by public transport and mobility is considerably curtailed unless people have access to private transport. The lack of a more comprehensive public transport service makes the area difficult to access for tourists and can also constitute a further barrier to gaining employment if someone wishes to continue living in the area".

Other main headings in the report are water supply, sewage facilities, refuse disposal, community facilities, open space, zoning areas, urban form and amenity facilities, etc.

IMPROVING THE SQUARE

Under the heading 'open space', the report considers the steps necessary to improve the Square which it describes as "rather unattractive due to the number of hard surfaces and the scarcity of planting".

A major facelift would see a reduction in the height of the existing boundary walls or alternatively replaced with wrought iron railings. "This would enable a softer view to be developed of a grass bank/flower beds/shrubs sloping up to the paved central area. The steps should remain but the paved area at the centre and the layout of the existing flower beds needs to be redesigned. Further seating should also be provided and some appropriate trees planted. The provision of a water feature should also be considered", reads the report. Another recommendation is the need for better lighting in the Square at night time, "perhaps by the provision of decorative light standards at the corners or in the centre".

TOURISM UNDERDEVELOPED

The report claims that the town is underdeveloped from a tourism point of view although it has much to offer in the way of outdoor amenities. To resolve this problem, a local tourism group should be set up to liaise with the Waterford Development Partnership in marketing the area.

Another idea put forward

by the report is for more extensive marketing of the Waterford side of the Blackwater Valley Drive/heritage trail together with the provision of brochures outlining the route and attractions on it.

With only 77 bed spaces available in the town (28 ensuite), the report recommends that the feasibility of providing a serviced site for camper vans in the carpark at Glenshelane Wood be investigated.

A most interesting proposal is the development of a hotel in the town. "In terms of increasing the number of bed spaces available in the area a hotel would be a welcome development. The Mill in Twig Bog, given its location in the centre of the town and proximity to the river and its activities, would be ideal if converted for accommodation uses. Redevelopment of the Mill would also act as a flagship for the remainder of the Twig Bog area".

FURTHER STUDIES

To complement the plan, a number of issues need to be further investigated such as a profile of the unemployment in Cappoquin to establish what skills are present and where local employment opportunities lie.

A shopping survey could also be undertaken to help identify gaps in the retail market while the feasibility of locating a trout farm on the Melleray Road also needs to be investigated. The necessity, cost and advantages of dredging sections of the river should be examined further with a view to facilitating regular boat trips between Cappoquin and Youghal/Lismore.

With regard to the railway bridge the report recommends that a study be undertaken to investigate the feasibility of rendering the bridge safe to pedestrian traffic. Likewise, the feasibility of an over night camper van site at Glenshelane Wood could also be looked at.

"VERY WORTHWHILE DOCUMENT"

Speaking at last week's Waterford County Council meeting, Co. Manager Donal Connolly praised the report as a "very worthwhile document" and paid tribute to the Cappoquin Development Company and the Council's Planning Department. He said the report would be the basis for further plans in Cappoquin.

Meanwhile the draft development plans for Tramore, Lismore and Portlaoise are now nearing completion and are expected to be included on the Council's September agenda.

POPULATION TRENDS IN SIMILAR SIZED TOWNS

Town	Population			
	1979	1981	1986	1991
Cappoquin	971	950	920	829
Portlaoise	1261	1252	1260	1151
Lismore	1104	1119	1085	1095
Dunmore East	746	734	1041	1038
Tallow	941	937	867	858

Lismore Notes



V.I.P.'S VISIT LISMORE CASTLE

On Monday evening last Lismore Castle played host to Mrs. Jean Kennedy-Smith, the American Ambassador to Ireland who was launching a book on the famine years in Waterford. Also in the company of distinguished American guests was Lady Bird Johnson former 1st Lady of

The United States, whose husband Lyndon B. Johnson was President of the U.S.A.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Betty O'Grady, West Street on the death of her father P. T. Ryan, Annacorthy, Co. Tipperary, which sad event occurred last week.

LISMORE ENTENTE FLORALE COMMITTEE

A gardening demonstration (with cheese and wine reception) by Charles Wilkins of the "Cork Examiner" will take place on Tuesday 25th July at 8 p.m. at the Lismore Community Centre. Tickets £5 available from Willie Roche 058 - 54122. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

LISMORE CAMOGIE NOTES

Lismore senior girls made their exit from this year's championship on Monday last in Abbeyside. On a night of atrocious weather conditions the Abbeyside pitch preparations left a lot to be desired.

Lismore started well playing with the wind but could not convert their chances to scores and had a number of wides in this half. Leading just 3 point to 2 at half time (M. Murphy 2, L. Heaphy 1) these missed chances were to prove very costly. Playing against gale force wind and rain in the second half the Lismore girls struggled to get the ball into the forwards. J. Walsh was at her best in the backline with C. Caples covering the whole field from her centre back position. E. Dunne worked extremely hard in the half forward line but the Butlerstown girls kept piling on the pressure with long clearances from N. McMahon setting up T. Collins in full forward who scaled the game with a great goal along with 3 or 4 points.

Lismore rallied but their best efforts could not put the ball between the posts and the County champions had to give way to a better side on the night. Score - Butlerstown 2-9 Lismore 0-3.

Panel — C. Ormonde, A. M. O'Gorman, J.

Walshe, C. Caples, G. Barry, C. Tobin, B. Prendergast (Capt.), C. Ormonde, B. O'Keefe, E. Dunne, L. Heaphy, M. Murphy, B. Barry, E. Barry, S. O'Gorman, N. Roche, M. Hale, C. Enright, D. Enright, B. Pollard, M. Keneally.

Thanks to the supporters who braved the elements on the night and also to our umpires on the night.

All that remains this season is the Under 18 championship which will be played in late August. Training for this goes ahead on Friday night at 7.30 p.m.

The Under 10's are also back in training on Friday at 6.30 p.m. Parents take note. A tournament for them will be coming up shortly.

The club sends its deepest sympathies to the Cahill and Flynn family on their recent bereavements.

Once again it is time for our only fundraiser of the year our Annual Church Gate Collection goes ahead this week-end 22nd, 23rd July.

Nowadays when running a club it can be such a costly business we ask you to show your support for our many teams and players from Under 10 upwards. - P.R.O.

MRS. MGT. MORRISSEY

The death took place on Saturday 15th July 1995 at The Regional Hospital, Waterford of Mrs. Margaret (Peg) Morrissey, late of Bank Field, Lismore, relict of Patrick Morrissey, Ballyrafter.

The remains were removed on Sunday evening 16th July from St. Carthage's Mortuary to St. Carthage's Church and the burial was on Monday 17th July after 11 a.m. Mass to the local cemetery. The deceased is survived by her loving son Tom, brothers, sisters, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends, to whom we extend sincere sympathy.

DIED IN U.S.A.

The death took place in America last week of Mrs. Mitchell, Fortwilliam House.

ST. CARTHAGE'S 45 RESULTS

Results of 10th July 1995 — Winners, Johnny Hickey and Cassie Hyland, Pat Walsh and Eamonn Morrow, Eily Callaghan and Tim Hegarty. Lucky tables — Kevin Ryan and Kieran O'Gorman, Jack Cotter and Mrs. Casey. Raffle — Jim Hyland, John Pratt, Brian Aherne.

Results of 17th July 1995 — Winners, Moss Morrissey and Kathleen Coleman, Jack Cotter and Mrs. Casey, Eamonn Morrow and Jo Lineen. Lucky tables — Anne Murphy and Eily Tinnelly, John Maher and Willie Cunningham. Raffle — Mary Canning, Kevin Ryan, Kevin Ryan.

Town Commissioners

Two of the Lismore Town Commissioners who were very much in the news at their recent A.G.M. have been stoutly defended by a Fine Gael Colleague. Read letter to the editor column in this issue.

LISMORE G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

Anthony Cahill — All Club activity was overshadowed last week by the tragic and untimely death of Anthony Cahill. Anthony was a fine underage player with his club and always had a smile and enjoyed his training and his games. In school he was a joy to teach and to work with showing great enthusiasm and always willing to look on the bright side of things. His school and team mates will miss him greatly but his mother, brother and sisters have suffered the greatest loss of all. The club extends its sincerest sympathy to the Cahill family.

The club would also like to extend sympathy to Eamonn Walsh and family on the tragic death of his nephew last week.

Senior Hurling — Having defeated De La Salle and Clonea we are now facing our last match in the league section against Passage. Check elsewhere for results. Depending on results we are in the quarter final playing off for a quarter final place or playing off for a semi final place. The championship is only starting now.

Under 16 Hurling — Having won the last 12 under 16 West finals we have well and truly thrown in the towel this year. We have been well beaten by both Dungarvan and Abbeyside and to add insult to injury we were beaten by Tallow to no score, even without playing any more games we are out. The players that have been turning up have been doing their best but unfortunately we have had a few retirements. What a pity.

Under 12 Hurling — The Under 12's played their semi final last Thursday night and defeated Abbeyside in an excellent match to reach the final for the second year in a row. In the second semi-final Fourmilewater won and so the final was fixed for Sunday morning. Fourmilewater were a much bigger side and from the beginning they really put it up to the boys and led, half way through the first half by a goal to a point by Donal O'Keefe. Lismore added two more points and Fourmilewater replied with one to leave the score at half time, playing with the wind, Fourmilewater 2-1 Lismore 0-3.

We were lucky not to concede another goal at the start of the second half but a few astute switches especially Colin Kearney moving to full forward and Donal O'Keefe to mid field changed the game in our favour. Colin scored 2 goals and J. Dalton added another to give us a deserved victory. There were some outstanding displays especially K. O'Donoghue, C. Kearney, D. O'Keefe, B. Doocey and B. O'Connell.

Team — M. Walsh, B. Barry, B. Doocey, R. Lineen, J. Heneghan, D. O'Keefe, R. Kelleher, R. Power, C. Kearney, K. O'Donoghue, K. Leahy, S. Ormonde, J. O'Donnell, J. Dalton, B. O'Connell. Sub. - R. Kiernan for S. Ormonde.

Under 10 Hurling — Last week-end we again took part in the Nessans Tournament and having beaten teams from Limerick and Offaly we lost by one point to the team from Kilkenny in the semi final.

Club Lottery — The Club is about to commence a lottery to fund raise for the Club and the Community Centre. Tickets will be on sale in the shops and other retail outlets at £1 each. The weekly prize fund will be £100 rising by £100 each week it's not won. If there is no weekly winner a £25 voucher will be drawn for. All you have to do is mark 3 numbers out of 20 and you win. What could be simpler.

Handball Alley — The club greatly appreciates the County Managers assurance that the handball alley which is now in County Council ownership will not be destroyed. We welcome the fact that this amenity of which Lismore has very few, will continue to be enjoyed by the people of Lismore.

Summer Camp — The annual Summer Camp for hurling is just over and it was great to see over 120 youngsters learning their trade and enjoying themselves.

New Arrival — Congratulations to Brendan Lawton and Mrs. Lawton on the birth of their baby boy. The training starts in earnest now Brendan.

Weekly Draw — Results of weekly draw No. 27 — £50, Mrs. Teresa Hennessy, Deerpark Road; £30, Mrs. Breda Ormonde, Parks Road; £20, Mr. Edward Lynch, South Mall; £15, Ms. Bridget O'Connor, c/o. M. Quann; £10, Mrs. Eleanor Burns, South Mall, Mr. Frank Geoghegan, Fair Fields. Promoters prize — John O'Gorman. Next draw will be held in the Red House at 8 p.m. Monday 24th July. All are welcome. (Advt.)

Lismore Lotto — The winning numbers in this week's lotto were 10, 11 and 16. As there was no winner, the £100 goes forward to next week when the jackpot will be £200. A voucher for £25 was won by Fergal Brien, c/o Post Office for goods to be purchased at Madden's Supermarket. We wish to thank everyone who supported us in the draw and hope to have your continued support in the coming weeks. Tickets will be available in most shops or from any club member.

LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

Captain's Prize — Club Captain Mr. Billy Arrigan put his prize up for competition over the week-end of 30th June to 2nd July and provided us with a marvellous and enjoyable three days golf. The first players set off on Friday afternoon in glorious sunshine, but shortly after 4 o'clock the skies darkened and then opened and play had to be suspended. Fortunately the weather again reverted to its previous glory and with co-operation all round and a little rescheduling we were back on track. Frank Ryan carded a 60 to set the pace. This was matched by James Bennett on Saturday while Ritchie Ormonde on senior cup duty on Saturday set a course record 67, 2 under, on Sunday morning to complete the final 3 ball. The pressure was on them however, as 20 players were on 63 or better. So it came down to the final 18 Holes on Sunday. At the end of the day club greenkeeper Frankie Geary had achieved all players' ambition in golf and captured the captain's prize putting a 60 to his 62 for a 122 total. The clubhouse was packed on Sunday night as members paid tribute to the captain and his prize winner. Full list of prize winners —

1st, Frank Geary (14) 122; 2nd, J. Bennett (14) 124; 3rd, P. Bennett (13) 125; Gross, R. Ormonde (6) 138; Past Captain D. Murphy (10) 134; 4th, C. Coughlan (14) 127 b.18; 2nd, Gross T. W. Murphy (4) 141; 5th, F. Ryan (19) 127; 6th, F. Corcoran (12) 130 b. 18; 7th, J. Madden (12) 130 b. 18; 8th, B. Rumley (15) 130 b. 18; 9th, T. Ryan (19) 130 b. 18; 10th, P. Heaphy (18) 130 b. 18; Putting Comp., P. J. Buckley.

Sean Moyinhan carded a fine 42 pts. in last weeks 18 Hole Stableford Competition which placed him second in that competition but he was inadvertently omitted from last weeks prize winners list.

Independent Mixed Foursomes in Tramore

On Saturday morning the mixed panel travelled to Tramore Golf Club to take on Carrick-On-Suir in the first round of the Independent Mixed Foursomes.

First out for Lismore were T. W. Murphy and G. Barry playing against very tough opponents. They overcome this by winning on the 18th. Jim Cashman and Ann Howard gave the performance of their lives winning 10/9.

Husband and wife combination of Willie and Brid Henley

won a super match on the 18th. M. Cahelline and Catherine Moyinhan won 4/3, R. Ormonde and S. Denn were 1 up playing the 16th but were called in giving Lismore a very good win and a place in the second round in the afternoon.

In the second round we came up against the very experienced home team who had all their senior cup panel on duty. We had the same team on duty and all the games were very tight and some exciting golf was played. We were, however, unlucky to go down 3 1/2 to 1 1/2. The club would like to thank all the panel for their help and co-operation, all our supporters and caddies. We also wish to thank Tramore for a splendid match and hospitality.

Results:- Tuesday 11th July, 4 Man Team Comp (Bacon) — 1st, P. McCarthy, L. Buckley, M. O'Grady, R. Culloo; 2nd, L. Kiely, J. Crowley, S. Hales, J. Power.

Thursday 13th July, 18 Hole Open Stableford, Southern Milling Qualifier — 1st, W. Arrigan (22) 40 pts.; 2nd, R. Culloo (17) 39 pts.; 3rd, Bro. G. Murphy, Bandon 39 pts.; Best Gross, P. Kennedy 99) 30 pts.

Friday 14th July, 9 Hole Mixed Foursomes Stroke — 1st, R. Culloo and H. Culloo 29 3/4; 2nd, C. Whelan and E.

Tinnelly 30 1/4.

Saturday 15th July - Sunday 16th July, 18 Hole Stableford Competition — 1st, T. Doocey (15) 42 pts.; 2nd, T. Joyce (19) 40 pts.; 3rd, W. Henry (11) 38 pts. back 9; Best Saturday, P. McCarthy (14) 38 pts.; Best Sunday, T. Cahill (14) 38 pts. last 3.

Fixtures:- Tuesday 18th, 9 Hole Bacon Competition; Wednesday 19th, Ladies Day; Thursday 20th, 18 Hole Open Stableford Southern Milling Qualifier; Friday 21st, 18 Hole Mixed Foursomes Cork Examiner Qualifier; Saturday 22nd, 18 Hole Stableford Competition; Sunday 23rd, Ladies Captain (Mrs. E. Tinnelly) Prize, no green fee.

LADIES SECTION

Wednesday 5th July, 18 Hole Stroke — 1st, Rose O'Dowd (34) 58 net; 2nd, Brid Henry (19) 63 net.

Wednesday 12th July, 18 Hole Stroke — 1st, Sylvie O'Meara (18) 62 net; 2nd, Mary Fives (18) 67 net (B.9).

Fixtures:- Sunday July 23rd, Lady Captain's Prize kindly presented by Eileen Tinnelly. Draw for partners on Friday evening. See notice board for details. Wednesday July 26th, 18 Hole Stroke. Open Day Wednesday 2nd August. Time sheet at (058) 54026.

ABBEYSIDE

TOPICS

GOLF NEWS

There was no major trophies for local golfers at last Sunday's Festival Trophy Competition held at Dungarvan's Championship course at Knocknagranagh on Sunday last. The competition was the major event of Dungarvan Golf Clubs open fortnight and was sponsored impressively by Waterford Crystal. Brian Lineen playing off a handicap of six was the best of the local entrants winning the best gross prize with a total of 78 shots. Pat Morrissey (13) the current captain was among the prizewinners with a 68 nett and Pat Power (20) squeezed himself into a prizewinning position with a 69 nett. Josephine Melody playing with her niece Ann Dowling had a score of 46 pts. and so won 3rd prize in the ladies Open Fourball sponsored by Dougans Opticians and Mary Lee Fashions played on Tuesday last, July 11th.

PUB LEAGUES AT DOGLEAF PARK

The leagues are currently in progress but somehow the spark that was so evident in previous years does not seem to exist among players and spectators. Maybe young soccer players need a closed season during which they can recharge their batteries so to speak and be mentally fresh for a new season. Indeed pre-season training is just around the corner.

ST. GEHAN'S WELL

Today Wednesday, July 19th is the feast of Saint Vincent De Paul and is also the Pattern Day of Garranbane. As is usual, since the custom was revived by the late Fr. Jimmy Power, R.I.P. Mass will be offered at Glendine Wood, courtesy of Mrs. Maureen Beresford and family at 8.00 p.m. on that date. Following the open air Mass there will be a procession to St. Gehan's Holy Well which is situated close by.

ST. LAURENCE'S HALL

A fund raising night will take place at Ballinroad hall on Friday night July 28th at Clonea Strand Hotel. It is a fund raising event in order to raise money for the refurbishment of the dressing rooms in Ballinroad hall. Admission is £4 and in return music will be supplied by Richie Halpin between the hours of 9.30 p.m. and 12.30 p.m. There will also be spotprizes galore as well as refreshments. For tickets or further information please contact Doreen Walsh or Josephine Morrissey at (058) 43580.

CLONEA MASS

A Saturday evening Mass for holiday makers at Clonea takes place every Saturday at 6.00 p.m.

Abbeyside Reference Archive

As this is Pattern Weekend we decided to do something special at the Archive this Sunday. In conjunction with our usual display we will have a doll display at the Parish Office all evening from 2.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. Over 50 doll in national costume will be on display and this should prove a very colourful and interesting sight. As usual all are welcome along.

G.A.A. INCIDENT

During a rip-roaring county hurling championship match between Abbeyside and Ballysaggart on Saturday night last at the Cappoquin venue young Brendan Landers of Ballinroad was introduced into the team as a substitute in the left half forward position with ten minutes remaining. Brendan retaliated after being struck, which is an offence but it is difficult to blame him. The referee saw the retaliation and booked Brendan as well as issuing a severe warning. The perpetrator of the incident got off scott free which is a major injustice. This type of occurrence is very common at many local games. G.A.A. authorities are concerned about the decline of hurling and it is no wonder when assault of this nature goes unpunished. Basically it is the duty of the clubs to discipline their own players when they perpetrate such violent actions on the field of play as the referee cannot keep up with play and at the same time see off the ball incidents of the nature of the one that occurred on Saturday night.

BEST ALL-ROUND ARMY APPRENTICE



Apprentice Eoin Clancy, Abbeyside, who received the Irish Shell Trophy for being Best Electrician and Best All-Round Apprentice at the passing-out parade of army apprentices in Naas on July 6th. He is pictured here after the ceremony with his parents Jim and Susan. —(Photo: Oliver McCrossan).

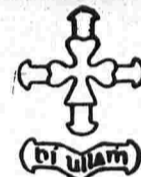
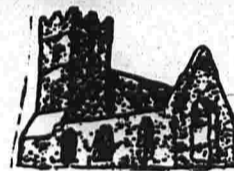
Abbeyside Scout Notes

CAMP BOOKLET

Our camp book was launched at the Parents Meeting last Saturday night — without the cheese and wine! As usual it was a major production with scouts smiling from many pages and we would like to thank Fr. Ahearne and Jennifer McCarthy, Parish Office for their help with this booklet.

SURPRISE

Last Wednesday in the post we received a letter which contained a cheque for £50 from Conservation Volunteers Ireland. The enclosed letter congratulated us on winning an Environmental Endeavour Award 1995 Certificate for Glenshelane Scout Campsite. When I tell you this award



came "out of the blue" you will realise it was all the more pleasant.

P.S. — Both the Camp Booklet and Award Certificate can be seen at the Parish Office any Sunday from 2.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. the cheque cannot be seen!

GLENSHELANE

On Tuesday last the 1st Louth (Dundalk) packed their bags and headed for home after an enjoyable stay at Glenshelane. The weather was not great but they made the most of it. We look forward to seeing Gerard and Co. back again some time in the future.

This Saturday we welcome Tom Power S.L. and the scouts of the 11th Waterford to Glenshelane. We know that Tom has a good pro-

gramme worked out so all we can do is wish him plenty of sunshine.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congrats' to Guide Leader Jenny Power on the excellent Guide Camp she ran at Melleray recently. She even managed to supply sunshine all the way. We also congratulate Jenny and Ann on completing the Comeragh Crossing, a 14 mile trek organised by our Troop Chaplain last Sunday, from the Nire to Bridgie Terries. Alas, he forgot to supply the sunshine so we congratulate all 60 who took part in this very enjoyable day. — Scribes

ABBEYSIDE GRAVEYARD

FAS workers are busy laying a new pathway inside the graveyard wall which divides the church grounds from the green open space area. The new path begins near the steps and extends for 162 feet along by the low sized wall. The path then turns left for about 48 feet until it meets an existing path which finishes at the boilerhouse.

RECENT MARRIAGES

Congratulations to the following couples who were married recently: Liam Buck, Garranbane and Suzanne Marks, Waterford; Mary Power, McCarthyville and David Ahearne, Ballyduff Upper.

ABBEYSIDE PATTERN EVENTS

Saturday, July 22 — 3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Sports at Stokes' Field; 6.30 p.m., Juvenile treasure hunt in the village; 7.00 p.m., Adult walking treasure hunt from the pond; Fun nite at the pond - rings, skittles, frisbee, clothes pegs and horse-shoes; 9.00 p.m. to 10.00 p.m. Free open air disco at the pond with John Coleman; 10.00 p.m. - late, Karaoke contest at Radleys sponsored by Heineken, at O'Connors, ceol and craic (The spuds are boiling); Snooker tournament sponsored by Guinness, final and prizegiving at Mac's Hotel.



Finalising details for the selection of the '95 Abbeyside Pattern Queen (sponsored by Carling), which will be held in Clonea Strand Hotel on this Friday, July 21st are (left to right) — Chris Reynolds (Carling), Aine O'Riordan (Secretary Abbeyside Pattern Committee), Paddy Buston (Carling), Johnny Hourigan (Pattern Committee Chairman), Fred Walsh (Manager Clonea Strand Hotel). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Countdown To Show Day On July 27

These are busy times for the members of Dungarvan Show Committee as final preparations are put in place for what promises to be an outstanding show in Ballygagin on Thursday next, July 27.

This is the first year Dungarvan have staged a Grand Prix showjumping competition and what a year to do it! During the past number of weeks Irish riders have been capturing major prizes on the European circuit including a Nations Cup win in Aachen. But last weekend was the jewel in the crown when Robert Spillane from Cork and Marion Hughes from Kilkenny achieved a unique double in Hickstead. Robert won the King

George Cup (last won for Ireland by Tommy Wade on Dundrum) and Marion won the Queen Elizabeth Cup. All these riders will be in action in Ballygagin, so be there to see these international riders in action.

John Dwane, Show Secretary, is extremely busy finalising entries in the horse, cattle and sheep sections. He reports that entries are good and that there is a particularly big interest in trade stands. A new innovation this year is "The Enterprise in Waterford" marquee.

The home industries classes include home produce, crafts, cut flowers and floral arrangements, fruit and vegetables, adult and junior art, junior handwriting. There

are also qualifying competitions for knitting, floral, baking and vegetables. Kay O'Flynn, Secretary, reports that entries close on Friday, July 21. Prize lists and entry forms are available from:

Jane Casey, Florists, Main Street, Dungarvan, Show Office, The Burgery, Kay O'Flynn, "Mayfield", Clonea Road, Dungarvan.

Entries for the fancy dress and dog show will be taken on the day of the show.

Dungarvan Show is a typical Agricultural Show. It has something for everybody. If you want to see the international riders in action, they will be there, while if you want to admire the beautiful bloodstock, livestock and sheep ex-

hibits then you will be well satisfied. If you want to be kept up to date with the latest in farm machinery, cars or visit some of the trade displays from the local small and not so small industries then Ballygagin is where it's at! Other attractions include W.L.R. doing a live presentation and interviews from the Showgrounds throughout the day, an international gun dog display, ostriches on display, childrens fancy dress and dog show.

Please note that a bus will be leaving Grattan Square for the Showgrounds at regular intervals. See next week's issue for more details. — Frances Carroll, P.R.O.

KILROSSANTY NOTES

FESTIVAL

The Comeragh Queen festival will start on July 30th to August 14th. Events such as crazy night, sports, tournament matches will take place. The picking of the Comeragh Queen will take place on August 14th. If any factory, pub, football club etc. are interested in putting forward a queen contact Crotty's Inn. Full details of events will appear next week.

SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy is extended to Bernard O'Neill, Carrick-on-Suir, on the

death of his mother last week. Bernard is the masseur with the football club here. May she rest in peace.

HOLIDAYS

Holidaying with her mother and relatives in Grawn is Imelda Cunningham, accompanied by her husband and children. Imelda is in Australia for a good few years. Hope they enjoy their holiday and that the weather will be kind to the.

TRIP

Hope all the ladies will enjoy their day out this Thursday.

LEGION OF MARY

Meeting in Fews Sacristy this Thursday at 7.30 p.m.

A.R.G.

Booley House near Ballyduff Upper is well worth a visit. It is proposed to go there very soon if sufficient numbers are there. The cost will be £5. Send in names before July 20th.

ENVELOPES

Any envelopes which were not delivered last week will be given out this week, so don't panic.

KILROSSANTY G.A.A. NOTES

Junior Hurling—Our hurlers beat Modeligo in the championship last Thursday evening in Modeligo on the score of 2-9 to 1-6. This win keeps us well in contention for the knockout stages as we still have three games left to play against

Kilgobinet, Ardmore and Geraldines. Team—J. Power, P. Hayes, P. Fitzgerald, E. Flynn, B. Kirwan, P. Power, N. Hayes, J. Maher, T. Behan, N. Kirwan, M. Fitzgerald, N. O'Connor, J. Dempsey and G. Fitzgerald.

Senior Football—On Saturday evening we are due to play Gaultier in a vital championship game in Kilmacthomas. A win almost certainly see us qualify for the quarter finals so hopefully the lads will give it their all with such a prize at stake.

Under 21 Football—We drew with Rathgormack in a challenge last Friday evening in Leamybrien on the score of 0-14 to 3-5. At half time we trailed by 3-2 to 0-6.

Soccer—Last Wednesday evening Crotty's Inn beat the Olde Dungarvan Oak B 3-0 with goals from Matty Kiely, Roger Power and Brian Kirwan. Then on Sat-

urday evening we beat Paddy Macs 5-2 with goals from Robbie Whelan, Roger Power, Matty Kiely, Brian Kirwan and Jim Maher. This great run in the Heineken Pubs League continues on Wednesday evening (tonight) when we take on the Shandon Arms in the semi-finals.

Under 16 Hurling—Last Monday evening in terrible playing conditions in Leamybrien, we beat Brickley Rangers in the division three championship by 7-7 to 0-0. At half time we led by 6-6 to 0-0. Next Monday evening we take on Ring in a vital game in Leamybrien at 7.30 p.m.

Team—S. Casey, K. Casey, D. Kirwan, N.P. Walsh, P. Coffey, C. Keating (1-1), M. Harney, K. O'Connor (0-1), T. Kirwan, P. Lennon, S. Fahy (0-3), K. Kirwan (1-0), V. Walsh (4-1), K. Whelan (0-1). Subs: P. Hayes for K. Kirwan, T. Kiely for P. Lennon, C. O'Brien for P. Coffey, L. Fennell for K. Casey, R. Cotter for K. O'Connor, A. Walsh for K. Whelan, J.P. Hallahan (1-0) for T. Kirwan, J.M. Lally for S. Fahy and B. Lally for V. Walsh.

CLOTTO

The clotto was won on Sunday night last. The winner was Martin O'Connell, Lismore, Jimmy Doocey was the seller, Nice win of £300. The numbers drawn as follows: 3,2,1,5,6,4. Next clotto draw £100 on July 30th.

DEISE DRAW

Money for the July draw to be with Eileen Walsh this weekend. Next draw on July 28th.

INJURED

Best wishes for a speedy recovery to Ger Walsh, and Alfie Kirwan who are both injured at the moment.

KILL HAPPENINGS

INTERMEDIATE HURLING

Last Sunday afternoon the local Intermediate hurling team travelled to Fraher field, Dungarvan to take on Ring in the intermediate championship. In very bad weather conditions, Kill tried their very best, in the conditions which prevailed, and were leading 5 points to 4 at half time. In the second half, playing against the wind the lads really settled down and played some good hurling from Ray Hennessy, Peter Kirwan, Eddie Power and Adrian Kirwan. Kill were down 2 points with a minute to go, but a superb goal from Mickey Kiely which won Kill the match by 1 point. Final score 1-9 to 1-8. Well done lads.

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

This coming Saturday Kill will take on De La Salle in Kill at 7.30 p.m. Best of luck lads.

U-14 WATERFORD LADIES FOOTBALL

Congratulations to the local girls from Kill who represented Waterford at U-14 level and won the Munster final. They were Noeleen Crowley, Julie-May Keane and Karen Lennon. Very well done girls.

WEDDING

Congratulations to Marie-Louise Queally, Gardenmorris, Kill who got married last Friday in Bally church to Michael Casey from Dublin. We wish all the best to the married couple, and many happy years of health.

GREAT SUCCESS

The Hospice benefit night which took place last Friday week proved to be very successful. With a huge gathering of about 400 every one had a great night with music by the "Hoodlums". This was well organised by Nick Power, and every one supported this worthy cause.

THIS WEEK TEAGASC Says

NATIONAL MILK RESTRUCTURING SCHEME

The application forms for this year's quota purchase scheme are now with farmers. Those who wish to purchase quota must have their application into the creamery by late July; quota will be allocated to the purchasers soon after that. There is an EU subsidy this year of £0.75p for those who are eligible. Eligibility to buy quota, under the priority categories laid down by the Department of Agriculture does not mean that a person is eligible for the subsidy. Eligibility to get the subsidy is a separate issue altogether, from eligibility to buy quota. There is a separate application form for those who feel they are eligible for subsidy.

PAYMENT

The price of quota varies, £1.60 - £2.00, depending on the part of the country. Small producers who are eligible for the subsidy will get some quota at £1.00 - £1.25 a gallon. These farmers are strongly recommended to buy as much as possible this year, as this is likely to be the last EU Subsidy Scheme.

PRIORITY CATEGORIES

There is no change this year in the priority categories for buying quota.

Category 1—Producers with permanent quota below 30,000 gl., there is special priority within this category for new entrants who do not own a quota, also certain producers following an F.M.S. Development plan that was drawn up between 1981 and 1984.

Category 2—Producers with quotas of 30,000 - 55,000 gls. who had abnormally low milk delivery in 1983 due to disease.

Category 3—Other producers with quotas of 30,000 - 55,000 gls.

Eligibility in any category above does not ensure that person is eligible for the £0.75p subsidy. Nor does entitlement to the subsidy affect the distribution of restructured quota. In other words, a supplier who is not getting the subsidy is just as eligible to buy quota, but at the full price, as a person who is getting a subsidy.

SUBSIDY DETAILS

The three criteria which determines eligibility for the subsidy are: A, Present quota less than 22,000 gls., where a producer buys quota that brings his quota above 22,000 gls., the subsidy does not apply on the balance over 22,000 gls.; B, Total annual income below £15,000. This includes farm and off-farm income, but does not include off-farm income of a spouse if he/she is not the owner or partner on the farm. The income will have to be verified; C, Stocking rate, eligible applicants must not have too high a stocking rate, if they are eligible for extensification premia, this will suffice.

BUY IF POSSIBLE

Those who are eligible for the subsidy can buy quota at £1.00 - £1.25 a gallon. This is excellent value, and in the most favourable situation it will pay for itself in about 2.5 years. This applies where savings are available to buy the quota, no extra cows or buildings are needed and only PRSI tax is payable on the extra profit. In the same situation, if income tax and PRSI had to be paid on the extra profit, purchased quota would pay for itself in 4 years.

But most people who buy extra quota have to borrow, and perhaps plan for extra cows or buildings or a bigger milk tank. An extra cow, can, with good management leave an extra profit of about £650; where the cow displaces a bullock, she will make £400 - £450 more profit than the bullock. These figures have to be reduced by whatever repayments are involved.

It is important for farmers who have barely enough cash to live on at present, to at least maintain their cash income during the repayment period. Seven year loans are recommended in most cases, especially where borrowing for more than the quota is involved.

In the least favourable situation, if a farmer borrows for quota at £2.00, and also for cows and buildings, he will be far worse off as regards annual cash income until the repayments are finished. This is not recommended. If the quota subsidy is available, it is possible that, with good management, and no extra income tax, that repayments could be met on quota cows and buildings while still maintaining the previous standard of living.



FARMING LEADER



Discussing arrangements for the Teagasc/I.C.M.S.A. Farm Family of the Year Award (left to right) — Michael Walsh (Judge), Barry Foley (A.I.B.), Sean Behan (Dawn Meats), Ann Kirwan, County I.C.M.S.A. Secretary, John Skehan, County Chairman, Jerry Kingston, C.A.O. and John O'Brien, East Cork Oil. The winner will be announced and presented with the award at Dungarvan Show. —(Photo: Rory Wyley).

More Job Cuts As Waterford Foods Initiates Restructuring Plan

By Aisling Conroy
Managing Director of Waterford Foods plc, Matt Walsh has revealed that the Dungarvan based dairy giant is to shed a total of 400 jobs throughout the group as part of a £12 million restructuring plan.

The fundamental review of the company began in the second half of '94 with 150 jobs already lost. The remaining job cuts have yet to be sourced but are expected to be in Dublin, America and England. A total of 30 jobs have been shed in Co. Waterford through the closure of Central Dairies in Dungarvan but Mr. Walsh said the company had no further rationalisation plans for the county. Already making substantial progress with the plan, Mr. Walsh said the programme will result in annual savings of £5m from 1997 onwards. The M.D. however remained adamant that the plan was "not just about cutting jobs for the sake of it", but rather a type of consolidation one can expect to see more of in the future.

In his presentation at the company's AGM last week, Mr. Walsh cited a number of major issues such as GATT and CAP driven changes, structural changes in the UK dairy sector and a constant

tightening of company margins, etc. as the main reasons for the rationalisation plan.



MR. MATT WALSH
MANAGING DIRECTOR

"YEAR OF CHALLENGE AND CHANGE"

In his review of 1994, Mr. Walsh said it had been a year of challenge and change with difficult trading conditions. Pre tax profits stood at £20.3m, down 17% on the previous twelve months. Good news however was a record turnover balance of £710.6 million, representing a 2% increase on 1993 figures. In all the group's margins continued to be among the best in the dairy sector. Waterford Foods continued its 31%

leadership in the Irish liquid milk market with significant growth achieved by Premier Supermilk and Premier Slimline. Supermilk was also introduced to UK consumers and initial reactions are proving positive. Another new innovation was the introduction of a twin compartment product - Fruit Royale - at its plant in Inch, Co. Wexford while last year also saw the relaunch of Yoplait Diet Yogurt.

Due to a change in milk buying patterns and a significant increase in milk prices the Didsbury liquid milk plant in the UK is expected to close within a matter of months, to be sold off as an asset by the company. The plant's butter and milk powder facilities were earlier closed in late '94.

A major achievement for the group during '94, was when Waterford Food ingredients became the first company in Europe to attain the I.S. 310 environmental award.

US BELOW EXPECTATIONS

In 1994, the US operation, Waterford Food Products Inc. at Wisconsin performed significantly below expectations. According to Mr. Walsh competitive market conditions coupled with high Wisconsin milk prices

caused a continued pressure on margins.

The US operation is also targeted for a significant number of job losses (estimated at 50) together with changes in management.

'95 PERFORMANCE BETTER

Commenting on the group's performance so far this year, Mr. Walsh said overall markets are considerably better than last year resulting in a .7p per gallon increase in milk price. Performance, he said has improved this year and the group is now operating to plan.

As stated in the group's annual report, the management of Waterford Foods believe that further restructuring of the industry in all of their key markets is inevitable and that it will result in significant opportunities. The report reads, "as a focused and efficient dairy business with a record of product innovation, good operating cash flow and a well structured balance sheet, Waterford is in a strong position to avail of these opportunities".

Meanwhile both 'A' and 'B' Waterford Foods shareholders will receive a final dividend of 1.72p per share for the year ended 31st December, 1994.

Co. Waterford ICMSA News

Mr. John Skehan, Chairman of County Waterford ICMSA, said that now that the school holidays are in operation and many children are helping on farms, ICMSA has issued a safety warning to farmers advising them to follow the farm safety code, and to exercise extreme caution during the busy summer season.

"While farms and farm life can be extremely enjoyable and healthy places for children and adults alike, the reality is that agriculture is a very dangerous industry. Agriculture claims more deaths in a year than any other industry and is responsible for an increasing number of serious injuries. Subsequently, great care must be taken by all — farmers, parents and children," said the County Chairman.

He warned farmers to be particularly careful during the silage making season, and instanced the need to lock tractors when not in use, to remove keys, and to ensure that young children are not left to wander around farms unaccompanied.

The Chairman added that

the list of potential dangers is endless (uncovered power take offs, water tanks, pesticides, slurry tanks, etc.) and that if in doubt the policy should be 'keep out.'

"Generally speaking, farmers have become more safety conscious. However, we must keep repeating the message because one more fatality is one too many."

Meanwhile, some small scale dairy producers have still not received the grant aid of 50 pence per gallon due for the purchase of milk quota under the 1994 Restructuring Scheme and ICMSA has called on the Minister for Agriculture, Food and Forestry, Mr. Ivan Yates, to act immediately to free up payments to these hard pressed small scale dairy farmers.

Small scale dairy farmers paid up front for quota which they purchased at £1.75/gallon in May 1994 on the expectation of a 50p/gallon subsidy. Now some 13 months later many of these farmers have not yet received the subsidy. This is intolerable treatment for small scale dairy producers.

Advocate General View Vindicates IFA's Strong Objection To 340kg. Carcase Weight Limit

Waterford IFA Livestock Committee Chairman, Maurice Donovan said recently that the view expressed by the Advocate General of the European Court of Justice on the 340kg. intervention carcase weight limit case, as reported in this week's Irish Farmers' Journal, vindicates the strong objections IFA made to the EU Commission on the introduction of the controversial weight limit restrictions in 1993.

Mr. Donovan said: "In stating that the EU Commission lacked the competence under the EU Treaty to make the weight limit regulations and that they abused their power, the Advocate General was acknowledging the clear discrimination against Ireland in light of the fact that the 340kg. limit would reduce the number of Irish steers eligible for intervention from 100% to 39%."

The IFA man pointed out that the case taken by the Irish Government against the European Commission was initiated by the former Minister for Agriculture Joe Walsh, T.D.

The IFA Livestock leader said that there were fundamental lessons to be learned by both the EU Commission and the Irish Government, should the Advocate General's findings be upheld in the European court. "From Irish agriculture's perspective, it clearly underlines the importance of a strong Irish Government arguing vigorously against negative decisions which are taken at EU level which pose serious implications for this country's vital interest in agriculture. It also shows that we should not be afraid to push such arguments to the limit at times, when we know we are clearly being discriminated against."

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TALLOW NOTES

TALLOW G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

BALLYDUFF 3-13 TALLOW 0-12

After quite a good match at Lismore on Sunday evening last Ballyduff deservedly came out on top against Tallow in the final game of the league series of the senior hurling championship. Ballyduff's fine second half gave them victory and their superior fitness and ability to convert scoring chances into scores were the main difference between the sides. A strong finish from them left no doubt about the better team. Significantly Tallow scored only one point from play in that second half (and a splendid point it was too, from away out on the right wing by John Doyle) the other points coming from Pat Murphy and Tim Sheehan.

It was all so different in the first half when Tallow's enthusiasm and full blooded efforts made life difficult for the Reds. As in so many of this year's matches Tallow were in front after 2 minutes from Pat Murphy's pointed free. Level six times in this half Tallow's heart-warming display belied the fact that a win was of no benefit to them whereas Ballyduff were on course for the play-off stages. This entertaining first thirty minutes produced a fine standard of hurling as much from Tallow as from their opponents and only one point separated the sides at the break when Ballyduff led 1-7 to 0-9. Tim Sheehan embellished a fine display with three beautifully struck points from frees, all from around mid-field, two coming before and one after the interval. To Tallow's credit they never surrendered and made the Reds work hard for a victory which was, undoubtedly, well deserved.

Scorers — Pat Murphy 0-5, Tim Sheehan 0-3, John Doyle 0-2 and Eamonn Power and Mark Geary 0-1 each.

Tallow — Martin Murphy, Terry McSweeney, Stephen Curley, Colin Cunningham, Stuart Barry, Tim Sheehan, Stephen (Buddy) Curley, Mark Geary, Brian Henley, John Grey, John Doyle, John Joe Henley, Eamonn Power, Pat Murphy, William Murphy. Subs. — David Henley and Jason Barry.

AFTER CLARE WHO?

I suppose more has been written about Clare over the last week than about any two hurling counties in six months. Well do they deserve the plaudits of all hurling admirers and appreciators of the triumph of indomitable spirit over successive heart-breaking failures. Clare's thorough preparation, the wise selection of players whose shoulders were unbowed by the baggage of historical failures over three decades and the cultivation of a positive determination to succeed

ghosts of 1993 and last years are now well-documented. Now the whole hurling world has a great appreciation of the magnitude of the Banner's achievement. Oh we of little faith!

Greatest credit must go to Ger Loughnane. I've known Ger for most of those 25 years during which he dedicated his talents to Clare as player, coach, selector and manager. If Clare had never won that battle with Limerick Ger had already served his county and the game he loves faithfully and fruitfully over those years. Clare's first All Star he had the ideal circumstances for pursuing his love of hurling among the young lads because he was (still is) a teacher and in the most powerful position to pursue his coaching agenda. Many of the present Munster champions benefited from Ger's tutelage and all from an injection of his steely spirit.

Just about a year ago I met Ger in Fermoy at the Under 21 Munster hurling final between Clare and Waterford. He had only just then been appointed manager of the Clare senior hurlers and I was gently teasing him about his appointment and about Clare's always-a-bridesmaid - never-a-bride role. He surprised me with his optimism about the future of Clare hurling. "Do you know something", he said very seriously, "when I get the calibre of hurler that's needed - fellows who won't fold under pressure, who won't be overcome by the big occasion, who won't freeze in awe of the name Tipperary or Cork or Limerick or Kilkenny - you'll hear about Clare". Well he seems to have got the mix right sooner than any of us thought. Not every Clare hurler is super-skilled but every man he has wearing the Clare jersey showed against Limerick that he was ready and willing to scrap and battle to his last breath; that he was possessed of a burning spirit.

Speaking of skill it is my contention that the under age skill level in Clare has over the last dozen years been higher than that of any other Munster county including Cork. What was most lacking over the years was that legitimate aggression without which no team can thrive and the self-confidence which allows players to express themselves positively. Ger seems to have inculcated this all-important self-belief into his charges. In his sessions he gives priority to skill training and won't accept one-sided hurlers. He would never tolerate on his team the Waterford forward I mention a couple of months ago. Remember?

The fellow I advised to do something about his weak right side about 5 years ago who said: "Ah my right side is as good as my left", and who was found out this year against Tipperary when he missed twice from the right.

There are lessons, encouraging lesson, for Waterford in Clare's success. We are not too far behind Clare, really. But we have to discard those without the character to enable them pursue the battle fearlessly or improve their skill or acquire craft. When Kevin Heffernan was trying to assemble a successful football combination in the 70's he sought the type of player with the qualities needed for his role on the team. He never tried to play a footballer in a position not suited to his talents or temperament. Each player understood his role within the team pattern and there were no square pegs in round holes. If a left half forward or left full forward with a very weak right side is played, you are asking for trouble. Similarly the No. 10 and No. 13 had better have a good left side. At centre-forward the good player has to have quickness from both sides, be a good reader of the play and a good ground striker. John Troy, Offaly, comes to mind as a pretty effective practitioner in the No. 11 jersey. Intelligent personnel, above all else, is a must. "Ní féidir capall ráis a dhéanamh d'asal". So trying to coach a dim-witted player with no "head" is a futile exercise. Jim Barry neatly summarised the needs of the ideal player. He must have the 3 H's - head, hand and heart. Few enough have all three.

Would it be worthwhile as an aid to our team (Waterford senior team) management to organise a competition inviting followers to submit their ideal county team/panel bearing in mind Kevin Heffernan's guide lines. The county selectors would then study the best of those submissions and from them decide on Waterford's best panel. A prize of two or three (All Ireland tickets?) could go to the formulator of the panel nearest to that favoured by the team management. Such a competition would generate widespread interest which could only be good for the game in our county. The whole Decies would be given an involvement, however, peripheral, in our premier team, our flagship, the Waterford senior hurling team.

U-16 HURLING FIRST DEFEAT FOR TALLOW TALLOW 0-7 ABBEYSIDE 2-5

Tallow went down at home on Monday night to their first

defeat of the championship. Ran on a league basis Tallow had won their three previous games but on Monday evening last that winning run came to an end.

Played in a downpour it was not a night for good hurling but it was the same for both sides. Tallow won the toss and played with the wind and the rain at their backs but at half time had only six points on the scoreboard to Abbeyside's two points.

Despite having a lot of the play in the opening half we failed to convert it to scores. Sean Slattery opened the scoring with a point in the second minute from a free and added a second point again from a free after 9 minutes. Abbeyside came back and two points in the 10th and 16th minutes saw them draw level with Tallow.

Paul Cronin put Tallow back in front in the 17th minute with a point and Slattery added three further points all from frees before half time.

Abbeyside scored a point in the first minute of the second half and they were in for a second point in the 34th minute to put them back in the game. Power brought off two saves in the 10th and 14th minutes before Abbeyside struck for two goals in as many minutes. The first came in the 48th minute followed by a second in the 50th minute.

Tallow fought back but two great efforts just went outside the post. Tallow were awarded a penalty shortly afterwards but Abbeyside denied them the goal they so badly wanted.

A point for Abbeyside in the 55th minute put them in the driving seat before Roy Henley had the final score (a point) of the game in the 56th minute.

Despite this setback the lads are still in with a great chance of making a semi final place if indeed not a final place.

On Monday night next Tallow travel to Ardmore in our final game and this game should be worth seeing.

We appeal to our supporters to travel in big numbers for this game and encourage the lads for what should be a cracker.

Tallow — B. Power, S. McCarthy, S. McCarthy, M. O'Brien, M. Ryan, J. Murray, D. O'Brien, R. Henley, S. Slattery, P. Murray, P. Cronin, S. Cronin, P. Cronin, W. Conroy, W. Henley. Subs. — J. O'Brien and K. Keating.

FIXTURE

Monday night next July 24th Ardmore v. Tallow at 7.30 p.m. All players to be at the square at 6.30 p.m. sharp.

LATE JOHNNY BUCKLEY

We record with sincere regret the death of Mr. Johnny Buckley, Ballynoe which occurred early on Tuesday July 18 at University Hospital, Cork. Johnny and his wife Christina were involved in a car accident lately on the Cork/Fermoy road. Thankfully Christina is home from hospital and on the mend.

A retired forestry employee Johnny was a prolific writer and penned the St. Catherines G.A.A. notes for the "Leader" for many years as well as other items of news and obituary reports from the Tallow and Ballynoe areas. He had been involved in many organisations in the Ballynoe area but had a great love for the G.A.A. and particularly St. Catherines G.A.A. Club. He was also a staunch supporter of the Pioneers and the local Church Organisations as well as many other groups in the area.

Deep and sincere sympathy is extended to his sorrowing wife, sons, daughter, and other family members on their tragic bereavement. Ar dheis De go raibh a anam dilis.

BRIDE VIEW UNITED A.F.C. NOTES

Summer Camp Big Success

The soccer summer camp was a huge success with the kids last week despite the heavy rain which fell on Friday last. Over 80 kids turned out and the party on Friday evening went down very well with them.

It was great to see some of the clubs players turning up to give a hand and here we would like to thank Stuart Barry, Terence McSweeney, Seamus O'Brien, Joe Fraser, Denis Martin and Mickey Curley for giving their time to the lads.

It is hoped to repeat this again over the coming weeks.

Found — Liam Fraser has some clothes, shoes, cap and gloves which the lads left behind on Friday last. Anyone looking for any of the above please call to Liam Fraser.

GOOD WINS FOR OUR U-6 AND U-8

U-6 Bride View United 7 Youghal 2

Our U-6 team had a good home win over Youghal on Tuesday evening last. Goals from Damien Prescod (2), Stephan Power (2), James Hampton (2) and Luke McCarthy (1) saw United run out winners. Other players here were Alan Giles, Shane Ahern and Kenneth Kearney.

U-8 Bride View United 7 Youghal 3

Michael Curley was the hero here scoring five goals with Colum Hickey getting two. A large number of players were used in this game and they all did very well.

Lotto — Last weeks numbers 3, 6, 10 and yes we had winner. Michael Condon Jr. of Parkdota won the £700. Well done Michael. The voucher for The Devonshire Arms Hotel was won by Samantha Delaney, West End. Jackpot this week is £200 with the voucher for John Fordes. Draw takes place on this Friday evening in The Bride View Bar.

A.G.M. — Red House League A.G.M. on this Monday night at 9 o'clock.

Congratulations - To Marie and John Condon of West Street on the happy birth of a

baby boy. Another soccer player we hope.

Happy Birthday — To Biddy Morrissey, Kilwatermoy who celebrated her ??? birthday on Tuesday. I heard the party was terrific Biddy.

Happy Birthday — Belated happy birthday to Eleanor Keniry who celebrated her birthday last week.

NO FESTIVAL THIS YEAR

For the first time in years there will be no festival in Tallow. Tallow was always noted for having a good festival surrounding the famous horse fair and indeed in years gone by the festival lasted for up to two weeks.

The festival also brought business to the town as crowds of people from surrounding areas used come to Tallow for the festival.

FERMOY CITIZENS INFORMATION CENTRE CHANGES TO TALLOW

Outreach Service — Fermoy Citizens Information Centre has announced an improvement to the Outreach Service at Tallow.

The existing service on the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month from 10 a.m. to 12 noon has proved inflexible.

The service will henceforth operate on an appointment basis with times arranged to suit both C.I.C. and clients. Clients are invited to contact Tallow Credit Union who will make the necessary arrangements.

TALLOW DISTRICT ANGLING CLUB

The results of the evening Fly Fishing Competition are overall 1. Liam Martin 3 lbs.; 2. Dan Roche; 3. Wm. Sheehan. Best local angler Conor Donnelly; heaviest fish Dan Roche 16 oz. Thirty five anglers participated.

Special thanks to our sponsors and everyone who supported us and the landowners. Thanks also to Jack Jones for his "long day"

REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



This week for our "Remembering Other Days" series we go back to the early fifties. The occasion was the Dungarvan Harriers Point-to-Point meeting held at Lisfennel and the photo shows "Fitzcar," owned by Mick Connors, Stradbally and ridden by Mrs. Elsie Morgan being led in after winning the Maiden Race. In the foreground are (left to right) — John Lenihan, Tom Morgan, Nicholas Connors and Will O'Neill and at the back are Mick Connors, Jim Connors and Tommy Lenihan. John Lenihan is one of the figures in the extreme background.

STRADBALLY NOTES

WEDDING - MULCAHY - CASEY

On Saturday last Stradbally parish church was the scene of a very beautiful wedding between Robbie Mulcahy son of Don and Susan Mulcahy of Abbey-side and Emma Casey daughter of Pierce and Patricia Casey Ballyvoile, Stradbally. The bride was attended by her sister, sister-in-law and cousin while the groom was attended by his brothers. Rev. M.J. Ryan P.P. Stradbally officiated and the reception was at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan. We wish them many years of happiness in their new life together.

WHIST DRIVE

A special Whist Drive takes place on this Thursday night in the centre at 8.30 p.m. We ask you to support this worthy cause.

DEISE DRAW

The next deise draw takes place in St. Saviours on Friday 28th so promoters take note all money to be in this weekend.

TIDY TOWNS

Stradbally tidy towns committee are most grateful to Ray Darcy for the beautiful hedge cutting work he has done in the vicinity of the village. They wish him

every success with this work in the future.

STRADBALLY G.A.A. NOTES

U-16—We played Naomh Brid in the U-16 championship on Monday evening of last week in Touraneena. We were beaten by 2 points.

SENIOR HURLING

We played Ballyduff in the senior hurling championship in Fraher field on Tuesday evening of last week. We were a goal behind at half time, and we held them until the last ten minutes when they got on top. The final score was Ballyduff 2-14 Stradbally 1-7.

U-12—We played the final of the U-12 championship on Sunday morning last in Cappoquin against the Brickeys. We already beat the Brickeys in the league. It was a very exciting match from start to finish. The final score was Stradbally 2-4 Brickeys 2-1. The panel:

J. Weldon, D. Reynolds, Chris Lawlor, Wayne Kiely, Dean Costelloe, Ml. Walsh, Liam Halpin, Patrick Kiely, Eric Kiely, J.J. Power, Karl Power, Johnny Sheehan, Kevin Power, Brendan Clancy, Noel Clancy, Adrian Power, David Morrissey. Well done to Tony Reynolds, also John and

Breda Kiely who looked after the lads.

On listening to our County Chairman P.J. Ryan speaking at the County Bord na nOg convention earlier this year about looking after our under age, one wonders at the treatment our under 12 players got this weekend. The two U-12 finals fixed for Fraher field on Sunday morning last were pushed to Cappoquin at short notice. At the same time there was no match in Fraher field. We were told Fraher field could not take all the matches on Sunday so our under age had to suffer which is a disgrace. Many of our supporters did not know the change of venue and travelled to Dungarvan. We also discovered that Leamybrien was available yet we had to travel to Cappoquin. We didn't even have the presence of a photographer on the day.

SENIOR HURLING

We played Dungarvan in our last senior hurling league match on Saturday evening in Leamybrien. We were well beaten on the night.

SENIOR FOOTBALL

We play Rathgormack in senior football championship on Friday evening next in Leamybrien.



Above are the Stradbally Figure Dancers, All-Ireland Champions, who performed at the Stradbally Summer Festival and below are the Festival Committee (left to right) — Enda Flynn (Chairman), Jo Taylor, Gwen Grey, Margaret Corbett, Patricia Crowley, Margo Crowley, Kathleen Hogan, Boyer Phelan, Alison Burkett and Fr. M. J. Ryan, P.P.



WEST WATERFORD NOTES

CARD RESULTS

The results of Monday nights 45 Drive in Clashmore were as follows; Winners on 10 games were Brian Foley and Brendan McGrath 2nd on 8 games, Noel Nugent and Roger Ledingham, Joint 3 on 6 games each were Batt Curran and Eamonn Meehan, Paddy Hurton and Joseph O'Keefe, Edmond and Kay Ledingham. Best of the last five Paddy Lynch and Mary Dower, Eileen Delaney and Maura McGrath. Last game winners, Paddy and Nell Foley, Brian Walsh and John Cliffe. Well done all.

CONGRATULATIONS ED

We all join in extending our congratulations to Ed Beresford, Ballinacash, Clashmore who was recently named "Player Of The Tournament" and was presented with the "Pat Tobin and P. J. Rossiter Memorial Trophy" at the conclusion of the annual U-16 Premier Football Championship at the Friary College, Dungarvan.

Twenty of the top players from the tournament will go on to represent Waterford at Óg Pheil Summer Camp on August 22nd to 24th.

Every success for the future to you Ed.

ON HOLIDAY IN IRELAND

Presently enjoying their annual trip to Ireland are Roger Ledingham, his wife Kay and their family David, Thomas and Oliver. Enjoy your stay "already making an impact at the cards Roger!"

DEATH OF MR. WILLIE O'CONNELL

Sadly we learned of the death over the past week-end of Mr. Willie O'Connell, Aglish and formerly of Mountstuart Aglish. Willie had been ill over the past few weeks and his death occurred on Friday last at Beaumont Hospital, Dublin. Obituary later.

SYMPATHY

Our deepest sympathy is being extended to Mr. Pat Langan, Principal of Grange National School on the death of his mother Mrs. Janie Langan of Abbeyside recently.

The late Mrs. Langan was a very popular and well known member of the Abbeyside community and her death leaves a great void in the Langan family.

FLEMING SISTERS AWAY FROM HOME

Every success to the Fleming sisters, Pauline and Judy, daughters of Willie and Mary of Creggs who are presently across the seas advancing their careers.

Judy has now commenced nursing training at Adden Brookes Hospital, Cambridge, England.

Pauline a Business Studies and Marketing Student is presently on a six week secretarial work experience course at Valenciennes University, France.

SYMPATHY TO FORMER SECRETARY

Our deepest sympathy to former Dungarvan Show secretary Mrs. Nancy Condon and the Cahill family of Lismore on the recent tragic death of Anthony. Anthony was predeceased by his father Peter just three years ago.

COMMUNITY GAMES REPORT

Draughts — Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Community Games represented Waterford at the Munster finals of Community Games held at Cork R.T.C. recently. Both the Under 10 and Under 14 teams made a strong challenge. The better teams claimed victory on the day.

The Under 14 team were beaten by Cork while the Under 10 team were beaten by Limerick.

Well done to both teams.

Travelling to Mosney — Would all the members of Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Community Games representing Waterford in the All Ireland Finals at Mosney please hand in their Birth Certs, two passport photographs and their booking arrangements to our secretary Bernie Fleming this week-end.

U-12 Girls Football — The new fixture for the Munster match of the Under 12 Community Games Girls Football is Mallow on this Friday night when the girls play Kerry.

We wish you luck girls, we hope you get all the support you deserve.

CLASHMORE-KINSALEBEG G.A.A.

Well Played Seamus - The Clashmore-Kinsalebeg G.A.A. club would like to say well done to one of the clubs most promising players Seamus O'Rourke who played a super game with Waterford against Tipperary in the Munster minor football championship played in Frasher Field, Dungarvan on Sunday last.

Seamus scored two valuable points for Waterford giving them a final score of 0-8 which was not enough to gain victory over the stronger team on the day, Tipperary whose final score was 1-9.

New Treasurer — Great to have a loyal and very hard working Clashmore-Kinsalebeg G.A.A. supporter back on the committee again. Liam O'Rourke has been appointed Treasurer to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Martin Lynch. We know you'll do a super job as always Liam.

Thanks Martin — For sometime now Martin Lynch has served as treasurer and draw co-ordinator for Clashmore-Kinsalebeg G.A.A. Club. As Martin no longer lives in the area he felt he could not give the time and commitment required by the club to this position so he decided to retire.

The club would like to say a big thank you to Martin for a job well done.

All Set For Abbeyside Pattern 1995

With four months of organising behind them, the hardworking members of the Abbeyside Pattern will see their plans finally realised this Friday with the official opening of this year's Pattern.

Normally held in August, the event has been put back two weeks earlier due to changes in tide times. Speaking to the 'Dungarvan Leader' committee chairman John Hourigan said he was looking forward to this year's 3 day event. Deeply appreciative of the committee's year round efforts, Mr. Hourigan said without the ten man team, the pattern would not have been possible.

This year's committee members are Chairman, John Hourigan; Jim Stacey, Treasurer; Aine O'Riordan, Secretary; P.R.O., Grainne Early; Kathleen Foley, Caroline Shorthorn, Miguel Garcia, Ambrose Mullarkey, Michael Veale, Tom Kiely and Michael O'Riordan, committee members.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

The week-end line-up begins at 7 p.m. on Friday 21st July with the official opening being performed by U.D.C. Chairperson Cllr. Nuala Ryan.

Following the opening, the action moves to Stoke's Field for such events as soccer skills, frisbee, tug o'war, slow bicycle, sack race, pitching golf, horse shoes and egg and spoon races.

A shore angling competition will take place in Abbeyside from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. while a free open air disco with DJ John Coleman takes place at the pond from 9 p.m. - 10 p.m. Other events on Friday include the A.F.C. pub league tournament at Dogleaf Park and a tennis tournament at the Causeway. Highlight of the evening is the ever popular Pattern Queen contest at Clonea Strand Hotel. Ten entrants have entered this year's Carling - sponsored event with interviews by M.C. Michael Wright taking place from 8 - 9.30 p.m. Music afterwards by Stardust until 2 a.m. A bus for the Pattern Queen contest will leave Grattan Square between 9 p.m. and 10 p.m., stopping at the Poor Man's Seat and Crotty's Corner.

ACTION ON SATURDAY

Beginning at 3 p.m., Saturday's entertainment includes sports at Stoke's Field until 5 p.m., a juvenile treasure hunt in the village at 6.30 p.m., and adult walking treasure hunt from the Pond at 7 p.m. and the final of the A.F.C. Pub League at Dogleaf Park with the Langan Cup tournament at the G.A.A. field.

Traditional games such as rings, skittles, frisbee, clothes pegs, horse shoes and crab fishing take place from 5 - 6 p.m. at the Pond followed by a free open air disco with John Coleman from 9 - 10 p.m. A karaoke



Pictured above is current Chairman of the Abbeyside Pattern organising committee, John Hourigan, in an attempt to tip the bucket at the Pond during the Abbeyside Pattern in 1982.

contest will take place in Radley's at 10 p.m., sponsored by Heineken while up the road at O'Connor's there's ceol and craic with The Spuds are Boiling. A Guinness sponsored snooker tournament will also take place on Saturday with the final and prizegiving at Mac's Hotel.

SUNDAY'S EVENTS

Events on Sunday begin with a barpersons race sponsored by the Gows, o at 1.30 p.m. sharp from Strandside North. At 2 p.m. the Dungarvan Pipe Band and the Dungarvan Brass and Reed Band will lead the fancy dress parade from Coolagh Road.

Back at the Pond, the old favourites such as pillow fight, greasy pole, clothes pegs, darts, tip the bucket, bouncing castle and roller challenge will take place including an outdoor boxing exhibition. Madame Rosa will return to tell clients their fortunes while sailing in the harbour will take lace all afternoon. Don't forget to look your best as there's a prize for the best dressed lady at the Pond.

The 1995 Pattern ends at the Park Hotel with a closing dance sponsored by Heineken. Music by Paddy O'Brien and dancing from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m.

THANK SPONSORS

Thanking all the main sponsors for this year's event, Mr. Hourigan then drew attention to tomorrow night's (Thursday July 20th)

fundraising event at Lawlor's Hotel from 10 p.m. 'till late. Ceilí and dance is the order of the

night with music by the Marine Buskers. With admission only £3, a great night's entertainment is assured.

DUNGARVAN SCOUT NOTES

11th Waterford TROOP MEETING

Tonight was our last meeting before camp, so our agenda was fairly hectic. Our first game of the night was volleyball, the scores were very high as Shane Duggan scored a nice few points while Raymond Sullivan knocked the net more times than he scored. We then sat down to brush up on campcraft. We covered kit inspection, camp layout, camp gadgets. With camp starting this weekend we needed plenty of practice.

It was not time for another game. Jonathan took the lads for a game called "tell the time". You would be surprised the amount of people who could not tell the 24 hour clock. I won't mention names. We then played a game of soccer. Brian Duggan showed great skill while Paul Power and Paudie Power played a good game. We then sat down to discuss camp and the meeting ended at 8.45 p.m.

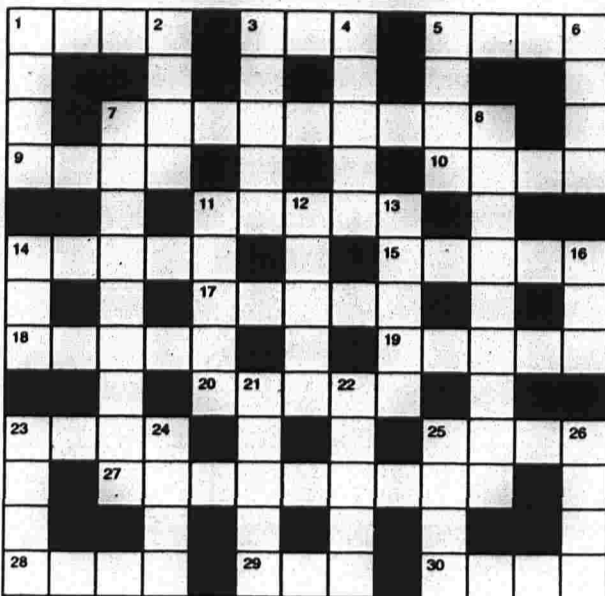
ANNUAL CAMP TO GLENSHELANE

We will be going on annual camp on Saturday, July 22 for ten days. We will leave the Den at 10 a.m. by bike. We have 21 scouts and 3 leaders taking in this year's camp. An exciting and active agenda has been planned.

The following notes should be observed before departure:

- 1 — All gear to be brought down to the den at 7 p.m. on Thursday night.
 - 2 — Patrols make sure all your camping gear is organised.
 - 3 — Don't forget your parents approval form.
 - 4 — There will be a parents meeting held this Thursday at 7.30 p.m. All parents are advised to attend as annual camp will be discussed in detail.
 - 5 — Final payments to be made on Thursday night.
- So to all our readers you will hear from us when we come back. — *Bi Ullamh.*

Dungarvan Leader CROSSWORD



SOLUTIONS ON PAGE 2

CLUES ACROSS

- 1 Forehead (4)
- 3 Cover (3)
- 5 Discover (4)
- 7 Looker-on (9)
- 9 Honk (4)
- 10 Anguish (4)
- 11 Slope (5)
- 14 Worn out (5)
- 15 Group of eight (5)
- 17 Concerning (5)
- 18 Shine (5)
- 19 Dart (5)
- 20 Cycle (5)
- 23 Grievous sound (4)
- 25 Insulting (4)
- 27 Infamous (9)
- 28 Pleasant (4)
- 29 Aye (3)
- 30 Tidy (4)

CLUES DOWN

- 1 Wallop (4)
- 2 Cried (4)
- 3 Regional (5)
- 4 Sketched (5)
- 5 Slump down (4)
- 6 Daybreak (4)
- 7 Monarch (9)
- 8 Ecstatic (9)
- 11 Impress (5)
- 12 Audibly (5)
- 13 Sum (5)
- 14 Droop (3)
- 16 Haul (3)
- 21 Black wood (5)
- 22 Farewell (5)
- 23 Anon (4)
- 24 Expectation (4)
- 25 Destroy (4)
- 26 Way out (4)

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★ ARIES

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20

In business, work or important projects, this is a time for a 'go ahead' attitude. Remain focussed and resolved. Be prepared to see things through rather than bail out when the going gets tough. Telephone 1550 151 to find out more about a decisive and testing week. You now have the opportunity to resolve an age-old issue.

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★ TAURUS

APRIL 21 to MAY 21

If you get out of your depth, you could end up in hot water so this week be prepared to seek expert advice rather than 'chance your arm.' Personal projects are proving successful but its too soon to give up the 'day-job.' A friend lends a helping hand but you may prefer to remain self-sufficient. Telephone 1550 151 for details.

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★ GEMINI

MAY 22 to JUNE 21

Someone wears out their welcome this week by becoming a constant caller. Facts and figures prove important and should be checked and double-checked. Professionally, you have a definite advantage but play your cards carefully. For an astrological advantage, telephone 1550 151 for a detailed weekly forecast.

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★ CANCER

JUNE 22 to JULY 23

This week you are someone's super hero as you fly to the rescue. A friend in need is a friend indeed. Important news arrives that takes you quite by surprise. For more astrological news and views, telephone 1550 151. This is a week for careful reflection especially in relation to emotional issues. Your luck number is 8.

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★ LEO

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23

Someone's tale is full of holes and you have to question their credibility. Be prepared to demand some straight answers. Family life is happy and lends escape from other pressures. Travel and holiday plans are well starred. For other astrological trends and aspects, telephone 1550 151. To promote love and luck, wear red.

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★ VIRGO

AUGUST 24 to SEPT. 23

This week it becomes blatantly obvious that someone has something to hide. Do a little digging and see what you can unearth. Socially, life is busy with lots of coming and going and not a moment to spare. Try to find a moment to telephone 1550 151 for more astrological insights into love and luck, work and money. Your lucky number is 4.

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★ LIBRA

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23

For the last while you have felt in limbo but at last you are making headway in a difficult situation. Someone who loves you deserves a great big thank you. Be sure to say it loudly. A little idea has the potential to become a monumental project of great importance. Telephone 1550 151 for an in-depth astrological assessment.

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FROM WEEKEND JULY 21

★ SCORPIO

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23

This week, someone does you proud. Be sure to ring appropriate praises. In love, if you must play a dangerous game, be sure to write the rules. Be sure to phone me on 1550 151 for astrological updates on all aspects of life. Keep a record of all expenses. To promote love and luck, wear green. Your lucky number is 6.

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★ SAGITTARIUS

NOV. 23 to DEC. 21

Enjoy a voyage of self-discovery this week. It is an appropriate time for meditation, introspection and deep thinking. Promote positive thoughts and believe in the magic of creative visualisation. Financially, trends are positive but avoid excessive spending at the weekend. For further astrological details telephone 1550 151.

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★ CAPRICORN

DEC 22 to JAN 20

This week a turn-around takes you quite by surprise. Be prepared to look at problems from a different angle and you will find it easier to see a solution. In work or business, watch out for a 'smooth operator.' For a detailed astrological analysis of love and luck, work and money, telephone 1550 151.

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★ AQUARIUS

JAN 21 to FEB 19

Be social! You deserve a diversion. Life has become all pressure so this week emphasise pleasure. Financial trends are improving and a windfall well-timed. Isn't it time to 'phone the astro-line for an in-depth assessment of the coming week? 1550 151 could well prove to be your lucky number. Wear pink to promote love.

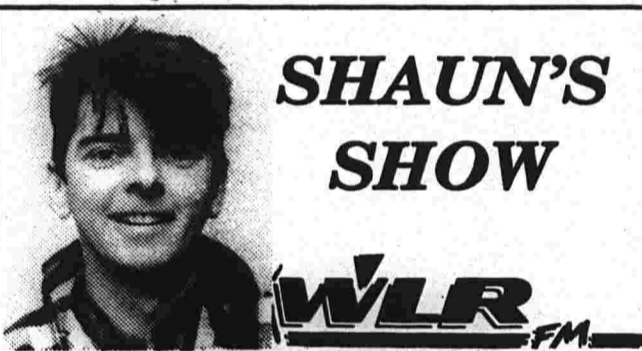
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★ PISCES

FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20

In a difficult situation trade-off may be the only solution. Someone is chipping away at your confidence. Defend yourself with a belief in your worth and faith in your future. Allow yourself great expectations. You have the perseverance necessary to overcome all obstacles. Telephone 1550 151 for further details.

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News Of The Town And Roundabout

JOHN TREACY TO START SPONSORED CHARITY EVENT

John Treacy will start a sponsored charity run and cycle event Dungarvan to Waterford at 1.30 p.m. on Saturday, July 22 from The Square, Dungarvan. The event is organised by the Waterford Garda Social Club and is in aid of the County Waterford Down Syndrome Association. Receipts from the event will be used in the education and training of those with Down Syndrome.

Sponsorship cards may be had from Campus Service Station, Kilrush.

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On the way we stopped for tea at Kilcullen and arrived at Mosney some hours later.

The weather during the week was fantastic. Activities included, talent competition where we came 3rd. All too soon it was time to head for home. Michael Walsh of the Lions Club spent the week in Mosney with our group, who thoroughly enjoyed their week's outing. — P.R.O.

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Waterford County Council — I, John Ormond an applying to Waterford Co. Council for outline planning permission to erect a dwelling including septic tank and percolation system at Ballyduff More, Ballygagin, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

Comhairle Conndae Phort Láirge — Táim-ise John Ormond ag iarraidh cead pleánla ó Chomhairle Chonndae Phort Láirge chun tigh a thógáil i Helbhic, Dún Garbhán.

Waterford County Council — I, Mairead Costello wish to apply to Waterford Co. Council for planning permission to erect a bungalow, septic tank and entrance at Glencairn, Lismore, Co. Waterford.

Waterford County Council — I, Mark Lonergan intend to apply to the above authority for full planning permission to erect a bungalow and septic tank at Leamybrien, Co. Waterford.

Waterford County Council — Mr. J. Taaffe is applying to Waterford County Council for planning approval for a dwelling house at Ralph, Glencairn, Lismore.

Waterford County Council — I intend to apply to the above authority for outline planning permission to construct a dwelling house, entrance, septic tank and percolation areas at Lacken, Dungarvan. Signed — P. Moloney.

Waterford County Council — I intend to apply to the above authority for outline planning permission to construct a dwellinghouse, entrance, septic tank and percolation areas at Rathnameenagh, Ring, Dungarvan. Signed — J. Burke.

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1962 SECTION 10
NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR AN EXEMPTION FOR
SPECIAL EVENT

MAURICE KIELY
Applicant.

TAKE NOTICE that the above-named Applicant of Bridgie Terries, The Pike, Dungarvan the holder of a licence in respect of the premises situate at Bridgie Terries in the court area and district aforesaid intends to apply to the Court at Court-house, Carrick-on-Suir on Thursday the 20th day of July, 1995 at 11 a.m. for an order exempting the holders of licences in the locality of his premises to wit the parish of Abbeyside, Ballinroad and Garranbane from the provisions of the Licensing Acts relating to prohibited hours on the following dates and between the following hours to wit:—

- 20th July '95, Thursday/Friday 11.30 p.m. - 1 a.m.
 - 21st July '95, Friday/Saturday 11.30 p.m. - 1.30 a.m.
 - 22nd July '95, Saturday 11.30 p.m. - 1 a.m.
 - 23rd July '95, Sunday 2 p.m. - 4 p.m., 11 p.m. - 1 a.m.
- During which special event to wit Abbeyside Pattern is taking place in such locality.
Dated this 18th day of July, 1995.

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District Court Area of
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ACTS 1904-1986
APPLICATION FOR
RENEWAL OF CERTIFICATE
FOR REGISTRATION
CAPPOQUIN ROWING
CLUB:
APPLICANT CLUB

I, Michael Murray of Tourin, Cappoquin, in the Co. of Waterford, Secretary of Cappoquin Rowing Club whose premises are situate at Cappoquin in the Court Area and District aforesaid intend to apply to the Court at Cappoquin on the 8th day of September, 1995 at 3 p.m. for a renewal of a certificate of registration of the above mentioned club.
The object of the said club is to promote the sports of rowing, squash and other such athletic sports or pastimes as may be thought appropriate from time to time.
I enclose the following documents:

- (a) A certificate signed by two Peace Commissioners.
- (b) Two copies of the Club Rules.
- (c) A list of the names and addresses of the officials of the Committee of Management or governing body of the Club.
- (d) A list of names of the members of the Club.
- (e) Court stamps £500.00. Dated this 14th day of July, 1995.

Signed:
MICHAEL MURRAY
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A day to remember, sad to recall,
Your name is often mentioned,
Our thoughts are with you still,
You haven't been forgotten,
What's more you never will.
(Sadly missed by her loving parents, brothers and sisters.)

CONDON — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Nora Condon, late of Parkdota, Tallow, who died on July 23, 1991. R.I.P. Masses offered.

We lost a mother with a heart of gold,
How much we miss her can never be told,
She shared our troubles and helped us along,
If we follow her footsteps we will never go wrong.

(Always remembered by your loving son Michael, daughter-in-law Margaret and family.)

CONDON — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear Mam, Nora Condon, late of Parkdota, Tallow, who died on July 23, 1991. R.I.P. Mass offered.

It does not take a special day,
To bring you to our minds.
For a day without a thought of you,
Is very hard to find.
We think of you in silence,
We talk about you too,
We have lovely memories,
But we wish we still had you.

A smile we always cherish,
Of a mother we love so dear,
Will those who think of her today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered and never forgotten by your loving son Jim, daughter-in-law Peggy and family.)

CONNORS — In loving memory of Tommy Connors, late of Shandon Street, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs at this time.

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

(Always remembered by Pat, Annette and family.)

DAYNES — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Peggy, late of Ballyduff Upper, who died on July 19, 1992. St. Martin pray for her.

The last three years without you, Peggy,
Are the saddest I have known,
I long to see your smiling face,
Each time I call at home.

Even though you are not there,
To greet me when I call,
You are forever in my heart,
The warmest place of all.
(Always remembered by your loving friend Mollie.)

FLEMING — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Jack Fleming, Clashmore, who died July 23, 1993.

Not just today, but every day,
In silence we remember.
(Always remembered by your loving wife Kathleen and daughters Kay, Mary and Emer.)

MURRAY — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of my der husband Thomas Murray, late of Dunmoon, Tallow, who died on July 19, 1992.

Each of us in our own way,
Have special memories of you today.
(Always remembered by your loving wife May.)

MURRAY — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of our father Thomas Murray, late of Dunmoon, Tallow, who died on July 19, 1992.

We speak your name with tears unseen,
Wishing your absence was only a dream,
The pages of time are turning fast,
But memories of you Dad will always last.
(Sadly missed and never forgotten by your daughter Margaret.)

MURRAY — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of our father Thomas Murray, late of Dunmoon, Tallow, who died on July 19, 1992.

Times passes, memories stay,
Quietly remembered every day.
(Always remembered by Anne, Gerard and Kieran.)

ORGAN — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of our brother Michael Organ late of McCarthyville, Abbeyside whose anniversary occurs on July 23, 1986. R.I.P. Masses offered.

July 23 comes with sad regret,
It brings back a day,
I will never forget,
You closed your eyes
As you held my hands,
Memories of you Michael
Will never die.

(Always remembered by your loving brothers and sisters.)

O'CONNOR — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Kathleen O'Connor, late of 5 Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died July 20, 1990. Anniversary Mass at St. Mary's Church, Dungarvan at 7.30 p.m. Saturday, July 22.

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

(Always remembered by her loving husband Ollie and family.)

PAUL — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband John, Ring, who died on July 19, 1986. R.I.P.

July 19 comes with sad regret,
It brings back a day I will never forget,
You closed your eyes without goodbye,
But memories of you will never die.

(Always loved and remembered by loving wife Nell, sons Nicholas and P. J., daughter Mary, son-in-law Nicholas, grandsons Stephen, Anthony and Derrick, daughter-in-law Audrey, grand daughters Natasha and Catriona.)

REYNOLDS — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Francis (Franny) Reynolds, late of 24 McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who died on July 18, 1988. Anniversary Mass on Saturday, August 5 at Abbeyside Church 10 a.m. R.I.P.

As down the road of memories
We gently tread today,
Our loving thoughts are with you,
As life goes on its way,
Time may heal the heartaches,
Like the smile that hides the tears,
But happy memories keep you close,
Despite the passing years.

(Always remembered by your friend Magoo and all the McGovern family.)

TOBIN — Eighteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother Margaret Tobin late of Janeville, Tallow, who died on the 21st July 1977. R.I.P. Sacred Heart of Jesus pray for her. Masses offered.

It does not take a special day,
To bring you to our minds,
For days without the thought of you,
Are very hard to find,
Each of us in our own way,

Have special memories of you today.
(Always remembered by your loving family.)

TUTTY — Sixteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother Margaret Tutty, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on July 23, 1979.

No words, no verse can really say,
What I feel on this sad day,
You left a place no one can fill,
I miss you mam and always will.

A prayer, a tear till the end of time,
For a wonderful mum, I'm proud was mine,
Those words are written with sad regret,
For a mother who will never be forgotten.
(Never forgotten by her daughter Bridie, son-in-law Pat and family and great grandchildren.)

WADE — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my wife, Helen, late of 3, Sheare's Street, Abbeyside, who died July 24, 1988.

Parting comes to let us know,
We love more deeply than we show,
Love in death makes us see,
What love in life should really have been.
(Sadly missed by her loving husband, Pat.)

WADE — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my mother, Helen, late of 3, Sheare's Street, Abbeyside, who died July 24, 1988.

The most wonderful mother ever to live,
Whatever she had she was willing to give,
She never complained she was not that kind,
She was one of those mothers so hard to find,
Thanks you Mam for the years we shared,
For the love you gave and the way you cared,
Look after Mam, Lord, as she takes her rest,
For she was my mother and one of the best.

(Always remembered by your loving daughter Anne, Bob, grandchildren Lisa, Tonya, Stacey, Jason.)

WADE — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my mother, Helen Wade, late of 3, Sheare's Street, Abbeyside, who died July 24, 1988.

For every thought there is a tear,
For a mother I miss and loved so dear,
The tears in my eyes can be wiped away,
But the pain in my heart will always stay.

(Always remembered by your loving son, John.)

WADE — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my mother, Helen Wade, late of 3, Sheare's Street, Abbeyside, who died July 24, 1988.

As down the road of memories,
I gently tread today,
My loving thoughts are with you,
As life goes on its way,
Time may heal the heartaches
Like the smile that hides the tears
But happy memories keep you close,
Despite the passing years.
Will those who think of her today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Always remembered and never forgotten by your loving son Tony.)

WADE — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Helen Wade, late of 3, Sheare's Street, Abbeyside, who died on July 24, 1988. R.I.P.

The golden gate stood open,
Seven years ago today,
With farewells left unspoken,
You quietly slipped away,
A heart of gold stopped beating,
Two smiling eyes at rest,
God broke our hearts to prove,
He only takes the best.

(Always remembered by your loving son Danny, grandson Dean.)

WADE — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister, Helen Wade, late of 3, Sheare's Street, Abbeyside, who died July 24, 1988. Anniversary Mass at 7.30 p.m. at Abbeyside Church on Saturday next, July 22.

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 sister Mary and family.)

WADE — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister, Helen Wade, late of 3, Sheare's Street, Abbeyside, who died July 24, 1988.

When we find ourselves in times of trouble,
The thing we do is pray,
To a sister we loved so very much,
In a very special way.

The most wonderful sister to ever live,
Whatever she had she was willing to give,
She never complained, she wasn't that kind,
She was one of those sisters hard to find,
So soft and gentle, so loving, so tender,
A beautiful sister we will always remember,
Quietly today your memory we treasure.
Will those who think of her today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Always remembered by your loving sister Sheila, brother-in-law Jimmy and family.)

WADE — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister, Helen Wade, late of 3, Sheare's Street, Abbeyside, who died July 24, 1988.

Falling tears and aching hearts,
Are things I have to bear,
But losing you the way we did,
Will always seem unfair.

There's much more to this verse,
Than just the words you see,
It's filled with happy memories,
Of days that used to be.
There is a brother who loved you,
In a house where you used to be,
A brother who wanted to keep you,
But God willed it not to be.
Will all of my sister's friends who think of her today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Never forgotten by Willie, Pearl and family.)

GROW Self Help Group

'GROW' holds self-help group meetings every Monday night at 8 p.m. and Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 p.m. at the Presentation Convent, Dungarvan. If you suffer from stress, depression or anxiety you are very welcome.

Meetings are also held at Dominican Priory, Bridge Street, Waterford and at Mercy Convent, Waterford. Everyone welcome. Come along and see.

NOVENAS

PRAYER — Jesus, who has said, ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened to you, through the intercession of Mary, thy most holy mother, I knock, I seek, I ask, that my prayer be granted. (Make request). O Jesus who has said, all who ask the Father in My name, He will grant you. Through the intercession of Mary, thy most holy mother, I humbly and urgently ask Thy Father in Thy name that my prayer be granted (Make request). O Jesus, who has said, heaven and earth shall pass away, but my word shall not pass, through the intercession of Mary, thy most holy mother, I feel confident that my prayer will be granted. Make request. — M.

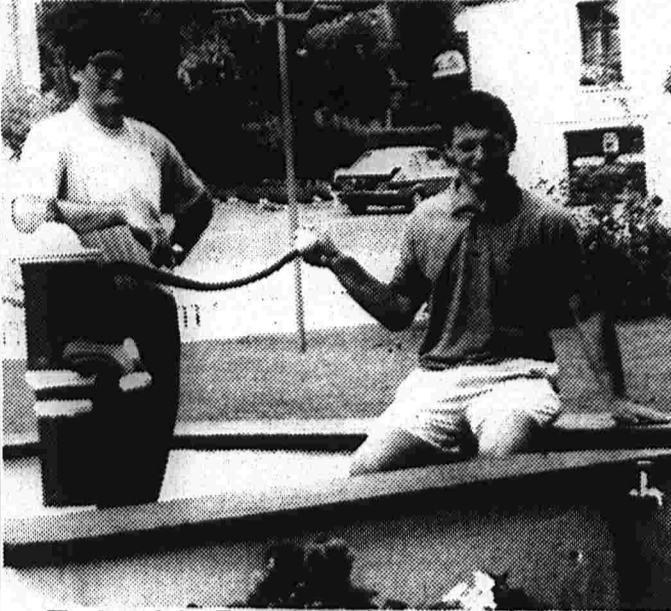
NOVENA TO ST. CLARE — Ask St. Clare for three favours, one business, two impossible. Say nine Hail Marys for nine nights with lighted candle. Pray whether you believe or not. Publish on ninth day. Powerful Novena: May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be praised, adored, glorified and loved today and every day, throughout the whole world, forever. Amen. Say six times daily for nine days. Your request will be granted, no matter how impossible it may seem. Favour requested, publication must be promised. — M.

MAY THE SACRED HEART of Jesus be praised, honoured, adored and glorified throughout the world, today and forever. Amen. Say six times daily for nine days and your request will be granted. Publication must be promised. — C.K.

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NOVENA TO ST. MARTHA — (Never known to fail) — O St. Martha, I resort to thee and to thy petition and faith. I offer up to thee this light which I shall burn every Tuesday for nine Tuesdays. Comfort me in all my difficulties through the great favour thou didst enjoy when Our Saviour lodged in thy house. I beseech thee to have infinite pity with regard to the favour I ask (mention favour). Intercede for my family that all may be provided for in all our necessities. I ask thee St. Martha to overcome the dragon which thou didst cast at thy feet. One Our Father and three Hail Marys, and a lighted candle 9 consecutive Tuesdays and the above prayer made known with the intentions of spreading devotion to St. Martha. This miraculous Saint grants everything before the 9 Tuesdays are ended, no matter how difficult. With thanks for favours granted. — L.B.S.

TRAGIC DEATH OF JOHN TROY



The late John Troy pictured on one of their many visits to Stradbally with his father George

We record with sincere regret the death of John Troy, Gracepark Heights, Drumcondra, Dublin which occurred at Beaumont Hospital, following a tragic accident on Thursday July 13. John who was 23 years of age was the beloved autistic son of George (formerly Friary Street, Dungarvan) and Pat Troy and brother of Maurice and Declan Troy. He was a well loved resident of the Camphill Community and was home on holidays with his family when the accident occurred.

John was well known in Stradbally where he spent many of his summer holidays with his parents and brothers and he was also well known to the staff of the Shamrock Restaurant in Dungarvan. Removal took place from the Hospital to the Church of the Holy Child, Swords Road on Friday evening. Funeral was on Saturday after 10 o'clock Mass to Glasnevin Crematorium. Sincere sympathy is extended to his parents, brothers and other family relatives on their sad loss.

Touraneena Notes

CONGRATULATIONS
Congratulations to Very Rev. Fr. Sean Nugent P.P. Powerstown, Lisronagh who recently emerged top of the league in a snooker tournament held in Piltown community centre. The competition was tough and Fr. Sean successfully beat six other entrants before emerging victorious, over all sixty competitors took part in the tournament. Fr. Sean spent nine years serving as a curate in the Touraneena/Nire parishes where

he was a great favourite with young and old and we wish him all the best in the future. Well done Fr. Sean.
IRISH NIGHT
An Irish night will take place Sunday night in Dunnes Pub Touraneena. All are welcome.
NEW SALON
We would like to wish Liz Morrissey and her partner Noelle Dunford the best of luck on the opening of their hairdressing salon in Mary Street, Dungarvan. Liz is daughter of Tommy and

Renie Morrissey, Ballinagulkee, Ballinamult. We wish then much success in their new venture.
LINE DANCING
Line Dancing is going great in the new community centre with big attendances every Monday night.
SCHOOL BEING PAINTED
St. Mary's national school, Touraneena is being painted inside and outside at the moment. The FAS workers are doing a great job. Thanks to all of them.

Letter to the Editor

LISMORE TOWN COMMISSIONERS A.G.M.

Dear Sir,
I wish to refer to your report in last week's edition of your paper regarding the Lismore Town Commissioners A.G.M. I would like to express my views on three issues raised there.
1—The report described the meeting as a politically extraordinary one which it was not. It was like any ordinary A.G.M. where democratically elected members voted as they wished. 2—There had been no directive from Fine Gael Headquarters as to how it's members should vote. This left Mr. John Heneghan

free to vote or abstain from voting as he so wished. 3—There was no embarrassment caused to the Fine Gael Party by the late arrival of Mr. Davy Whelan to the meeting. Mr. Whelan was collecting his son at Dublin airport on the day in question and was delayed there when he arrived at the meeting he made his apologies for being late and these were accepted by the members present. I would like to add that both Mr. John Heneghan and Mr. Davy Whelan have contributed enormously to the community life and

sporting activities of the town. They were rewarded for their efforts when both received a huge first preference vote a little over twelve months ago. As public representatives they have in the past year enhanced their reputation and further increased their popularity in the town of Lismore. Thank you for allowing me space in your Letter to the Editor column.
Yours sincerely,
Willie McDonnell
(Fine Gael)
Curraheen,
Lismore.

RECENT DEATH

Mr. David (Dave) Hickey, Bornahown, Araglin



It is with great sadness and regret that we write of the passing on Saturday, July 8th in the loving care of the matron and nursing staff at St. Theresas Hospital, Clogheen, after a long illness that was borne with courage and dignity of Davie Hickey, Bornahown, Araglin. A member of a well known and highly respected farming family, Dave was predeceased by his wife Catherine by 6 years. Dave who was well known one could safely say the length and breadth of West Waterford, North Cork and South Tipperary was a person that was always on the go being involved all his life with horses attending the races

and horse fairs at various locations. He loved to go for his weekly game of cards at Araglin, Ballysaggart and Ballyporeen. He also had a great love for vintage rallies as he himself had many prize winning possessions including Combine, Tractors, etc. He loved to go and visit his friends as often as possible and he travelled to America quite often to visit his daughters Lena and Breeda, his last visit being only last January. The highlight of his year was the opening of the Araglin Carnival of which he was a founder member over 40 years ago. Dave was a kind and loving father and grandfather always wanting the best in life for his family and grandchildren as well. He was a kind and helpful neighbour always willing to lend a helping hand to a neighbour when ever it was needed. Dave will be very sadly missed by his son Tom, daughter-in-law Eileen and grandchild Jenny with whom he resided. On Sunday evening the remains were removed from the hospital mortuary Clogheen to Ballyporeen Church where on arrival they were received and blessed by Fr. Flynn, P.P. On Monday afternoon requiem Mass was offered especially for the happy repose of Dave's soul by Fr. Bracken P.P. assisted by Fr. Michael Leader C.C. Araglin, Fr. Flynn P.P. Bal-

lyporeen and Fr. Kevin Mulcahy P.P. Ballyduff. The lessons were read by Marie O'Doherty (granddaughter). During the Mass some beautiful hymns were sung by members of the Ballyporeen Choir with the organist being Mary O'Gorman. The gifts were presented by Tom Hickey and Maureen O'Gorman (Dave's son and daughter). Following Mass Dave was taken on his final journey to the adjoining cemetery where he was laid to rest in the family plot beside his late much loved wife Catherine and parents. Some beautiful floral tributes were placed on the grave. The largest attendances ever seen in the area were present on both occasions. A guard of honour was formed on both occasions. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam. Chief Mourners — Tom, son; Breda, Lena, Maureen, daughters; Alice Quinlan and Maggie Carey, sisters; John, Bob, Eddie, sons-in-law; Eileen, daughter-in-law; Scott, Timmy, Kevin, Sean Francie, Maria, Jenny, Linda, Sharon, grandchildren; Bill Quinlan, Matt and Ned Carey, brothers-in-law; Margaret Hickey, sister-in-law; nephews, nieces, grandnephews, grandnieces, other relatives and a very large circle of friends. [Funeral arrangements by John Ryan and Sons, Funeral Directors, Lismore, Tel. (058) 54145].

SOUTH EASTERN HEALTH BOARD WORKING GROUP ON THE PROVISION OF SERVICES FOR THE ELDERLY



The South Eastern Health Board has established a Working Group to identify and examine existing policies and strategies of care for the elderly as exist within its area of jurisdiction i.e. Carlow/Kilkenny, Waterford, Wexford and South Tipperary. In undertaking the task the Working Group will have to take cognisance of the following:—
(a) Present and foreseeable numbers and locations of elderly persons.
(b) Identify key target groups on whom the services should focus.
(c) In the light of patients needs, and the requirement to deliver services on a cost effective manner, to identify and examine existing policies and strategies of care for the elderly.
(d) Define objective to be achieved.
(e) Assess the adequacy of existing services.
(f) To specify the service developments required to address any identified inadequacies.
(g) Operation of present organisational and management structures (both local and regional).
(h) The principles and values set down in the National Strategy — "Reshaping a Healthier Future" — and the policies set out in "The Years Ahead" and "Planning for the Future."

The membership of the Working Group includes representatives from the various programmes of the Boards Services throughout the region together with community representatives, and it is expected to complete its deliberations by December, 1995. Interested members of the public and professional and voluntary organisations are invited to make written submissions to the Group before 31st July, 1995. Further details and the terms of reference of the group are available from:—
THE SECRETARY, WORKING GROUP ON SERVICES FOR THE ELDERLY, ST. OTTERAN'S HOSPITAL, JOHN'S HILL, WATERFORD. Phone 051/74991, Ext. 3041. July, 1995.

Brickey Rangers Notes

UNDER 12 HURLING (WESTERN FINAL)
Our under 12 hurlers were narrowly defeated by a very strong Stradbally side on Sunday last in Cappoquin.

JUNIOR HURLING 'B' FINAL
The highlight of the week was the junior hurling game against Old Parish on Friday night last. Congratulations to the very sporting Old Parish team who emerged one point winners at the end of an exciting hour.

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL
Our intermediate footballers will be out for the following weekends: Saturday next, July 22 v Ring, 7.30 p.m., at Old Parish; Sunday 30th July v Faha at Fraher field; Saturday 5th August v Shamrocks at Cappoquin.

DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW
All promoters are asked to have cash and cards in this weekend.

GAELTACHT SCHOLARSHIPS
Congratulations to the following who were successful: Sinead Gee, Mount Odell, Eamon Tobin, Killnafarna, Aidan Russell, Mapstown.

SYMPATHY
The sympathy of the club goes to the following: the sisters and brothers of the late Liam Crotty, Caseyville who gave years of faithful service to the club and wore the number 1 jersey with distinction. And to the sons and daughters of the late Annie Ormond, Grattan Square, Dungarvan whose late husband's family were amongst the founder members of the club.
Ar dheis go raibh a siad. — P.R.O.

Lismore Qualify For K/O Stages

LISMORE 3-17 PASSAGE 1-8
Played in a downpour of rain, this final match in the league section played at Fraher field on Monday evening, saw Lismore safely through to the K/O stages of the championship. Passage must now await the outcome of the Mount Sion/Roanmore game on next Sunday before knowing how they fare.

MEETING OFF
The July meeting of the County Board which was scheduled for next Monday, has been deferred.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE SOCCER NOTES

A.G.M. PREVIEW

Interesting A.G.M. In Store

The A.G.M. of The Red House League takes place on Monday night next at the Red House Bar, Lismore at 9 o'clock and is sure to be one of the most interesting A.G.M.'s in the history of the league.

MAJOR CHANGES
While rumours have been in circulation for some weeks regarding major changes in the committee for this coming season it does look like these are more than just rumours. At least two important positions on the committee look up for grabs. While neither of the two people involved will be lost to soccer but due to some changes in the referees A.G.M. these people will not be allowed sit on the league committee.

Chairman of The Red House League Paddy Pollard states during the week that the league could face major problems at its A.G.M. It does look like we will lose two of our officers on the present committee added Pollard and we will have to bring in new people to fill these positions. I would appeal to all clubs attending the A.G.M. to give some serious thought to the filling of these positions.

The league has faced many problems since becoming associated members of The Waterford Junior League but it was the right road to take added Pollard. The changes that are about to take place should be the final ones but it will leave the league committee with a major problem. New people will just have to be drafted on to the committed and people coming to the meeting on Monday night will have to be in a positive frame of mind. However, stated Pollard I am confident that both of these positions will be filled on Monday night.

NEW CLUBS
The Chairman went on to say that he hoped to see some new clubs in the league for the coming season but they will have to be clubs with ambition. We may lose one or two clubs this season added Pollard. It's sad to lose clubs but then again some clubs are there in name only and these clubs will be of no loss to the league as a whole.

What we need in the league are strong clubs fielding junior and schoolboys teams. Clubs not doing this will be looked at in the near future to see if indeed they have a future in the league.

CLUB GROUNDS
Club grounds will have to be up to standard this season stated league Chairman Paddy Pollard. We have been a bit on the easy side regarding clubs pitches but this season all pitches will be inspected before the season starts.

Clubs Note — All clubs new and old are to attend this A.G.M. on Monday night next in The Red House Bar, Lismore at 9 o'clock.

SCHOOLBOY SOCCER LEAGUES A.G.M. PREVIEW

Big Increase In Schoolboy's Teams Expected

Although no definite date has yet been set for the schoolboys A.G.M. it will be held before the end of July. Already it looks as if there will be a big increase in the number of clubs and schoolboy teams for this season. All of this will give the committee more work for the coming season so extra help will be needed to run the leagues (clubs take note).

The following leagues will be run this season U-12, U-14, U-16 and U-18's and its important that all clubs will have their teams sorted out by the time of the A.G.M.

Last season a total of 20 teams took part in the leagues and this season will see a high increase on the above figure. The league is set to expand into new areas this season which is a very welcome. It will place a bigger burden on those running the league and as already stated new people will be wanted on the committee for the coming season.

All clubs are asked to watch this space next week as a date will be given for the A.G.M.

DUNGARVAN UTD. AFC NOTES

MARK HYSLOP AND MICHEAL DOWNEY SIGN FOR WATERFORD UTD.



MARK HYSLOP

The big news on the playing front this week is that two of our players Micheal Downey and Mark Hyslop have signed for League of Ireland club Waterford Utd. Both have been watched closely in recent months and both signed last Tuesday for Mick Bennett's side. Both are arguably two of the best players produced by the club in recent times and they now have decided to give League of Ireland a go.

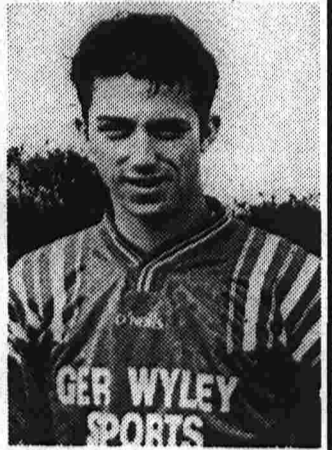
Mark Hyslop came up through the schoolboy ranks

of our club where he won numerous league and cup medals. This year he was an integral part of our 1st Division league and cup double winning side. He also was a member of our youth team who won the Egan cup recently. Mark was captain of the Waterford Youths Inter-League Cup winning side last March and in 1993 at the age of 16 he also won a Youth Intermediate - League winners medal with Waterford.

He also played for the Waterford U-14 Kennedy Cup side and was most unlucky not to be capped for Ireland at U-15 level.

Mark was also a member of the Waterford Junior Oscar Traynor side this year.

Micheal Downey joined our club as a 15 year old from Kilmacthomas F.C. He won U-15, U-17 and U-18 leagues with Dungarvan and was leading goal-scorer on our 1st Division double winning team last season. Micheal also played for Wa-



MICHEAL DOWNEY

terford at both youth and junior level and was capped by Ireland at U-18 schools level.

Micheal is a prolific goalscoring centre-forward with blistering pace, while Mark can play at right full back or midfield and his biggest assets are his tackling and heading abilities.

All in Dungarvan Utd. wish both players the very best of luck in their future footballing careers with Waterford Utd.

GOLDEN OLDIES CHARITY MATCH

KILMACTHOMAS 1 DUNGARVAN
A big crowd turned up at Currahaha Park on Saturday evening last for this over 40's charity soccer match in aid of M.S. All enjoyed the action and marvelled at the skills still evident, although a bit slower, which entertained the supporters. The sides were scoreless at half-time but Dungarvan struck three goals after the interval through Pat Morrissey, Tony Keane (with the aid of a defender) and Liam Sandford. Kilmac' fought back and scored through Kevin Walsh.

Afterwards all enjoyed a cabaret evening in Danny's and the real winners of the night were the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

The Dungarvan panel for this match was as follows: Billy Walsh, Dixie Deegan, Jimmy Healy, Matt Hayes, Des Foley, Anselm Hayes, Pat Morrissey, Alfie Egan, Liam Simms, Liam Sandford, Michael O'Connor, Martin O'Sullivan, J.D. O'Shea, Tony Keane, Michael Houlihan, Jessie Landers. Also present on the line were: Michael Early, Jim Walsh, Martin Walsh and Billy Kyne.

YANKEE DOODLE
Numbers on Sunday last were 80 and 99. No winners. Jackpot £280 on Sunday next. Numbers on sale from usual sellers.

CARDS
One winner of cards on Saturday 15th July, Jim Walsh and Mick Power on 12

games. New accumulator starting soon. Cards start at 8.30 p.m. sharp.

PONGO COMMITTEE MEETING
Eyes down at 8.15 p.m.

Executive committee meeting on this Thursday, July 20th at 9 p.m. Schoolboy meeting on same night at 8.30 p.m.

SOCCER SUMMER CAMP

We will run a Soccer Summer Camp for the first time this year from Monday, July 31 to Friday, August 4th (inclusive) from 10 a.m. to 2.30 p.m. daily at Kilrush Park, Dungarvan. It is open to boys and girls from 7 years upwards and for a very modest £6 per person for five days intensive coaching in all skills of the game of soccer. Please bring boots and runners, shin guards, shorts and socks, tops, track suit etc. plus a packed lunch. Contact any schoolboy committee member for further details. Membership forms are now available.

SPONSORED CYCLE FROM CORK

Our annual sponsored cycle from Cork to Dungarvan will take place on Saturday, August 19th, sponsorship cards are now available for all interested in cycling.

TOPSEY TOURNAMENT

The final of our annual Topsey tournament will take place on Friday, 11th August.

MEMBERSHIP
Fees for the new season are: Adult working £25 plus £13 registration; Adult not working £15 plus £13 registration.

MANCHESTER UNITED SUPPORTERS CLUB NEWS

WATERFORD BRANCH
The above club will hold a general meeting on this Thursday night, July 20 in Lawlors Hotel at 8.30 p.m. This meeting will discuss the upcoming trip to Dublin for the Manchester United v. Shelbourne game. A £20 deposit is required on the night. This meeting is for members and intending members only.

ABBEYSIDE AFC HEINEKEN PUB LEAGUE

SEMI FINAL LINE UP

WEDNESDAY, 20TH JULY 7.30 P.M.
Shandon Arms v Crottys
 Referee S. Kearns

THURSDAY, 21ST JULY 7.30 P.M.
Minnies v Foleys
 Referee J. Foley

The Heineken Pub League draws to an exciting conclusion this week with the semi-finals and final of the competition. In what is the most wide open tournament in years 4 teams are left, 2 from Dungarvan, 1 from Abbeyside and 1 from Leamybrien. So with the interest well spread out bumper crowds are expected at Dogleaf Park over the next few days. Up to now crowds have been constantly large and have contribut-

ed in no mean fashion to the atmosphere served up at the historic venue. Teams from locations as diverse as Cappoquin, Stradbally, Old Parish and Abbeyside have set out with a hope to capture the coveted title. Some have fallen to the dreadful penalty shoot out, last minute goals, severe hammerings or narrow defeats but all have enjoyed the cut and thrust, the enjoyment and fun of the Heineken Pub League.

QUARTER FINAL RESULTS

Lady Belle 1 Shandon Arms 1
 (Shandon Arms 4-1 on pens)
 Crottys 5 Paddy Macs 2
 Foleys 6 Gold Coast 2
 Minnies 8 An Gabha 2

'SHANDON BELLES' ARE RINGING

LADY BELLE 1 SHANDON ARMS 1

Shandon Arms took a giant step into the semi final of this tournament with a heroic display by Joe Wall in the 'Arms' goal. After an uneventful first 10 minutes a speculative cross from Sausage Donnelly eluded the grip of "Dino Sleator" and ended up in the net. After this the Belles

attacked incessantly and gained a richly deserved equaliser with just 3 minutes left when Shay Harty volleyed home.

So onto penalties and when the 'Arms' missed with their second it looked all up but Joe Wall saved the day with some superlative penalty saves.

CROTTYS COMERAGH CRUISE

CROTTYS 5 PADDY MACS 2

A power display by Crottys saw off the challenge of the gallant Ardmore men. Goals by Robbie Whelan, Roger Power, Matty Kiely, Brian Kirwan and Jim Maher saw them into a semi-final slot with Shan-

don Arms. Paddy Macs who were a credit, never gave up and goals from Des "Koeman" Hennessy and a smasher from Jim Meaney put respectability on the score-line.

SPLISH SPLASH MINNIES

GIVE IT A LASH

In torrential rain Minnies gave an exciting display to vanquish gallant rivals An Gabha who persevered to the last. Goals by Paul Freyne 3, Mickey Enright 2, Pat

Walsh 2 and Jim T Kiely saw them comfortably through. An Gabha had able performances by Kevin Drummey, Paddy Joe and the elegant and sublimely skillful

FOLEYS "GOLD LABEL"

FOLEYS 6 GOLD COAST 2

Foleys shrugged off the challenge of Maga Foleys men with a clinical display of finishing. Gold Coast however made a strong game of it and the commitment from both sides was not lacking. Goals from Darrell Donnelly 3, Niall Considine, David Crotty (pen) and Kieran Hallahan made the difference while Gold Coast replied with goals from Martin Troy and Fergal Cunningham.

OBJECTION

We received an objection from a particular public house regarding the fashion and legality of a penalty shoot out in one of the 2nd round games. As is our policy all objections are entertained and investigated in the most thorough manner. We immediately sent the query to League of Ireland Inspector of Referees Gene Roche who confirmed that the referee had acted within FIFA rules. This clarification should serve to solve all the conjecture arising from the incident.

TEAM OF THE WEEK

Paddy Lawlor (O.D.O), M. Hickey (Foleys), B. Whelan (Lady Belle), B. Lyons (Minnies), B. Kirwan (Crottys), Jim Kiely (Minnies), Ross Power (Minnies), K. Wall (Shandon Arms) and Matty Kiely (Crottys).

THE TEAMS STILL IN THE CUP

SHANDON ARMS

Their most successful ever run by a long way this team have crept quietly into the semi-final managed by Tommy "midas-touch" Wall they play consistent if unspectacular football with Killian Wall a major danger up front. However, defence is their strong point with Billy Coleman, Joe Wall, Michael Cowming and Willie Coward a sometimes impenetrable barrier.

Star player: Sausage Donnelly.

FOLEYS

Who can stop the Foleys success story? This team managed by the enigmatic Joe Hallahan has all the qualities of a champion side but will the follicly challenged duo of O'Brien and Hickey be able to hold a shaky goals against column. If they do, then with front

runners such as Kieran Hallahan and Martin Crotty anything is possible. So many questions, so many possibilities, will Michael Elstead come over?

Star player: Mickey Hickey.

CROTTYS

After the amazing events of last year Sean Lannons men have bounced back powered by a new look side with veteran Franny Kiely filling the libero role. Can they emulate the Phoenix and rise from the ashes? Strong, uncompromising their semi final match with Shandon Arms should be a fierce encounter. Will the Comeragh men justify the dark horse rating?

Star player: Brian "Froggy" Kirwan.

MINNIES

The pride of the village, Minnies have vanquished all in front of them to recapture what they firmly believe belongs in Abbeyside, the "O'Brien Cup". Managed by Maurice Walsh this team has had some notable results including a 4-3 victory over last years champions. A potent front line with influential back up they wear the favourites tag with confidence. A huge crowd can be expected at their clash with Foleys, on Thursday night.

Star player: Jim Tiger Kiely.

CELEBRITIES OPINIONS

Oliver Coffey (Chairman Waterford Co. Council)—"I have to go for Crottys who I feel will go all the way".

Micheal O Faolain (well known local comedian)—"Being a Dungarvanite through and through I would feel that Foleys or Shandon Arms have an outstanding chance".

Shaun Organ (WLR FM)—"One cannot look beyond Foleys but Minnies will provide a strong challenge".

Milo Corcoran (Heineken and Waterford Ltd.)—"I wish all four teams the best of luck but if put to the pin of my collar I would feel that Minnies have a slight advantage".

Eddie Cantwell (Club secretary and famous local musician)—"I feel it is a toss up between Crottys and Minnies with Minnies just holding the edge".

CUNNIGAR PITCH AND PUTT NOTES

Kevin Fleming Taxi Service Matchplay

Over the weekend the Kevin Fleming Matchplay semi finals and final turned out to be a real battle of wits. In the first of our semi finals Thomas Maher and Mike Daly were the first to do battle. Over the first few holes Thomas got vital putts to edge him in front. The next few holes were halved. Then Thomas edged in front once again as they set out on the last eighteen holes. Try as he might Mike Daly could not peg back Thomas who claimed his place in Sunday's final.

18 holes. They halved the first holes, then Anthony went 3 up. By half way he was 4 up and things were looking bad for Thomas. They shared the next few holes and by the 30th hole Anthony needed only a half to win, and that he got in great style.

So it's congratulations to Anthony Cockwell on a great win and to Thomas Maher for making it such a wonderful final.

Make we take this opportunity of thanking Kevin Fleming Taxi Service for his very generous sponsorship of this tournament and we wish Kevin every success in the future.

FIXTURE

On July 23 we will have the mens Captain's Prize. Our captain this year is Eddie Lenihan. The mens captain's prize is one of the major tournaments of the seasons and we urge all our players to support this. All players taking part in it must be in the clubhouse on Sunday, July 23 at 10.15 a.m. as the draw for pairings will be made. We wish Eddie Lenihan our captain the very best of luck on this special day.

COMMITTEE MEETING

There will be a committee meeting on Thursday, July 20 at 7 p.m. All committee members to attend.

LOTTO

No winner of our lotto last week. The numbers were 22, 25, 27.

GREEN FEES

We are open for green fees. An eighteen hole course is in play Monday to Friday until 9.30 p.m. and on Saturday and Sunday till 8 p.m. All are welcome. — Shout Fore.

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB NOTES

Curtain Closes On Brilliant Open Fortnight

On Sunday evening, the curtain came down on our summer two weeks Open Competition, creating new records for the club. The total entries were in excess of 2500, including a high percentage of visitors from all parts of Ireland, U.K., America and mainland Europe. We acknowledge the support of our members and the neighbouring golf clubs.

The excellent condition of the course proved to be the talking point. The greens were at their very best, conditioned to receive the ball and the putting surface, though slow, was true and consistent. Likewise, the fairways and roughs were manicured to a high degree. Many thanks to our ground staff who worked early and late to ensure an enjoyable round of golf for each participant.

Lastly, to our sponsors "you were generous with your prizes and we trust that your efforts will be rewarded". We appreciate your kindness and your willingness to co-operate with the club.

REMINDER

Our Autumn Open Week September 10 -17. "Make sure to be with us".

INTER' SCRATCH CUP

Feature event of the week is the Intermediate Scratch Cup kindly sponsored by Murphys Brewery. This is an 18 Hole Stroke competition for handicappers 12 -18 and will be played on Saturday July 22nd. For time sheets, telephone 058 43310/41605, fax 44113.

LADIES RESULTS

Open 4 Ball sponsored by Dougans Opticians and Mary Lee Fashions.

Tuesday 11th July—Winner, K. Fuller and Mai O'Shea, 48 pts. Waterford; Runners-up, Mary Rohayne and Tess Reynolds, 46 pts.; Best Gross, Breda McCarthy and Betty O'Brien, 30 pts.; 3rd, Josephine Melody and Ann Dowling, 46 pts.

25th July 18 Hole Stroke sponsored by Tara Crystal.

Eileen Murphy memorial trophy - foursomes - 18 Holes Stroke.

Any day between 17th and 23rd of July.

JUNIOR GOLF

Wednesday 12th July, 18 Hole S/Ford - winner J.P. Harney (25) 44 pts., 2nd, John Lynch (30) 43 pts., 3rd Donal Considine (21) 43 pts. Other top scores - Brian MacNamara 41 and Gary Lyons 41.

Congratulations to Martin Lavan on getting his handicap down to 16 to qualify for the mens board. Well done Martin.



SMURFIT FOURSOMES

On Thursday, 13th our Smurfit team played in Thurles golf course against Nenagh in the Munster quarter finals. With top golf on both sides the games were played very tightly. Our first pair Tom Norris and Peter Mullaney held level after nine holes, going one



Dungarvan Golf Club's 18 Hole Singles Stableford, sponsored by Baumann and Sons, Jewellers. Photo shows, front row (l. to r.) Des Baumann (sponsor), presenting first prize to Owen O'Mahoney (winner), Michael Moloney, Chairman, Dungarvan Golf Club. Back row (l. to r.) Pat Phelan 4th, Pat Morrissey, Captain, Dungarvan Golf Club and Alan Briden 3rd. (Photo: Pat Crowley)

down on the 10th with a par but giving a shot on index 1, they held the next three holes only to be defeated on the last few. Our 2nd pair Tom Melody and Graham Nagle were one down after nine, to win 10 with a par and a shot and 11 with a birdie to go one up. The game turned after this with the quality of play that was so good that the Nenagh pair were only one over for the 18 Holes with 4 birdies. Nenagh just hit that extra form to win. I was very proud of our team and thank them for playing golf to such a high standard.

My thanks to our president Maurice McHugh for his special support in Thurles and Donal the

only caddie to turn up. Team captain Des Baumann.

FIXTURE

Wednesday 26th July, 18 Hole S/Ford. Time Sheet 9.30 -10.30 a.m.

See notice board for inter-club fixtures.

OPEN FORTNIGHT

Mens Results: Monday 10th July, 11 Hole Fourball Stableford—1st, Tony Dunford (21) and Jack Elstead (13) 30 pts.; 2nd, Jim Harty (10) and Tony Keaver (13) 30 pts.; 3rd, Sean Power (11) and Tony Considine (8) 29 pts.

Tuesday 11th July, 9 Hole singles Stableford (Sponsored by Showerings, Clonmel)—1st, Robert Hyde (16) 23 pts.; 2nd Frank Ryan (12) 22 pts.; Visitor's Prize: David Neill (19) (Mount Ober).

Wednesday 12th July, 18 Hole Singles Stableford (Sponsored by Intacta Print, Waterford)—1st Peadar Gallagher (19) 48 pts.; 2nd Des Cleary (15) 44 pts.; Best Gross: Tony Brady (7) 36 pts.; 3rd Owen O'Mahoney (12) 43 pts.; 4th Joe Kelly (13) West Waterford 43 pts.

Thursday 13th July, 18 Hole Singles Stableford (Sponsored by Unique Gents) 1st P.J. Kindregan (10) 67 nett; 2nd, Jim Walsh (10) 67 nett; Best Gross: Tim Murphy (4) Lismore 74 gross, 3rd, Graham Nagle (15) 68 nett; 4th, Brendan O'Kennealy (10) 69 nett.

Friday 14th July 18 Hole Singles Stableford (Sponsored by Tom Coffey and Son) 1st, Derek Lyons (16) Gold Coast 43 pts.; 2nd, Billy Queally (16) 40 pts.; Best Gross: Tim Murphy (4) Lismore 35 gross; 3rd, Tom Considine (8) 40 pts.; Beginners prize: Jim Hayes (18) Gold Coast 37 pts.

Saturday 15th July, 18

Hole fourball Stableford (Sponsored by Sterling Winthrop) 1st, Tommy Sommers (13) New Ross and Liam Crotty (18) Waterford 46 pts.; 2nd, Pat Kehoe (18) New Ross and William Power (11) New Ross 45 pts.; Best Gross: Kieran Hogan (6) and Shane Hogan (5) St. Margaret's 36 gross; 3rd, Kevin Cusack (8) and Matt Curran (16) 43 pts.; 4th, J. Dinan (15) and Billy Harty (22) Gold Coast 43 pts.

Sunday 16th July, Festival Trophy - 18 Hole Singles Stroke (Sponsored by Waterford Crystal) 1st, Jim Ryan (11) West Waterford 65 nett; 2nd, Andy Halley (10) West Waterford 67 nett; Best Gross: Brian Linnen (6) 78 gross; 3rd, Pat Morrissey (13) 68 nett; 4th, Rev. Liam Curran (16) Gold Coast 69 nett; 5th, Pat Power (20) 69 nett; 2nd best gross, Nicky Norris (9) 79 gross; 6th, Tony Fitzpatrick (12) Carrick-on-Suir 70 nett; 7th, E.P. Kiely (11) 70 nett.

GOLFER OF THE TOURNAMENT

(Sponsored by Fitzgeralds Menswear)—Winner P.J. Kindregan (9) 199 pts.; Runner-up, Pat Phelan (9) 195 pts.

KATHERINE HITS THE JACKPOT

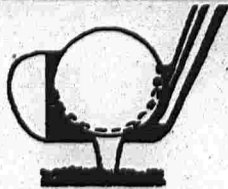
Katherine Keighery was this week's lucky winner of our £100 jackpot prize. The numbers drawn were 5 - 10 -11.

£10 winners: K. Barrett and W. Cullinane. Next Week's jackpot amounts to £100.



Dungarvan Golf Club Open Fortnight Ladies 18 Hole Singles Stableford, sponsored by Nugent's Super Valu, Supermarket, Dungarvan. Pictured above are the prize winners, back row (l. to r.) Bridget Spratt, Breda McCarthy, Liz Moloney and Maura Kindregan. Seated (l. to r.) Evelyn Hearne, Vera Nugent (sponsor), Fionnuala Kelly, Betty O'Brien, Lady Captain, Dungarvan Golf Club and Ann Power. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

GOLD COAST GOLF CLUB



COMPETITION RESULTS

Friday, July 14 — 9 Hole Mixed Scramble — Winning team, Shane Hogan, Padraig Morrissey, Paddy Walsh and Margaret Hogan with a net score of 27, followed in second place by the team of Morrie Ferncombe, Eugene Collins and Helen Kiely with a net score of 31, the third team home were Lar Boland, Sharon Hogan and Sean Ormonde with a net of 31.

Saturday, July 15 — 18 Holes Stableford — Winner, Lar Boland (18) 44 pts. Sunday, July 16 — 18 Hole Stableford — Winner, Tony Dunford (21) 45 pts.

CLUBHOUSE DEVELOPMENT

As can be seen, work is now nearing completion on our new clubhouse and leisure centre. The complex will include a pool hall comprising of an indoor heating swimming pool, bubble pool, childrens pool, jacuzzi, steamroom, sauna, gymnasium, bar area and ladies and gents changing rooms. Membership rates are now available for dual membership (golf and leisure) or for leisure centre only. Contact (058) 42416 (Clare Morrissey) for more information.

FIXTURES

Monday, July 17 to Friday, July 21 — 18 Holes Club Competition. Friday, July 21 — 9 Holes Mixed Scramble, please note that all members are requested to have their names in before the draw at 6.30 p.m. Saturday, July 22 — 18 Holes Club Competition. Sunday, July 23 — 18 Holes Club Competition.

LADIES

Results — Monday, July 10 — 18 Holes Stableford — Winner, Helen Fennell (36) 46 pts; 2nd Mary Dee (35) 42 pts; 3rd Mary Fenton (36) 40 pts.

Fixtures — 9 Hole Stableford competition on-going, details posted in clubhouse. Monday, July 24 — 18 Hole Stableford competition, details posted in clubhouse. Wednesday, July 26 — Open Ladies Day — Open Fourball Stableford competition kindly sponsored by Dawn Meats Ltd. Handicap limit 32. Time sheet in operation. Please contact 058-42249.

Group Golf Lessons — Members wishing to avail of group golf lessons, please put your name on the list in clubhouse.

West Waterford Golf Club Notes

LADIES HOCKEY CLASSIC

On Saturday and Sunday next the Dungarvan ladies hockey club hold a golf classic in West Waterford. This very successful club who do so much for the young girls in the area need the extra funds to keep the show on the road. The time sheet is already over half full. For times ring 43216.

RESULTS

Wednesday, July 12, Gallup Open Singles Qualifier — 1st C. Clancy (17) 45 pts; 2nd P. Twomey (17) 39 pts; Gross - J. Murphy (6) 32 pts.

Saturday and Sunday, July 15/16 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st J. Murphy (6) 38 pts; 2nd L. Bowe (17) 38 pts; 3rd K. Frost (5) 38 pts. High Handicap — P. Flanagan (21) 32 pts.

Anglo Irish Bank Fourball Qualifier — 1st M. Culloo (11) and G. Flavin (19) 41 pts.

FIXTURES

Wednesday, July 19 — Gallup Open Singles Qualifier. Friday, July 21 — Mixed Scramble. Saturday and Sunday, July 22/23 — Ladies Hockey Classic.

Club Matchplay — See noticeboard.

Club Fourball Matchplay — Entry sheet now on display.



DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB OPEN FORTNIGHT FESTIVAL TROPHY 18 Hole Single Stroke, sponsored by Waterford Crystal. Photo shows Michael Holland, General Manager, Dungarvan Crystal, presenting first prize to Jim Ryan (winner). Also included are Pat Morrissey, Captain D.G.C. 3rd. Back row (l. to r.) Pat Power 5th, Nicky Norris 2nd best gross and Phil Duggan, Competition Secretary.

Captain's Prize — Saturday and Sunday, July 29/30. Entry sheet now on display on noticeboard.

COMING SOON
Friday, August 4 — National Pairs Tournament.
Saturday, August 5 — Fa-

ther and Son Competition.

Monday, August 6 — Seniors Championship. Sunday, August 13 — Inter G.A.A. Clubs. Sunday, August 20 — Minor Scratch Cup. Ring 43216 for times.

CONGRATULATIONS

Well done to Jim Ryan on his great win in the Festival Trophy in Dungarvan, also to Andy Hally on taking second place. Not forgetting Dick Murphy on his fine score in Waterford Castle.



DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB OPEN FORTNIGHT — 18 Holes Singles Stableford sponsored by David Crowley Furniture, Tim Whelan, Building Contractor and Noel Devereux, Menswear. Front (l. to r.) — Austin Hally (Devereux Menswear), Eoin Mansfield 2nd, David Crowley (Crowley Furniture), Ml. Power, winner, Tim Whelan (Building Contractor), Pat Morrissey, Captain D.G.C. Back (l. to r.) — E. Spratt 8th, Austin Deasy 3rd, P. J. Kindregan 5th, T. W. Murphy (Lismore G.C.) gross, Jack Collins 6th, Frank Ryan 7th, Ml. Corkery 4th. (Photo: Pat Crowley)

ATHLETICS BY RACE LEADER**DROMANA FIVE MILES ROAD RACE**

James Sullivan Leads Home Large Entry



James Veale (Dungarvan Athletic Club) presents James Sullivan with the Pat Denn Waterford Crystal Trophy following his victory in the Dromana 5 Miles Road Race. Also included are Tom Ryan (Eagle A.C.), 3rd, and Derek Tebay (Waterford A.C.) 2nd.

One hundred and fifteen runners, walkers, wheelchair athletes and cyclists lined up under the instructions of official starter Mr. Dan Murray, Cappoquin Rowing Club for the third annual Dromana five miles road race last Thursday evening. The participants weaved their way through the Dromana Drive in what seemed like a never ending line of runners before arriving in a gaily decked Villierstown before an enthusiastic large attendance.

THE GOING WAS TOUGH

The general opinion after the race was that the Cappoquin to Villierstown course was much tougher than the reverse route with the finishing times being, on average, one minute slower than usual. It seems that the stiff cross breeze and the climb into the wood between three and four miles were the main reasons for this.

However, there was no stopping international runner James Sullivan (Waterford A.C.) who won his third Dungarvan A.C. promoted event in as many outings. In winning by over one minute he clocked 25.30 for the five miles trip to capture the Pat Denn sponsored Waterford Crystal trophy. He was followed home by his team mate Derek Tebay on 26.42 with Cork athlete Tom Ryan (Eagle A.C.) third in 27.07.

HARTYS WIN AGAIN

In finishing fifth overall Philip Harty (West Waterford A.C.) added another junior win to his long list of successes and he was fol-

lowed home by his brothers Tony and Mark in the minor positions. Their sister Rebecca won the junior ladies race while the head of the family Anthony finished 28th overall in a fine time of 30 mins. 24 secs.

WIDE ENTRY

Runners from five counties took part in the race with the majority of the entry being made up by members of West Waterford A.C. and the newly formed Cappoquin A.C. The latter's leading runner was the much improved Trevor Mason in a time of 30.20.

WALKERS

A number of walkers completed the course in style, apart from Breda Cantwell and Barbara and Marie Dwyer who went sadly and badly astray, eventually reaching Villierstown from an uncharted direction. Other walkers who took part included Joan Elstead, Karen O'Connor, Helen Dwyer, Vyna Power, Mary Glavin, Sandra Burke, Norma Grey, Eleanor Cahill, Rita Hickey and Bernadette Burke. Ann O'Brien, Alice and Rosemary Curran and

Patrick McGrath cycled the course.

DUNGARVAN M.S.

The organisers wish to thank everybody who helped in any way to make the third annual Dromana race possible. Because of these efforts it was possible to present the Dungarvan Branch of Multiple Sclerosis with the proceeds from the race entries. The presentation was made by Martina Murphy to Branch Chairman, Seamus Ahearn.

GENERAL RESULTS

Senior Men — 1 James Sullivan (Waterford A.C.) 25.30; 2 Derek Tebay (Waterford A.C.) 26.42; 3 Tom Ryan (Eagle A.C.) 27.07; 4 Paul O'Mahoney (Leevale A.C.) 27.19; 5 Philip Harty (West Waterford A.C.) 27.25; 6 Michael Carey (Leevale A.C.) 27.33.

Vets Men: Over 40 — 1 Pat Kerrigan (Mallow) 27.58, 2 Tom Coady (Middletown) 28.32; Over 45 — 1 Frank Cashman (East Cork) 28.38, 2 Liam O'Leary (St. Finbarr's) 31.04; Over 50 — 1 Fred Walsh (East Cork) 29.37, 2 John O'Leary (Leevale) 30.51.

Senior Women — 1 Mary Sheehan (Grange-Fermoy) 30.24, 2 Mary Murphy (Mallow) 30.50, 3 Colette Fitzgerald (Cappoquin) 46.45. over 35 — Frankie Devlin (Middletown) 40.11. Junior Men — 1 Philip

Harty (West Waterford A.C.) 27.25, 2 Tony Harty (West Waterford A.C.) 27.45, 3 Mark Harty (West Waterford A.C.) 29.28.

Junior Women — 1 Rebecca Harty (West Waterford A.C.) 37.27.

Wheelchair Section — 1 Gerry Forde (Blarney) 44.25.

Teams — 1st Waterford City 31 pts (Sean Foley 7, Tom Burns 8, Larry Kennedy 16); 2nd West Waterford 44 pts (Gerry Cantwell 12, Finbarr Kelly 15, Tom Meehan 17); 3rd East Cork 53 pts (Denis McCarthy 9, David O'Sullivan 20, Tim Twomey 24).

IMPROVED PERFORMANCES

Regarding the race from a local point of view, Finbarr Kelly showed that he is in his best form ever, covering the distance in 28.41. Mark Harty also showed improvement when clocking 29.28. Michael Dwyer ran one of his best races to date with former runners Tony Ryan and Seamus O Droma also doing well. Cappoquin runners Paul McGrath and Kieran Cahill showed promise for the future while Tom Fitzgerald, Billy Kelly and Stephen Curran packed well on the 35 minutes mark.

The local results are as follows:

5 Philip Harty 27.25, 10 Tony Harty 27.45, 12 Gerry Cantwell 28.16, 15 Finbarr

Kelly 28.41, 17 Tom Meehan 28.56, 19 Mark Harty 29.28, 22 Colin Lyons 29.44, 23 Alan Whyte 29.49, 27 Trevor Mason 30.20, 28 Anthony Harty 30.24, 29 Michael Dwyer 30.24, 31 Tony Ryan 30.32, 32 Ray McConnell 30.34, 33 Martin McCarthy 30.35, 34 Michael Murphy 30.44, 41 Anthony Dwyer 31.13, 42 Michael Ryan 31.22, 44 Martin Sandford 31.41, 46 Paul Keating 32.00, 47 John Whelan 32.00, 48 Brian Swaby 32.20, 49 Paul McGrath 32.29, 52 Sean Fahey 33.03, 53 Pat Hennessy 33.24, 56 John Mason 33.42, 57 Gerard Fitzgerald 33.49, 58 Kieran Cahill 34.05, 60 Tony Martin 34.25, 61 Seamus Healy 34.36, 62 Dermot Hickey 34.50, 64 John Cahill 35.12, 65 Fergus Nolan 35.16, 66 Seams O Droma 35.17, 67 Tom Fitzgerald 35.31, 68 Billy Kelly 35.46, 69 Stephen Curran 35.49, 73 John O'Brien 36.44, 74 Brian Coughlan 36.54, 76 Rebecca Harty 37.27, 77 Dan Dineen 37.31, 78 David Power 37.38, 79 Raymond Phelan 37.44, 80 Ray Curran 37.46, 83 Davy Skerries 39.02, 84 John Condon 39.02, 85 Tommy Keniry 39.54, 86 Geoff Bullen 40.02, 89 Paddy Lannon 44.59, 91 Colette Fitzgerald 46.45, 92 Gerard O'Keeffe 48.18, 95 Teresa McGrath 55.13, 96 Eileen Kearns 55.13, 97 Patricia Hackett 55.13.

BUTLERSTOWN 10K

The Hennessy Gold Cup

That most loyal supporter of races in the Dungarvan area, Pat Hennessy, Kilmeaden holds his annual 10k road race on this Friday evening, July 21 starting at 8 p.m. The event, which is being staged in aid of the Alzheimers Society will be run on a team system similar to the Marine Climb and Ras na Rinne races. The race will be run over a two lap course and a tee shirt will be presented to every finisher. A 5k run and walk will be held in conjunction with the 10k race. Pat Hennessy and his running mates Fergus Nolan, Ray Murray, David Foley and Davy Wade are present at every race in the Dungarvan area and here is an ideal opportunity to show appreciation for that level of support. Race entries will be taken in the Butlerstown G.A.A. Centre and a social evening will be held in the Holy Cross after the event.

**PAT HENNESSY**

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to the O'Mahoney family, Caseyville and the Sheehan family, Springfield on the death of Mrs. Kate O'Mahoney last weekend.

THIS WEEK'S FIXTURES

Friday, July 21 — Butlerstown 10K at 7.30 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday, July 22/23 — All Ireland Juvenile Track and Field Championships in Santry Stadium, Dublin.

DUNGARVAN ATHLETIC CLUB

**T.S.B. SCHOOLS INTERNATIONAL
Deirdre Travers Has
Fine International
Debut**



Competing for the first time at international level, club athlete Deirdre Travers, a pupil at the local Ard Scoil na Deise, ran a magnificently judged race to finish fourth in the 3000 metres at the T.S.B. International Schools Athletic Championships in Colwyn Bay, Wales last Saturday.

Deirdre's progress over the past two years has been quite remarkable. She has improved from

being a participant in the Munster 'B' cross country championships to competing now at the highest level of competition within her age group. Her progress has in fact been very obvious in the past few months as it was only last April that he was a reserve on the eight girl Irish team competing in the international cross country championships at St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside.

On Saturday last Deirdre matched strides with the leaders for five of the seven and a half laps race. The Irish runner, Ann Marie Larkin, who won the international schools cross country title in April finished second in 10 min. 40 secs., separating the two English girls, who in fact are well known to Deirdre as they stayed with the Clancy and Dwyer families of Springfield in April.

In finishing fourth the dedicated Childers Estate girl finished ahead of the two Scottish and Welsh representatives in a time of 10 min. and 56 secs. This must rank as a successful performance and she can now face the future at this level with confidence.

Deirdre next competes in the National Community Games Marathon in Mosney in September. Coached by Mary Ashe, Deirdre is daughter of Andy and Nellie Travers, Childers Estate who are a well known local athletic family with Pauline, Jason, Damien, Andrew all having competed with out club.

It was a weekend of impressive "fourths" for all the local representatives in Wales with club members Donny Rockett and Mark Deevey finishing fourth in the discus and pole vault competitions respectively as did Triona Whyte in the 800 metres in a time of 2 mins. and 16 secs. Well done to everybody.

Overall Result — 1st England 444 pts; 2nd Ireland 258 pts; 3rd Scotland 249 pts; 4th Wales 207 pts.

IRISH SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

**Ailish O'Brien
Completes Hat-Trick
Of Irish Titles**

There were three Waterford winners at the Kellogg's Irish Senior Track and Field championships in Dublin last weekend. West Waterford A.C. athlete Ailish O'Brien brought another Irish title to the Western part of the county when she won the discus championship with a throw of 42 metres and 10 cms. The second placed athlete R. Renehan (Fr. Murphy's A.C.) was all of two metres behind the winner. This is Ailish O'Brien's third time winning this particular event. She first won it in 1989 and on Saturday last she retained her 1994 title.



Jackie Stokes (Ferrybank) won the long jump title with a leap of 6 metres and 17 cms and Susan Smith (Waterford A.C.) won the 100 metres hurdles title in 13.99 secs. Competing at senior level, Jamie Costin (West Waterford A.C.) finished fifth in the 10,000 metres walk as he continues his preparations for the European Junior Championships at the end of the month.

Park Hotel "Waterford Sports Star Of The Month"



Seventeen year old Derek Hayes, a student at St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan, is the Park Hotel "Waterford Sports Star of the Month" for June. The Abbeyside teenager who doesn't sit his Leaving Certificate until next year, becomes the youngest ever winner of the prestigious monthly award.

During the month of June he captained St. Augustine's College to victory in the all-Ireland Colleges Senior Athletics Championships (Science Cup) and was

also selected on the Irish Senior Combined events team which took part in the Europa Cup in Iceland. In the latter event Derek finished a very creditable ninth overall and was in fact the highest placed member of the Irish team.

▲ Photo shows Pierce Flynn presenting the June Park Hotel Waterford Sports Star Award to Derek Hayes. Included are Derek's parents Jim and Bernie and his coach Bro. Patrick Lennon, O.S.A.

—(Photo: Rory Wyley).

**BOWLING IN
CAPPOQUIN**

JESSIE GALLAGHER MEMORIAL CUP

Tuesday 11th "C" Score
Jamie Corcoran v. Ollie Flynn v. Tony Hickey

Corcoran went into an early lead with a good opening shot, Flynn took it up at the big bend. At the Guilly, Hickey had taken it up, the lead changed hands again at the "Rats" when Flynn with two huge shots lead by two metres from Hickey and the same to Corcoran at the spout. Hickey was again back in front, but Corcoran now bowling well took the lead at the "Boreen" form Hickey and Flynn, Corcoran just short of the line led by two metres from Hickey and 15 from Flynn. It was now down to the longest shot. Flynn was first to throw and put down a great shot which both Hickey and Corcoran failed to pass, so Ollie advances to the next round.

Wednesday July 12th Two "D" Scores

Michael Cahill v. Dinny Sullivan
Terry Moore v. Chris Cunningham

Cahill broke off with a good shot to take an early lead and bowling well, held it to advance to the next round.

Moore was a good bowler some years back and was making a comeback while Cunningham is a new comer. Moore was gaining two bowls and both men started well, at the big bend all was level. Moore had one bowl off at the "Guilly" with good bowling, and hit it all level at the "Boiler". Cunningham then threw some good shots and twenty metres short of the line had a five metre lead. Moore, however, produced a "miler" to take the score.

Friday 14th July "C" Score

John Meagher v. Christy Keown

Meagher was making a comeback after four years due to injury. He was a very good bowler in his mayday. Keown is one of the few under arm bowlers on the rod, very accurate.

Both men started well, Meagher with a slight advantage. Round the first bend in four Keown was just ahead, little separating them at the "Guilly" and Meagher was back in front by a few metres at the "Boiler". Keown had again regained "Spout" Keown had increased his lead to a

bowl, Meagher with two good shots had reduced the deficit to "odds" at the "Boreen" but the line came too soon to catch Keown who advances to the next round.

Sunday July 16th "C" Score

Michael Murray v. Nial O'Connor

A good score was in prospect for the big crowd as both men were evenly matched. O'Connor was first off with a good shot, leaving Murray ten metres adrift. After three shots O'Connor was a bowl up, at the "Guilly" Murray was back in contention with three great shots, but again it was O'Connor who took advantage with a "miler" at the Boiler, which try as he could Murray would not peg back, O'Connor advances to the next round.

All remaining "C" and D first rounds to be played by Sunday 23rd July

Ladies First Rounds Thursday 20th.

Veterans Friday 21st.

Sunday 23rd 10 a.m. — "B" semi finals — Paul Flynn v. Stephen Cavanagh; Pat Fitzgerald v. Dennis O'Leary.

**Waterford
Minor Hurling
And Football
Teams Forecast
Competition**

Hurling winner was Billy Quinn, Raspberry Hill, Ballyduff Upper who forecast a 3-12 to 2-14 win for Waterford.

Football winner on replay of Waterford v. Tipperary, as there was no correct score in the drawn game it was decided to let it go to the replay to get a winner. There were three correct score forecasts of 1-9 to 0-8 in favour of Tipperary. They were, George Dennigan, St. Colman's, Fermoy, Mary Quarry Senior, Kilrush, Dungarvan and Tadhg O Foghtu, Corcaigh. Following a draw the winner is Tadhg O Foghtu.

The above selection committee would like to thank everyone who supported hem in this competition.



FOURMILEWATER HURLING CLUB HONOURS ITS 1955 COUNTY JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONS — Group pictured at the 40th Anniversary Dance in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan who were presented with specially framed scrolls as a memento of the occasion by Club Chairman Billy Walsh. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

LADIES FOOTBALL

Waterford Beat Clare In Munster Semi-final

Waterford took on Clare at Quilty on the shores of the Atlantic Ocean (next stop America) on Sunday last in the Munster Senior semi-final and emerged victorious after a tough rugged encounter. It must be said that the Kilmurray/Bricane club grounds were in perfect condition, but the decision to play the match miles from virtually anywhere certainly annoyed Waterford.

It forced the Deise side to travel up on Saturday evening staying at Kilkee and it was a very determined Waterford side that took the field. A fairly strong wind blew up from the ocean but it blew almost directly across the field and was of no good consequence.

Waterford began brightly Aine Wall kicked the opening point in the 4th minute and Clare missed a couple of good scoring chances before Edel Arthur levelled the scores in the 9th minute. Then Waterford took complete control.

When a long range shot came back of the upright Fiona Crotty was in like a flash to crash the ball into the net. With Aine Wall moving to corner forward there was a lot of space up front of the CLare goal and Waterford exploited this on several occasions. A Claire Ryan drive went inches over over the bar before Marie Crotty pointed a very difficult free from way out on the right wing in the 16th minute. Claire Ryan punched a further point and Olivia Condon crashed the ball against the post. The Banner County were mak-

WATERFORD 3-9 CLARE 1-6

ing little headway against a uncompromising Waterford defence in which Regina Byrne was outstanding. Marie Crotty kicked a magnificent point from forty yards before Clare were dealt a mortal blow in the 29th minute when Olivia Condon put a great drive into the top right hand corner of the net from twenty yards and Waterford led at the interval 2-5 to 0-1.

To Clare's credit they came out in the second half with all guns blazing. Sharon O'Brien pointed in the 33rd minute. Within six minutes they were really back in contention when Edel Arthur shot a great goal. Claire Ryan steadied Waterford with a point but the Banner girls replied with four consecutive points from Fiona O Boyle (21) and Edel Arthur (2) and with ten minutes remaining just three points separated the teams.

However it was to be Clare's swansong and Waterford finished the stronger. Fiona Crotty's 23rd minute point was a crucial score. By now substitute Rebecca Hallahan was causing lots of problems for Clare. When Geraldine O Ryan was brought down in the square, Marie Crotty's penalty came back off the bar but she slammed the rebound to the net. A foul on substitute Catherine Walsh led to a Rebecca Hallahan point before Geraldine O Ryan closed the scoring with a 59th minute point and Waterford ran out winners by nine points.

That winning margin was a bit flattering considering their second half display. Anna Lisa Crotty was sound in goal, Regina Byrne was absolutely outstanding and undoubtedly Waterford's player of the match. Others to impress in defence were

Noirin Walsh, Siobhan O Ryan and Julie Torpey.

Martina O Ryan did some spectacular fielding at mid-field but it was Catriona Casey who really caught the eye as she covered every blade of grass on the pitch. The attack never really played to it's full potential although Fiona Crotty and Claire Ryan turned in very good performances and Olivia Condon had a great three quarters of an hour.

OLD FIRM

It's the Old Firm of Waterford and Kerry in the Munster final at Fitzgerald Stadium, Killarney in barely a week and Waterford will have to improve considerably if they hope to retrieve their crown.

Waterford—A. Crotty, R. Byrne, S. O Ryan, C. Walsh, S. Walsh, N. Walsh (Capt.), J. Torpey, M. O Ryan, C. Casey, O. Condon (1-0), M. Crotty (1-2), G. O Ryan (0-1), F. Crotty (1-1), A. Wall (0-1), C. Ryan (0-3). Subs: R. Hallahan (0-1) and C. Walsh.

MINORS BOW OUT

The minors bowed out of the championship on Wednesday evening at Bornsha. They got off to a dreadful start conceding three early goals and never made up the deficit to go under 4-6 to 1-7.

UNDER 14'S SHINE

Waterford destroyed Limerick in the Munster Under 14 final at Clogheen on Friday evening 5-13 to 1-2.

UNDER 16

This Wednesday evening the Under 16 team play Tipperary in the Munster final at Fraher field, Dungarvan at 7.30 p.m. While Tipperary will be hard to beat, Waterford on home soil are well capable of capturing their 4th Munster Under 16 crown since 1989. The game is well worth a visit.

Kilgobinet/Colligan Minor Notes

U-12 HURLING

Our U-12 Colligan team was defeated in the quarter final last Monday by Naomh Brid. This team have been exemplary, good behaviour, pleasant manners and always willing, good attendance at coaching sessions, so it is not all about winning and in losing we must also learn to handle this. Naomh Brid 4-6, Colligan 2-5.

Team—W. Kiely, P. Norris, D. McGrath, J. Culliane, D. Hurley, S. Cass, M. McGrath, B. Flynn, B. Lynch, B. Hickey, J. Wall, W. Hennebry, T. O'Brien, J. Morrissey, M. Flynn. Subs: J. Dunford, T. Fahey, F. Dunford, P. McGrath and E. Cullinane.

MINOR FOOTBALL

Cancelled on Friday night due to County Minor team draw. Re-match is on Sunday night in Fraher field against Naomh Brid, at 6 p.m., and following Wednesday night, 26th July, against Fourmilewater at the same venue at 7.30 p.m.

U-16 HURLING

We defeated Cappoquin on Monday night last. This was a nice surprising match and so far things are going well.

Colligan 2-3, Cappoquin 1-3. This Monday night we play Naomh Brid in Bohadon.

PATRICIA WALSH TOURNAMENT

On Tuesday evening last the Bohadon pitch was "swarmed" by players looking forward to this tournament. The general rules are players must be under 14, (down to 8), ground hurling for the first half of matches and no soling in the second - pick and strike. The four team captains were anxious to get on with the games once the teams were picked - Team A v B and C v D, A v B was Paraic Fitzgeralds v Vincent Lynch and Paraic's team took a while to settle, but were defeated by Vincent's team 3-9 to 1-0.

C v D was Richard Kirwin's team v Pa Ryan's team. This game was a real surprise, there were forwards on the back lines and vice versa. The rivalry was terrific! This game was close all the way and the surprise score was 7-4 to 7-4, a fair result. The tournament deserves the support of all, not just for the children, but the good hurling, the excitement, the enthusiasm of players and mentors as well. So please support! Tournament continues on Tuesday nights.

P. Fitzgerald's team—T. Culliane, W. Hurley, B. Lynch, T. O'Brien, T. Fahey, K. Hennebry and E. Culliane.

V. Lynch's team—W. Kiely, P. Power, B. Flynn, B. Hickey, J. Morrissey, M. Hennebry and D. Hurley.

R. Kirwan's team—J. Wall, N. Queally, S. Cass, Wm. Hennebry, J. Dunford, M. Flynn and P. McGrath.

P. Ryan's team—K. Keane, D. McGrath, J. Hickey, P. Norris, J. Cass, F. Dunford and M. McGrath.

PHOTOS

We have lovely photos of the Patricia Walsh Cup 1994 being presented to Raymond Bannon's team and also of runners up Seanie Hickey's team. Anyone interested, please contact Ml. Cass.

BEST WISHES

Our best wishes for a speedy recovery go to Seamus O'Brien who is at present in Ardkeen. We hope you'll soon be fit and well.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Paddy Ryan, Knockroe, who won £1000 in the Deise Development Lotto Draw. It's good to see one of our own ticket holders winning.

ST. PATS LADIES FOOTBALL

Junior training every Sunday, Monday and Friday nights at 7.00 p.m. in Bohadon. Next weekend we are due to play Clashmore in the first round of the league. Date to be arranged.

UNDER-14

At the time of writing the result is not yet known of the game against St. Garvans. Next week we are due to play Kilrossanty. 100% performance is needed to win both games.

Training for U-10 and U-12 commencing next week. Anyone interested in attending contact Johnny, Triona or Brigid.

Congratulations to the Waterford Senior Ladies Footballers on their win over Clare last Sunday. Well done to Catherine Walsh who was on the panel.

Also, congratulations to County U-14 team who won the Munster final. They are in the All Ireland semi-final against Mayo next Saturday in Newmarket-on-Fergus. Good luck to Ann Morrissey who is on this team.

Waterford G.A.A. Supporters Club

Waterford v Clare (Junior). We were once again defeated by Clare in junior hurling and our last chance of a Munster title in hurling for 1995 went by the board. We better try and forget 1995 and start planning for the future. The state of hurling in the county needs a thorough examination by a special committee - the method of training from under age to senior level - fitness, skills, commitments etc. Those interested in the success of Waterford hurling please let me have your suggestions in writing to Willie Barron, 11 Keating Street, Dungarvan.

Offaly v Kilkenny. This was hurling at its very best - first time ground and air hurling by Offaly - history and tradition by the "Cats" meant nothing to Offaly they destroyed Kilkenny with power and commitment. I would suggest a video of their game should be shown in all schools and to intercounty panels at all levels. Come on Waterford let us get started for 1996. We were hurt badly in 1995 - this must never happen again. All Ireland hurling and football tickets draw will take place on Thursday 17th August in Clonea Strand Hotel at 8.30 p.m. Clubs and individuals with cards are asked to return same as soon as possible to any community member.

Committee meeting Thursday 3rd August, at Clonea Strand Hotel at 9 p.m.



Old Parish who won the Western Junior Hurling 'B' Championship '95 with an 0-10 to 0-9 win over Brickey Rangers in the final. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Ardmore G.A.A. Notes

UNDER-16 HURLING Dungarvan 1-7 Ardmore 3-1

When you consider that we were missing three members of our regular line-out for this vital championship game with Dungarvan, a top team in the 'A' grade, you can imagine what an achievement it was to force a draw

with our vaunted opponents in Dungarvan on Monday of last week.

Short Austin, Shane and Wayne for this vital clash, this team of character, skill and never say die spirit once again answered the call and maintained their record unbeaten championship run which began for this admirable bunch of hurlers

some four years ago.

On the night all the boys excelled, especially the backs and with James O'Neill snatching two first half goals we were well on our way. Adrian O'Donnell scored the vital goal with minutes remaining while Ciaran Foley added the point to complete our tally.

Lineout — James O'Donnell, Declan Prendergast, Michael Supple, Jamie Hennessy, Patrick Conway, Brian Lenane (capt.), John Conway, Seamus Prendergast, Declan Lenane, Richie Hennessy, Ciaran Foley, Cathal Hennessy, Adrian O'Donnell, Damian Lenane, James O'Neill. Sub. — Liam Power.

Pat Moore handled the game in typical fashion.

MEETING

At a recently held club meeting presided over by Cathaoirleach Liam O'Loinnigh, high on the agenda was the dismal displays of our adult teams this year. There is a complete lack of interest and indifference amongst the players towards training sessions and even though many of last year's players are unavailable for selection for different reasons, it's still a very poor show.

At present the following players are unavailable to us — Clinton Hennessy, Harry Veale, Declan Foley, John Sullivan, Billy Mahony, Sean O'Neill, Eoin Flavin, Tony Keane, Dan McNamara, Keith Morrel and Kevin O'Brien.

MUNSTER FINALS

Despite all the doom and gloom surrounding our inter county teams, it is great to note that two club players were part of the Waterford ladies under-14 football team who recently beat Limerick in the Munster final played at Clogheen. Mary O'Donnell and Maria Mahony were our representatives and Mary had a great game at midfield.

On this Wednesday evening Mary will also be part of the Waterford under-16 team to contest yet another Munster final. Congratulations and well done girls.

SLI DEUGHLAN

Some of our underage players took part in the long distance walk from Cashel to Ardmore to officially open St. Declan's Way. They arrived at the Round Tower leg weary but happy that they had completed this daunting challenge.

As they came through Clais na Muc on Sunday morning and headed off for the top of the Bothar Ard the Round Tower came into view. All that remained to conquer was Bun a Chnoc, and the strides lengthened as they entered Bothar na Treinse and up Ard Na Mhinister to a great reception at the Tower.

Congratulations to all who took part — Sarah Lincoln, Richard Lincoln, James Moloney, Kevin Burke, Patrick Power, Killian McCarthy, John Paul Troy, Andy Baker, Shamie Whelan, Risteard Power, Liam Power, Wayne Hennessy and Ciaran Foley.

CONGRATULATIONS

We say a well deserved well done to Kevin Lenane who played on the Waterford minor football team that went close to beating Tipperary in the Munster semi final replay on Sunday last.

SUMMERTIME CEILIS

Now being held on Friday nights at the changed time of 11 p.m. to 1.30 p.m. it is expected that an upsurge in club members support will take place. Reading an account of the weekend Fleadh Ceoil na Mumhan in Skibbereen which attracted second and third generation Irish from many overseas countries who are so proud of their roots and traditional culture, it would be such a pity if this community allowed the attempted revival of the Summertime Ceili to finish due to lack of support. Three Norwegian girls told one of the organisers at last week's ceili that they heard too much American music during their holiday and were so delighted to attend Halla Deuglan on the Ceili night.

So members, a final appeal for your support in these Summertime Ceilis.

WEEKEND G.A.A. FIXTURES

WEDNESDAY, JULY 19

JFC Roanmore v. Fenor, Fenor 7.30

THURSDAY, JULY 20

Lawlor's Hotel JFC Geraldines v. Ardmore, Fraher Field 7.30

FRIDAY, JULY 21

Lawlor's Hotel SFC Dungarvan v. Kilmacthomas, Leamybrien 6.45

SFC Stradbally v. Rathgormack, Leamybrien 8.00

SFC Bonmahon v. St. Saviours, Tramore 8.00

JFC B Ballinacourty B v. Eire Og, Fraher Field 6.45

JFC Old Parish v. Modeligo, Fraher Field 8.00

JFC Colligan Emmetts v. Lismore, Cappoquin 8.00

Waterford Foods IFC Faha v. Ardmore, Bushy Park 8.00

SATURDAY, JULY 22

Lawlor's Hotel SFC Nire v. Tramore, Kilmacthomas 6.45

SFC Kilrossanty v. Gaultier, Kilmacthomas 8.00

SFC Sliabh gCua v. Dunhill, Fraher Field 6.45

SFC Newtown v. Affane, Fraher Field 8.00

SFC Ballinacourty v. Butlerstown, Leamybrien 7.30

Waterford Foods IFC Clashmore v. Shamrocks, Ardmore 7.30

IFC Geraldines v. Ballinameela, Bushy Park 7.30

IFC Brickeys v. Ring, Old Parish 7.30

Lawlor's Hotel JFC Kilgobinet v. Ballyduff, Cappoquin 7.30

SUNDAY, JULY 23

Lawlor's Hotel SHC Roanmore v. Mount Sion, Portlawn 7.30

MFC Dungarvan v. Affane, Colligan 7.30

MFC Kilgobinet v. Naomh Brid, Fraher Field 7.30

MFC Ballyduff v. Clashmore, Cappoquin 7.30

MFC Gaeltacht v. Shamrocks, Ardmore 7.30

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1

All-Ireland B Senior Football: Waterford v. Limerick, Fraher Field

G.A.A. RESULTS

SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Ballygunner 2-14 Mount Sion 2-11

Dungarvan 8-12 Stradbally 0-8

De La Salle 2-10 Clonea 0-9

Roanmore 4-12 Dunhill 1-3

Erin's Own 2-13 Portlawn 1-10

Ballyduff 3-13 Tallow 0-12

Lismore 3-17 Passage 1-8

INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

St. Mary's 3-10 Kilmacthomas 1-14

Cappoquin 2-11 Ballydurn 0-5

Kill 1-9 Ring 1-8

Colligan 2-9 St. Mollerans 3-6

Abbeyside 2-14 Ballysaggart 1-10

JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Tourin 3-7 Melleray 0-2

Lismore 1-11 Cappoquin 0-2

Kilrossanty 2-9 Modeligo 1-6

Mount Sion 2-13 Roanmore 2-8

Passage 1-12 Portlawn 1-7

Ballyduff 4-11 Fenor 0-6

B Final Old Parish 0-10 Brickeys 0-9

JUNIOR HURLING MUNSTER FINAL

Waterford 1-9 Clare 4-11

MUNSTER MINOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Waterford 1-6 Tipperary 0-9

Replay Waterford 0-8 Tipperary 1-9

Rinn Ua gCuanach

CUIMHNEACHAN NA MARBH

Ar an Aoine 21adh — 7.30 in Seipéal San Nioclás, cuirfear, ar iarradh Bhaillchumainn na Rinne, C.L.G. aifreann le h-anam an Ath. Shéamais Uí Chadhlá O.N.A. iar-imeathóir dár líon.

Comhghaoidheam

Adhbar mór áthais ag an gcoitceanntacht é, gur bhuaidh An Sean Phobal craobh iomána Sóisear B. an Conndaé. Molaim, agus anois go bhfuil Páirc Bhréagh Cholmáin léirithe acu tá coinne agam go ndeanfaidh siad forbairt a thuille ar shean-chluiche na nGael. Tá Nioclás Mac Craith ag bócaíl as go bhfuil cuid mhór de'n mhuíochas ag dul do féin mar go bhfuil le fada á ngríosadh foireann iomána do bheith acu.

IOMAINT FÉ 16

Bhuaidh An Ghaedhealtacht sa chomórtas so ar Ró-daithe na Brice. Táimfd anois san 3adh cor.

LIAM UA CROTAIGH

Chuaidh deighfear dár líon, Liam ua Crotaiigh d'éagaibh an tseachtain so d'imigh tharainn. Fear ealadhach go deimhin — scoláire maith a raibh idir Gheadhealuinn agus béarla aige — agus ba dhual san don mar gur i mbárr na Stuaic a rugadh agus tógadh a shean-athair Tomás Ua Crotaiigh. Ceoltóir den scoth, is minic a mheall sé le binneas a dhuis sinn ag cuirmeacha ceoil sa Rinn agus in áiteacha nach í.

D'imir sé peil do Phort Láirge agus peil agus iomáint do Ró-daithe na Brice agus bhí sé tráth ina Rúnaí ag Na Bricigh agus 's beag a bhí ionchurtha leis ar an bpeannaireacht — saof oilte na scríobhnoireachta. Sé a dhein réidhteoireacht nuair a bhuaidh An Rinn craobh peile Mionúr an Iarthair 1955.

Go bhfuascailf Dia ar agus go dtugaigh Sé suidhe do imeasc saof agus oirfideach.

Iomáint Idirmheánach

Rinn Ua gCuanach (1.8)

An Chill (1.9)

Ní fiú aon nidh do rá mar gheall ar an gcluiche — ach go raibh an lá go holl agus an clag-fheartainn cradhscalach.

Táimfd ar ais anois, mar a rabhamar in 1986. Tá aihruithe bunúsacha le déanamh agus le déanamh gan mhoill. Mara gcuirtear bhfeidhm iad idir so agus an chéad chluiche eile tá slán fágtha againn le comórtas '95.

Sé an meon-aige, gach tráth, a riarann gníomhaíocht an chuirp agus cothufotar an meon san le linn duit bheith ag cur i gcóir — beidh lá an chluiche féin déanamh agat — amhail le cur scolb lá gaoithe.

Ceist — Cad é an t-eachtra mór a thárla 21/7/1945?

SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Ballygunner Win Exciting Clash

BALLYGUNNER 2-14 MOUNT SION 2-11

This was one game that really lived up to expectations and was thoroughly enjoyed by the fair sized crowd who came to Fraher Field on Saturday evening. It was a splendid game of club hurling at its best and if we are going to see more like it, it will certainly compensate for a lot of the mediocre stuff that we have had to endure in recent times.

Mount Sion, who took the field without Ger Fitzpatrick and Pat Ryan, had full points from five matches, going into the game and Ballygunner were two behind. The result leaves the sides level on the league table, but the champions, Mount Sion, have a game in hand. This will be against Roanmore on Sunday next and will now hold added importance.

PLAY

Mount Sion were first to score when Brian Greene pointed in the 2nd minute and Darragh O'Sullivan's point in the 3rd brought them level. Then the champions went into a five points lead with scores by Ken McGrath (2), Brian Greene, Tony Browne and Barry Browne.

The 'Gunnners had the next four scores which were points by Billy O'Sullivan (2), Stephen Frampton and

Paul Flynn leave the half time result 0-6 to 0-5 in favour of Mount Sion (who had gone 18 minutes without a score).

SECOND HALF

The sides were a mere two minutes in action again when Garry Gater goaled for Mount Sion and from the puck out Paul Flynn pointed. John Meaney pointed from a semi penalty to leave five between them. Billy O'Sullivan had two points before Brian Greene had Mount Sion's second goal just on the 40th minute. The five points lead lived for only five minutes as points by Paul Flynn and Darragh O'Sullivan were followed by a brilliant Billy O'Sullivan goal to leave them all square on the scoreboard by the 46th minute.

Both continued to exchange scores until Paul Flynn's 57th minute goal

which put the challengers in front for the first time in the game, 2-12 to 2-11. Two further points by Paul Flynn including one from an 85 yard free, sealed the issue in favour of Ballygunner by a three points margin.

Scorers: Ballygunner — P. Flynn 1-6, B. O'Sullivan 1-5, D. O'Sullivan, S. Frampton 0-1. Mount Sion — B. Greene 1-2, G. Gater 1-1, K. McGrath 0-3, J. Meaney 0-2, T. Browne, P. Fanning, B. Browne 0-1 each.

Ballygunner — R. Whitty, C. Laphorne, N. Warren, C. Cantwell, S. Lyons, S. Frampton, R. O'Sullivan, F. Hartley, L. Whitty, B. O'Sullivan, D. Codd, J. Warren, M. O'Mahony, D. O'Sullivan, P. Flynn. Subs. — C. Sweeney for D. O'Sullivan; P. Power for M. O'Mahony.

Mount Sion — B. Flynn, T. Browne, D. Power, D. Flannelly, B. McGrath, Tony Browne, B. Coughlan, P. Fanning, M. Flanagan, G. Gater, B. Greene, K. McGrath, J. Meaney, Jim Meaney, B. Browne. Sub. — K. Ryan for Jim Meaney.

Referee — P. Moore, Abbeyside.

St. Olivers G.A.A. Club News

FINE WIN FOR U-14 GIRLS

St. Olivers 6-6 Dungarvan 2-1



St. Olivers continued their progress in the ladies football U-14 'C' championship with a fine win over Dungarvan in Aglish last Wednesday night, a result which means that St. Olivers have now notched up two wins out of two.

After a slow start from both teams, the home side took the lead after five minutes thanks to a point from Donna Flaherty, and they doubled their lead seven minutes later when a goal-keeping clearance was knocked down by Clodagh Corr and Caitriona Power found herself positioned to kick over. In a first half with a few scores, the green flag was raised for the first time when Helen Cliffe whacked a shot off the angle and the rebound was slotted home by Donna Flaherty, who followed that up with a fine individual point. "The Saints" came close again when a Sharon Walsh free was flicked goalwards by Olivia Carlton, but it was well saved - Dungarvan then broke and scrambled in a goal. St. Olivers had the final word in the first half when Caitriona Power played into the goal mouth and Donna Flaherty flicked over the keeper for a goal, making the score at the break 2-3 to 1-0.

Early second half points from Sharon Walsh and

Donna Flaherty (which was a peach) increased the lead before Dungarvan scored with a shot that bounced all the way to the net. This was added onto by a point from a 13m free. With four points between the teams, Caitriona Power played across to Patricia Fitzgerald, she found Helen Cliffe who pointed. Then came the 60 seconds which decided everything. Helen Cliffe placed Sharon Walsh and wallop! she found the net with a blistering strike and then, ran through on the next attack to raise the green flag again. After Donna Flaherty hit the bar with a good effort, Sharon Walsh - having the game of her life and definitely enjoying herself - found the back of the net twice more thanks to some more fine run-throughs, and maybe the odd bit of slack marking too. Four goals in seven minutes, not a bad return.

The action continued on Monday evening, July 17th in Abbeyside playing hosts to St. Olivers; next week sees St. Olivers travelling to Dungarvan for the final

league match. That fixture is penciled in for July 24th.

St. Olivers—Orla Daly, Caroline O'Brien, Karen Landers, Emma Donovan, Carol Guiry, Doireann Corr, Eilish Clancy, Sharon Walsh (4-1), Marie O'Donovan, Patricia Fitzgerald, Donna Flaherty (2-3), Clodagh Corr, Helen Cliffe (0-1), Caroling Power (0-1), Olivia Carlton. Subs: Karen Twohig and Ciara Irwin. Referee: Declan Glavin (St. Garvans).

UNDER-16 HURLING

After their 3-4 to 1-3 defeat at the hands of Colligan in the opening match of the championship, St. Olivers travelled to Stradbally on Monday night in a bid to open their account in this campaign. They're in action again tonight when Naomh Brid are the visitors for a match which starts at 7.30 p.m.

MINOR HURLING

This year's minor Hurling Championship sees St. Olivers having their first two matches in the competition just a couple of days apart. The first of the two takes place on August 2nd in Abbeyside where they will play Stradbally and just two nights later (August 4th), Four-mile-water provide the opposition in Colligan.

UNDER-21'S IN BLITZ

It has been rumoured for a while, but now it's been confirmed, the U-21 championship this year will take place in a blitz format, with the whole championship being completed within a week. The blitz is likely to take place around the middle of August.

SYMPATHY

The club wishes to extend sincere sympathy to the O'Connell family, Aglish on the death of Willie O'Connell, and to the Downing family, Aglish, on the death of Hanna Downing, Aglish. May they rest in peace.

WHAT'S ON

Wednesday, July 19th: U-16 hurling championship, v Naomh Brid in Aglish, 7.30 p.m.; Monday, July 24th: ladies football 'C' v Dungarvan in Dungarvan, 7.30 p.m.; Wednesday, August 2nd, minor hurling championship, v Stradbally in Abbeyside 7.30 p.m.; Friday, August 4th, minor hurling championship, v Four-mile-water in Colligan, 7.30 p.m.

UNDER-14 SPONSORS

Thanks to our sponsors for the recent U-14 county hurling final: shirt sponsor, East Cork Oil, all the local businesses who advertised in the match programme and Mac's Restaurant, Dungarvan.



FOOTBALL SUMMER CAMPS



The football summer camps are in full swing at the moment. The photo (above) shows a happy squad at last week's Ballinacoola Camp. The three camps next week (Monday, July 24th) are in Dungarvan, Ballymacarbyr and Touraneens. —(Photo* Pat Crowley).

Dungarvan G.A.A. Club Notes

Naomh Brid G.A.A. Notes

U-12 HURLING—In the U-12 hurling championship we were beaten by our neighbours Abbeyside. We are now out of this competition.

MINOR FOOTBALL—The minor football game which was to be played last Friday night was postponed due to Waterford's involvement in the Munster championship. At date of penning these notes we do not know when this game will take place.

U-16 HURLING—Played three, won one, lost one, drew one. So far this year in the championship we are making very hard work of trying to qualify for the knock-out stages. Last Monday night we played Ardmore at our own grounds and came away with a very hard earned draw. We had to claw our way back into this game after falling behind to two Ardmore goals early in the first half. It took a free in the last minute from Alan Harty to earn the draw. With the two games left, this championship is all to play for. Last Monday night we played Four-mile-water. Result next week. Our last game in the league section is against Abbeyside next Monday night in Abbeyside at 7.30 p.m. It would be great to see a large following on the night as it looks like this could be the most vital game we'll play this season as the losers look like being knocked out of the play-offs.

SENIOR HURLING—Our last senior hurling game in the championship was played at Leamybrien last Saturday night versus Stradbally. We went out on a winning note on the score-line of 8-13 to 0-7. As a result we avoided relegation to intermediate ranks.

LADIES FOOTBALL—We wish the very best of luck to the Waterford Ladies U-16 Football side who take on Tipperary this Wednesday night at the Fraher field. We have two representatives on the side Catriona Hanley and Lisa Power.

SEASONAL TICKETS—The club has purchased two Seasonal tickets for the Fraher field. The tickets run from June to July each year and the cost is £30 per year. It is our intention to hold a raffle among the paid up members for these two tickets. If you are interested in participating in this draw please hand your name without delay to the Secretary. The draw will take place shortly.

DEISE DRAW—Please have all monies in to the club co-ordinator by Monday 24th July.

LOTTO—The weekly lotto numbers drawn on Sunday were 4 - 6 - 2. We had three winners: Liam

Power, O'Connell Street, promoter, Noel Sheehan; Kevin Cummins, Coolnagour, promoter, Phil Morrissey; John Whelan, Ballyduff, promoter, Ahearnes Bar. £367 each.

Next week's Jackpot £100.

SYMPATHY—On behalf of the Club we extend deepest sympathy to the family of the late Liam Crotty on their recent bereavement. Liam was a member of the 1945 panel which won the County Senior Football title, and acted as Secretary of the club for some time. He starred in the blue jersey of the club on many occasions and was a skilled player. We also extend our deepest sympathy to the O'Mahoney, Tobin and Sheehan families on the death of Kate O'Mahoney. Ar dheis De go raibh siad.

TWO THRILLING GAMES FROM U-12's

Our U-12 hurlers were involved in two outstanding games last week. The first was the 'A' quarter-final against Colligan. A lot of people didn't give us much of a chance but our lads proved them wrong. Their performance must go down as one of the best performances by any Naomh Brid team. Every one of the players were brilliant throughout the game but Colm Geary especially was simply on fire in the middle of the field. Twice he ran the length of the field and planted two unstoppable shots in the Colligan net. Matthew was brilliant in goal and our six backs were outstanding. Jimmy had one of his best games for the club in mid-field. Our forwards were also in super form. The final score was Naomh Brid 4-6 Colligan 2-5.

Team—Matthew Cash-

man, Justin Power, John Queally, Paudie McCarthy, John Myles, Denis Coffey (0-1), David O'Donovan, Colm Geary (3-3), Jimmy Buckley, Colin Gleeson, John Ahearne (1-2), Stephen Cliffe, Willie Power, Jonathan Webster, Neil Fenton. Subs: Jack Power, Aidan Cliffe, Tomas Fenton, Seamus Power and Darren O'Connor.

LAST MINUTE WINNER

On Friday evening our U-12's played Four-mile-water in the 'A' semi-final at Cappoquin. This game again produced some outstanding hurling. Four-mile-water got three points before Colm Geary scored a brilliant goal to make the scores level. John Ahearne scored a point to leave us a point up at half-time. Four-mile-water started the second half with a goal. Jonathan played a great ball into the full forward line

which Willie pulled on and hit the net for a super goal. Denis added a point from a free to leave us two points up. Colm and John had two goals disallowed after this. With less than a minute to go, Four-mile-water came up the field and scored a goal to leave the final score 2-3 to 2-2 in favour of Four-mile-water. Every one of the Naomh Brid players showed great pride in the putting on the club jersey and hurled with great determination and skill. This is one of the best teams that Naomh Brid have ever produced. Throughout the championship they scored twenty seven goals and thirty seven points. Great credit must be given to Vince and John for the work they put into the team. The U-12 football starts in September.

Team—M. Cashman, J. Power, J. Queally, P. McCarthy, J. Myles, D. Coffey (0-1), D. O'Donovan, C.

Geary (0-1), J. Buckley, S. Cliffe, J. Ahearne (0-1), J. Webster, W. Power (1-0), C. Gleeson, N. Fenton. Subs: J. Power, S. Power, A. Cliffe, D. O'Connor and T. Fenton.

U-16'S DEFEATED STRADBALLY

In the second round of the U-16 hurling championship, we beat Stradbally by two points in Touraneena. It was played in wet and miserable conditions but overall it was a good performance. We have Colligan and St. Oliver's left to play and if we win both of these we will be through to the western final. Best for Naomh Brid were Dermot Lonergan, Paul Condon and Pat Fitzgerald.

Team—P. Denn, M. Tobin, P. Condon, T. Quinn, B. O'Connell, D. Lonergan, D. Meaney, P. Fitzgerald (0-3), M. Power, S. Dempsey, C. Grace. A. Dalton, A. Lonergan, I. Dunford (0-4), M. Keane. Subs: Q. Hickey and A. Gleeson.



Dungarvan (above) and Cappoquin (below) who took part in the Dungarvan G.A.A. Club's U-13 Hurling Tournament — (Photos: Jimmy Power).





Ger Wyley (sponsor) presenting the trophy for the West Waterford u-14 hurling championship to Roger McCarthy, captain of the Fourmilewater team who defeated Dungarvan in the final at Cappoquin. —(Photo: Rory Wyley).

Western Bord na nOg News

The Western finals of the U-12 hurling competition were played in Cappoquin on Sunday evening last. The Division 1 final was a real cracker with Lismore and Four-mile-water fighting out a rare old battle. Lismore came through the league campaign with a very impressive unbeaten run before they ran in to a formidable challenge from old rivals Abbeyside in the semi-final. Lismore had to pull out all the stops to beat off a fine Abbeyside performance. This win left the Cathedral town boys nicely tuned for the final. Four-mile-water too had shown mighty impressive form in their march through the league campaign unbeaten. In their semi-final the Four-mile-water boys were all but gone out but for a great last second goal against near neighbours Naomh Brid to run out one point winners. The young Naomh Brid boys had produced a huge performance in this one and

U-12's HURLING FINALS PRODUCE EXCITING FARE

played some delightful hurling. Coming out of this semi-final Four-mile-water were nicely tuned for the final showdown with Lismore.

Sunday morning's game was hugely entertaining right from the moment that young Abbeyside referee Jonathan Moore threw in the ball through to the final whistle. Both teams displayed a level of skill rarely seen at this level. The boys from the Mill field training grounds in Ballymac were the first half front runners and went in to the interval leading by five points.

On the turn over it was the Lismore lads, displaying a high level of skill and a driving commitment, who set the pace to claw back the lead and go on to win the title. After the game Western Bord na nOg Chairman John

O'Brien presented the trophy to the victorious Lismore team captain.

Jonathan Moore was an excellent referee. Fair and honest in his decisions he has a good understanding of the game and facilitated the young lads efforts nicely.

Final score Lismore 3-5, Four-mile-water 2-2.

In the division 2 final Stradbally faced the Brickey Rangers.

Stradbally were tables topers in this one section group and indeed so impressive was their scoring power and match form they looked odds on for an easy victory in the final.

Some of Stradbally's performances in the league were top class. The Brickey boys had to fight off the challenge of Shamrocks in the semi-final and it was perhaps this group that sparked them into top form. In the final on Sunday morning both teams played their best hurling of the year and right throughout it was nip and tuck as it was anyone's game right down to the end. Stradbally emerged winners after a great battle. Well done to both teams. After the game John O'Brien, Chairman of Western Bord na nOg presented the trophy to the Stradbally captain.

Jimmy Kearney of Ballysaggart refereed the Division 2 final. Jimmy has been busy refereeing for Bord na nOg this year and on Sunday last he was most fair to the young lads and he understood how the young boys like to play the game. Well done Jimmy.

Final score Stradbally 2-4, Brickey Rangers 2-1

**FIXTURES U-16
HURLING ROUND 5
ON MONDAY 24th JULY
Division 1 Abbeyside V**

Dungarvan at 7.30 p.m.; Ardmore V Tallow at 7.30 p.m.; Four-mile-water V Lismore at 7.30 p.m.

Division 2 Stradbally V Colligan at 7.30 p.m.; St. Olivers V Cappoquin at 7.30 p.m.

Division 3 Ballyduff V Kilrossanty at 7.30 p.m.; Shamrocks V An Gaelteacht at 7.30 p.m.; Brickeys V Clashmore at 7.30 p.m.

NOTE—The semi-finals will be played on 31.07.95. The Western finals will be played on 07.08.95.

WESTERN U-16 FINALS—will be played in the Fraher field Dungarvan this year. This was decided at our meeting the week before last.

PROGRESS TO DATE
Under the excellent stewardship of John O'Brien and Eddie O'Shea together with the outstanding co-operation forthcoming from clubs and our willing band of referees, the championships have run bang on target.

U-14 football completed on schedule, U-14 hurling completed on schedule, U-12 hurling complete on schedule, U-16 hurling running on target.

Still to go we have U-16 football beginning in late August and U-12 football beginning in late August early September.

This represents good efficient work by our officers with Eddie O'Shea in particular as Divisional Secretary running a very smooth show.

THE RULES
Continuing our section on rules this week we highlight rule 1.4 under Rules of Control of Referees Guide: Injuries and incursions: - the referee may give his permission to a team official or medical officer to enter the field of play to examine an

injured player. No other team official shall enter the field of play. Play shall not be stopped for injury to a player - except in exceptional circumstances to enable a seriously injured player to be treated on the field or removed from the field of play. All other injuries shall be treated off the field of play. Very sensible stuff. If this rule is adhered to we will have very few field incursions - serious injuries will be treated on the field or the player can be removed - all other injuries where player is mobile will be treated on the side line and play continues without undue disruptions. Very sensible indeed.

Mind you though some overheated team mentors can or do sometimes disregard the rule and completely forget about a sensible approach to injured players.

Under Rules of specification the field of play is specified: Length, 130m minimum to 145m maximum; Width, 80m minimum to 90m maximum.

Imagine that 13,000 square metres, and remember the ball can be in any one of those squares 13,000 of them and the referee must be there or close enough to see what is going on. And even if he is there he must still allow for the agitated mentor who is on the corner flag perhaps 140 metres away and is convinced that he saw it better! A mighty man, yer man!

Under rules referring to players Rule 2.2 states: a team may commence a game with thirteen players but shall have fielded fifteen players, inclusive of players ordered off or retired injured by the start of the second half. In the event of failure to comply with this, the game shall continue.

NOTE: with regard to field dimensions the dimension may be reduced by local bye laws for U-15 or younger grades.

Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty G.A.A. Club Notes

QUALIFICATION SECURED

The intermediate hurlers secured their qualification for the knockout stages with a 2-14 to 1-10 victory over Ballysaggart on Saturday evening last. Our remaining game in the league section is against Shamrocks. This is the sixth successive year that we have qualified for the knockout stages which shows how consistent our challenge has been for the county title.



FOOTBALL

Attention switches to football this weekend with 2 games down for decision. The senior footballers finish their section games when they take on Butlerstown this weekend (please check official fixture list for details).

The junior 'B' footballers face Eire Og in a local derby encounter on Friday evening at the Fraher Field. Throw-in at 6.45 p.m.

UNDER-16 HURLING

The under-16 hurlers recorded their 2nd win last week when they defeated Fourmilewater. On Monday last we were due to play Tallow while next Monday we play Dungarvan.

UNDER-12 HURLING

Our local derby quarter final with Dungarvan produced an abundance of skilful and exciting hurling coupled with a comfortable win over our great rivals.

The team was — Patrick Enright, David Troy, Sean Byrne, Michael Brennan, Rick Hanrahan, John Hurney, Rian McGrath, David McGrath, Jimmy Moore, Owen Ryan, Sean Cleary, Declan Fives, Pat Moore, Sean Kiely, Robert O'Neill. Subs. — John David Gordon, Willie Morrissey, Thomas Cashin. Also Owen Enright, Nicholas Veale, Brian Veale, Richard Veale.

Lismore proved to be too strong in the semi final on Friday evening. Nonetheless we had a good run, with the emphasis now switching to football.

Geraldines G.A.A. Club

This weekend sees a return to football action as this Thursday evening. In the junior football we play Ardmore and then on Saturday evening. In Bushy Park we play Ballinameela in the intermediate football. If we are to remain in both championships the two matches must be won. All players must be available as we have a few players injured at the moment.

DEISE DRAW

Money is now due for the next draw so please give same to Johnny O'Brien this weekend. Also anybody wishing to join can do so for £5 a month.

WELL DONE

Well done to St. Olivers U-14 hurlers who reached the county final only to be beaten by a stronger St. Saviours team.

SYMPATHY

The club would like to sympathise with the Longan family, Kereen, the Downing family, Dromore and Aglish, also the O'Connell family, Aglish on the death of Willie whose son Billy is one of our players.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"



Waterford Ladies Under 16 football panel who defeated Kerry on the scoreline 2-9 to 3-5 in the Munster semi-final in Ballyhooley recently.

Junior Hurlers Heavily Defeated By Clare In Munster Final

CLARE 4-11 WATERFORD 1-9

For the second time within four days, Semple Stadium echoed to the cheers of the excited Clare supporters who saw a Banner county team make further history by winning a second provincial hurling final. It was the first time in history that Clare won a double hurling Munster championship in the same year and the story can be even better after they have played the Munster under 21 hurling final against Tipperary in two weeks time.

When expectations are high, disappointment can be all that bit greater if what you have been banking on, fails to come off. I think everyone in Waterford were very confident that we would beat Clare this time and take our first junior hurling title since 1936. Saying that we were cautiously optimistic was, I suppose, concealing the degree of confidence which existed around the county. We had survived three tough encounters and were very well prepared.

Secretly and hopefully too, we were believing that the celebration going on in Clare would have its effect on our opponents. How wrong we were on several counts? Clare came to

Thurles, fiercely determined to emulate the achievement of the seniors and to prove that what they did to Waterford two years ago, could be done again in historic '95.

But at the same time, everyone who saw the game must agree that the only reason that Clare won, was because Waterford were very poor and failed to produce anything like the form displayed against Tipperary and Limerick. The truth is that we were beaten all over the place in the last fifteen minutes after our defence had literally fallen to pieces and Clare having taken control, recorded the last five scores of the match. We just did not click on the night and we let our opponents in for the easiest of goals.

PLAY

The match was less than five seconds old when referee Ger Harrington of Cork stopped play to book Barry Moloney for a dangerous pull. By the sixth minute we had two points on the board, both sent over by Pat Bennett who had lost none of the accuracy which he had shown in the previous matches. In the same period we had four wides.

Ray O'Halloran opened with a point for Clare in the 8th minute and Gerry Gleeson had the teams level by the 10th minute. John P. Fitzpatrick pointed in the 14th and Clare brought one back before Bennett put Waterford in front again with a pointed free. J. P. Fitzpatrick put us two up in the 20th minute before Clare struck for the first of their four goals. Tom Kiely, who had made three successive clearances fielded a high ball but was dispossessed when crossing the goal line in the 21st minute and in the 23rd minute John McKenna broke through and kicked the ball to the net. The first goal was by John Gleeson. In the space of 2 minutes we had gone from a 2 point lead to a four points deficit. Clare scored the next three points to leave the state of play at 2-6 to 0-5 at the interval.

The second half began just like the first with Pat Bennett sending over two from frees. Clare pointed and in the 35th minute Shane Ahearne had our goal, which was a well taken score. At this point only a goal separated the teams. Then in the 37th min. Fergus Flynn took advantage of a mix-up in the Waterford defence and shot home their third goal. Bennett had two points in the 40th and 47th mins. to end Waterford's scoring and when Brian Healy had

Clare's fourth major in the 50th minute, it was all over for Waterford.

Scorers: Waterford — P. Bennett 0-7, J. P. Fitzpatrick 0-2, S. Ahearne 1-0. Clare — F. Flynn and G. McKenna 1-3 each, G. Gleeson 1-1, B. Healy 1-0, R. O'Halloran and D. Forde 0-2 each.

Waterford — P. Haran, J. Hallinan, L. Walsh, T. Kiely, L. Coady, P. Ryan, L. Dalton, J. P. Fitzpatrick, D. Casey, K. Walsh, E. Crotty, B. Doyle, P. Bennett, A. Ahearne, N. Kelly.

PRESENTATION

After the final, Munster Council Chairman, Noel Walsh (Clare) had the privilege of presenting a second provincial trophy to a fellow countyman, within four days. Another little bit of history.

It's All Over

Our hunt for a Munster title came to an end at 8.45 p.m. in Fraher Field on Sunday evening and from here until the start of the National League in early October, we can devote all our attention to our club championships which are moving along nicely and building up to what looks like being a tremendous finish. On the inter county front, history will tell that we played 16 matches, winning six, drawing two and losing eight. Contrary to what may be thought, this is slightly better than a normal year for Waterford. Of course, at the same time, it is not good enough.

Limerick were the only county in Munster to close shop for the season, before we did, but having lost their Munster crown, I have no doubt but their anguish was far greater.

This is a subject I will return to later when time and space permits.

County Board Meeting

The July meeting of the County Board due to take place next Monday night has been deferred. Clubs will be notified on the new date.

The main item on the agenda is the election of senior hurling and football selection committees for the 1995/96 season and perhaps for longer.

A change from preceding years will see the Board elect senior football selectors as well as members to handle the other grades in football.

By decision of the previous County Board meeting, the county chairman will appoint the chairman of each committee who will be responsible for ensuring that everything is done in accordance with official regulations, etc.

The open Board will decide on the number of members to fill each committee before the elections will proceed. The remaining six committees will not be chosen until a subsequent meeting.

'Committee' Say Thanks

Waterford G.A.A. Training Fund Golf Classic Committee wish to thank the following clubs and companies for their participation and sponsorship:

Tourin, Ring, Kilrossanty, The Nire, Old Parish, Clashmore, Modeligo, Stradbally, Newtown-Ballydurn, Brickey Rangers, Passage, Ardmore, Ballygunner, Cappoquin-Affane, Mount Sion, Waterford Ladies Football, Portlaw, Kilgobinet, Colligan, Western Board, Sliabh gCua, St. Olivers, Abbeyside, Roanmore, Fourmilewater and Tramore G.A.A. Clubs.

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INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

The "One That Got Away"

ST. MARY'S 3-10 KILMACKTHOMAS 1-14

We have often written about the 'one that got away' but as far as Kilmackthomas are concerned, this surely was the one that was given away as leading by 8 points (1-14 to 0-9) in the 48th minute, it looked as if they were home and dry.

Then, by a series of mistakes that allowed the Tourneena team back into the game and goals by Tom Queally, J. P. Fitzpatrick and F. D. Lonergan in an eight minute scoring spree, left them two points down at the end.

At half time Kilmackthomas led by 0-8 to 0-6 and should have been further ahead at this stage.

Scorers: St. Mary's — J. P. Fitzpatrick 1-8, T. Queally 1-1, F. D. Lonergan 1-0, K. Hallinan 0-1. Kilmackthomas — A. Rockett 0-7, M. Rockett 0-4, B. Byrne 1-1, J. Power and J. Whelan 0-1 each.

St. Mary's — J. Connors, T. Whelan, J. Hallinan, R. McGrath, V. Lonergan, D. Kiely, J. McGrath, J. P. Fitzpatrick, T. Condon, T. Queally, K. Hallinan, M. Cliffe, A. Fitzpatrick, F. Lonergan, I. Dunford.

Kilmackthomas — J. Joy, T. McGrath, P. Whelan, C. Crotty, P. O'Reilly, E. Rockett, M. Hallahan, John Power, B. Whelan, C. Whelan, J. Whelan, J. Long, A. Rockett, M. Rockett, B. Byrne.

Referee — E. Cunningham, Tallow.

Minor Games Off

Because of the minor football draw in Thurles on Thursday evening, the three minor championship games scheduled for the weekend were cancelled and will be refixed.

Liam Crotty R.I.P.

A great character, a great player and a wonderful sportsman was how very many of his old friends described Liam, popularly known as 'The Gug' since his playing days. He died unexpectedly on Wednesday of last week and until only a few days before this, he was a regular attender at Fraher Field.

He began his playing career with Cathal Brugha at minor level and later built a reputation as an outstanding footballer with Dungarvan and with Brickey Rangers. He also wore the county jersey and for many years was a referee, handling games in all grades including county finals. He was a great music lover and a bandsman with the Dungarvan Brass Band.

At the junior hurling 'B' final at Fraher Field on Friday evening, a minutes silence was observed in his memory before the game and the tricolour was flown at half-mast.

To his sisters Brenda and Maise and brothers Paddy and Paul we offer our sincere sympathy.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

NEXT WEEKEND

Footballers Heading For The Last Roundup

MOUNT SION AND ROANMORE DUE TO CLASH IN FINAL HURLING LEAGUE SECTION MATCH

As well as the football games in the final round of the league section and the very attractive hurling game involving the two city teams, there is a very big programme of games involving the other grades, listed for many venues.

GROUP 1

There are all sorts of possibilities and having examined the position very closely, I can (among other things) visualise four teams ending up with six points and having to play-off for the two positions that will remain undecided. That won't happen if results turn out in a different way to what I have been imagining when considering all the permutations. The whole matter would be solved if Stradbally and Kilrossanty won their matches. I don't seriously expect either of them to survive against their opponents on this weekend. Maybe they will?

DUNGARVAN V KILMACTHOMAS

This is the first on my list of fixtures for the weekend and it is quite possible that the result may make no difference. Kilmacthomas are going to be relegated in any case - win or lose - and as far as I know they won't be sorry to be in division 3 next year. A win for Dungarvan is very likely unless they show a further lapse of form. If they take the points, they will have six - the same as Kilrossanty and Stradbally if these teams are beaten. Here, the unfortunate thing is that Stradbally and Kilrossanty will still have a match to play. But it does leave Dungarvan with an outside chance, so I can see them going all out against Kilmac' here.

NIRE V TRAMORE

At the moment, Tramore have twice as many points as the Nire and if they bring their total to 8 after a win here, they just might have a chance of getting into the top four. The Nire with only three points after five matches, have their backs to the wall and as things stand now, it will take a near miracle to get them back into contention. The last time, in

which they met was in 1993 and the Nire en route to their first county senior title, really crushed Tramore (1-18 to 1-4). After that their fate will depend on how some of the teams further up on the league table fare, over the weekend.

STRADBALLY V RATHGORMACK

Unbeaten after six matches and safely poised at the top of the table, Rathgormack are showing no signs of weakening and obviously they aim to go through the series without a defeat. After their first two games, I wrote Stradbally down as one of the clubs who were certain to qualify, but after that they let me down and went under to Dungarvan and Tramore. In fact, Tramore beat them by double scores. It seems that Stradbally have left their early season good form behind and whether or not they will recover sufficiently to beat Rathgormack, is a matter that will only be decided when they meet here. Stradbally desperately need to win as otherwise they are very unlikely to qualify. Rathgormack are given the vote.

KILROSSANTY V GAULTIER

Paul Foley is declared eligible to play with Gaultier (as he was from the start of the season), but whether or not he will be introduced, is a matter of speculation. Gaultier are in second position on the table behind Rathgormack and a win here would guarantee them a place in the top four. Kilrossanty showed a return to their best form when beating Dungarvan at Stradbally, before they beat Kilmacthomas in their next match. These wins have brought them up to six points and there with a chance if they can add a further two points here.

Successive wins against Dungarvan, Tramore and Kilmacthomas after playing an exciting draw with the Nire, must put them in with the better chance here.

MINOR HURLING FIXTURES

The cancellation of the minor hurling championship

programme because of the summer examinations, has put the Divisional Board under pressure, but nevertheless, they intend finishing as close as possible to the deadline. A full programme of fixtures is listed for Wednesday of next week and the subsequent rounds will be played off in quick succession.

July 26th Abbeyside V Tal-low at Leamybrien; Dungarvan V Lismore at Cappoquin; 'B', An Gaeltacht V Cappoquin at Colligan; Ardmore V Naomh Brid at Abbeyside; Clashmore V Stradbally at Dungarvan club grounds; Caislean Cuanach V Colligan at Fraher field. (all games 7.30 p.m.)

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL GAMES

The Board are proceeding with round five of this championship and in which some clubs are in arrears. As I wrote two weeks ago, this is the most wide open championship of all, but after this round an amount of sorting out will be done and a picture, of sorts, will begin to emerge.

FAHA V ARDMORE

Faha are the leaders and look certain to qualify. They will want to finish at the top of the table and will keep going all out in their remaining matches. Ardmore have two wins and two defeats and will need to keep winning games from here on in. If they can reproduce the form which enabled them to beat Shamrocks and Geraldines, they have a reasonable chance. But Faha will be fancied to win here. The game is at Bushy Park on Friday at 8 p.m.

OTHER GAMES

The three other intermediate fixtures will be played on Saturday. The game at Ardmore will give Shamrocks what might be their last chance of getting into the running, when they take on Clashmore, who recently suffered a shock defeat by Ring at Dungarvan. Clashmore will be strongly fancied to win this one.

The meeting of the Brick-ey's and ring is scheduled for

Old Parish venue and this is a game that many supporters will want to see. Their clash in the '94 championship was one of the highlights of the competition as Brickey's ran out worthy winners on a 2-8 to 1-6 scoreline. Ring's recent display against the hotly fancied Clashmore was something of an eye-opener for all the others. I think the Gaeltacht side will win here.

Geraldines v Ballinameela is fixed for Bushy Park and although the Aglish team have had a couple of good wins to date, they will find it very difficult to overcome Ballinameela. Last year, Ballinameela received a walk-over from the Geraldines who were then concentrating on winning the junior hurling championships.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL GAMES

The meeting of Eire Og and Ballinacourty 'B' team should prove to be a big local attraction in the first game at Fraher field on Friday evening. Both are unbeaten so far, each having scored decisive wins over Stradbally in recent games. This will be followed by the Seana Phobal versus Modeligo junior game at 8 p.m. Both clubs are doing poorly up to now, so the result here will set one of them up for a return to a winning sequence.

Emmetts and Lismore meet at Cappoquin on Friday evening and this is expected to be a close encounter as it was when they clashed last year and played an exciting 1-7 a piece draw.

SENIOR FOOTBALL 'B' ALL IRELAND

Waterford County Board have been notified of their game with Limerick in the second round of the 'B' All Ireland championship which will be played at Fraher field on Tuesday evening August 1st at 7.30 p.m.

We were scheduled to play the winners of the Limerick/Clare first round match, but, surprisingly, Clare withdrew (probably because of pressures of club championships due to their hurling success).

Unfortunately other counties have shown a similar lack of interest, with the result that only nine counties are now to compete. Maybe counties feel that the timing of this championship is unsatisfactory. It could be a great competition for counties beaten in their first game, but it is not anymore.

Our last game in the 'B' championship was against Carlow here at Fraher field last year, when we failed narrowly to the Leinster team.

Beating Limerick here in Dungarvan should be well within our capabilities and if we do, we will play either Tipperary or Wexford in the semi-final.

OUTSTANDING FOOTBALL GAMES

Two outstanding senior football games, and the results of which can be crucial in deciding on the make-up of the final stage of the championship, have been fixed for Saturday of next week at Fraher field.

At 6.45 p.m. Nire will play Kilrossanty and at 8 p.m. Stradbally play.

S.H.C. MT. SION V ROANMORE

This is the only outstanding match in Division 1 of the championship and it is fixed for Portlaw on Sunday next. In their last game, Roanmore defeated Dunhill and before that they surprisingly beat Ballygunner, who have since defeated Mount Sion. This is a tricky one to figure and it could go down to the wire. Last year, Mount Sion beat Roanmore by 3-11 to 0-15 after the champions got a couple of easy goals. It may not be like that on this occasion.

A win for Roanmore would give them a chance of a play-off for the fourth spot in the top Division. A win for Mount Sion would guarantee them a place in the semi-final.

DIVISION 2 MATCHES

Only outstanding game in the second division is the Erin's Own versus Four-mile-water game and this will likely be played on the next free weekend, which is the 6th August. This is a vital tie, as it will determine the final placings in this section. Ballyduff are safe and the second spot will be filled by the winners of the above teams.

DIVISION 2 FOOTBALL

If Ballinacourty and St. Saviours win their games

over the weekend, the group winners are decided. On the other hand, if either of them are beaten, the result of the Sliabh gCua v Dunhill game will mean that a play-off will be necessary in deciding which two teams go forward to the knock-out stages. Sliabh gCua, with six points, have a game in hand, so they have a possible 10 points that would bring them level with Ballinacourty and Saviours, if these are beaten in their final game on this weekend.

BALLINACOURTY V BUTLERSTOWN

It will be a big shock if Ballinacourty are beaten in this one. Butlerstown are down at the bottom of the league table with just a single win in their six games to date. Ballinacourty have ten points and are reasonably safe, even if beaten. A Ballinacourty win is predicted.

NEWTOWN V AFFANE

The result is only a formality as both clubs are out of contention, but from the point of view of relegation it is very important for Newtown who are a league point behind Butlerstown. Affane have been showing better form in the last few matches and will be favourites here.

SAVIOURS V BONMAHON

So far Bonmahon have given a good account of themselves since winning the intermediate title last year and scored a big win over their neighbours, Newtown in their sixth match in the series. They are very unlikely to beat Saviours who share the top spot with Ballinacourty and are almost certain to qualify. It must be Saviours here.

DUNHILL V SLIABH GCUA

A win for Dunhill will put them on nine points, which is just one short of leaving them with a slight chance of qualifying. Regardless of the result here they are gone from the championship.

The story is different as far as Sliabh gCua are concerned as they are still in the championship with an outside chance if they win here. My personal opinion is that they are not going to make it to the knock-out stages, but as they see it, I'm sure they are giving themselves some chance and will try hard for a win here.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

MUNSTER MINOR FOOTBALL REPLAY

Fourteen-Man Waterford Team Lose To Tipp.

TIPPERARY 1-9 WATERFORD 0-8

This was the replay of a match that Waterford minor footballers should have won at Thurles on the previous Thursday evening, but did not because they were forced to surrender a six points lead which they held well into the second half.

In Thurles we led by 1-3 to 0-3 at half time and having extended this by a further three points, we looked to be heading for the Munster final against Cork or Kerry in Tralee next Sunday. The final score in Thurles was 1-6 to 0-9.

We gave Tipperary a second chance and a huge crowd, approximately 2,000

turned up at Fraher Field on Sunday evening in the expectation that we would repeat last year's win against the same opposition at Stradbally.

Waterford began very well and playing against the stiff breeze went 0-3 to 0-2 in front after just six minutes. Tipperary centre forward Brian McGuire sent over two

early points from frees and Waterford replied with points from play by Derek Hayes, Kevin Lenane and Sean Murphy. The team which showed 8 positional changes from the programme team were playing confidently when disaster struck in the form of a sending-off in the 9th minute. Centre half back Jimmy Sheehan was judged to have been involved in an off the ball incident and was dismissed by Limerick referee G. Haugh. This led to a reshuffle and this seemed to be working very well for a while. Mark Radley put us two points up before Terry Kerins pointed in the 21st and 23rd minutes to level the scores at 0-4 each. It was that way at half time.

In fact we held them to level pegging for 12 minutes before the impact of the inequality of numbers began to leave its effect. Tipperary were using the extra player as a third midfield man and the resultant pressure on Waterford began to take its toll, but it must be said that there was no question of surrender and the team continued to perform with great courage and grit.

In the 4th minute of the second half, Mark O'Shea broke through for a Tipperary goal and Mark Ryan followed with a point two minutes later to give them a four points lead in the 36th min. Both sides tacked on four points in the remaining 25 minutes, our scores were by Seamus O'Rourke (2), Mark Radley and Colin Walsh.

After the game the general feeling was that at full strength, we could have on. It was very disappointing for the players and mentors to have gone out, having been so close to qualifying and having played very well in their three matches.

Scorers: Tipperary — M. O'Shea 1-1, B. McGuire 0-2, T. Kearns 0-2, M. Ryan, P. McSweeney, D. O'Dwyer and T. Keane 0-1 each. Waterford — M. Radley 0-2, S. O'Rourke 0-2, D. Hayes, K. Lenane, S. Murphy and C. Walsh 0-1 each.

Waterford — G. Arrigan, B. Cliffe, G. Cullinane, C. Barrett, F. Halpin, J. Sheehan, K. Curran, D. Hayes (capt.), M. Radley, C. Keane, S. Murphy, S. O'Rourke, K. Lenane, W. Kavanagh, R. Walsh. Subs. — C. Walsh for K. Lenane; W. Fennelly for M. Radley. Ref. G. Haugh, Limerick.

B. Hourigan, L. O'Brien, M. Donovan, R. O'Donnell, P. O'Mahony, T. Curran, E. Power, B. Maher, M. Power, B. O'Mahony, M. Curran, R. Power, D. French, J. Salmon. Sub. — M. Keating for R. Power.

Brickeys — O. Fitzgerald, G. Collins, G. McGrath, A. Murphy, G. Whelan, V. O'Brien, C. Fitzgerald, P. Ryan, J. McGrath, B. Collins, A. Spratt, D. Cooney, B. Donnelly, M. Hickey, P. Lane. Subs. — C. Keane for P. Lane, M. McCarthy for C. Fitzgerald, J. Curran for M. Hickey.

Referee — M. Curley, Tallow.

PRESENTATION

In presenting the cup to the winning captain, Board Chairman Paddy Walsh paid tribute to both teams for a very spirited contest. For the winners it was their first hurling trophy and, he said, no one would begrudge them their hour of glory. (The Brickeys won the junior hurling championship in 1941 and again in 1945 when they made history by winning the junior double). Responding as Gaeilge, team captain, Luke O'Brien, said it was an historic occasion and he thanked everyone on the panel, the club officers, trainer Liam O'Donnell and the big support from their parish. He also paid tribute to the Brickeys for a great contest.

JUNIOR HURLING 'B' FINAL

Historic Win For Old Parish

OLD PARISH 0-10
BRICKEY RANGERS 0-9

After a week of high-powered activity with several so-called important events making the headlines, I feel compelled to make space to report on an historical result which came at the end of a very entertaining and spirited junior hurling 'B' final, played at Fraher Field on Friday evening last.

Old Parish, one of our longest existing and traditional football clubs, won their first ever hurling title when very narrowly defeating Brickey Rangers in as close a contest as we have ever seen in this grade.

Four times in the first half they were level, they were level at half time and all through the second half it was tit-for-tat with the winners managing to stay just fractionally ahead after B. O'Mahoney's 33rd minute point gave them a lead that they were to hold to the end. In the closing seven minutes, Brickey's exerted tremendous pressure in an effort to pull the game out of the fire, but thank to hero of the hour, Alan Leahy in goal for Old Parish, they were able to hold out for a narrow win.

Scorers: Old Parish — E. Power 0-5, M. Curran 0-2, B. O'Mahony, M. Keating, L. O'Brien 0-1 each. Brickeys — J. McGrath 0-6, B. Donnelly, C. Keane and L. O'Brien 0-1 each.

Old Parish — A. Leahy,



▲ A group of hurlers from Fourmilkwater G.A.A. Club who attended the Dungarvan hurling camp

Lismore Hurling Camp

Niamh Ryan, Presentation Convent, Lismore, 9 Years Old — Has brilliant basic skill and great control with the hurley. A great striker who scored some great goals in mini-game. She is niece of tallow and Waterford great Timmy Sheehan.

Seamus Hannon, Ballyduff N.S. — A tough little hurler with blinding speed. 60 metres winner of All-Ireland Community

Games last year. a defender in the real Ballyduff mould. strong in the tackle and a good striker. Son of former Waterford great Seamus Hannon.

The Lismore Club had everything in order and a special word of thanks to Christy and the FAS lads for all their help. Next week's hurling camp will be held in Portlaw.

RESULTS ROUND-UP

I.H.C. CAPPOQUIN BEST Cappoquin 2-11 Ballydurn 0-5

This was a very close affair with Ballydurn leading by a single point 0-5 to 0-4 at half time. The leaders lost Andy Hubbard who was sidelined in the second half and then their game fell apart when Tommy Sullivan broke through for 2 goals within 30 seconds to set Cappoquin on their way to victory. Ballydurn failed to score in the second half.

Referee — Pat Moore, Abbeyside.

KILL SURPRISE Kill 1-9 Ring 1-8

This result was a turn-up for the books as Ring had been fancied and looked as if they would take the points in this one without too much of an effort. Indeed at the end of the first quarter, Ring, playing against a stiff breeze and heavy rain, were having the better of things. Kill, the '94 junior champions began to play better as the first half moved on and at the break were 0-5 to 0-3 in front.

The winners improved their game in the second half against the breeze and ran out narrow winners to give them their third victory so far. A Michael Kelly goal in the last seconds won it for Kill.

UNEXPECTED RESULT Colligan 2-9 St. Mollerans 3-6

This draw was an unexpected result and a setback

for Colligan's chances of qualifying. It was close all the way, but spectators present waited for the moment when Colligan would begin to pull away and win with a bit to spare.

Two second half dismissals, Jimmy Beresford for Colligan and Ger O'Shea for Mollerans, effected the Western team more than the Eastern challengers.

THIRD WIN FOR VILLAGE Abbeyside 2-14 Ballysaggart 1-9

This was Abbeyside's third win and leaves them on top of their section. A report is given in the Cappoquin Sportsfield notes.

S.H.C. — SALLE'S WINNING NOTE De La Salle 2-10 Clonea 0-9

De La Salle began their 1995 campaign by beating Roanmore by a single point in a thrilling first round, they then beat Dunhill and how have ended on a winning note. In between they were a bit unlucky, losing to both Passage and Lismore by four points.

DUNGARVAN ANNIHILATE STRADBALLY Dungarvan 8-12 Stradbally 0-7

For their all important final match in the relegation game against Stradbally, Dungarvan decided to embark on a youth policy and field a team comprised in the main of under 21 players. The score in the game shows how successful the idea was when

they ended up with the second highest score of the entire championship.

In all the winners had eleven under 21 players in action and are now, no doubt, wondering if this policy had been adopted earlier, where they might stand in the final shake-up.

Stradbally had no answer and were beaten by the half way stage when Dungarvan led by 3-8 to 0-4. Stradbally will play in the intermediate championship next year and will be replaced above by the new intermediate champions.

OTHER RESULTS

In junior hurling, Kilrossanty had a good win over Modeligo and Tourin returning to winning form beating Glen Rovers decisively.

BALLYDUFF DEFEAT TALLOW

Division 2 table-toppers Ballyduff continued on their winning way when beating neighbours Tallow at Lismore on Sunday evening. As expected, the standard of hurling was good and the game proved very enjoyable. Report in the Tallow notes.

FIVE MATCHES

For the first time in history a total of five championship games were played at Fraher Field on the same day. That meant that in all, approximately 200 players were seen in action by those who saw all five games. Believe it or not, a few did see all matches.

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Reason For Clam Refusal "Not Good Enough" Says Wright

The recent decision by the Minister for the Marine Sean Barrett to turn down a fish culture licence to local company Waterford Clams Ltd. "in the public interest" was slammed last week by Waterford County Councillor Tony Wright.

An avid supporter of the proposed 69 acre clam farm in Dungarvan Harbour from day one, Cllr. Wright stingingly attacked Minister Barrett's aforementioned reason as "not good enough".

In a statement confirming his decision to refuse the licence, the Minister said that after the most detailed consideration of every aspect of the proposal, he believed it was "in the public interest" not to allow the clam growing development to go ahead.

Slamming the absence of 'detailed comprehensive reasons' why the application was refused, Cllr. Wright said that if the Department came up with "good scientific evidence" as to why the development should not go ahead, then he could live with that.

"I want to know specifically the reasons behind the ministerial refusal and how the decision was arrived at", said Cllr. Wright.

"LAPOF LUXURY"

In full support of Cllr. Wright, Cllr. Ciaran O Riain declared that from the word go, the clam growing venture "hadn't a hope".

Thoroughly critical of the Minister's thumbs down decision, Cllr. O Riain said the licence had been refused primarily due to the opposition of people living in the lap of luxury in the Dungarvan area. These people, he claimed, didn't give a damn about those without jobs.

Cllr. Tom Cunningham was also in favour of a full ministerial report on the grounds of the refusal. "It just isn't good enough for him to say that it is in the public interest", he said.

Welcoming the official refusal however, Cllr. Austin Flynn said Minister Barrett's decision wasn't taken lightly and had taken three months of consideration. Cllr. Flynn continued that the decision would be for the good of Dungarvan and the area as a whole.

County Manager Donal Connolly said the Council has absolutely nothing to hide in the matter. "Until we were fully satisfied that the development of a clam growing industry would not be in conflict with other users of Dungarvan harbour, we could not go along with it", he added.

Deasy On Halting Site Standards

Austin Deasy asked the Minister for the Environment his views on the fact that the standard of facilities for itinerants at halting sites are of a lesser standard than those available to the settled community in that they are provided on a communal basis.

Minister of State at the Department of the Environment Ms. Liz McManus replied, "Guidelines issued by my Department in 1985 to local authorities provided for separate facilities consisting of semi-detached service units with w.c., bathroom/shower and washroom for each bay on a permanent serviced caravan park (halting site). More recently, proposals received from local authori-

ties frequently provide for larger service blocks with additional living space e.g. kitchen and/or dining area. It is proposed to review the guidelines later this year. On temporary or transient halting sites, service facilities are generally provided on a communal basis due to the pattern of occupancy on these sites."

"Direct comparison between the standards of accommodation required by the settled community and those members of the traveller community who require halting site accommodation is not valid having regard in the nature of the accommodation provided by, and the way of life of the occupants of halting sites."

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