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Dungarvan Enjoys Bumper Féile Weekend

BY AISLING CONROY

The success of last year's Guinness Féile na nDéise was nothing compared to the festive atmosphere and crowded streets experienced in Dungarvan and surrounding areas over the weekend.

Hordes of visitors from Scotland, Wales, the U.S., England, Australia and every part of Ireland converged on the town for non-stop entertainment and craic as the second ever Féile was successfully staged over the May bank holiday weekend.

Although it is nearly impossible to put a figure on the number of musicians, visitors and entertainers who thronged the town for the weekend, suffice to say that the majority of guesthouses and B & B's in the area were packed to capacity.

A spokesperson for Dungarvan Tourist Office in Grattan Square reported an extremely busy weekend with many callers to the office right through to Monday. Bookings for local B & B's went very well and many guests stayed on after the feile for a few days.

Local guesthouse owner Nora Fahey, a member of the Féile organising committee, spoke of one visitor who had come all the way from America just to see the

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Pictured at the opening of Feile Na nDéise in Lawlors Hotel, Dungarvan were (from left) Micheal O Muircheartaigh, who formally opened the event, John Foley, Chairman, Carl Bowe, Area Representative Guinness Group Sales (sponsors) and Jim Joe Landers P.R.O. (Wyley)

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One of the most important power lines serving Dungarvan, Abbeyside and Clonea was damaged last Thursday night when vandals threw tyres at a 10,000 volt Transformer at the Council dump, Ballinamult, Dungarvan.

An estimated 1500 ESB customers were affected by the power cut which occurred at approximately 8.30 p.m. The damage to the line also brought up a fault in Kilnafrehan where householders were left with

no electricity until 1 p.m. the following day.

ESB workers moved immediately to rectify the problem although it took time to isolate the faults. The main urban area was reconnected within 90 minutes.

REVIEW OPTIONS

In an interview with the "Dungarvan Leader," area supervisor Michael Norris said Thursday's power cut was one of the largest fault outages the ESB has experienced.

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QUESTION

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ANSWER

If he was in receipt of a Contributory Old Age Pension, as his next of kin you should apply to Social Welfare for the Death Grant. An application form can be got from your nearest Social Welfare Office or Citizens Information Centre.

A Death Grant is payable on the death of an insured worker, the wife or husband of an insured worker, the widow or widower of an insured worker, a child under 18 years.

The maximum grant payable (if he met the PRSI requirements) is £100.

If he was in receipt of a Non Contributory Old Age Pension you should contact the Community Welfare Officer in your nearest Health Centre who may be able to provide assistance in the exceptional circumstances you describe.

(This column has been compiled by Dungarvan Community Information Centre which provides a free and confidential service to the citizen at the Courthouse, Dungarvan. Opening hours — Tuesday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Wednesday — 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Saturday — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Telephone No. 058-44633).



Pictured above receiving their certificates from the Burren College of Art, a group of students from the V.T.O.S. Centre, Dungarvan. Included (centre, front) is Brian Foley, History and Tourism teacher. —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

Successful Fundraising Night For M.S.

The Dungarvan Branch of Multiple Sclerosis held a very successful fundraising night at Crotty's of Leamybrien on April 20 last. Tony Coffey of Batchelor's In Trouble fame organises this outstanding fundraising event every year.

Tony faced a huge problem on Saturday evening, when the band that was originally

booked phoned to say they could not attend. Tony is such a well known character in the area, that he was able to put this to good use and came up with a band from Tramore for the night. He also has another hidden talent, that is of M.C. So Derek Davis, Gay Byrne and Marty Whelan beware, as you could have opposition for the Rose of Tralee this year.

The night was a great success with plenty of music, some excellent singers, variety, dancers, Irish music and dancing.

The Dungarvan M.S. Branch would like to thank the following people who made the night such a wonderful success. The band from Tramore, Lyre Ceili Band, Brana Murphy, Kilmacow for some excellent step dancing; The top class singers on the night — Paddy McGrath, Ger Walsh, John Jink's Power, Bridget King, Tom Dee, Mick Ahearne, Buddy Power, Sean Murphy (comedy), M.S. Variety Group La Passa.

We would also like to thank the sponsors who helped to make the night one to remember — Liam Brazil, Dungarvan Co-op, Andy Power, Leamybrien Service Station, Crotty's Pub, Sally Kiely, Mary Daly, Ina Bluett, Frank Murphy, Lyre Productions. Sean Lannon and his staff for being able to cope with a full house. All the patrons who supported M.S. on the night. Last, but not least, Tom Coffey for organising the night and doing a wonderful job as M.C.

ACCESS
The Dungarvan Branch of Multiple Sclerosis in conjunction with Waterford County Council are delighted to announce that the official opening of the excellent access facility at Clonea Beach will be held on May 10 at 8 p.m. This will consist of a short Ecumenical Service by Dean Weekes,

Lismore and Fr. Moylan from the Friary, followed by the official opening by Cllr. Oliver Coffey, Chairman of Waterford County Council. All are welcome to the opening ceremony.

THE HITS OF THE 60'S DANCE

The Dungarvan Branch of Multiple Sclerosis will hold a dance at the Park Hotel on

Thursday, May 16. This will be the Dungarvan M.S. contribution to the People In Need fund. This will be a great night with lots of local talent making a comeback for the night. This night should revive many happy memories for a lot of people in the Dungarvan area. There will be a limited number of tickets for this night.

Dungarvan Health Care Facilities To Be Upgraded

The Minister for Health, Michael Noonan T.D., has announced that the South Eastern Health Board is presently engaged in undertaking a major upgrading and development of the Health Care facilities in Dungarvan.

The Minister was replying to a query raised in the Dáil recently by Waterford Fine Gael Deputy Austin Deasy who asked if the Minister had any plans to update the quality of the Health Board offices for Community Welfare Officers and the general public with particular regard to the office at Dungarvan.

Minister Noonan added that this development, which includes offices for the Community Welfare Officers, is on the priority list for 1996 and is at the advanced planning stage.

Prizeinners At Feis Maitiu 1996



Above are pictured some local children who won prizes for solo English verse-speaking at Feis Maitiu, Cork. The Feis, this year celebrating 70 years of competition, is one of the largest of its kind in Europe and had in excess of 17,000 competitors. The adjudicators were Mary Greenslade, A.G.S.M., Ann Newson, L.R.A.M., R.A.M. (Dip.). Front row (left to right) — Eimear O'Connell, Ballinamult, Daniel Flynn, Ballinamult, William Morrissey, Old Parish, Seamus Healy, Old Parish, Pdraig Healy, Old Parish, Katie Cullinan, Kilbrien; 2nd row — Niamh Coffey, Ballinamult, Julie Skehan, Ballinamult, Eileen Morrissey, Old Parish, Richard Flynn, Ballinamult; 3rd row — David Flynn, Ballinamult, Tara Skehan, Ballinamult, Edmund Cullinan, Kilbrien; back row — Yvonne Harrington, Ballinameela, Caroline Queally, Kilbrien, Catherine Osborne, Aglish, Clodagh Corr, Aglish. Another prizewinner was Casey Fitzgerald, Old Parish, who is not included in photo. All the children are taught by Mary Flynn, Ballinamult.

Leader Crossword Solutions

SIMPLEX SOLUTIONS

ACROSS: 1 Envisage; 7 Pose; 8 Tranship; 9 Settle; 11 Drastic; 12 Miner; 14 Event; 15 Rosette; 17 Steers; 20 Squatter; 21 Rein; 22 Receipts. DOWN: 1 Errs; 2 Vans; 3 Spheric; 4 Gypsy; 5 Fortunate; 6 Rehearse; 10 Daredevil; 11 Dressers; 13 Confuse; 16 Issue; 18 Step; 19 Mess.

QUICK SOLUTIONS

ACROSS: 1 Champion; 7 Jeep; 8 Petition; 9 Compel; 11 Mourner; 12 Often; 14 Numbs; 15 Mistake; 17 Mirage; 20 Routines; 21 Nest; 22 Verbatim. DOWN: 1 Chef; 2 Axis; 3 Pointed; 4 Ounce; 5 Perpetual; 6 Opulence; 10 Summarise; 11 Monument; 13 Disturb; 16 Serve; 18 Jilt; 19 Helm.

Accountancy Technician Course — I.A.T.I. At Dungarvan Technical College

The Institute of Accountancy Technicians in Ireland offers a full-time 2-year Accountancy Technician Course in Dungarvan Technical College. The Institute was founded in 1983 under the sponsorship of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland. Today the I.A.T.I. has 1,250 members and over 3,000 students, of whom, mature and working students are becoming increasingly prominent.

Trained Accounting Technicians have the competence to produce a full set of financial accounts; deal with the Revenue Commissioners and cover issues such as corporation tax, P.A.Y.E., P.R.S.I. and V.A.T. Returns. The subject examined by the I.A.T.I. include — Accounting, Taxation, Company and Business Law, Computerised Accounts, Business Management and Information Technology. Having completed the 2-year course and having received relevant work experience, students will be offered full membership of the Accounting Institute. Persons are then entitled to use the designatory letters M.I.A.T.I. signifying their membership. Students are placed in work experience on a one-day per week basis. This course has a very high job placement record in the accountancy field both at home and abroad.

QUOTES FROM PAST STUDENTS

David Doyle — "The I.A.T.I. course, I believe, can best be described as a launching pad, from which

one can branch out into whatever sector of the financial services market he/she so chooses. From my own experiences I have already been employed in a manufacturing company (one and a half years), the services industry (one year) and at present an accountancy practice, since completing my examination in 1993. Without this course I would never have found such employment."

Mary Brazil — "I studied the 2-year Accounting Technician course which was very beneficial to me. The I.A.T.I. course has many benefits, it is an employment orientated course, where relevant work experience is gained in an office related environment, throughout the 2 years.

"I am now employed by Flahavan & Sons Ltd., Kilmacthomas where I gained my work experience in year one of the course, having gained sufficient work experience, i.e. 2 years. I look forward to becoming a member of the I.A.T.I.

"The I.A.T.I. is also an ideal stepping stone to further education and qualifications in the accountancy field."

Ian Tyrell — "Having left Dungarvan Technical College, I along with 3 other students from the College gained employment as Financial Analysts in the Database Company, Whitemill Industrial Estate, Wexford. My job involves analysing accounts for U.K. companies, and then writing credit reports on these companies. I have since been promoted to specialising in accounting and software

problems in the U.K. market. I must reiterate that the Accounting Technician qualifications I attained in Dungarvan Technical College opened the door to my current position."

Anna Morrissey — I found the 2 year Accounting Technician course in Dungarvan Technical College most beneficial. I have gained a valuable business qualification which is

utilised in my current position as Accounts Administrator in Kiely's Brewery, Waterford. Qualification as an Accounting Technician enhances your competence and chances of advance-

ment. I have already been to Japan and intend to return there for more experience. I would highly recommend this course offered at a local centre to prospective students."

COMPENSATION TRIBUNAL FOR CERTAIN PERSONS WHO HAVE CONTRACTED HEPATITIS C FROM ANTI-D IMMUNOGLOBULIN, BLOOD TRANSFUSION OR OTHER BLOOD PRODUCTS

- I The Compensation Tribunal established by the Minister for Health on 15th December 1995 is now dealing with applications from:
- women who have been diagnosed positive for Hepatitis C antibodies or Hepatitis C virus resulting from the use of Human Immunoglobulin - anti D within the State;
 - persons who have been diagnosed positive for Hepatitis C antibodies or Hepatitis C virus as a result of receiving a blood transfusion or a blood product within the State;
 - children and partners of persons referred to at (a) and (b) above who have been diagnosed positive for Hepatitis C antibodies and/or Hepatitis C virus;
 - persons responsible for the maintenance of any of the persons referred to at (a), (b) and (c) above, and who have incurred financial loss, and/or incurred expenses, as a direct result of providing such maintenance arising from the condition diagnosed and referred to at (a), (b) and (c) above;
 - dependents of such persons at (a), (b) and (c) above where such person has died as a result of having contracted Hepatitis C.

Persons described at (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) above may make application for compensation on the prescribed application form, which may be obtained from:

Gerard Nugent
Secretary to the Compensation Tribunal
Block C
Arran Court
Arran Quay
Dublin 7
Ph 01 872 9255 Fax 01 872 9454

- II The Scheme requires such applications to be made (a) not later than six months from the date of the establishment of the Compensation Tribunal or (b) the date when the claimant becomes aware of such a diagnosis (whichever is the later) except where otherwise provided in Clause 19 of the Scheme.
- III Copies of the Compensation Scheme may also be obtained from the Secretary to the Compensation Tribunal on request.

Please note that the six month period, referred to at clause II(a) above, expires on 17th June 1996.

Dail Question On St. Declan's, Kilmacthomas

Deputy Brendan Kenneally asked the following question in the Dail: —

"To ask the Minister for Education when a meeting will take place between the Building Unit of her Department and the design team attached to Saint Declan's Community College, Kilmacthomas, County Waterford, as was promised in her letter to Deputy Kenneally on 14 February, 1996; and if she will make a statement on the matter."

The Minister replied as follows:

"The Department's Senior Architect with previous responsibility for this project has very recently retired. It is envisaged that his replacement will be ap-

pointed very shortly and it will then be possible to arrange a Planning and Briefing meeting between County Waterford VEC, the school's Design Team and the Department's Officials in order to discuss the Architectural Planning of this extension.

"The School Principal and the VEC have been notified of the position. I would like to assure the Deputy that I am fully aware of the urgent need for this extension at St. Declan's Community College and I will ensure that every effort is made to progress the Architectural Planning of this extension so that the new building may proceed at the earliest opportunity."

Colourful History Of Gypsy People

A GYPSY encampment in a field or stretch of land near the road is a fairly familiar sight to many of us.

But have you ever stopped to wonder why they are there and how gypsy tribes originated?

In "Gypsies" by Thomas Acton (Macdonald Educational) we learn about their strange and colourful history.

The ancestors of the gypsies lived in north-west India over 1,000 years ago.

They were people from the lowest Hindu castes, such as sweepers and blacksmiths, who found they could earn a better living by becoming nomads.

On their travels they made and sold pots, pans and jew-

ellery and also entertained the villagers.

As the centuries passed, these nomads began to travel out of India to Persia and southern Europe.

Outside India, other people found it necessary to band together, and these groups eventually became the people we call gypsies.

For many centuries, most gypsies lived in tents. But when roads improved and they needed better vehicles to travel in, the horse-drawn caravan made its appearance in the early 19th

century.

Some of these were simple, others were elaborate and beautifully decorated.

In the 1950s, most nomadic gypsies began to use modern aluminium caravans drawn by lorries.

Not all gypsies travel about — some rent or buy houses.

Most prefer to be self-employed. They like to do a job for someone, be paid for it and move on.

Many are professional showmen, others make and sell such items as paper flowers.

Those who live in or near towns buy rubbish from householders and recycle it.

This accounts for the piles of rubbish which are sometimes seen near gypsy encampments.

In fact gypsies are a particularly clean people. Although they follow many different religions now, special rules on hygiene, especially on food preparation, are followed coming from Hinduism, the religion of their Indian forbears.

When a gypsy dies, he is usually given a religious burial, then his possessions are smashed and clothes burnt.

A nomad's caravan or tent is burnt, too — not to do so is a sign of poverty.



What do you know?

1. What type of food do tortoises live on?
2. Which well-known rodent builds a nest called a "drey"?
3. The largest underground railway in the world is in (a) London, (b) Paris, (c) New York?
4. Officially he is Lord Stansgate, but he renounced his title to remain plain — what?
5. Which famous Frenchman crossed Niagra Falls on a tightrope?
6. Which country was the first to give women the vote?
7. Mickey Mouse first appeared in (a) 1910, (b) 1918, (c) 1923?
8. What, in furniture language, would you call a chest of drawers or a chair containing a chamberpot?
9. What do we call a gathering of Welsh Bards?
10. The Kyber mountain pass cuts between what two countries?

Answers: 1. Usually grass and leaves. 2. The squirrel. 3. (a) London, 4. Anthony Wedgwood Benn. 5. Jules Blondin. 6. New Zealand (in 1893). 7. (b) 1918. 8. A commode. 9. Eisteddfod. 10. Afghanistan and (north west) Pakistan.

Junior Encyclopaedia

The Hedgehog

HEDGEHOGS are shy creatures. We all may have them in our garden and not know. If you think you have a hedgehog in your garden it likes to eat bread and milk, but it will run away if you try to make friends with it.

A lot of us only see dead hedgehogs which have been killed by cars. If a hedgehog sees a car coming it will behave instinctively. Its instincts say that there is a large predator approaching so it allows itself to be confronted. It rolls itself into a ball and remains still. If it is a fox approaching — it just finds the hedgehogs prickles as a bothersome irritation, but if it is a car it just drives over it.

The hedgehog has an unusual habit of self-anointing. It spreads saliva over its body and we think it is for its own protection. This ritual is performed usually after the hedgehog has chewed something which was very bitter or sweet or had a leathery taste.

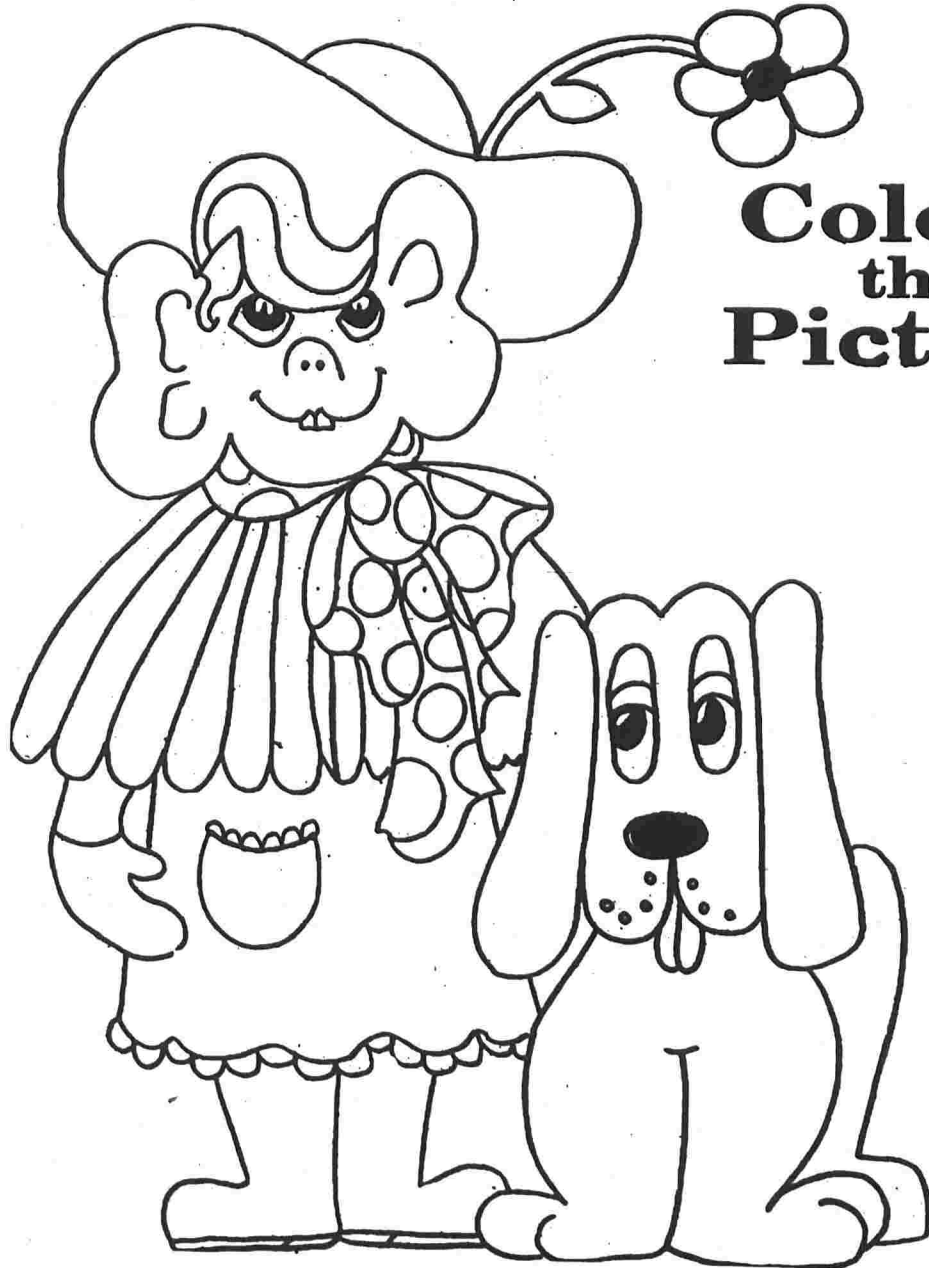
When hedgehogs are mating, they are very loud. The male courts the female by circling around her continually for an hour or so, usually at dusk when both sexes forget their shyness. The hedgehogs snort loudly while mating.

Gypsies used to eat hedgehogs, but now only badgers and foxes eat them. You could have a hedgehogs nest in your garden, if it has plenty of ground cover. After mating between the hedgehogs has taken place, the male disappears leaving the female to bring up their young. The female is very protective of her young and will not let any other creature near them. If you uncover a hedgehogs nest accidentally, the female either moves her young to another nesting place or eats them in case they are harmed.

When the baby hedgehogs are born, they are blind and spineless with little pimples dotted all over their little bodies. From these pimples the spines grow and these are soft and whitish at first. Within hours of birth the first spines sprout to life.



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DID YOU KNOW?

by AL 190

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IN SOUTH AMERICA THERE IS A TREE CALLED THE BRAZILWOOD AND IT IS FROM THIS THAT THE COUNTRY, BRAZIL, TAKES ITS NAME.

Kyne In Bid To Contest Next General Election

By AISLING CONROY

In the run up to the next General Election, political party strategies are now to the fore in nearly every constituency around the country. No more so than the Waterford constituency where the Labour party is currently at loggerheads over a possible second nomination to contest the pending national electoral battle.

The first signs of Labour party plans in the Waterford constituency for the next General Election surfaced at a meeting in Waterford on Friday 19th April. Present were elected public representatives from Waterford Co. Council, Waterford City Corporation, Dungarvan UDC and the Lismore and Tramore Town Commissioners together with executive chairman Jack Walsh and secretary Michael O'Brien. Minister of State at the Department of Health, Brian O'Shea, failed to attend.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

It was obvious from the outset of the meeting that a major conflict of interest existed between city delegates and western county delegates over Cllr. Billy Kyne taking the option of fielding as the second Labour party candidate together with sitting T.D., Brian O'Shea of Tramore.

At the meeting, Cllr. Kyne's supporters (who included Cllr. Paddy Power, Cllr. Lar Hart and Lismore Town Commissioner

Bernard Leddy), strongly pointed out that prior to the last General Election of 1992, a commitment was given to the effect that the Abbeyside Councillor's name would be allowed on the 'party ticket' in the next electoral battle. They disclosed that Kyne gave Minister O'Shea a 'free run' in the last election which helped him on to record the highest ever first preference vote by a Labour candidate in the four seat constituency.

From the city side however, a strong case was made to retain only one candidate, i.e. Brian O'Shea, and it was stressed that the favourable wind of '92 would not be blowing behind Labour in the forthcoming election.

On the insistence of Dungarvan Councillor Lar Hart a vote was taken which resulted in a 5-4 decision that only one candidate would contest the election. The vote was clearly divided on an East/West line with Kyne's fellow Waterford Co. Council member Paddy O'Callaghan siding with his city colleagues.

The often heated and acrimonious meeting saw Kyne reiterate his opinion since the 1992 election that the real chance of a second seat for Labour was denied him by party strategists.

IN HANDS OF O'SHEA
While the debate continues, Dungarvan activists held a direct meeting last week with Junior Minister Brian O'Shea. It now seems inevitable that Kyne and his supporters are putting the decision to let him run, directly at the door of the sitting T.D.

In statements made on local radio and in the local press, Cllr. Lar Hart said it is not the Labour party's intention in the West to ignore votes of delegates but the issue is simply in the hands of Junior Minister Brian O'Shea. "If he wants Billy Kyne to go, he is in the perfect position to say that publicly and he should be in no doubt that many people in West Waterford are of the same opinion", he stated.

While nothing fresh has happened since last week's statements, it is obvious that this selection headache for Labour and particularly for Brian O'Shea will not go away and is sure to become more apparent in the weeks ahead.

In an interview with the 'Dungarvan Leader', Cllr. Kyne confirmed that he



CLLR. BILLY KYNE

feels entitled to the second nomination and insisted that the uncertainty will be over one way or another by the end of May.

POPULAR CANDIDATE

A popular urban councillor in Dungarvan, Billy Kyne was the highest polling Labour candidate in the last urban election in 1994, when he was elected on the first count with 476 votes. He is now in his 17th year as a member of the local UDC since he was first elected in 1979, having been successfully reelected to the Urban Council in 1985.

The Abbeyside man is also a well known member of Waterford County Council since his co-option in 1981 on the death of his father Tom. He successfully contested his first County Council election in 1985 when he polled 818 votes and was re-elected again in 1991 when he topped the poll in the

Dungarvan electoral area.

Having followed in the footsteps of his late father into the local political arena, Cllr. Kyne now wants to go one step further and emulate his father's Dáil achievement. The late Cllr. Tom Kyne held a seat in the Dáil with distinction for many years until his retirement in the early '80's. Billy has already tried his luck at winning a Dáil seat when in 1981 he stood unsuccessfully in the General Election. At that time however Labour was at a low ebb in the country and Kyne failed to break 1,600 votes.

Much has changed since his last election campaign however as Kyne has worked hard in the interim for a major increase in party votes in the constituency, particularly in the West. Labour has now established itself as the largest party in Dungarvan with three of the nine seats on the Urban Council.

By standing to one side in the last General Election, Kyne enabled Brian O'Shea to benefit from a massive first preference vote in the Dungarvan electoral area. Now Kyne's supporters are looking for suitable recognition of his efforts in the form of a 'pay back' on the pledge given to him in 1992 that he contest the next General Election as part of a Labour two-man team.

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WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL HOUSING (REGISTRATION OF RENTED HOUSES) REGULATIONS 1996

Waterford County Council wishes to advise that the above regulations came into operation on 1st May, 1996.

Under these Regulations Landlords are obliged to apply to the relevant Local Authority to have the tenancy of rented houses registered. The Public Register kept by the Council will *only* show the address of the house, a description of the house and the date of receipt of the application to register. The Public register will *not* include the names of the Landlord or tenant, or the amount of rent.

- Where a house is already let on 1st May, 1996, the landlord must apply for registration within 2 months of that date.
- Where a house is let after 1st May, 1996, the landlord must apply for registration within 1 month of the date of letting.

A separate application must be made in respect of each house rented and a fee of £40.00 is payable for each application.

An Application Form to register the tenancy of a house with Waterford County Council may be obtained from:—

HOUSING SECTION,
WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL,
ARUS BRUGH, DUNGARVAN,
CO. WATERFORD.

Brian McNally, County Secretary.

Minister Reports On Development At Youghal C.B.S.

The Minister for Education Niamh Breathnach has written to Fine Gael T.D. Austin Deasy regarding the development plans for Youghal C.B.S. Secondary School at Golf Links Road.

Deputy Deasy has previously written to the Minister enquiring about possible funding for the building project and the installation of a lift at the school.

The Minister said that the accommodation requirements of the post primary schools in the area, including the need for physical education facilities, have been examined by the Dept. in consultation with the school authorities. The schedules of accommodation for both schools have been agreed, she confirmed.

The Dept. now hopes to start the architectural planning of this work as soon as possible. As part of the proposed building project, the Minister disclosed that a lift for the disabled children attending the school will also be planned.

A.I.B. Dungarvan Launch Kidney Awareness Week In Dungarvan



Pictured at the launch in the AIB Branch Dungarvan were (left to right) — John Connery, John Moran, Assistant Manager AIB, Mary Mannion, Birdie Conway, Mary Smith, Hannah Foley, Vera Smith AIB and Sean Murphy.

—(Photo: Sean Byrne).

At an informal ceremony at the local branch of AIB, Mr. John Moran, Asst. Manager launched the donor week which this year is sponsored by the AIB Group. In a new de-

parture the bank has combined its AIB Banklink card with the Organ Donor Card. As we all know the need for organ donation is great and the success of the campaign in Ireland

means that many who are awaiting transplant can look forward in great hope. We can be very proud of the people of Dungarvan and Co. Waterford who have been very generous to

this cause over the years and the support during the Donor Week was especially great. Thanks to the Bank and to the local committee who braved the elements to take up the collection.

RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Catherine Sheila Downey

It is with great sadness and regret we place on record the death of Mrs. Catherine Sheila Downey, late of Ardo, Ardmore, which occurred on Thursday, April 25 at St. Joseph's Hospital, after a duration of illness and about three months stay in hospital. The deceased was wife of Paddy Downey and mother of three daughters Ellen, Noreen and Kay.

She was a general favourite over a wide area, especially in the Ardmore district where she was better known. She was lady with many fine qualities which won for her great popularity. She was a wonderful, kind and loving wife and mother who brought up her family with true Christian values and they now bear witness to that effect.

To her sorrowing husband Paddy, daughters, sons-in-law, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, we tender our deepest condolences.

Her removal took place on Friday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Declan's Church, Ardmore, after prayers and rosary were recited by Very Rev. D. Canon O'Connor, P.P. A very large and most impressive cortege was present, thus testifying to her great popularity. On arrival her coffin was blessed and received by Canon O'Connor.

Requiem Mass was offered on Saturday morning for the repose of her gentle soul and the funeral then took place immediately afterwards to the new cemetery, Ardmore, where the interment took place in the family plot. Canon O'Connor was celebrant of the Mass and also officiated at the graveside amid manifestation of deep sorrow from the very large concourse present.

Chief mourners — Paddy

(husband), Mrs. Ellen Ronnisvalli, Miss Noreen Downey, Mrs. Kay Ruddy (daughters), sons-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, cousins, relatives and her many friends.

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

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

Late Maura Flynn

A great gloom was cast over a wide area of Ardmore at the announcement of the death of Maura Flynn, Duffcarrick, Ardmore, which occurred unexpectedly on Sunday evening, April 28. She was a daughter of Mrs. Bridget and of the late Jimmy Flynn.

The deceased was a most popular member of the local community by reason of her jovial disposition and her great willingness to help others when the occasion arose. She possessed a kind and charitable disposition and her passing has been the cause of much sorrow and regret.

To her sorrowing mother, sisters and young Bobby, we wish to tender our sincere sympathy on her great loss.

Her removal took place on Monday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to Ardmore Church followed by a huge cortege which was representative of all sections of the local community and on arrival her coffin was blessed and received by Very Rev. D. Canon O'Connor, P.P., assisted by Rev. P. Butler, C.C.

Requiem Mass was offered on Tuesday morning for the repose of her soul. The celebrant was Canon O'Connor and afterwards the funeral took place to the new cemetery, Ardmore, where Canon O'Connor imparted the final absolution at the graveside.

Another huge concourse of mourners, friends and sympathisers were present to pay their final respects and to sympathise with her nearest and dearest.

Chief mourners — mother, Mrs. Bridget Flynn, sisters Pauline and Una; and Bobby; cousins, relatives and friends.

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

Mrs. Kathleen Shields

With sadness we record the passing of Mrs. Kathleen Shields, 69, Murphy Place, Abbeyside, which sad event occurred on Sunday, May 5. Removal was from her residence on Monday evening to Abbeyside Church. Following Requiem Mass on Tuesday morning burial took place in Ballinroad Cemetery.

Full obituary next week.

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

Ballyduff Notes

PIONEER NOTES

Congratulations to the U-13 quiz team who were fifth in the All-Ireland P.T.A.A. finals in Freemount, Co. Cork on Saturday week last. The team put up an excellent performance to lead all the way to the last round where they were pipped for a top three place. The team members, namely Arlene Kenny, Shauna Hannon, Claire Millar and Sean Cunningham, can be proud of their achievements on reaching the All-Ireland finals, the first quiz team from the centre to do so.

COMHALTAS NOTES

Annual Concert — The Annual Concert will take place at St. Michael's Hall on Sunday night next commencing at 8.30. It will feature pupils of the Michael Ryan School of Dancing, Thomas Hyland's set dancers and musicians from the Bobby Gardiner Music School. There will be a number of guest artists. (See advert elsewhere). It promises to be a great night of traditional music, song and dance.

Annual Church Gate Collection — The annual

church gate collection will be taken up at all Masses in Ballyduff this weekend. As this is the main source of income for the branch, we would appeal for your generosity. The branch put on weekly music, Irish and set dancing classes which are of great benefit to the local community.

Branch Meeting — There will be a Branch Meeting tonight (Wednesday) in St. Michael's Hall at 9.15 p.m. All members are requested to attend.

G.A.A. NOTES

Senior Hurlers — The Senior hurlers will play Mount Sion in the fifth round of the Sargent Cup in Fraher Field, Dungarvan on Sunday next at 2.00 p.m. Players are to be present at 1.30 p.m.

Having lost three of our four games to date, we cannot qualify for the knockout stages of this competition. The hurlers lost their fourth round game to Lismore at Cappoquin on Wednesday evening last by 1-8 to 1-3 in what was an improved performance from the previous weekend.

Junior Hurlers — The Junior hurlers are also in action this weekend when they take on Cappoquin. This game is arranged for Lismore on Saturday evening but may be switched to Friday. (See local posters).

U-14 Hurlers — The U-14 hurlers lost their opening Championship game away to An Gaeltacht on Saturday last. They play Stradbally in the field on Monday evening at 7.15 p.m. Players are to be at the venue at 7.00 p.m.

U-12 Hurlers — The U-12 hurlers go into action tonight (Wednesday) when they travel to play St. Oliver's. On Wednesday next, May 15th they play Naomh Bríd in the field and are again at home to Brickey Rangers the following Wednesday.

Lotto — The winning numbers in last Wednesday night's Lotto draw were: 8, 13, 20. There was no jackpot winner. The two £25 prize winners were Michael Tobin, Shean and Michael Keating, Ballyhooly. Next Tuesday night's Lotto draw will be held in Higgins's Bar, Araglen at 9.30 p.m.

Juvenile Hurleys Available — Juvenile hurleys are now available from Seamie Hannon or in the school.

Féile Na Gael — The club will host a team from Meath for Féile Na Gael on the weekend of June 20th, 21st and 22nd. Any parents who would be willing to put up players in their homes for a two night period should give in their names to Maurice Geary or Seamie Hannon.

This will be an historic weekend for the parish with our visitors from Co. Meath playing the homeside in the field on Friday morning, June 21st at 10.30 a.m. More details later.

Girls Indoor Hurling At Ballyduff — Following the success of the boys indoor hurling at St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff, it was decided to hold indoor camogie for the girls.

This is again proving to be a huge success with 30 girls playing each Saturday morning. The games are exciting with the skill levels improving with each week's games. The final series of league games will take place this coming Saturday morning, May 11th commencing at 11.00 a.m. The finals and plate finals will take place on Saturday week, May 18th. We appeal to the parents to come along and support the girls in this venture which we will hopefully repeat in the Autumn.

The teams are as follows - U-12 'A': Arlene Kenny, Louise Feeney, Claire Millar, Sharon Lawless; U-12 'B': Kate Canning, Bríd Hannon, Shauna Hannon, Gillian Hogan; U-12 'C': Veronica Kenneally, Aileen Byrne, Amy Feeney; U-12 'D': Lisa Daly, Lorraine Lawless, Lorraine Flynn, Niamh Ahern.

U-9 'E': Sharon Kenneally, Christina Daly, Elaine Daly, Aisling Walsh; U-9 'F': Marie Feeney, Niamh Geary, Vanessa Hannon; U-9 'G': Aoife Walsh, Vicky O'Rourke, Kate Feeney, Ciara Scanlon; U-9 'H': Sheila Ahern, Sonya Condon, Leanne Power, Breda Feeney.

League Tables
U-12: Team C - 11 pts.; Team B - 5 pts.; Team D - 5 pts.; Team A - 3 pts.

U-9: Team E - 10 pts.; Team F - 9 pts.; Team G - 5 pts.; Team H - 0 pts.

Gaeltacht Scholarships — Interviews for the annual Gaeltacht scholarships to Ring College will take place on Saturday, May 25th in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan at 3.00 p.m. These are open to boys and girls between the ages of 12 and 18. Application forms are available from John Jackson, Maurice Geary or Seamie Hannon.

Congratulations — Congratulations to Jimmy O'Gorman, Lismore on his election to the Association Games Administration Committee in Croke Park for a three year period. A well deserved honour.

Déise Draw — The next Déise Development Draw will take place in Abbeyside on Friday, May 31st. A reminder to promoters to get monies returned to club co-ordinator, John Jackson in good time.

Tom Murphy Car Sales Expands With Opening Of New Car Sales Centre In Dungarvan

Tom Murphy Car Sales has announced that it is to expand its operations with the acquisition of a new 40,000 sq. ft. car sales centre in Dungarvan.

The new centre, formerly the premises of Lencraft Boats Ltd. is located on a prime site off the Dungarvan Ring Road at the entrance to Kilrush Industrial Estate. Included within the development will be an 8,000 sq. ft. covered showrooms and car display area.

The decision to open a second sales outlet in Dungarvan was taken by Tom Murphy in order to strengthen the company's presence in West Waterford. The new Dungarvan centre will be used as a presentation centre for the full range of new Mercedes-Benz, Volkswagen, Audi, Mazda and Xedos vehicles for which Tom Murphy Car Sales is exclusive main dealer for Waterford City and County.

In addition, the centre will specialise in the sale of used cars all of which will be prepared and subjected to a detailed technical inspection and service before being put on sale. Vehicles marketed through the new Dungarvan centre will also be covered by Tom Murphy Car Sales' exclusive Guarantee 9000 used car warranty which, according to Tom Murphy "provides the highest level of cover available as well as full breakdown assistance."

Described by Tom Murphy as "a centre of excellence in new and used car presentation", it will be opened in early June and will be managed by Barry Murphy, son of Tom Murphy who has held a number of senior positions at the company's Waterford dealership for the past six years.

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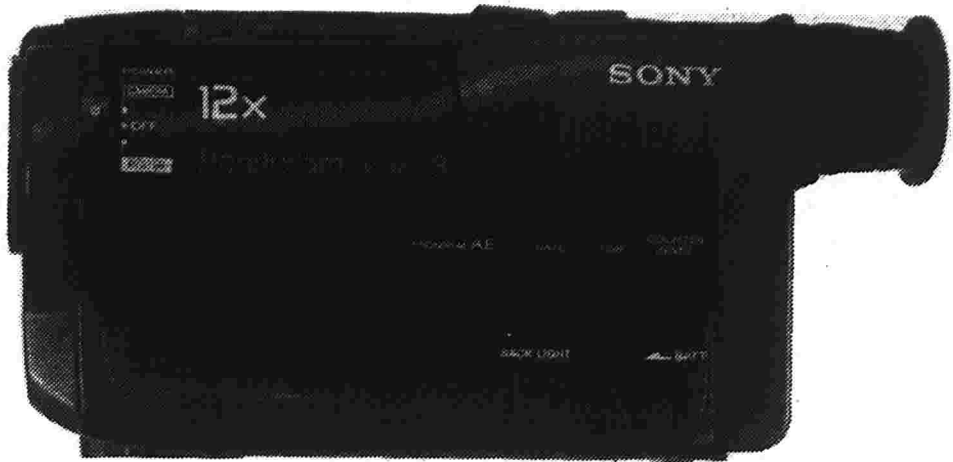
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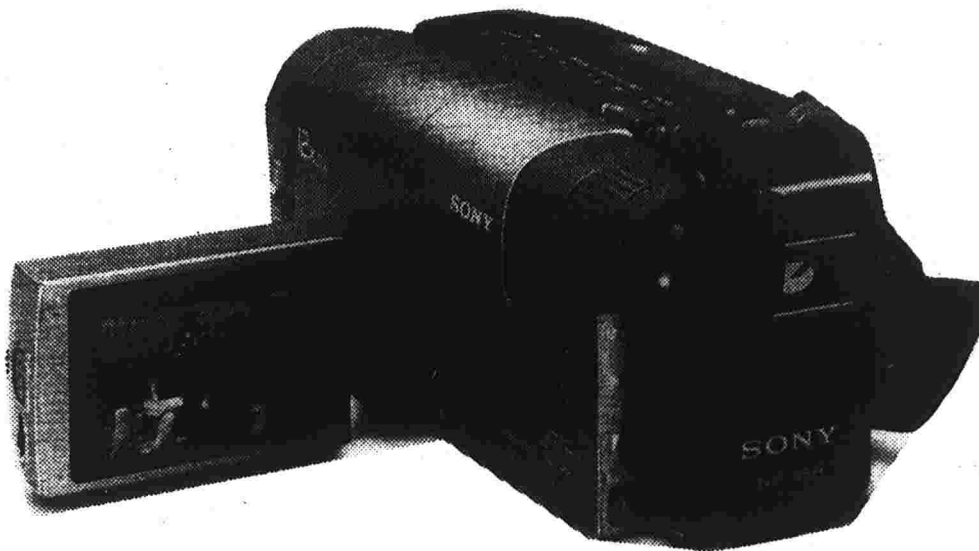
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Local group "Just For Fun," winners of the junior busking competition at Feile na nDéise in Dungarvan last weekend. The group are Sinead Fahey, Laura Butler, Breffni Curran, Seamus Fraher and Ciara Buck.

—(Photo: Rory Wylety.)

KILROSSANTY NOTES

SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy is extended to Mary Walsh, Comeragh Inn, on the death of her brother Michael Curran, who died in Wexford. May he rest in peace.

COLLECTION

A collection for Kilrossanty School will be taken up next week throughout the parish.

MISSION

Welcome to Fr. Mark and Fr. Lawrence O.F.M. for our week long mission. Mass at 7 a.m., 9.30 a.m. and 8 o'clock each day in both Fews and Kilrossanty Churches.

COLLECTION

The amount collected for the Disabled Drivers Association came to £116.17. Many thanks for your generosity.

I.C.A. NEWS

Kilrossanty Guild will hold their May meeting next Monday night in Kilrossanty Hall at 8 p.m. Fees for the coming year are now due.

CARDS

Winners were Pat Whyte and Tom Keever; Runners-up were Johnny Morrissey and Bernie Hobbs. Best Last 5 — Pate Veale and Mike Walsh. Lucky Table — Nicky Wall and John Mansfield. Last Game — Josie Doocey and James Power. Raffle — Bernie Hobbs, Mary Keating, Mai Kiersey, Brigid Hogan. Cards next Monday night at 9 o'clock.

POKER CLASSIC

Congratulations to Eamon Hogan, Leamybrien who won into the final of the Poker Classic last Monday in the Park Hotel. The finalist received a cash prize. The overall winner received a car. Well done to John Kiely, Ballingown, who was

Poker Classic.

DEATH

Sympathy is extended to Mary Whelan, Ballylynch on the death of her sister Biddy Flynn (nee Tobin), Currabaha, Kilrossanty who died on Tuesday morning. Sympathy also to her immediate family. May she rest in peace.

KILROSSANTY G.A.A. NOTES

Clotto — The Clotto was not won last Sunday night. It now goes to £200 on Sunday, May 19. Numbers drawn as follows 2, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6.

Senior Football — The senior footballers had their second game of the championship last Saturday night in Kill. They beat Tramore on the score of 0-7 to 0-5.

Team as follows — A. Kirwan, E. Flynn, M. Fitzgerald, B. Kirwan, R. Power, B. Whelan, P. Power, J. Maher, M. Kiely, J. Kirwan, P. Whyte, D. Mulhearn, N. O'Connor, J. Kiely, C. Keating. Sub. — N. Kirwan for E. Flynn. Scorers — J. Maher 0-5, P. Whyte and C. Keating 0-1 each.

Junior Football — The juniors had a good win over Affane at Cappoquin on Sunday night last on the score of 2-16 to 0-6.

Team as follows — R. Hayes, D. Whelan, P. Keating, S. Coffey, T. Veale, T. Prendergast, P. Prendergast, G. Houlihan, W. Power, N. Hayes, J. Dempsey, D. Kirwan, T. Flynn, D. Kirwan, T. Keating. Subs. — S. Veale for T. Keating; J. Power for T. Flynn; R. Whelan for N. Hayes. Scorers — T. Keating 1-3, T. Flynn 0-2, D. Kiely 0-1, G. Houlihan 0-4, D. Kirwan 0-3, W. Power 0-1, J. Dempsey 0-1, R. Whelan 1-1.

minor hurling team had two games over the weekend and were well beaten in both games.

Panel that competed in the two matches — P. Hayes, K. Kirwan, N. Walsh, P. Coffey, K. Whelan, S. Fahey, K. Casey, C. Keating, R. Cotter, D. Kirwan, C. O'Connor, S. Veale, T. Kirwan, L. Fennell, J. P. Hallahan, J. M. Lally, C. O'Brien.

The selectors have decided to withdraw from the minor hurling competition as all the team are very young and eligible for next year.

Draw — Winners of local draw were Ned Dee, Graigueruah, Kathleen Shekan, Rathgormack. Promoters Prize — Jimmy Maher, Shanbally. All three

received £20.

Junior Hurling — The junior hurlers will play their second match against Ballinameela in Cappoquin next Sunday.

Under-12 — The under 12 hurlers will play their first game of the championship in Leamybrien tonight Wednesday against Ardmore.

Meeting — An important meeting of the club will take place on Tuesday, May 21 at 8.30 p.m. All parents of underage hurlers please attend this important meeting as accommodation will be required in the parish for 20 players who will be coming to play in Feile na nGael in June from the County of Mayo.



Stephen Wadding, representing Dungarvan Credit Union presenting a donation to Jenny Kirwan and Ellen Sheehan for the Rainbow Community Centre, Kilmachthomas.

—(Photo: Jimmy Power).

Modeligo Notes

LOTTO

Lotto numbers: 3, 6, 15. No winner. The jackpot on Saturday next is £400. Tickets can be got from the usual promoters or in Deckies Lounge before the draw. Choose your numbers well.

£10 winners — Larry Kiely, Glendog; Kenneth Reddy, Modeligo; Ed Lonergan, Mountain Castle; Ailish Lenane, Welcome Inn; Mary Glavin, Lismore.

ANNUAL PATTERN

A meeting will be held in Deckies Lounge on Monday next, May 13, at 9 p.m. regarding the Annual Pattern. A good attendance is required to ensure the future of this annual parish event.

MAY FEAST

To honour Our Lady in the month of May, Benediction and Rosary will be held at 7.30 p.m. each Friday. All are welcome to join us.

ENGAGED

Congratulations to Frank Nugent, Churchquarter and Margo Duggan, Mitchel Street, Dungarvan, who got engaged last week. Wishing you many happy years together.

BADMINTON CLUB

The official close of the badminton season was sealed at the annual social last Saturday night. As usual, the presentation of trophies took place and we were among the recipients again this year. Congratulations to our mixed team of Ide Walsh, Joan Cahillane, Breda McCarthy, Sid Power, John Hourigan and Jessie Power who were runners-up in the Section E final.

All our teams did very well throughout the year and must be highly commended on their overall performance. Victory was not their's in the form of a trophy but they have certainly improved their badminton skills and become stronger teams. Next year will definitely see the benefits of their hard work.

Juvenile badminton in the club has produced some excellent players and we look forward to next year and some of them taking part in the senior league.

Enjoy the rest and see you all again when badminton fever raises its head in September.

NA DEISE LADIES FOOTBALL UNDER-16 'A' COUNTY FINAL

Na Déise 2-11, St. Annes 3-8

As the scoreline suggests, this final proved to be a thriller. The final was played in Leamybrien on Friday, May 3. A large crowd witnessed a standard of football good enough to grace any level. The game was played at a furious pace from start to finish. Throughout the entire 60 minutes there was never more than 3 points separating the two teams.

Our girls played brilliantly in every sector of the field. They again showed their fantastic competitive spirit and talent. We look forward to the replay and hope our loyal supporters will turn out in force again to roar our girls on. The replay is on Friday next in Leamybrien.

Na Deise — Elaine O'Grady, Eibhlis Ahern, Catherine Fitzgerald, Kate Gleeson, Amy Kearns, Bridget Condon, Sarah Gleeson (capt.), Marian Troy, Gillian Queally, Nicola Dalton, Breda Morrissey, Aileen McCarthy, Julie Cashman, Angie Walsh, Ciara Dunne, Gillian Gleeson, Jean Dunford, Michelle Meaney, Maria Gleeson, Alison Casey, Pauline Cliffe, Helen McCarthy.

Waterford County Macra Na Feirme

Our own Pat Kenny made the wide-screen last Friday week when both he and Rosemary, our bride and groom were shown on R.T.E. from Tallow presenting our cheque of £1,200 which was raised from our "Mock Wedding" in aid of Telethon. They both looked well, Pat in his penguin suit and Rosemary in a beautiful ivory wedding dress. And maybe as the presenter commented, the mock children may follow on soon.

STOCK EXCHANGE COMPETITION

Over recent weeks many of our members have taken a shine to the Stock Market and have become quite experts on the buying and selling scene. Our competitions Chairman, Niall O'Brien set up this competition which is being kindly sponsored by Bank of Ireland. It will finish at the June Executive and the winner will receive £50 plus a trophy. Leading at the moment is Donal Fitzgerald, Kinsalebeg, closely followed by Tomas Horgan, Dungarvan and next in line is Pat Roche, Ballyduff. A lot might change yet over the next coming weeks, it will be interesting to see if any of the above three will still be in the running. Keep posted on their progress.



Pictured above are members of the "Royal Aces" Showband and guest artists who will stage a 60's music extravaganza in the Park Hotel on May 16th in aid of Dungarvan M.S.

60's Music Extravaganza Sees Return Of Royal Aces Showband

The Dungarvan Branch of Multiple Sclerosis presents "The Hits Of The 60's Dance" on May 16 next in which we see the return of the "Royal Aces" after nearly 30 years.

It promises to be a night of musical brilliance and nostalgia in which we have the opportunity to relive the 60's with one of the greatest bands of its era.

Along with the "Royal Aces" we have a host of guest singers out of the top drawer to make for what we hope will be one of the biggest nights ever seen in the Park Hotel. Tickets are on sale in the Park Hotel and also from Buddy Power and any branch committee member. They are limited to 400 so don't be disappointed by being late, as only ticket holders will gain entry on the night.

The following are the "Royal Aces" and guest singers for the night:

Tom Atkins — Tom is a guitarist with a very special talent. His last appearance in Dungarvan was in the

early sixties. He was, and is, on the night the Royal Aces lead guitarist and is seen by many as the Hank Marvin of Dungarvan. We look forward to his 'Shadows' numbers.

Peter Hayes — Base guitarist with the "Royal Aces" and has proved himself a very accomplished musician and singer down through the years. The quiet man of the group.

Dessie Baumann — Will play saxophone on the night but was trumpet player with the 'Royal Aces' and is also a founder member of the group. Played also with the "Diamonds" and is sure to enjoy performing on the night.

Gerry Bulfin — Saxophone player with the "Royal Aces" and was really getting in to the swing of things in rehearsal. Gerry is

also well known for his prowess on the tin whistle and is a great competitor in local talent nights.

Francis Power — Francis is a very accomplished drummer with the Cork based "Alan Rose Band" and had a long tradition in the music business. Francis puts great passion and flair into his drumming and will be enjoying every moment of the night.

Willie White — Willie is well known in Dungarvan and surrounding areas for his deep love of all types of music, from traditional to country and rock. He is highly respected in the trade and we look forward to seeing him produce his skills on the keyboard in what for him will be a night with a difference. Another former "Diamonds" player.

"Batty" Pender — Batty will be on rhythm guitar and this will suit his easy going and laid back style. He is used to playing in the band scene, as he has with Colette a very entertaining and professional band. "Batty" will fit into this night like a glove.

Adrian Atkins — Adrian is the baby of the group and I am sure his father Tom will be delighted to have his son playing alongside him. Adrian will be on rhythm guitar for the night and the ladies will certainly admire this lad's good looks as well as his guitar playing.

The guest singers for the night are as follows:

Bridget King — One of the most versatile and talented singers in the business. Bridget always gives

value for money and she will definitely be one of the highlights of the night.

Mattie Hayes — Mattie was base guitarist with the "Royal Aces" and was especially noted for his "Elvis" impressions. Definitely one of the live wires on stage and everybody is eagerly awaiting his guest spot on the night.

Dessie Norris — This man is the "Creme De Le Creme" when it comes to singers. His melodious and cultured voice and the feel he has for his singing is a rare treat indeed. We look forward to Dessie putting Joe Dolan in his place and no better man.

Hank Regan — Hank is another former "Royal Aces" and is an accomplished singer in his own right. Hank is also well known for his acting ability and has a great presence on stage. We look forward to his charisma and singing on the night.

Paddy Daly — Paddy is a great balladeer as well as being an impresario on the guitar and has a great deal of versatility to his playing and singing. He is a great man for a session and will enjoy the night no end.

Buddy Power — I leave this man last because it is his brainchild that brought about this night. Buddy is a real down to earth entertainer and gives 100% with every performance. He will enjoy being on stage with the big band once again and Buddy don't worry, everything will be alright on the night.

As you can see from the line up it's a night not to be missed! So hurry out and get your tickets. See you on May 16 in Park Hotel.

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NOVENA — Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help continues on Monday next at 7.30 p.m. in St. Mary's.

HOLYDAY — Thursday, May 16 is the Feast of the Ascension (Holyday). Masses: St. Mary's — 7.30 p.m. (eve), 11 a.m., 7.30 p.m.; Friary — 6.15 .m. (eve), 7.30 and 10 a.m.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY — Collection after all Masses this weekend.

STATION MASS — Mapstown and Springmount, Friday, May 10, at T. Broderick's at 7.30 p.m.

FIRST COMMUNION — First Holy Communion Mass, St. Mary's School, (no. 2) on Saturday next, 11 a.m.

PREACHER — A priest from St. Patrick's Missionary Society, Kiltegan, will preach at Masses in St. Mary's and the Friary next Sunday.

BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

1916 COMMEMORATION

An unusual assemblage gathered in the Memorial Garden at Clonmel Town Hall on the evening of Wednesday, April 24th. Some fifty relatives of the Clonmel Volunteers of Easter 1916 joined with the Mayor, members of the Corporation, the Chairman of the County Council, the Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce, representatives of Public Bodies and others who felt that the part

Clonmel was prepared to play in the Rising should be commemorated 80 years to the day after the event took place.

It was the first time many of the relatives saw the Memorial Stone bearing the 43 names and the occasion was an appropriate one.

The Mayor welcomed the gathering. The Proclamation of the Republic was read by Niall O'Neill, son of one of the 43. The names of the 43

were read by Seamus Leahy, Secretary of the organising committee and Monsignor Michael Olden P.P. SS Peter and Paul's recited a decade of the Rosary. The colour party of the O.N.E. dipped the colours as the Mayor laid a laurel wreath on behalf of the people of Clonmel and the last post was sounded by members of Banna Cluain Meala. Labhras O Murchu of Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Eireann, in a stirring oration, praised the qualities of the leaders of the 1916 Rising and the selflessness of the Clonmel Volunteers. He urged his audience not to take their opinions from a foreign-dominated media and to show the same independence of spirit shown by the insurgents of 1916. The proceedings ended in the singing of "Amhrán Na bh-Fiann".

FIANNA FÁIL WOMEN'S GROUP ELECTIONS

The A.G.M. of South Tipperary/West Waterford Fianna Fáil's Women's Group was held recently at Clonmel Arms Hotel.

There was a large attendance present from all over the constituency. The guest of honour was Ms. Máire Geoghegan-Quinn.

Others who attended were Noel Davern T.D., Ms. Kathleen Maher, National Executive, Senator Sean Byrne, Councillors Tommy Norris, Vera Hewitt, Con

Donovan, Anne Allen, the Mayor of Clonmel, Tom Ambrose, Joan Keating, National Headquarters, former T.D. Carrie Acheson and from Clare, her sister Treas Hanon.

The following officers were elected for the coming year - Chairperson: Derry Kelly, Clonmel; Honorary Secretary: Anne Fitzgerald, Grange; Joint Treasurers: Joan Ambrose and Kay Hyland, Clonmel; P.R.O.: Eileen Bell, New Inn. The proceeds of a raffle held during the evening will be donated to the Children of Chernobyl.

VOCATION FOR CARD GAME

The Card Game has been number one entertainment in the Community Hall, Newcastle for the past number of years. It is now been decided however to discontinue the weekly game of cards for a few months. The local guild of Muintir Na Tíre wish to thank all those who supported the game down all those years and they are looking forward to seeing all those players back in September.

FOURMILE' HURLING CLUB LOTTO

The Lotto draw in aid of the Fourmilewater Hurling Club took place on Saturday night at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry. The numbers drawn were 5, 9, 20. There was no winner. The five £20 winners were Bob and Joan Keane, Cahernaleague, Bob Keane, Mount Melleray, Tony McCarthy, Ballymacarbry and Mary Doocey, Oriel Bar. The jackpot this week is £400.

NURSING CAREER

Best wishes are extended to Maria Fitzpatrick, daughter of Sean and Rose Fitzpatrick, Clashganny, Newcastle who commenced her general nursing training at Whipps Cross Hospital, Leytonstone, London last week.

LIAM LYNCH MEMORIAL ON MAY 18

On Saturday week, May 18th the architect Uinseann Mac Eoin and local members of the National Committee will meet at Liam Lynch Memorial on the Knockmealdown Mountains to assess and put in place the final stages of the Bronze Wolfhounds Project. The committee members will also discuss the arrangements for the unveiling ceremony which has been fixed for Sunday, July 27th.

BALLYMACARBRY PARENTS COUNCIL ASSOCIATION

At a recent meeting of Ballymacarbry Parents Council Association held at Ballymacarbry National School, it was decided to hold a Cake Sale on this

Saturday and Sunday, May 11th and May 12th before and after Mass at Fourmilewater and Nire. Cakes can be brought to the Community Hall, Nire before Masses

and cakes for Fourmilewater can be left in to St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry between 5.30 p.m. and 6.30 p.m. on Saturday evening or can be brought to Mass.

RECENT DEATHS

LATE MRS. ANNIE WALL

Profound and sincere feelings of regret were widely expressed at the news of the death which occurred at her daughter and son-in-law's residence Mountain Road of Mrs. Annie Wall (nee Harte), Lyreanerla, Clonmel.

The deceased was in her late eighties and was a member of an old and respected Nire Valley family, the Hartes of Glenanore. Annie, a lady of outstanding qualities, possessed a wonderful warm personality and made friends with ease. All callers to her home were made to feel truly welcome as she was a caring neighbour abounding in Christian charity and who made an immediate and lasting impression by virtue of her courteous and easy-going nature. Possessed of an old world charm that was refreshing for all, a wonderful wife and mother, her family were her pride and joy. She loved them and they in turn loved her. She was a lady who held strong Republican views. Each year she attended the Anniversary Mass at Donohill for the late Dan Breen, the Mass at Newcastle for General Liam Lynch, the commemoration at Kilfeakle for the late Sean Treacy as well as the Easter Commemoration in Co. Waterford from those her presence will be missed. During the trouble period, her home was a safe house for the men who fought for freedom. She never sought the limelight but came forward only if she could offer a helping hand. No unkind or harsh words were ever passed from her lips. The district is the poorer at her passing. Many tributes have been paid to her memory but perhaps the finest was provided on Sunday evening when all walks of life from near and far were represented in the vast concourse of mourners who were present when her remains were draped with the tricolour were removed from the Kearney Residence, Mountain Road to SS Peter and Paul's Parish Church, Clonmel. From the main guard to the Church, her remains were shouldered. They were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. William Meehan C.C. SS Peter and Paul's. Also present was Rev. Mons. Michael G. Olden P.P. SS Peter and Paul's, Rev. Fr. Joe Condon SS Peter and Paul's, Rev. Fr. Pádraig Byrne C.C., Tramore, Fr. John OFM Friary, Clonmel. On Monday afternoon, the feast of St. Vitalis (martyr) requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Joe Condon C.C. SS Peter and Paul's assisted by Rev. Fr. Kevin Mulcahy P.P., Ballyduff Upr. and Rev. Fr. Leonard Moloney S.J. Dublin (family friend). During the Mass, some beautiful hymns were rendered by Sister Bernadette. The organist was Mrs. Reece Russell. A violin solo was played by Mr. Tom Barrett and during Communion an instrumental group of Fergal, Daphne, Lorraine and Veronica Wall (grandchildren) played "An Coolin". After Mass, the funeral took place to St. Patrick's Cemetery where one of the district's best loved citizens was laid to rest in the grave with her husband Michael who predeceased her by some 15 years. Fr. Joe Condon C.C. officiated at the graveside with Fr. Moloney SJ and Fr. Mulcahy P.P. who said a decade of the Rosary in Irish in the presence of a vast concourse of mourners who come from near and far to pay their final respects to a Christian friend whose memory they will

cherish. To her family, her sister Kathleen and her many relatives we extend our deepest and sincere sympathy.

Craobh an tí ar lár grásta agus trócaire ar a hanam uasal.

(Undertakers O'Donoghue, Clonmel).

LATE MISS ANNA WALSH

A wave of sadness spread over the entire district with the news of the death following an accident of Miss Anna Walsh, Ballybrazil, New Ross, Co. Wexford.

The deceased was daughter of Mr. Pat and Clare Walsh formerly of Clogheen, Ballymacarbry. Anna, a young student of 19 years of age was returning from a student party when the accident occurred. She tragically plunged to her death on a building site at University College, Dublin. She became impaled on a fixing rod when she fell while climbing over a fence around the site at Belfield.

Students and staff of U.C.D. are stunned by her death which happened in the early hours of Friday morning after an end-of-term disco. She was scaling a five foot fence when she slipped and fell, sustaining serious injuries when she was impaled on an iron rod used for reinforcing concrete. The alarm was raised and an ambulance was on the scene in a short time. Ms. Walsh was rushed to St. Vincent's Hospital where she later died.

Anna was a student at a Dublin college and was attending the disco with a student friend. The event is one of the highlights of the student social year. Garret Tubridy, Education Officer with the U.C.D. Student's Union, said the whole college population is stunned by this terrible tragedy. Their thoughts, he said, are with the family of this young girl.

On Sunday evening, her remains were removed from her home to Horsewood Parish where on arrival, requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul. After Mass, she was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery in the presence of a huge concourse of mourners, testifying to the esteem and high regard in which the family are held. Friends and neighbours with family wept openly as a loving young lady was laid to rest.

To her parents, her brothers and sisters, grandmother, uncles, aunts, granduncle and many relatives, we tender our deepest and heartfelt sympathy.

Leaba i measc na naomh go raibh aici.

LATE MR. DERMOT MULCAHY

The death took place recently in Wales of Mr. Dermot Mulcahy, Newcastle who was domiciled in Wales for many years.

Following requiem Mass at St. Mary's Parish Church, Newcastle celebrated by Rev. Fr. James Denmead C.C. Fourmilewater/Newcastle the interment took place in the old cemetery, Newcastle. Sympathy is extended to his family.

Solas na soilse da na hanam.

LATE MR. JOHN COONEY

The death took place at St. Patrick's Hospital, Cashel on Friday last, May 3rd of Mr. John (Jack) Cooney, Toureen West, Ballymacarbry.

On Saturday evening, his remains were removed from O'Donoghue's Funeral Home, Clonmel to St. Helena's Parish Church, Nire Valley and after 12.30 p.m. requiem Mass on Sunday, the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery.

(Full obituary next issue).

Dungarvan Chamber of Commerce A.G.M.

The annual general meeting of Dungarvan Chamber of Commerce & Industry was held recently in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan.

The following members were elected to the new Board:

Eddie Holohan (Bank of Ireland) President; Mario Flavin (Challenger Tool Hire) Vice-President; John Walsh (Meldun Ltd.) Ex Officio; Jim O'Dwyer (SmithKline Beecham), Martin O'Grada (AIB), John McGrath (Clonea Strand Hotel), Willie Kennedy (ACC Bank), Suzanne Dalton (Daltons Jewellers) and Damien Dillon (Damien Dillon & Co. Architects).

SIGNIFICANT ACHIEVEMENTS

John Walsh (outgoing president) addressed the meeting and in doing so he summarised the highlights of his (two year) term, and the successes achieved by the Chamber in the course of his presidency.

He commenced by extending his thanks and appreciation to the other members of the Board, and of the various sub-committees for their great work and support and for the marvellous effort put in by everybody to ensure that all their vital goals were achieved during this period.

He continued by detailing some of these achievements, namely:

The Incorporation of the Chamber and its affiliation to the Chambers of Commerce of Ireland.

The establishment of a fully staffed office, with the resultant improvement of services to all members.

The pivotal role played by the Chamber in conjunction with their partners, the Waterford Development Partnership, the County Enterprise Board, Dungarvan Urban Council and the IDA in acquiring an Advance Factory for the town.

In association with the above partners, an Industrial Brochure was launched to market Dungarvan as a location for industrial development. In order to provide, both physical and practical support to this publication, a welcoming committee has been formed consisting of executives from local industries, so as, to encourage and entice all prospective investors with first hand and detailed information of the advantages of Dungarvan over all other competing areas.

A follow-up brochure has also been compiled by the Chamber staff, containing

all the details about the town that a prospective investor might want to know. It is estimated that in excess of £50 million will be invested in developments in Dungarvan in the course of the next three/four years. In order to maximise the potential spin-off benefits of this investment the Chamber is currently in the process of compiling a directory of all suppliers and services available within the immediate area.

A successful Business Watch Network has been established in the area in conjunction with the local Gardai and local businesses.

An intensive Shoppers' Survey is currently being undertaken by the Chamber in conjunction with the Marketing Students in the VTOS Scheme at the local Technical College.

£9,000 was raised over the two-year period from local businesses to fund the Christmas lighting in the town over the festive periods.

A number of meetings have been held with the County Manager, Local Authorities and the various government agencies concerning many items of mutual interest in an effort to improve the general attractiveness of Dungarvan as a place to do business.

The Chamber continues its long established links with the annual Tidy Towns competition and the most recent results prove this to be a most worthwhile endeavour. It is in the best interest of all business people to ensure that a high standard of cleanliness and decorative order is maintained in all areas surrounding their businesses.

The Chamber is represented on a number of Semi-State and similar bodies at board level including Waterford Development Partnership, Waterford Enterprise Board and Sercham.

In summary, Mr. Walsh stated that the Chamber is intent on remaining active and extremely involved in all areas of commercial life within the Dungarvan area, and he wished the incoming President Eddie Holohan and his Board the very best of everything throughout his term of office.

FUTURE AMBITIONS

Eddie Holohan, in addressing the meeting, paid tribute to the outgoing president and his committee for the hard



NEW IN-COMING BOARD OF DIRECTORS — Front row (l. to r.) Katharine Bulbulia (guest, Waterford Chamber of Commerce), Captain Joe Kenny (guest, South Eastern Region Chambers of Commerce), Eddie Holohan (President), Mario Flavin (Vice-President), John Walsh (Ex Officio), Suzanne Dalton; back row (l. to r.) Damien Dillon, Martin O'Grada, Jim O'Dwyer, Willie Kennedy, John McGrath.

work and dedication shown throughout the previous two years and he looked forward to continuing in their footsteps.

He continued by defining the role of the Chamber within the community as "to improve the prosperity of the town" and as an organisation "to act in the interest of the local area."

He then outlined his ambitions for the coming two years and sub-committee structure which would form the "scaffolding" through which those ambitions would be achieved.

He hoped to generate greater interest in the workings of the Chamber (especially from within the retail sector), and as such he hoped for a consequent increase in membership.

He saw great potential for the development of the tourist trade within the area, and he hoped that in conjunction with other local bodies, that ways could be developed to extend the season, and he applauded the recent launch of the "Waterford Tourism Project."

He stated that as far as industry was concerned, the locality had a tendency to undersell itself and that the quality of existing industries in terms of product and workforce were second to none and that this fact must be used to attract further industry to the town. He went on to add that it is important for all concerned to realise that within this context we are not only competing with other towns and cities within our own area or even from

within this country, rather that it is an international market-place and an awful lot of competition exists.

On a rather more positive note, he was delighted and very pleased with the launch of the new "Industrial Promotion Brochure" and he viewed this as a very successful first step in attracting new industry to the area.

In order to operate successfully and expand as a Chamber, a well established financial base is required, but due to some recent necessary expenditure, the current finances required some attention. He was, he said, currently undertaking a review of the possible availability of finance from various sources and he would report back to the members on this at a later date.

He wished to see greater involvement by the non-director members in the various projects, both those currently underway and new ones that are about to commence. He also foresaw a major role being played by the office staff.

One particular aspect of which he was made aware of in the course of the previous two years was that the road ahead must be one of co-operation with other bodies and agencies, all working towards the one goal. The day when one small organisation such as the Chamber could have a major influence on the world we live in is well gone and the future lies in the ability of similar organisations to work together and to support one another in as much as possible. Towards

this end, he stated that he had looked forward to forging alliances with the State Agencies such as IDA, Forbairt, the Local Authorities, Waterford Partnership and the County Enterprise Board.

In conclusion, Mr. Holohan said that he was looking forward to the challenge of the forthcoming two years and

he thanked those who had afforded him this opportunity. He looked forward to the assistance and co-operation of all members. His ambition would be that in relinquishing the position in two years time he would like to be able to say that "We as a Chamber did contribute to improving the prosperity of the town."

Five Disabled Driver Spaces Provided In Dungarvan

In the last few weeks, Dungarvan Urban District Council has introduced a number of parking spaces for disabled drivers around the town.

At the request of the Irish Wheelchair Association and the Dungarvan Branch of M.S., the Council examined the need for the provision of such spaces and identified four parking areas in Grattan Square - one outside Michael Currans, the First National Building Society, Paddy Foley's and the fourth outside Paul's Newsagents. All of these spaces are served by a wheelchair ramp for easy access to the footpath and are strictly for disabled drivers only. The fifth disabled driver space is located on the left of the entrance to the car park at Davitt's Quay which is also served by a wheelchair ramp. Each of these parking spaces is easily identified by the international disabled driver sign.

Meanwhile, the entire area fronting the public toilets at Davitt's Quay has been blocked off by the Council to accommodate elderly people and people with reduced mobility. There are now no parking spaces available outside the toilets.

Speaking to the 'Dungarvan Leader' Town Clerk Ray Moloney said the Council is currently looking at Scanlon's Yard car park with a view to providing a further 2 parking spaces there in the future.

He reported that the new disabled driver spaces are proving to be quite successful and he asked all able bodied drivers not to park in these spaces as they are strictly reserved.



Treasa Kiely and the Clare senior hurling manager Ger Loughnane pictured in the Old Ground Hotel in Ennis during the Dungarvan A.F.C. tour.

Shamrocks G.A.A. Club Notes

MINOR HURLING A WESTERN CHAMPIONSHIP Tallow 3-14 Abbeyside 0-4

Played at Cappoquin on Friday night last, this first round game was very one sided as also was the second round game v. Fourmilewater which was played at Fraher Field on Monday last Bank Holiday. The score here was also 3-14 in favour of Tallow while the youthful Ballymac' team failed to score.

UNDER-14 CO. HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP Shamrocks 2-1 Kilrossanty 0-2

This 1st round game was played at Tallow last Saturday. In the 2nd round we'll be away to Lismore on Thursday evening. Throw-in is at 7.30 p.m. On Sunday evening next our intermediate hurlers will travel to Touraneena to take part in a four team tournament, organised by St. Mary's Hurling Club. The opposition will be provided by the home team. The game will commence at 6.15 p.m.

DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

In the 1st draw of the present series we had one winner of £60, William Motherway, Killenagh, Knockanore.

FIXTURES

Shamrocks play Kilrossanty in the under-12 Western hurling championship this Wednesday. Throw in at 7.30 p.m. in Leamybrien.

Ring/Old Parish A.C. Notes

WATERFORD COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

On Sunday last we travelled to the Regional Sports Centre in Waterford to compete in the first leg of the County Track and Field Championships. It was indeed a very successful day for our club with some fine individual and team performances.

Full results will be given in next week's issue.

GLENBOWER SPORTS

On Monday last a number of our athletes travelled to the Glenbower Open Sports in Middleton and fared very well indeed. There were prizes for the first six in each event and we will publish our successes next week.

BRITISH WALKING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Three of our athletes took part in the British Walking Championships in Dover at the weekend. Mairead Costin finished 6th in the under-15 3K walk; Orla Costin finished 5th in the u-17 5K walk, and Kevin Healy went very well in his first 10K walk.

JAMIE COSTIN RECEIVES ANOTHER AWARD

Congratulations to Jamie Costin on receiving the Young Athlete of the Month award for April. This award is presented to the most outstanding young athlete in the county each month.

Stradbally GAA Notes

MINOR HURLING

We played Clashmore in Abbeyside last Friday. A great display by all our young hurlers with every player giving their best. Score: Stradbally 7-6 Clashmore 4-5.

Team: B. Curran, M. Fitzgerald, D. Power, K. Coffey, B. Cleary, A. Murphy, P. Kiely (0-1), J. Coffey, P. Wade (1-0), M. Curran (2-5), T. Curran (3-1), E. Cunningham (1-0), T. Costello (0-1). Sub: E. Browne (used for A. Murphy).

SENIOR FOOTBALL

A brilliant fast flowing game of football played in Leamybrien against Dungarvan. All our players played excellently with George Walsh, Michael McGuinness and Pat Halpin leading the way. The score at half-time was 1-7 to 0-6.

In the second half, goals from Liam O'Brien and George Walsh helped us to a fantastic win. Final score was Stradbally 3-8 Dungarvan 0-9.

Team: K. Cunningham, F. O'Brien, O. Costello, L. Walsh, M. Curran, P. Curran (0-1), T. Walsh, E. O'Brien (0-2), G. Walsh (1-0), M. McGuinness, N. Curran, P. Halpin (0-1), E. Phelan (1-0), L. O'Brien (1-2). Sub: T. Curran (used for P. Curran).

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

It was back to Leamybrien again on Sunday evening to play the Nire.

This was a good tough game of football and with the help of some excellent scoring from Trevor Costello, Alan Curran, Conor O'Brien and Paul Casey, we held on to win by a point. Final score was Stradbally 3-9 The Nire 1-14.

Team: S. Keane, M. Lannon, P. Mullaney, M. Kiely, A. Barrett, P. Kiely, R. Gough, P. Casey (1-0), J. Weldon (0-1), J. McGrath, A. Curran (0-3), J. Coffey, C. O'Brien (0-3), T. Costello (2-1). Sub: B. Cleary (used for R. Gough).

WEIGH WATCHERS

Would all those who sponsored our two gallant weight losers please hand in their money.

MINOR HURLING

We played St. Oliver's in Abbeyside on Monday evening. Again our lads hurled with determination. The final score was Stradbally 5-11 St. Oliver's 4-7.

Team: B. Curran, D. Power, M. Fitzgerald, B. Cleary, J. Coffey (0-1), P. Kiely (0-2), T. Costello (2-3), N. Curran (2-2), T. Curran, K. Coffey, P. Wade (1-2), E. Browne, E. Cunningham (0-1). Sub: A. Murphy (used for E. Browne).

WELL DONE

Well done to all our players. Four Championship wins in one weekend is not bad going.



Recent medal winners at the all-Ireland Dancing Championships, Niamh Ryan and Elaine O'Grady, Lismore

BALLYSGAGGART NOTES

MACRA NOTES FRIENDLY SOCCER MATCH

We played Ballyduff Macra recently in a very friendly style soccer game. What a spectacle it was! The biggest mistake of the evening was that it wasn't captured on video. It would have provided for great family entertainment, especially the under 10 category. There were ambitious, talented soccer players from both sides and it was a great privilege for all of us to have the man himself, not Mick McCarthy, but yours truly Pat Kenny without Rose of course, which was disappointing. There was a record breaking crowd attendance "43,000" people, likes of which was never seen before in Ballyduff, such is the popularity of these teams.

From defenders to strikers

we played like professionals, so at the moment we're looking for a good manager. Our goalkeeper had the most difficult job of them all, but also had his moments. As for the local derby, this is one for the history books — the evening Ballysgaggart Macra beat Ballyduff by about a staggering eight goals to four (so the referee told us afterwards, anyway!) But most of all it was an evening everyone enjoyed and thanks to Ballyduff Macra for that.

BALLYSGAGGART G.A.A. NOTES

Junior Football — The first game in the Junior 'B' football was played on Monday evening in Lismore against Melleray. This was the final taste of Adult Championship fare in any code for a lot of our lads and they acquitted themselves very well. Melleray led at

half-time by 1-3 to 0-3.

In the second half, we literally camped in the Melleray half of the field only to see some very scoreable shots go wide. Eventually the pressure told and the goal came. Points were exchanged so it ended in a draw 1-4 each.

The next round is against Ballinwillin in a few weeks time so start practising shooting before then !!!

Hurling is next on the agenda on Saturday week against Shamrocks.

Congratulations — Congratulations to Jimmy O'Gorman, Lismore on being elected to the G.A.A.'s G.A.C. This is a very prestigious appointment and one we know is richly deserved by Jimmy who has been a trojan worker for years now at local, County and more recently, at Munster Council.

Railway Athletic F.C. Club Notes

U-14'S TAKE LEAGUE TITLE

On Saturday last our U-14 team won their league away to neighbours Abbeyside. It has been six years since our club won a league title. This bunch of lads have been together since U-10 and have worked hard for this day. Over the winter, they trained with our juniors at the rugby grounds. We could have won the league the previous week if we had beaten Hibs but our lads were very nervous and lost by 3-1. However on Saturday last we took the game to a very strong homeside.

We played the football that we started the season off with. Stephen Hogan opened our goalscoring when his shot from outside the area went all the way. Abbeyside came more into the game after the goal and they created a number of chances. Just before half-time, Paul Landers scored a great goal.

Midway through the second half, we sealed the victory with two goals - one from Paul Landers and one from Stephen Morrissey. Full credit to each of the squad for their hard work over the season and to the management and to Tommy for the training over the season.

Team: C. Millea, B. Coughlan, M. Sullivan, K. Foley, S. Landers, L. McLoughlin, S. Hogan, S. Morrissey, M. Scanlon (Capt.), K. Looby, P. Landers. Sub: D. O'Rourke (used for M. Scanlon).

U-11 'A' LEAGUE

Kilmacow 1 Railway 'A' 2
Our U-11 'A' team secured their first away win on Saturday last. Sean O'Neill and Shane Kelly were our goalscorers.

U-11 'B' LEAGUE

Johnville 3 Railway 0
Our U-11 'B' League side went down to Johnville 3-0.

U-10 FRIENDLY

Our U-10 team played

Abbeyside on Sunday evening last. We had a lot of new games but we scored a great 5-1 win.

JUNIOR FRIENDLY

Our second team played hosts to Dungarvan in what proved to be a very good workout for both sides ahead of their upcoming Cup games.

COMMITTEE MEETING
Committee meeting tonight (Wednesday) at 8.30 p.m. in the dressing rooms.

SOCIAL

All systems are go for our first annual social. Tickets can be got from any committee member for £10.

FIXTURES

Tonight (Wednesday), May 8th: U-11 at home to Avondale.

This Saturday, May 11th: U-12 away to Mooncoin.

This Saturday, May 11th: U-14 away to Ferrybank at 11.45 a.m. Leaving at 10.00 a.m.

Monday next, May 13th: U-15 away to D.L.S.

Dungarvan Enjoys Bumper Féile Weekend

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Guinness Féile na nDéise. Ed Cahill enjoyed his second festival in Dungarvan and is already planning to return to Ireland for next year's event.

There were many such visitors to the weekend festival like Mr. Cahill, who came to enjoy traditional Irish song, dance and music and top class entertainment.

The festive spirit promoted a friendly, lively atmosphere at each of the sessions and workshops and Dungarvan Gardaí reported a quiet, trouble-free weekend, as is normal with Irish traditional festivals. Indeed, Inspector Michael Blake of Dungarvan Garda Station thanked the festival organisers for their foresight and planning which made the weekend such a success.

HUGE ATTENDANCE AT OPENING

The official start to the Féile na nDéise took place in Lawlor's Hotel on Thursday night, performed by the Chairman of Bord na Gaeilge, Micheal O Muircheartaigh.

Speaking at the launch was the man who 'got the show on the road', Chairman of the organising committee, John Foley who said that the féile was all about telling the rest of the country what Dungarvan has to offer in terms of culture, music and beauty. Past surveys have found that heritage and culture are major attractions to tourists. In this regard, Mr. Foley said Dungarvan is uniquely placed to capitalise on its own resources.

Féile '96 was the culmination of 12 months of hard work by a dedicated committee with constant bookings, cancellations and planning involved and Mr. Foley praised his fellow committee members for what he termed 'their unbelievable team work'.

Mr. Foley then thanked main sponsors Guinness and

the 200 or so local sponsors for their support and help. "It's a classic example of community spirit at it's best", he added.

Waterford County Manager Donal Connolly complimented the committee for organising what he termed a 'magnificent' féile weekend. "They are clearly building on last year's success", he stated adding that the festival is very important to the whole tourism season in the area.

Likewise Chairman of Waterford Co. Council, Oliver Coffey, said it is great for a town the size of Dungarvan to hold a féile of this quality. Great credit is due to the committee under chairman John Foley, he declared. Not only would the festival be a good start to the tourism season but the outlying country areas would also benefit from the weekend activities.

Cathaoirleach of Dungarvan UDC Cllr. Nuala Ryan said the festival is capable of competing with the best in the country and is growing by the year. She congratulated the organising committee for their achievements on behalf of the Council and the people of the town.

"This is civic spirit at its most practical," she enthused, "and the town will benefit accordingly".

Following the opening, a highly enjoyable Cabaret Cheoil featuring 'The Spuds Are Boiling' and many more talented artists was held with M.C. Jim Joe Landers.

GOOD TO GUINNESS!

Also speaking at Thursday night's opening, area representative of Guinness Group Sales, Carl Bowe said that in 9 years of attending similar receptions around the country, he had never seen such a huge turnout at the official opening of a festival. Having substantially increased their sponsorship of the festival this year, Mr. Bowe said it was only fitting and proper that Guinness should put something back into the community. After all, the



A session in the Square during Felle na nDéise Weekend. —(Photo: Rory Wyley).

town of Dungarvan has been very good to Guinness over the years he quipped.

SELL OUT SUCCESS

The success story continued on Friday with a sell out variety concert at the Park Hotel with Bodhran. Described by many as the main highlight of the weekend, the enthralled audience were entertained by special guests Oriel O'Dwyer, Alice Fitzgerald, Gillian Norris of Riverdance fame and many more.

The Céilí Mór with Shaskeen in Clonea Strand Hotel was also a huge success and proprietor Ann McGrath spoke of a renewed interest in Irish music and dancing. Clonea Strand Hotel, Gold Coast Golf Hotel and the holiday chalets were fully booked over the weekend. Prior to the festival Mrs. McGrath said she distributed the Féile booklets throughout the hotel and chalet rooms. Thrilled with Saturday night's céilí, Mrs. McGrath said the hotel served a good crowd in a lively atmosphere.

BUSKING MANIA

The success of the Guinness Féile was due in no small way to the highly competitive busking competition which took place at various street venues on Saturday and Sunday. There were over 25 entries for the attractive £1,500 prize fund competition and the results were as follows; first (senior) 'Just For Fun', while in the junior section the winners were 'An Cuileog Rejects'.

Parking spaces were hard to come by for visiting féile fans who were certainly served up a treat on Saturday and Sunday starting with street entertainment, face painting, a vintage car display, Dungarvan Pipe Band display and of course the ancient Bealthaine festival of fire by torchlight on Saturday night.

A group of 50 visitors from Yately in Hampshire, England were officially welcomed by UDC Chairperson Nuala Ryan at a reception in Grattan Square on Saturday afternoon. Among the group were Morris Dancers who performed during the weekend. Cllr. Ryan said she welcomed the diversity of culture the visitors brought to the town and the variety of programme they provided for the festival.

WHAT THE PUBLICANS SAID

Apart from the other well attended indoor sessions such as workshops, singing sessions and recitals, the pub session trail proved a tremendous success and attracted visitors from near and far. Most pubs in the area were packed to the door on each of the session nights with bar extensions until 1.30 a.m.

Speaking to the "Dungarvan Leader", Michael Burke of Lawlor's Hotel said the festival went very well.

"Crowd wise it was a great success," he added.

Likewise, John McGrath of Downey's Bar spoke of a very busy and hectic weekend with great crowds and plenty of visitors to the area. Mr. McGrath felt that it was certainly worth while being on the pub session trail. Punters were not just there for the traditional music but for the atmosphere as well. "We're looking forward to next year," he added.

Alice O'Connor in Abbey-side also gave the 'thumbs up' to Féile na nDéise, describing it as a most entertaining weekend. O'Connor's pub had live music groups on Saturday and Sunday and Alice declared that the music was brilliant. "I congratulate the organising committee on their hard work, great credit is due to them", she added.

Rita Brennan of Dick's Bar said the festival was absolutely brilliant and great for business. The pub had served a very orderly crowd over the weekend and great sessions were held in the packed marquee at the back of the pub.

Meanwhile in Ring, Christie O'Neill of the Marine Bar also reported a hassle-free weekend with good crowds and many visitors from Scotland, America and England. The festival he said was 'very positive'.

A hooley was had in the Seanachie over the weekend as Manager, Sharon O'Driscoll, reported a great atmosphere, brilliant music and plenty of Céilí dancing. The pub also got very encouraging feedback from customers with regard to the new Seanachie food menu which was started over the festival weekend.

Liam Shanley of the Anchor Bar said he was ex-

tremely pleased with the festival and reported a trouble-free weekend of great music and brilliant atmosphere. Mr. Shanley said there were more tourists around for this year's festival as compared to last year.

Paddy Whelan in Paddy Foley's also reported a busy weekend and said that overall the féile was an outstanding success, much bigger than last year.

Pat Morrissey of the Lady Belle couldn't praise the organisers enough and said the festival was great for the town. "The committee certainly accomplished their goal in promoting music", he said while the exposure for the local pubs was also a huge bonus.

THANKS

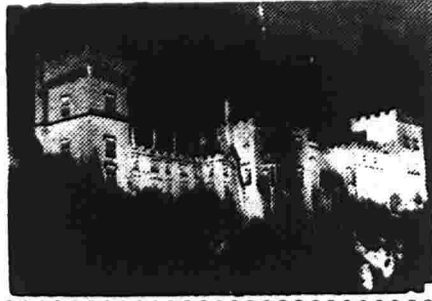
P.R.O. Jim Landers on behalf of the Féile na nDéise Organising Committee, expressed thanks and appreciation to all those who helped to make the weekend such an outstanding success, especially the Garda Síochána and Inspector Michael Blake; Peggy and Johnny Moloney; the publicans, Bord Telecom; WLR FM; the local press; The Examiner; tradesman Liam Lynch; Colm Bannon of the Civil Defence; Radio Eireann; Ray Moloney Dungarvan Town Clerk; Donal Connolly Co. Manager; Tom Keith; the general public and all the visiting musicians and entertainers who performed over the weekend.

Meanwhile the results of the grand raffle which took place at Lawlor's Hotel on Monday are as follows - First prize (£100): St. Vincent de Paul, Dublin; Second prize (£50): Michael Bogan; Third prize (£30): Philip O'Dowd, 93 Childers Estate; Fourth prize (£20): Pat O'Brien, Kilnafrehan.



The Mad Hatter pours some tea from his magic teapot for these children at Felle na nDéise. —(Photo: Rory Wyley).

Lismore Notes



EARLY MUSIC FESTIVAL

"Once gone - never to return". How prophetic are these words which we wrote a few weeks back in this column. We wrote that if a committee would not get together to organise the festival for June, the likelihood is some other town would take the festival from Lismore.

Our words have come true as Galway Early Music presents the first Galway Early Music Festival in the heart of medieval Galway from May 17th - 19th. So a festival that had the streets of Lismore thronged with people for three days and nights, will now add to the economy of Galway. The committee at Galway have said "the festival at Lismore provided the inspiration be-

hind the idea for this festival."

So why has Lismore lost out? For the past three years, Lismore presented the Early Music Festival which was the only one of its kind in the country and achieved international recognition while the various musical ensembles brought music lovers from all over Europe such as Germany and Holland and the U.K. to Lismore. Last year's festival attracted an Arts Council grant and two new major sponsors, Guinness and Waterford Crystal. However, in July the instigator and musical director, Mr. Jan Van Putten, together with his wife/journalist Maureen Fox, who acted as Festival Press Officer both resigned from

the committee because of which they described as "tensions within the group". Festival Director at the time Mary Ryan stated "the Festival would continue to go from strength to strength and the Festival of 1996 will be bigger and better than previous ones." We wrote at the time that the loss of Jan Van Putten's experience, knowledge and expertise as Musical Director would be impossible to replace. Mary Ryan resigned last February and the committee disbanded leaving a vacuum for some group elsewhere to step in. Galway have and Lismore's loss is Galway's gain. The Festival in Galway is the launch of the Galway Early Music Society which will be promoting Early Music throughout the year in Galway.

Looking through the Galway programme, we noted some of the groups or ensembles who have delighted the thousands in Lismore - The York Waits, Intrada, Cois Clodaigh and Good Ladies of Galway will now be performing in the capital of the west. We wonder could the phrase "never to return" be reversed? We think it can if a group or committee in Lismore can get together now and plan for 1997.

The tourist season has just begun in Lismore and as a heritage town, the town and area can expect a large influx of tourists this summer, but with a festival many more thousands would be expected. So if plans for 1997 for an Early Music Festival could commence with a hard-working committee at the helm then hopefully we can have the Festival back in Lismore where it commenced four years ago.

LISMORE BRIDGE CLUB RESULTS

April 10th - A. Murphy and M. Hales; N. Willoughby and M. Walsh; L. Costin and M. Fives.

April 24th - P. Hallahan, P. Roche; Tie: B. O'Donoghue, M. Lineen; M. Hanrahan, A. Crotty.

BLACKWATER SINGERS AT CORK CHORAL FESTIVAL

On Saturday last, the Blackwater Singers competed at the Cork International Choral Festival for the second time.

Last year they competed in section two (confined). This year they stepped up to section one (open) and performed "I Got Rhythm" by G. Gershwin arranged by C. Clapham, "Tu Pauperum Refugium" by T. Des Prez and the first ever performance of Waterford born, the late Sean Dunne's "Prayer" composed by Eric Sweeney.

The adjudicator Richard Cooke, Petr Eben and Peter Sweeney were very constructive and while the markings are not available at the time of penning these notes, the choir were delighted with their performances and with the ovation they received at the end, from a packed Cork City Hall. Well done to all.

WEST WATERFORD MOTOR SPORTS

The club held another meeting on Monday night last, May 6th at Rose's West End Bar, Lismore. The Chairman, Dick Nugent said that the club was well represented at the East Cork race meeting held on Sunday last in Ballyduff both by drivers and club supporters.

The club are holding their next race meeting on Sunday next, May 12th in Lismore on the lands of Michael O'Farrell by kind permission. Sponsorship for the day's racing is by Guinness Group Sales. Presentation at Rose's Bar, Lismore. Racing starts at 1.30 p.m. The Chairman asked all members to be in the field at 11.30 a.m. to get things organised for the day's racing. Next club meeting on Monday night next, May 13th.

£1 draw winner last week was Mark Nugent.

LARGE CROWDS AT LISMORE

Last weekend saw large crowds in Lismore over the Bank Holiday. The fine weather had many tourists coming to Lismore - The Heritage Town - and hopefully this will be the norm for the rest of the summer and that the local economy will benefit.

LISMORE SOCCER CLUB NOTES

Champions At Last

At 8.30 p.m. on Tuesday night, April 30th, Mr. Michael O'Leary (Snr.) presented Lismore captain Paul Quinn with the Red House League Championship trophy, thus ending 24 years of frustration as the first league was won by Lismore in 1972.

Going into this game, Lismore needed just one point to clinch the title but a Dan Shanahan goal midway through the first half settled the nerves but visitors Cappoquin never gave up and can count themselves unlucky not to have shared the points. The final score was Lismore 1 Cappoquin 0.

Team: M. Fitzgerald; K. Hornibrook, A. Meagher, B. Ormonde, P. Prendergast, D. Shanahan, P. Quinn (Capt.), G. Keane, B. Prendergast, T. Molumphy, M. Hickey. Subs: B. Quinn (used for T. Molumphy) and M. Caples (used for G. Keane).

After the game, Paddy Pollard Chairman of The Red House League, in congratulating, said it was a very nostalgic occasion for him as he was Chairman when they won the very first league which was then the East Cork/West Waterford League and as he was a player then, he asked the late Tony Bolger to present the Cup to the then Lismore captain John P. O'Sullivan. Paddy said he was proud to still hold the chair when Lismore won the title again.

Michael O'Leary then presented the League Championship trophy to Paul Quinn. Paul thanked all the players for their commitment through the year and a special thanks to Dave Landers, Pat Fitzgerald and Joe Tobin. The celebrations then started and a deservedly good time was had by all.

On Thursday night last, Lismore completed their league programme when they travelled to Ballymacoda to play Ballybridge Utd. who needed to win to avoid relegation.

Two goals by man of the match Gary Keane and one each from Michael Caples and Anthony Whelan saw Lismore defeat the East Cork side 4-2.

Team: M. Fitzgerald, D. Landers, P. Fitzgerald, P. Whelan, B. Landers, P. Quinn (Capt.), P. Walsh, B. O'Gorman, M. Caples, G. Keane, K. Hornibrook.

So Lismore's league record reads - played 18, won 11, drew 6, lost 1, goals for: 38, against: 18, pts.: 39.

DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP FINAL
On Monday last, we played our ninth Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup Final when we travelled to Tallow to play Brideview. Having won the League, this Cup Final was a bonus and we went out to try and achieve the double.

Before a large attendance and on a hard surface, both sides found it difficult to settle but it became apparent that our midfield powerhouse of Barney Prendergast and Paul Quinn were cancelled by Brideview's John Grey and Stuart Barry. Brideview made the break through midway through the first half when Paul Curley was left all alone to head home the only goal of the game.

From this to the end, Lismore tried all they knew but could not break down the Tallow defence and when they did, they found Man of the Match goalkeeper, Billy Sheehan in excellent form.

With just two minutes remaining, a header from Dan Shanahan went goalwards and while the Lismore players celebrated a goal, the referee and linesman signalled the ball had not crossed the line and Brideview held out to win.

Not the greatest of finals, as both sides had the highest regard and respect for each other, it was a very sporting contest and it was a pity that 'controversy' should occur at the end with some unnecessary behaviour from some of our supporters. Unfortunately the referee and linesmen do not have the benefit of action replays, they just have a split second to make a decision and those of us who have refereed no matter what the code will understand how difficult the referees' task is.

For Lismore - Sean "Gambler" Daly was outstanding and must have been a close contender for Man of the Match. Bo Bo Meagher, Brendan Landers, Paul Prendergast all performed outstandingly but unfortunately the lack of a goal finisher on the day proved too much for Lismore.

LISMORE A.C. NOTES

Well done — Well done to Tanya Morrissey who came first in the girls U-8 80m at Glenbower Open Sports at Midleton on Monday last. She is continuing where she left off last year by coming first in every race at all sports meetings in Cork.

Well done also to Sarah O'Brien on getting a medal in the girls U-9 80m and also Kate O'Brien on getting a medal in the girls U-10 80m.

Boys U-14 800m — In the boys U-14 800m Mark Ferguson ran very well to come fourth in a very fast race.


Training — Training every Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights at 6.45. We need more runners as Community Games is only six weeks away.

ST. CARTHAGE'S HOUSE PROGRESSIVE '45' DRAW

Winners: Mary Mike Whelan, Mary Hyland, Mick Pratt, Kit McCarthy, J. Power, Cissie Power, Billy Hickey, Paddy McCarthy, Mattie Coffey, Mick Cahill, Kevin Ryan, Jo Lineen; Raffle: Mary Whelan, Mary Hyland, Jerry Murphy; Lucky Tables: Bertie Neville, Pat Moore, Pad Walshe, Tom Brennock.

BALLINVELLA LADIES CLUB

Ladies it's that time of year again when the garden is beckoning you. So why not make a start by coming to Ballinvella on Monday next, May 13th where Carmel from Kilworth will be there, armed with an array of bedding plants and shrubs. Her talk this time will concentrate on garden tubs and what best to plant in them. So don't forget, this is a great night for any gardener.

HOROSCOPES BY **Ali**

 Practitioner of Ancient Arts

**FROM WEEKEND
MAY 10**

★ **SCORPIO** **OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22**

Difficult home situations are set to improve. In the meantime, someone lends a sympathetic ear. The atmosphere at work is exciting where a new face proves interesting. To promote love, wear blue. Friday proves a positive day. Your lucky number is 9. **Need to know more? Telephone 1550 151.**

FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 308

★ **SAGITTARIUS** **NOV. 23 to DEC. 21**

Life has felt like an uphill struggle but this week you will find it easier to get things done. Take an opportunity to have fun. You deserve a break. Papers and documents need sorting out. **For more on love and luck, work and money, telephone 1550 151.** Your lucky number is 7.

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★ **CAPRICORN** **DEC 22 to JAN 20**

This week, you may envy friends who seem to have all the excitement. Enjoy the peace while it lasts and remember, nothing stays the same for long. Your turn will come. In the meantime, be good to yourself. **Why not telephone 1550 151 for a detailed astrological analysis?**

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★ **AQUARIUS** **JAN 21 to FEB 19**

Accept invitations that come your way this week Aquarius — social events are likely to be more fun than expected. Life has an international flavour and love and travel may well prove connected. **Enjoy visiting new and interesting places. Telephone 1550 151 for details.**

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★ **PISCES** **FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20**

This week, a fun flirtation could turn into something serious. Be aware of the romantic messages you are sending — not only through words but also body language. If involved, your relationship will regain some of the excitement it has lost. **Interested in knowing more? Then telephone 1550 151.**

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★ **ARIES** **MARCH 21 to APRIL 20**

Think twice before you accept a situation at face value. Romantically, demand to know the name of the game so you can be clear about the rules. Professionally, you enjoy a new sense of fun in what you do. **For a full astrological analysis of love and luck, work and money, telephone 1550 151.**

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★ **TAURUS** **APRIL 21 to MAY 21**

You are crying out for a laugh this week. For too long life has been too serious. Spend time with those who know how to have fun and make you smile. Take life funny and easy. **Take time to telephone 1550 151 for further astrological indications.** Your lucky number is 3.

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★ **GEMINI** **MAY 22 to JUNE 21**

Silence is golden this week when you need some peace and quiet. Professionally, you need a new motivation. Reassess goals and if necessary, change track. Romantically, you are on track if you meet someone halfway. **For further details on an interesting week, telephone 1550 151.**

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★ **CANCER** **JUNE 22 to JULY 23**

This week, listen and learn. Someone can provide you with important information or instruction. If you are in the mood for love, create a romantic setting and issue a heartfelt invitation. **For a full astrological assessment of a colourful week, telephone 1550 151.**

FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 304

★ **LEO** **JULY 24 to AUGUST 23**

Take words with a pinch of salt this week — someone may make dramatic statements purely for effect. Professionally, it is time to have a constructive plan. Romantically, the best plan is no plan. **For more about what's in store, telephone 1550 151.** Your lucky number is 8.

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★ **VIRGO** **AUGUST 24 to SEPT. 23**

What goes round comes round. This week someone gets their just desserts. Romantically, be prepared to shout your feelings from the roof tops. In love, this is no time to be quiet. You must be heard to catch and keep someone's attention. **Hear more about astrological trends on 1550 151.**

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★ **LIBRA** **SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23**

Avoid taking yourself too seriously this week. Lighten up! Otherwise a minor issue could become "heavy." This week is an excellent time to clear debts and catch up financially. Events are moving quickly and you'll soon find yourself facing new challenges. **For further information, telephone 1550 151.**

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Stop Weeding Out The Butterfly

EACH year It seems the number of lovely butterflies in our gardens dwindles. More and more species are in danger of becoming extinct, and the experts put the blame on the use of sprays in the fields and the destruction of hedgerows.

Some species have gone and over the past 25 years the Common Blue, Small Copper, Small Heath, Wall Butterfly Grayling, Adonis Blue, Silver Spotted Skipper, Heath Fritillary, 3ins. wingspan Swallowtails and the Large Tortoiseshells have almost vanished.

Butterflies thrive on nectar plants — plus nettles, on which they lay their eggs.

Many varieties like the Large Blue have been in serious decline here for many years. This variety was thought at one time to have become extinct, but a few have been sighted in recent years.

How can we save our butterflies?

The experts say the answer lies in rearing some species in captivity, just as we look after endangered animal species.

Even if laboratory breeding is resorted to on a growing scale, this could prove to have problems. How do we get the butterflies back into our gardens and parks?

They live entirely on liquid refreshment Such as nectar, tree sap and fruit juices (they taste their food through their legs).

To keep the winged beauties in your garden, you must provide the plants and flavours they like and need — even the nettles.

They diet on flowers like kentranthus, buddelia, lunaria and moon daisy.

Avoid sprays if you can. They destroy the eggs and pupae which in turn become butterflies.

We don't know why particular species are attracted to an area. Neither do we know how the varieties are distributed about the country.

On the other hand, one thing is certain. There are fewer butterflies about the gardens, parkland and fields than there were last year.

And experts say the number of varieties is also in decline.

But fortunately scientists are now closely studying the butterflies and their habits in a major attempt to stem their dwindling numbers.

For unless serious attempts are made to save Ireland's butterflies, our children may never be able to enjoy a garden with lovely winged creatures flitting about on a summer's day.

So, make a point of planting some of the varieties that butterflies need in your garden this summer. Your local garden centre or nurseryman should be able to help you on the best ones to get, especially if the centre runs its own indoor butterfly centre.



"I don't see it as a flame thrower, I see it as a lawn mower."

— TOM SOTER

Cappoquin Notes

CAPPOQUIN PAROCHIAL HALL NOTES

Non-Stop Draw — The Parochial Hall Committee are running a Non-Stop Draw over fifteen weeks commencing this Saturday, May 11th.

This financial venture is being run to carry out the following plans -

1. To renovate room over the snooker hall so that it can be used for meetings and small recreational gatherings.

2. The toilets and kitchen to be upgraded and more facilities to be added to existing facilities.

The main room of the hall which was renovated last year is now being used by a wide variety of groups i.e. G.A.A. (juvenile section for training in the winter), art classes, karate classes now in its 12th year, keep fit classes, Faroig club, cards every Sunday night.

The Snooker Club was fully operational six nights a week. However, due to excessive vandalism by a minority few, the snooker hall had to be closed. The snooker was supervised wholly by teenagers and this did not prove to be successful. It is the intention of the committee to reopen the snooker club in September that is if there are adults committed to supervising the club. The club needs considerable repair work to

be carried out and cues that were vandalised will have to be replaced. Any adult willing to take on a supervisory role could they please contact any of the following committee members: Mary Foley, Joan Lacey, Joan Mason, Noel Mason, Sheila Murphy, Michael Doherty and Mary Murray.

The facilities of the main room in the Hall are available to all at a very realistic rate. We have had the Minister for Agriculture making a

presentation to the employees of M. O'Connor and Sons also Liz McManus, Minister for Urban Renewal launching the Cappoquin Development Plan. We have held several discos which were enjoyed by all.

We would take this opportunity again to ask you to take a line at £1 and support a very worthy venture. Many thanks again for your tremendous support in the past and we hope that it will continue. (Advt.)

AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN G.A.A. NOTES

MINORS BEATEN

Ardmore 4-5
Cappoquin 1-3

Our Minor hurlers travelled to Tallow last Friday night to play Ardmore. Our lads never got into the game in the first half as Ardmore were yards faster to the ball and also some terrible marking left them in for soft goals. On the other hand, the chances we got, their goalie made three great saves while another rebounded off the players head en route to goal and at least three golden scoring opportunities were squandered. The score at half-time was Ardmore 4-4 Cappoquin 0-0.

However, the lads raised their game in the second half and hurled really well but we did not have the best of luck when it came to scoring. Ardmore were a big strong fit team and made things difficult for us. We still had the better of the exchanges but scores were very slow in coming so while dominating the last 30 minutes, we did not raise enough flags to win the day.

Our best players on the night were Ward Fraher, Glen Arrigan, James Manahan, Darragh Wilkinson, Michael Murphy, Niall Maher and Shane Coughlan.

Team: D. McCarthy, N. McCarthy, E. McGrath, M. Murphy, G. Arrigan, W. Fraher, D. Wilkinson (1-1), N. Maher, D. Fraher (0-1), A. Barry, S. Coughlan, R. Scanlon (0-1), J. Manahan. Sub: I. Cullinan

Minors Bounce Back

Cappoquin 5-13
Gaeltacht 0-2

Following that Ardmore defeat on Friday night, our Minor hurlers bounced back with an overwhelming victory over An Gaeltacht at Collihan last Monday. The lads set about redeeming themselves from the outset and were never in any danger of losing this one. In a very sound defence Glen Arrigan, Ward Fraher and James Manahan excelled. Niall Maher put in trojan work at midfield while up front, Darragh Wilkinson was in sparkling form ably assisted by Diarmuid Coughlan and Shane Coughlan.

The lads can now concentrate on their exams and our club appreciate their loyalty to the team which interrupted their studies. We have always been of the opinion that the Minor Championship should not begin until after the Leaving Cert. It just isn't fair on these young lads. We wish them all the very best of luck. Monday's victory should have given them a bit of a lift.

Team: D. McCarthy, N. McCarthy, G. Arrigan, M. Murphy, J. Manahan, W. Fraher, A. Barry, N. Maher, D. Fraher, D. Wilkinson (2-7), S. Coughlan (1-4), R. Scanlon (0-1), D. Coughlan (2-1).

Injuries — Presently in bandages and plaster are Paul Lacey and Paudie Landers. Their absence is sorely felt by the team and we sincerely hope they recover as quickly as possible.

SOLDIER HOME FROM LEBANON

We are glad to report that Mr. Conor Prendergast has arrived home safe and well following a tour of duty with the Irish troops in Lebanon.

FAWLTY'S CARD RESULTS

April 30th: First: John McGrath, Jim Collender; Second and Third divided: Lena Jeffries, Carmel Scanlon; Mary O'Rourke, Denis McGrath; Lucky Table: Catherine Whelan, Helen Morrissey.

Game every Tuesday night at 9.00 p.m.



Pauline Cullinane, daughter of Kathleen and Patrick Cullinane, DromaNa, Cappoquin and Barry Hazlewood of Rathcormack, Co. Cork, who were married in Ballinameela Church recently. Fr. Tim Hazlewood, cousin of the groom officiated and the reception was held afterwards in The Park Hotel, Dungarvan. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

AFFANE SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

The Committee staged another night of entertainment in the Parochial on Wednesday night last. A requiem Mass was celebrated in the church to mark the first anniversary of the death of esteemed committee member, Mrs. Mary Ormonde. The celebrant was Very Rev. Fr. Barron P.P.

Light refreshments were served in the Hall, a gesture very much appreciated by all present. There was dancing with the music supplied by Maurice Troy, Bob Keane, Buddy Keane and John Crowley. Guests for the night were a group of senior citizens from Tallow, a group which contained a number of very talented people, especially singers.

There were local singers too who were called upon by committee Chairman and excellent M.C., Michael Prendergast who also rendered his party piece "Down the Boreen".

At the end of the opening, everybody were loud in their praise of this hard-working committee who have now staged many successful events.

CAPPOQUIN MACRA NA FEIRME NOTES

Farm Plan — Congratulations to Daniel O'Donnell, Gavin Hallahan and Eoin Collender who won the recent farm plan competition. This is the second year in a row that the lads have won. They now go on to represent the County. Thanks to all who helped them.

Outdoor Soccer — The outdoor soccer tournament begins this Friday night, May 10th at 8.00 in Modeligo. The club will have teams competing in this.

Miss Macra — Cappoquin will be representing the County in the Miss Macra competition which is on in Thurles on the Bank Holiday Weekend. Doing the honours will be Edith Prendergast.

MELLERAY DRAMATIC CARD RESULTS

May 3 First: Joe Power, Pat O'Connor; Second and Third: Moss Morrissey, Rena O'Donoghue, Eddie Byrnes, Kathleen Coleman; Lucky Tables: Jimmy Hornibrook, Jack Crowley; Michael Cullinane, Michael Coleman; Tickets: Stephen Cunningham, Jack Crowley (x 2).

Next games Friday, June 7th at 9.00 p.m. sharp.

MELLERAY LADIES CLUB

The club are, at the moment, organising a summer outing. To hear all about it, come to Melleray Hall next Wednesday, May 15th at 8.15 p.m. A large attendance is expected.

SYMPATHY

Sincere and deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. Betty Kelleher, Main Street on the death of her mother, Mrs. Geary which sad event occurred last week.

RECOVERING

We are glad to see Mrs. Berry Walsh out and about again following a lengthy stay in hospital as a result of a car accident. We wish her a speedy return to full health.

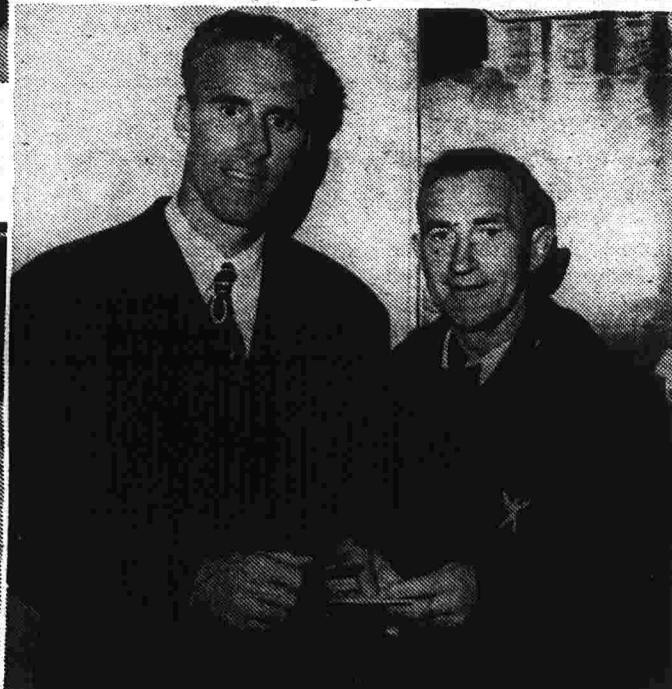
A Pictorial Look At Mick McCarthy's Visit To Tallow



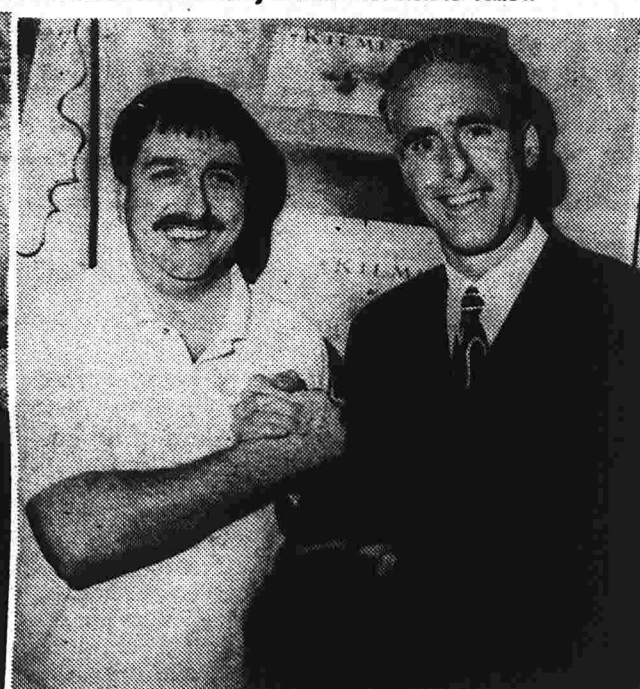
A crowd of young supporters who turned out in force to see Mick McCarthy on his first visit to Tallow



Two members of the Brideview soccer club, Maurice Hartnett (on left) and Milo Ahearn enjoy themselves at the supper dance in the Community Centre with Mick McCarthy



Pictured above is photographer Tom Bulman of Youghal with soccer supremo Mick McCarthy



Kieran O'Connor of Waterford Foods gets to grips with Irish soccer Manager Mick McCarthy and presents him with a special Waterford Foods golf windcheater



P.R.O. of the Brideview United Soccer Club Liam Fraser gives Mick McCarthy a few tips for the Irish squad as Mick's father Charlie and son Michael listen intently



To mark his homecoming to Tallow, Charlie McCarthy presented his old schoolfriend Con Ryan with a sliotar from the 1950 Yorkshire championships which he won playing in the colours of the Barnsley St. Joseph's hurling club. Pictured on right is Charlie's nephew Sean McCarthy of Tallow.

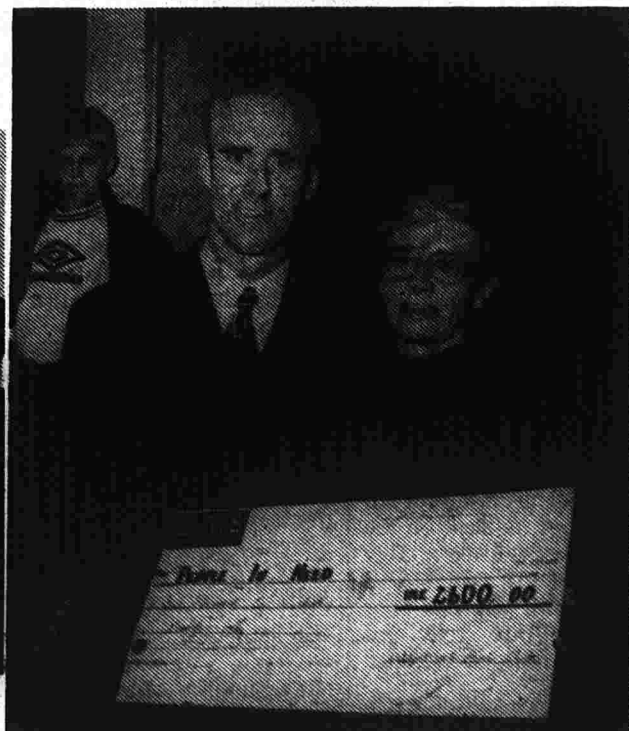
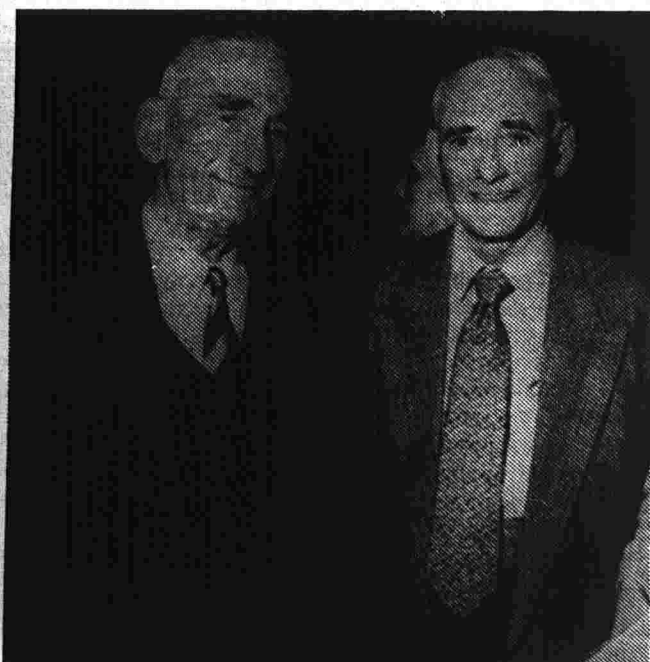


Photo shows Anne Fielding of the Waterford Foods Sports Club with Mick McCarthy. Anne presented a cheque for £2,600 on behalf of the club to the Telethon People In Need during the night.



Two brothers reunited after 43 years. Tom McCarthy of West street, Tallow (on left) has much to discuss with his Yorkshire based brother Charlie.



A group from Mount Odell Training Centre and Telethon supporters enjoying themselves on Telethon Day in Grattan Square. Included in front is Seamus Flavin who plays 'Gary' in Fair City. The Mount Odell group raised funds for Telethon in a bath push across the Square. (Photo: Pat Crowley)

Major Clean-Up Of Ancient Knockanore Graveyard

One of the most excellent pieces of work carried out by FAS employees can be attributed to them following a massive clean up operation of an entirely overgrown graveyard at Knockanore.

Knockanore graveyard, which dates back to the 15th century, was once the centre of media attention when a number of cattle died there. Often they broke through the boundary fence and into the enclosed graveyard. It appears that the cattle ate the growth of the yew trees which imprisoned them. This incident occurred almost 20 years ago and at that time, it received

wide-spread national publicity after it was raised by former Waterford County Councillor, Declan Aheane.

The Council were not responsible for the unfortunate loss to the nearby farmers. One of Knockanore's public representatives, Cllr. Willie McDonnell who requested this work to be done, visited the church and graveyard last weekend and said it was

remarkable that the carefully laid headstones, the general layout of the graveyard and the walls of the old church were kept intact over the last 500 years.

Speaking to the "Dungarvan Leader", Cllr. McDonnell described the general appearance of Kilcockan Church as it stands today. The entry to the church in those days is still visible from the road - three stepping stones on each side of the wall or an old fashioned style in the centre for the younger and more agile members of the community.

The walls of the church still stand firm and the entry to it is through a very narrow door. The small

narrow windows highlight the excellently cut stone which is one of the features of this church. This is particularly noticeable inside the door of the church where a perfectly cut stone was used for holy water.

Cllr. McDonnell said it is hard to visualise what kind of roof was on the church in those days but from looking at it now, he guessed that it was shaves of spire wreaths or some type of thatch cut from the nearby river bank. The Tallow Councillor went on to say that those yew trees mentioned earlier, are still growing and blooming in the ancient graveyard. "It is now possible to see names of deceased whose families are still with us in Knockanore," he added.

The Knockanore 5th and 6th school children visited the area last week and they received detailed information on the history of the church and graveyard.

Cllr. McDonnell paid tribute to the teaching staff of Knockanore for promoting this facility. He said it is a prime example of promoting our national heritage especially to our younger generation. "This type of activity should be promoted and encouraged in all schools in our County," he declared. Cllr. McDonnell then thanked Waterford County Council for the excellent work carried out which now leaves Knockanore Parish with a facility to celebrate Mass, service or prayers at the old and ancient Kilcockan Church.



Teagasc Urge Farmers To "Cash In On Grass"

GRASS — IRELAND'S CHEAPEST AND BEST LIVESTOCK FEED

Tomorrow's farm will require more efficient production, particularly in relation to grassland, greater management of input costs, more clearly defined integrated systems, maximum utilisation of EU product and income supports, improved environment management, greater awareness of farm safety and, particularly for smaller holdings, ability to achieve off-farm income.

The Teagasc 1996 Advisory Programme sets out to help farmers achieve these objectives. Because of the cost saving advantage and increased production potential of better grassland management, the growing and utilisation of grass is central to our livestock programmes. Teagasc estimate that better grass use can significantly contribute to reducing production costs on many farms.

THE VALUE OF GRASS

The relative cost of grass, silage and concentrates are in the ratio 1:3:5. Increasing grass intake will, therefore, have a significant effect on production costs as it is the cheapest source of food. By increasing both grass intake and pasture utilisation, feed costs could potentially be reduced by between £40-£50 per livestock unit on many of our dairy, cattle and sheep farms. Expressed in unit costs for the grazing and winter feeding period, this could equate to — 10p per gallon of milk; 10p per kg. of beef; 10p per kg. of lamb.

Virtually all the factors that determine efficient grass utilisation, and thus maximum animal performance, are within the control of the farmer. Low cost, high performance on our livestock farms depends on the efficient conversion of grass into meat or milk. Essentially, that means: growing large amounts of quality pasture to ensure adequate forage during grazing season; the efficient use of pasture by livestock to achieve optimum liveweight gains; the maintenance of good quality, vigorous swards.

In order for farmers to be more competitive, it is essential that they implement grazing regimes suitable to their farms.

WINTER FODDER

Grass silage accounts for 50 to 70 per cent of the dry matter intake of animals during the winter period. Unfortunately, in spite of silage being the main source of winter feed, it is often of low quality and poor preservation. Milking cows, fattening cattle and over-wintered ewes will require substantially more meals to achieve the same level of performance if they are on poor quality silage. This could cost £40-£50 per livestock unit over the winter period.

Good silage, which can only come from well managed grass cut at the right time, can significantly reduce the wintering costs of livestock.

The single biggest management opportunity therefore for Irish farmers to improve profits, is to obtain levels of animal performance — summer and winter — from a higher quality low cost feed. Quality Irish grass is that feed.

To demonstrate the practical application of good grassland management and silage making, Teagasc, in cooperation with IFI and Waterford Foods plc., are holding a Farm Walk on the outside farm of Mr. Jim Lynch, Ballinamuck, Dungarvan, on Friday, May 17, at 2.15 p.m.

TILLAGE

- Winter cereal crops are now growing well. Growth has improved in spring cereals.
- Broken weather is causing problems with critical spraying operations in winter cereals.
- Disease levels have increased in winter cereals. Wet weather diseases predominate. Septoria is widespread on winter wheat. Rhynchosporium is widespread at moderate levels but is occasionally severe in winter barley. Mildew levels have increased rapidly in winter wheat, barley and oats. Net Blotch is reported on the spring barley variety, Cork.
- Beet and potato crops are emerging satisfactorily.

Dungarvan Scout Notes

TROOP MEETING

The meeting began with a few notices. The main item discussed was the selection of the team for the O'Farrell Cup which takes place in Glenshelane this weekend. The C.B.S.I. registration cards were also handed out. Once subs were collected we marched up to the C.B.S. Grounds where we played basketball. The troop was split into two with Derek Murphy the captain of team A and John Charles captain of team B. The lads showed great skill during the game and special mention should be made of David Noonan and Raymond Sullivan. Derek's team won.

It was then time for some crazy football. Two scouts had to team up together and tie one leg together for two legged soccer. Great craic was had here and even Brendan joined in. Dane and Robert Flynn and Victor showed that they could play good soccer even with one leg each.

Once the activities were over we went back to the den with the scouts under-13 to put some practice in for the O'Farrell Cup and the older lads discussed the upcoming De Burca Shield. The meeting ended at 8.45 p.m.

LIONS CLUB CYCLE/WALK

The annual Lions Club

cycle/walk will take place this Sunday, May 12. It will start from the car park and some of the proceeds will go to the 11th Waterford. So we ask all members to fully participate, in this fundraising event, remember to bring all cards back on the day as there will be a draw for a bicycle and a £50 voucher, but you can only enter if your card and money is handed back on the day.

We would like to thank the Lions Club for their generosity which they have shown towards the 11th Waterford, as all funds received will be put to good use.



FARMING LEADER



Pictured at the recent Aglish Gymkhana were (from left) , Helen Veale, Celia Walsh, Michelle O'Connell and Aileen Hallahan from Affane, Cappoquin. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

ICMSA To Press Minister On REPS

Farmers who decided to enter a scheme to boost environmental friendly farming are frustrated and disillusioned that the Government has failed to pay them for their participation in the scheme.

That is what ICMSA Farm Services Committee Chairman, Mr. Maurice Harvey, told the Minister of State for Agriculture Mr. Jimmy Deenihan.

Mr. Harvey who led an ICMSA delegation to a meeting with the Minister in Tralee, said 13,000 farmers were involved in the Rural Protection Environment Scheme (REPS.)

"It is unacceptable that so many farmers are waiting since last October to receive their second payment which is due to them under this scheme," he said.

"All they are getting from the Department of Agriculture is one excuse after another as to why the money is not being paid. Farmers entered the scheme in good faith, but there is now major disillusionment and anger over the delay in payments."

Mr. Harvey said the REPS, together with the now de-

funct Control of Farmyard Pollution Scheme, has provided a major incentive for low income farmers to upgrade anti-pollution facilities and engaged in viable environmental friendly farming practices. Without these schemes many farmers on low incomes just would not have the money to carry out the necessary works, nor would it be profitable to practice the extensive type of farming

involved. "It is essential that we maintain the green image of our countryside which has been the springboard to our success in selling our food on world markets. It is therefore essential that the Department end the disillusion among farmers by issuing the second payments due under REPS and reintroduce the Control of Farmyard Pollution Scheme.

IFA Demands Minimum Land Price Of 160p/lb

Waterford IFA Sheep Committee Chairman, Harry Gray has said that with the strengthening of the lamb market in France, factories should be paying a minimum base price of 160p/lb. Mr. Gray pointed out that the French market was returning 28.5p/kg, a price equivalent to 161.5p/lb. Based on this market return, factories should be paying a minimum base price of 160p/lb now.

The Waterford sheep farmers leader said that the lamb kill was continuing to run significantly ahead of last year. "Up to mid April sheep slaughterings were 154,000 ahead over last years levels. This augurs well for lamb prices over the next number of weeks as availability of finished lambs may be scarce enough.

Mr. Gray said that in conjunction with the live exports, shippers and the Department of Agriculture, IFA was working hard to resolve the difficulties in relation to the live export of lambs.

Ban Angel Dust Farmers For Life — ICMSA

Farmers who use angel dust are traitors who are holding the entire Irish agriculture sector to ransom, ICMSA President, Frank Allen, said recently.

He said any farmer convicted of using the substance should receive a life ban from owning livestock.

Mr. Allen said stiffer penalties must be imposed on those using illegal growth promoters.

Low Disease Compensation For Dairy Farmers Must Be Addressed

— ICMSA

The drop in the price being paid for reactor cows must be addressed immediately under the new Disease Eradication Programme, ICMSA National Dairy Committee member, Liam Geaney, said recently.

He said dairy farmers, particularly at this early part of the milk season, are suffering huge losses due to depopulation in their herds as a result of reactor cows.

"Those farmers affected face virtually a total loss of income for a full year. Depopulation is enforced for a four month period before these farmers are allowed to buy back stock. This means that farmers caught up in this anomaly cannot milk again until March of the following year."

Mr. Geaney said that the present compensation structures in place were far from adequate to meet the losses incurred by such farmers. Factory returns for lightweight cows at this time of year is as low as £150 to £200.

The total loss suffered by farmers who find themselves in this disastrous situation could be as much as £500 per cow. The compensation issue will have to be addressed immediately as dairy farmers cannot afford to shoulder such a burden.

FARM WALK

TEAGASC in association with WATERFORD FOODS PLC and L.F.I. are holding a FARM WALK

on the farm of Jim Lynch, Ballylemon, Cappagh, Co. Waterford (Winner of the 1995 Co. Waterford Quality Silage Award)

on Friday, May 17th at 2.15 p.m.

Topics discussed on the day will include:—

- ★ Silage making programme on the farm
- ★ Weed Control
- ★ Silage Additives
- ★ Fertiliser programmes for silage
- ★ Maize silage

The Farm Walk will take place at

BALLINAMUCK, DUNGARVAN, CO. WATERFORD

ALL FARMERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND Site will be signposted



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1996 AREA AID APPLICATIONS

1. Farmers are reminded that the closing date for submission of 1996 area aid applications is **Wednesday, 15 May, 1996**. They should ensure their applications are posted or delivered on time to reach the Area Aid Unit, Department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry, Hume House, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4 ON OR BEFORE 15 MAY SO AS TO AVOID LATE APPLICATION PENALTIES.
2. If farmers have any problems with the maps issued to them recently and cannot sort out those problems before 15 May 1996, **THEY NEED NOT SUBMIT THE CORRECTED MAPS WITH THEIR AREA AID APPLICATIONS - BUT THEY MUST FORWARD THEM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER 15 MAY.**
3. If there are **NO CHANGES** to the land parcels covered by the maps issued to farmers recently, **THEY NEED NOT RETURN THOSE MAPS WITH THEIR 1996 AREA AID APPLICATIONS.** They should just keep those maps for future reference.



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TALLOW NOTES

TALLOW G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

THE SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

TALLOW 4-8 ST. SAVIOURS 1-2

Ever before a ball was struck in this entertaining game in Clonea-Power last Friday evening, it was teamwork all the way involving players, committee members and supporters alike. The last minute change of venue meant some quick re-organising and having a large proportion of our team scattered in various parts of Munster between colleges and workplaces, it was no mean feat to have all players present under the circumstances. Well done to everybody concerned.

The game itself produced some great striking of the ball and proved yet again how effective first-time ground hurling is, when done at the right time. James Beecher, Trevor Sheehan and Terence McSweeney continue to mature and are hurling with confidence in front of the ever-reliable Martin Murphy.

Timmy Sheehan, not for the first time, took over the centre-back position and his steadying influence on the team as a whole cannot be underestimated.

Stuart Barry is another in the mould of giving 100% to every effort and has developed enormously. Colin Cunningham completed our defence with his usual trap to line performance.

As with a lot of the lads on Friday, Brian Henley arrived minus his dinner, quick change of gear and on to the field. He continues a fine tradition of commitment to Tallow teams down the years by his family.

Mark Geary, also at centre-field, is one of those lads who is seldom without a hurley in his hand on any day of the year. Be it pucking the sliotar against the gable-end of the house or on the playing fields, it's not surprising to see how his striking has developed over the years.

It's seldom, if ever, Dermie Henley misses a match or training. Work commitments made him absent on Friday but the family name certainly was there in the forward line. Here again a bit of leadership was something we were badly needing up front. David Henley provided it in no uncertain manner which shows once again that a good hurler can play in almost any position. His personal scores and the manner

in which he brought the younger lads around him into the game had a big outcome on the result.

William Murphy comes from a family whose loyalty to hurling is legendary and here again he started on the forty as opposed to his usual number fifteen spot. Peter and John Joe completed the line and ensured a good supply of the ball inwards as well as some fine individual scores.

I've left the 'babes' of the team until last. Billy Sheehan has been a revelation this year and is reaping the rewards from his practice in training. Likewise Roy Henley is hurling with a maturity which belies his years and with up and coming lads like him, I firmly believe that it won't be too far down the road until the bonfires blaze again and the memories of Gar Collins and all our departed families and friends will once again be to the fore.

Our thanks to referee John Michael Kelly for not being too strict on the official starting time and our sincere congratulations to the Clonea club on their excellent refurbished grounds and facilities.

Waterford play Kilkenny to mark the official reopening of this fine venue and here's hoping for something better than the lack-lustre and seemingly uninterested performance that we witnessed in Killeagh last week from our representatives who should feel more than privileged to have the honour of wearing the blue and white of Waterford.

COMMITTEE NOTES

At our A.G.M. in January, it was agreed that it was about time more of us stood up and were counted and put more back into our club from which we had derived so much. Up to now, it is great to be able to report that not alone are the promises being kept but are being surpassed. Our juvenile committee under Pat Sheehan and Rachael Ryan are doing some great work. Tom McSweeney and Dinny Cunningham are overseeing the field development and thanks to our very active finance committee of Liam Moroney and pals, our Déise Draw membership (which is just one of their projects) is beyond our expectations.

This in itself commands a lot of time and work and when he is not wearing the number six jersey, Timmy Sheehan co-ordinates this effort.

Johnny Curley has also surpassed his efforts of other years with a record membership and the overall accounts are in the very capable hands of Mairead Sheehan. Just a little brief indicator of what's going on and just in case anyone feels there's room for any complacency, there is as always just around the corner the ever-present and deeply committed Chairman Sean Sheehan. We wish him well on his present visit to the South of France. Speaking of trap to line earlier on, what are the odds of a hurling match in the land where the red poppys dance in the near future? Wouldn't put it past him!!!

All of this work within the club does however bring increased pressure of time and effort so on to the board of officers from the main committee comes Bernie Kearney as assistant secretary. Bernie is certainly no stranger to Gaelic affairs in Tallow, once again upholding a strong family tradition. Welcome aboard Bernie.

Best Wishes — Our continued good wishes for a speedy recovery goes to our Club President Harry Ronayne. We look forward to seeing you on the sideline soon again Harry.

MINOR 'A' HURLING

Tallow 3-14
Fourmilewater 0-0

In our second game of the Championship, we had an easy win over Fourmilewater. But it wasn't all one-way traffic. We led at half-time by eight points and our goalie, Barry made two brilliant saves. But our boys took control in the second half and finished off with a total of 3-14.

Throughout the game, some great points were got and good to see eight players getting on the score sheet. It was also good to see the boys playing as a team supporting each other and not giving the opposition time on the ball.

Team: Barry Power, Sean Slattery, Jason Barry, Shane McCarthy (0-1), James Murray, David O'Brien, Owen Murphy (0-6), John O'Donovan (0-2), Tom

Pratt, Paul Cronin, Mark Fraser (0-1), Donal Hickey (0-1), Roy Henley (1-1), Mark Walsh (1-2). Subs used: Martin Ryan, Shane McCarthy and Padraig Tobin (1-0).

Thanks to all who drove on Friday and Monday and I wish all the boys the best of luck.

Training — Training will continue on Friday nights at 7.15 during the summer break.

Tallow 3-14 Abbeyside 0-3

Abbeyside were our opponents in the first round of the Minor Hurling Championships.

Tallow got a great start and after 15 minutes had raced into a 1-5 score lead, the goal coming from Buddy Curley. Abbeyside replied with two points but by half-time we got another six points to leave it 1-11 to two points.

Again, we started better in the second half and got a great early goal again from Buddy. From that goal there was no looking back and a goal from Donal Hickey five minutes later sealed the victory. We finished off with some great points from Charlie Cronin and Owen Murphy.

Team: Barry Power, Seamus Tobin, Jason Barry (Capt.), Sean Slattery, Shane McCarthy, James Murray, David O'Brien, Owen Murphy (0-3), John O'Donovan (0-1), Tom Pratt (0-1), Paul Cronin (0-2), Buddy Curley (2-7), Roy Henley. Subs used: Johnny McCarthy, Martin Ryan and Mark Walsh.

TALLOW AND DISTRICT ANGLING CLUB

Fly Competition — We held a confined Fly Competition last Sunday in which we had an excellent turnout.

The overall winner was Paul Hampton with seven trout, second was Danny Buckley with five trout and third was Jimmy Daly who also had the heaviest trout. A great day was had by all.

Social Evening — Our Social Evening is now on Thursday, May 23rd at 8.00 p.m. at The Brideview Bar. Limited tickets are available from Richie Pratt or at The Brideview Bar. So for a great night's entertainment why not come along. Tickets only £7 each which includes a meal and music afterwards.

BRIDEVIEW UTD. A.F.C. NOTES

United Win The Cup

Utd. clinched the Cup on Monday last thanks to a headed goal from Paul Curley after 23 minutes. This final drew a huge crowd to the Tallow venue for a game played in ideal weather conditions.

This was a great team performance by the Tallow side although they never played to form. The only goal of the game came after 23 minutes when a Philly Curley corner was headed home by brother Paul.

Utd. came under tremendous pressure from Lismore in the second half but their defence stood firm.

Utd.'s keeper, Billy Sheehan was in terrific form and denied the Lismore frontmen on numerous occasions. Sheehan picked up Man of the Match Award sponsored by John O'Gorman of Lismore.

John Flaherty of The Dungarvan Tyre Centre presented the Cup to Timmy Sheehan, much to the delight of Utd.'s players and fans. Utd.'s captain Denis Martin allowed young Timmy accept the Cup.

Celebrations went on late in Tallow as Utd. celebrated in style. Full match report elsewhere in this paper.

Utd.: B. Sheehan, B. Henley, T. McSweeney, D. Martin, T. Sheehan, S. Barry, J. P. Grey, P. Curley, D. Henley, P. Curley. Res.: M. Curley, J. Fraser, G. Sice.

LOTTO

Last week's numbers drawn were 6, 7, 9. Winner was Paddy Leahy. Well done Paddy. Voucher winner was Una Murphy. Next week's jackpot is £200. Voucher is for Cathy's Hair Studio. Draw takes place on Friday night in John Lyons Bar.

NEWS TO HAND

One of the oldest swingers in town went disco dancing last week and had a great night or so we are told. I never knew they had an over fifties disco!!!

BACK HOME

Pat Jo Collins and Harry Rohan are back home and on the mend. Best wishes for a speedy recovery lads.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Happy anniversary to Mr. and Mrs. Delaney, Old Road. They got a big surprise party last week and a great night was had by all.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy birthday wishes are extended to the following — Elizabeth O'Connor who celebrated her birthday last week and Val Cunningham who celebrates her 21st birthday this Saturday night with a big party.

BEST WISHES

Best wishes to John Buckley who is home from hospital. We are glad to report that John is on the mend. Get well soon John from all in the club.

Best wishes also to Mark Geary and Ger Sice both of whom had to sit out the Cup Final due to injuries.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mickey Daly who got married last Friday.

PRESENTATION

When Mick McCarthy visited Tallow last week, his first cousin Desmond McCarthy presented Mick with a beautiful salmon.

BUS FULL

The bus going to Mick McCarthy's Testimonial is now full.

DUNGARVAN UTD.

This P.R.O. would like to thank the Dungarvan Utd. club for a good night on Sunday last. It was good to see many of the lads after so many years. We will not mention the number lads!!!

TALLOW NOTES

FILM STAR PRESENTS BOXING TROPHIES

Famous film star Oliver Reed presented the trophies and spoke to the boxers at a boxing show in Liscarroll last week. We had five boxers in action and had four wins, our fifth boxer got a bit of a raw decision when he was beaten on a 3-2 decision after he seemed to have the fight sewn up.

First in action was Dermot Casey from Tallow. Dermot (son of Tallow businessman Pat Casey) gave a beautiful display of boxing to outbox strong Liscarroll boxer D. O'Sullivan. Dermot picked him off with left and right punches to win comfortably.

Next in was another Tallow boy, Kieran Henley. Kieran is a powerhouse with explosive power in both hands and he proved this when he stopped the tough C. Casey from Limerick in the third round after giving him a count in the first and second. Watch out for him in the Tallow Show on Monday next, May 13th.

Another Tallow boxer who is making quite a name for himself is Ian Hannon who has four victories out of five fights to his credit. In the Tallow Show he boxes the only man to beat him so far and I am quite confident that he will reverse the decision here.

James Hannon was next. James is one of our most accomplished boxers and as I

have said, he was the unluckiest loser of the night after boxing the ears off his opponent. He was then declared the loser. I am confident he will bounce back and you will see him in Tallow, boxing an English boxer.

Our next fighter is one of the most experienced and best boxers in the country - Roy Duggan. What can you say about Roy. He has boxed 27 contest sthis year losing only one. He is a dedicated trainer like his brother Pio. He completely outclassed the Limerick champ to stop him in round three. He also boxes an English champ in Tallow as does Derry O'Neill.

These Tallow boys have proved quite a find and I am sure they will go to the top as this is only their first year boxing.

Ollie Reed complimented Fermoy on having the best boxers on the show and he should know as he is quite a hard man himself !!!

Irish Boxing Final For Tallow — For a small town, Tallow seems to be getting its share of publicity lately as recently they had Mick McCarthy and this week they have an English boxing team from Devonport boxing in the Community Centre Hall on Monday night next, May 13th.

As a boom to the Fermoy Boxing Club for the good work being done by them,

we were awarded the final of one of the most exciting fights for an Irish title in many years. The fight is between Wexford's Richard Hoare and Cork's Len Duncliffe. Both of these boxers have been Irish champs several times over and two of the most talented boxers in the country. This year both are in the same weight so they now clash.

At last week's Irish Championships, Hoare won his two fights to get into the final by knockouts while Duncliffe knocked out his first opponent and then he got the decision over twice European gold medalist Paul

Stevens in the much publicised fight when bedlam broke out after Stevens was disqualified in the last round when both boys were level.

We were awarded this fight at a meeting of the Central Council in Dublin on Friday night. Some of the top people in Irish boxing will be present including the President of the association Mr. Nicholas White from Wexford. This is a fight not to be missed as both are multi-talented boxers and I am sure destined to represent Ireland in the near future at the highest grade of amateur boxing.

TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE RESULTS

Bingo Results - May 5th — Mrs. Tattan, Fermoy; Mary Long, Fermoy; Maura North, Ardmore; Mrs. Barry, Modeligo; Nora Morrissey; Mrs. Morrisson, New Line; Caroline Murphy, Ballydaniel; Mrs. McGrath, Moorehill; Ian O'Brien, Fermoy; Mary Rumbley; Tess Hickey; Peg Hally, Cappoquin; Mrs. Condon, Barrack Street; Margaret Long, Fermoy; Mrs. Dineen, Dungarvan; Eily Dolan, Lismore; Mary Geary, Main Street; Sean Walsh, Clashmore; Mrs. Brian Lynch, Fermoy; Bridie Fitzgerald, Barrack Street; Terry O'Connor, Cappoquin.

KNOCKANORE, GLENDINE, KILWATERMOY COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

Congratulations to Kevin Hickey, Conna who was elected Vice-President of E.I.L. (Experiment in International Living).

This is a major world body which was founded in U.S.A. in 1932. It is active in fifty countries.

During his term as C.D.O. with Muintir na Tíre, Kevin attended many meetings in our community.

TALLOW ENTERPRISE NOTES

French Class Draws To A Close — A very enjoyable and successful spoken French class has just concluded in the Enterprise Centre in West Street.

The Course Tutor, Ms. Vivienne Fogarty is herself a native French speaker and the students, with various levels of linguistic ability and each wanting to brush up on their French speaking skills, made great progress during the course.

Tallow Enterprise Group intends to run more language courses in the future so if you feel the need to increase your skills or perhaps start from the beginning, why not contact the Enterprise Centre and participate in one of our courses. Telephone (058) 56445 for information. If you are travelling abroad, it makes a world of difference if you have a second language in which to communicate.

Tallow - Pont Saint Pierre Visit — Once again our friends in Pont St. Pierre in Normandy have invited a group from the Tallow area to visit their beautiful town in northern France.

Situated in a valley about halfway between Calais and Paris, the town is built on an old Roman road, hence the name Pont St. Pierre (St. Peter's Bridge).

Our group from Tallow will be assured a royal welcome by the very friendly people of this well-kept town which has a population of approx. 1,000.

Among the sights to be seen are the fabulous chateau on the River Andel which flows through the town and is itself a tributary of the River Seine.

The old gothic church in the centre of the town has fantastic wood panelling and carvings and beautiful stained glass windows. The older residents recall these windows being removed and stored for safe-keeping during the war as that region was occupied by Germany at that time.

The town also has its own bottled water plant which trades under the name of Pier Val. The location is an ideal centre from which to visit the many fine towns in the area such as Rouen with its hundred churches, Lisieux, Honfleur, the monastery of Bec-Hellouin etc.

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WEST WATERFORD NOTES



CLASHMORE CONCERT A RESOUNDING SUCCESS

The pupils of Clashmore presented a top-class variety show at Clashmore Hall and the only people who were disappointed were those who did not manage to get to see the show.

The packed programme of top-class entertainment con-

sisted of singing, music and dancing from all the different classes. The first sketch of evening was "The Telephone" written by local man Pad Walsh, "The Canterville Ghost" performed by Mrs. Keane's speech and drama class and the final event of

the night was a fantastic mini musical performed by Mrs. Shine's classes, "Oliver" a superb night's entertainment and a brief look at the huge wealth of talent in this area. We do hope there will be a second night of this concert.

A very special word of thanks to the pupils themselves for all their hardwork. To the teachers Mrs. Geraldine Shine, Mrs. Veronica Curran, Mrs. Casey, Mrs. Suzanne Hynes, Mrs. Keane (speech and drama), Mrs. Patricia White (music) and Mrs. Phyllis O'Halloran (dancing teacher). As a mark of appreciation each of the teachers were presented with a bouquet of flowers by the parents teachers association. No flowers but a special word of thanks also to Sean Kearns who did a superb job on constructing the stage and thanks to his assistants Ciara and Teresa. A very entertaining night was had by all.

WEDDING BELLS

Warmest congratulations are extended this week to Gordon Troy, formerly of Clashmore, on the occasion of his recent marriage to Anne-Marie Wilson, Birstall, Batley, West Yorkshire.

Gordon and Anne-Marie were married by Fr. McGillicuddy at St. Patrick's Church, Birstall on April 13th. Present at the wedding were Gordon's mother Breda, his sister Mary Anne and brother Liam along with friends Christy Ormond, Damien Walsh, Michael Lombard, Brendan Foley and P. J. Landers.

Bestman was Liam Troy and bridesmaids were Sarah Walson and Nicola Wilson. Seamus McLellan, uncle of the groom was soloist at the church and the reception followed at the Batley Sports Centre.

The marriage was celebrated in Clashmore on the following week when Gordon and Anne-Marie, their family and friends gathered for the Clashmore reception at the Decies Lounge where a great night was had by all.

Every good wish for the future to you both, Gordon and Anne-Marie.

GET WELL WISHES

Continued good wishes to Anne Morrisson, Ballinacash, Clashmore who is now home from hospital. Hope to have you back to full health quickly, Anne.

THE LATE MRS. MAY CUNNINGHAM

With much regret we learned of the passing of Mrs. May Cunningham, Newtown, Grange on Friday last, May 3rd at Waterford Regional Hospital following a long duration of illness.

A quiet gentle, unassuming lady, May was described by a friend as one of the nicest ladies you could care to meet on a day's walk.

A native of Mountstuart, Aghish, May was formerly O'Donnell and she was predeceased by her husband Jackie in February 1984. Jackie was a very popular member of the local community and his death left a great void in May's life. May was predeceased by her brother Nicholas O'Donnell and his wife Marcella almost two years ago.

Despite the many hardships which May endured in recent years, she was always bright and cheery and bore it all with deep Christian faith. She will be deeply and sadly missed by her sons Nicholas and Declan and family and friends to all of whom we wish to extend our deepest sympathy.

Her removal took place from Egan's Funeral Home, Youghal to Grange Church on Saturday evening and following requiem Mass celebrated by Fr. Pat Butler on Sunday morning, May was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

May she rest in peace.

CHEQUE

PRESENTATION NIGHT

On Friday night, April 26th, a huge crowd attended the cheque presentation and social night for the Ardmore Fishermen's Disaster Fund at the Decies Lounge in Clashmore. Clashmore Fishermen's Association was represented by Mossie Curran who presented Mrs. Caroline O'Sullivan of the Ardmore Fishermen's Disaster Fund with a cheque for £6805.08 - the total proceeds of the benefit night, raffle and auction held in Clashmore.

At this stage, the fishermen of Clashmore-Kinsalebeg would like to say a sincere thank you to everyone who made this donation possible.

On the night, West Waterford Hunt represented by Mickie Browne presented their cheque to Caroline O'Sullivan. This cheque was the proceeds of the sponsored ride in Ardmore.

On the night Jim Lane provided the music and the night and refreshments were enjoyed by all.

CLASHMORE-KINSALEBEG ATHLETIC NOTES

Community Games — The area finals of Clashmore-Kinsalebeg Community Games will take place in the G.A.A. field in Clashmore on Thursday week, May 16th. The athletics will commence at 1.00 p.m. sharp.

This year the athletics have been very kindly sponsored by the Youghal Credit Union.

Soccer — Training is presently well underway for the Community Games U-12 soccer and they enjoyed a friendly game against Youghal last Sunday. We were beaten 4-1 but on this occasion we were short some of our stronger players but our team played very well indeed.

CARD RESULTS

Congratulations to last Monday night's '45' Drive winners in Clashmore. Winners on eight games were Mary Dower and Paddy Lynch; Joint second on seven games: Batt Curran and Eamonn Meehan, Willie Ronayne and Mary Coughlan; Best of last five: Birdie Cunningham and Mary Coughlan, Joseph O'Keefe and Paddy Hurton, Ed Hynes and Noel Nugent; Last game winners: Paddy and Nell Foley.

Great to see Willie Ronayne back with us again. Welcome back, Willie.

CLASHMORE TIDY TOWNS NEWS

Thank You, Jimmy — Clashmore Tidy Towns Association would like to extend a sincere word of thanks to Mr. Jimmy Murphy of Mullinavat, presently working on the Health Centre in Clashmore, who provided a transport service for the new lamp-posts which have now been erected at the grotto, from Mullinavat to Clashmore. Thanks for a job well done, Jimmy.

Good Luck, Bernard — Clashmore Tidy Towns Association would like to extend their very good wishes to Mr. Bernard Moloney who retired last week, having served 43 years as a lorry driver with Waterford County Council. Bernard was based around Clashmore Village and always did a wonderful job. Many long and happy years retirement, Bernard.

Roads Litter-Free — A big clean-up operation took place on all the approach roads to Clashmore Village in the past week. All are now almost litter-free and we do hope to have the help and co-operation of all the local community in keeping them that way.

National Competition — All hands are on deck at the moment and the village is beginning to glow as the beginning of the judging for the 1996 National Tidy Towns Competition commences on June 1st. Our thanks to the FAS workers who are doing trojan work at the moment.

St. Oliver's G.A.A. Club Notes

U-14 FOOTBALL BLITZ

Our U-14 footballers qualified for the Western Final against An Gaeltacht by beating a fancied Dungarvan side by 3-2 to 1-1.

It was an even game throughout as in the second half, Dungarvan had a lot of bad wides and hit the post. So it could have been a lot closer at the finish but well done to the U-14's and let's hope they can now go on to win the final.

U-14 HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

St. Oliver's played their first match last Saturday against Naomh Bríd up in Modeligo.

At half-time the score was St. Oliver's 1-3 Naomh Bríd 1-3.

At the start of the second half, it was 1-4 to 1-3. Then St. Oliver's hit back with three goals and ran out winners by 4-3 to 1-4. Best for Oliver's were E. Mernin, T. Kiely, O. Walsh and Raymond Connery.

MINOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

On Monday last we played Stradbally in the second round of the Championship in Abbeyside. This is a game we really had to win especially after losing the first one.

We started very well and led by five points but at half-time it was 2-4 to 2-4. Then after the restart, we led by two points - 2-6 to 2-4. Then Stradbally took over but Oliver's struck back with two goals from Pat O'Donovan who was outstanding at centre-back.

The final score was Stradbally 5-11 St. Oliver's 4-7.

Next match Friday night against Colligan in Dungarvan pitch at 7.00 p.m.

ST. OLIVERS LADIES FOOTBALL NEWS JUNIOR LEAGUE

The 1996 Junior League gets underway next Saturday night when St. Oliver's face Ballyduff in Aghish. The throw-in is at 7.00 p.m. The club's second match will take place away to Dunhill on Monday, May 27th.

SOWING THE SEEDS

The U-14 seeding Championship is due to begin this week with St. Oliver's playing hosts to St. Patrick's.

CLASHMORE RAMBLERS

Oh What A Night — Ramblers played their final league game of the season at sun-drenched Páirc Uí Tucker last Sunday evening. Another big crowd turned out to see the newly crowned champions. The visitors, An Gaeltacht, needed a point out of this game so there was a competitive edge from both teams. With Bob Adams on camera and Oggie on the mike, the game kicked off.

Things were fairly even until Donal Fitzgerald picked up a loose ball on the right and drove an unstoppable shot high into the net. Once again, we dropped our workrate and An Gaeltacht applied pressure without being able to score. At half-time, the score was 1-0 and the second half saw a better performance from Ramblers.

Eoin Power and Dec Whelan were getting on top and Barry Murphy and Tommy Power controlled midfield. A move down the right saw Frannie O'Rourke cross for his brother Kevin to score a well-deserved goal. The biggest cheer of the day however, was reserved for Oggie who had to abandon his Sky sports platform to replace Marty Flynn in goal. Within minutes, he made two remarkable saves to keep our lead intact and Marty must be worried about getting his place back. Then Oggie spotted Tiger up the field and with an inch perfect pass, Tiger was easily able to make it 3-0 and finish the scoring. All the players played well with Barry Murphy, Kevin O'Rourke, Tommy Power and Donal Fitzgerald shining a little brighter than the rest. Man of the Match had to be Oggie.

After the match, Chairman of The Red House League Paddy Pollard presented the Cup to captain Eoin Power, who thanked the managers, committee and most importantly our marvellous supporters.

After a quick shower, the writer met up with the large group who gathered in The Old Still for a memorable night. Chairman Liam Troy again thanked sponsors, supporters and backroom staff before. Old Still Rose, Anita O'Malley presented the players with their trophies. Francis O'Rourke picked up another award when all the lads in the club voted him the Player of the Year.

Our special thanks to the Hickeys and Billy O'Donnell who provided the music and to the staff of The Old Still for the food and drink provided. A big thank you also to Bob Adams and Pa McCarthy who did excellent camera work for two of our games. Many thanks also to all our supporters who were often worth a point to us with their great vocal support. Thanks to all those who bought tickets and to Andrea Kearns, Valerie Kelly, Elaine Power and Helen O'Rourke who sold the tickets. The nearest winning time was 16 minutes 30 seconds. The winner was Brian Murray.

Ramblers On Tour — Of course, there are players from the other side of the parish and possibly there would be no Clashmore Ramblers without them and I'm sure we would not have won the Cup but for their efforts. Players like Marty, Donal, Declan, Seamie and Tommy all played their part. Of course we are not forgetting our manager Tom Kelly who had such an influence during the season. Tom had previous experience with Piltown and his calming influence had a great effect on the players when the pressure was on. To honour their efforts and those of our many supporters from Piltown and the surrounding area, the club will bring the Cup to Healy's Pub next Friday night for another night of celebration. Everyone is invited to attend and we will run a bus leaving at 8.30 p.m. from The Village.

ABBEYSIDE TOPICS

Ballinroad Talent Competition

This year the talent competition's first rounds will be held on Thursday night, May 16 and Friday night, May 17. The final will be on Sunday night, June 2.

This year the committee intend having guest artists to entertain the audience. The fact that there are so many categories in the competition means that a greater number of people will have a chance of winning a prize. The categories are: under-12, under-21, under-50 and over 70. This year there is also a set dancing category for the over 35's.

The organisers would be most grateful if all entries were submitted to Moll Shields, Ballinacourty, before May 10. Telephone 058-41467.

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YOUTH NEWS

A group of six adults are planning to set up a youth group to cater for 13-15 year old males and females. The group will run on Monday nights for May, June and July. An information night for this group will be held on Monday, May 13 at 8 p.m. The venue is the racquet ball court, Minnies. All are welcome.

This project is being set up with the support of Dungarvan Youth Resource Centre.

First Communion

Twenty pupils from Garranbane School are making their First Communion in Garranbane Church on Saturday, May 18 at 11.30 a.m. Forty-six pupils from Abbeyside School will do likewise on May 25 in Abbeyside Church.

Pattern News

Abbeyside Pattern will take place this year on August 9/10/11. The committee are currently planning a programme of events that will be enjoyed by young and old alike. There is also considerable fundraising necessary so that prizes of substance can be purchased for the various events.

Abbeyside Scout Notes

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TROOP MEETING

This week's meeting was mufti for a change, but began at the normal time of 7 p.m. with the troop falling in for the scout prayer.

The patrols for camp were then announced and the scouts went to the relevant corners. The patrols then revised tracking signs while subs and camp money were collected. The troop then broke into a few groups with the SPL's bringing the O Fearghail team out to the field to pitch a tent.

Meanwhile in the den, equipment was being sorted out for next weekend. Boxes were picked and cleaned. With all this done, the troop fell in out in the field and Ronan and John picked two teams. This was a great game with all who played getting stuck in. The final score 5-5.

The meeting ended with the scouts falling in and being reminded of the parade next Friday night. The O Fearghail is on next weekend, starting Friday night at 6 p.m. in the Glen, all arriving in full uniform.



PATROL MEETING

Patrol meetings were held on Sunday morning with the team preparing for next weekend.

NOTES

Parade Friday night. Regional Mass is now on May 19 at 5 p.m. Regional Training day Sunday, May 19. O Fearghail Shield, May 10 and 11 in the Glen. Next week's meeting is mufti and starts at 7 p.m.

Anyone over the age of 10 1/2 years interested in joining the scouts please feel free to come down to the den and talk to us or contact any of the leaders.

SYMPATHY

We would like to extend our deepest sympathy to the Shields family on their recent bereavement with the death of their mother, Mrs. Kathleen Shields of Murphy Place, Abbeyside. — SCRIBE.

Abbeyside Reference Archive

Although our visitors were few, their interest was great. The scouting section of our archive was especially busy last Sunday with camps past being relived through the logs and photo albums. This Sunday the archive

will be in the capable hands of John Shanahan so why not drop into the parish office between 2.30 and 5.30

Abbeyside Girl Guides Notes

LADYBIRD ADVENTURE TO THE END OF THE RAINBOW

Adventurers should assemble in Abbeyside Den at 10 a.m. in full uniform. You must bring wet weather gear, a picnic lunch, a sit-upon, basket and spade, and of course, your favourite teddy bear. You will not need any pocket money and nobody will be allowed to eat or drink whilst on the bus. If you have any queries contact Jenny on 058-44273.

MAY QUEEN 1996

A long standing tradition in Abbeyside Guiding is the election of the May Queen and this year was no exception. A May pole, throne, crown and card were made and then the all important secret ballot took place. At the end of the meeting the results were announced and Roberta Moloney was crowned May Queen 1996 for the Girl Guides section.

Next week we will be able to tell you who became Brownie May Queen '96, so watch this space.

THANK YOU

If I was to individually name all the wonderful people who helped with our fundraisers last week, I would be here until next week. So instead I'm going to say a great big "thank you" to one and all, from card players to bakers, from sellers to cake transporters! Now, after a very successful card night and cake sale, our bank balance is healthier and we can afford the bus to bring us to Camp Limerick. Isn't that handy!

ART CERTIFICATES FOR ABBEYSIDE STUDENTS



Pictured at City Square Shopping Centre, Waterford, accepting certificates on behalf of their school, Scoil Mhuire, Abbeyside are Sarah Bell and Melissa Walsh, who participated in the City Square Easter Art Competition for school at City Square recently. Presenting the certificates is Patricia Haughey of City Square (on right) and Mary Collins. —(Photo: Aileen Drohan).



Beauty Basics

A THOUSAND WAYS TO IMPROVE YOUR IMAGE

Dermabrasion

Dermabrasion is another form of cosmetic surgery which scales the skin with a wire or steel brush. It is usually used to smooth pock scars left from acne or chickenpox.

The wire or steel brush is placed on a dermabrader which rotates very quickly, it is controlled by a foot pedal. Tiny cylinders of sand paper may also be attached to the dermabrader. The cylinders come in different sizes, the large ones are used for broad flat surfaces, the smaller ones are used for areas such as around the nose. The wire brush is used for deep scarring.

For dermabrasion the skin is frozen with ethyl chloride, this hardens the skin

temporarily with out changing its appearance. After dermabrasion bandages are applied to the face. A crust develops after a few days, but will usually shed within a week. Cream is used on the crust to help to remove it. Once the crust has shed, the skin is a pink colour but this will fade fairly fast depending on the individuals skin. Once the surface has been healed make-up may be used. However sunlight should be avoided for some months after dermabrasion as it may

discolour the skin. The face responds best to dermabrasion, however darker skinned people will not gain much from dermabrasion as the areas which are treated often become darker than the rest of the skin.

HOUSEHOLD HINT

To keep your houseplants moist when the weather is very dry, double pot by placing plants and their pots in a waterproof container filled with moist peat. Or stand pots on a shallow dish of absorbent pebbles and keep the pebbles wet almost to the top.

The Leader's Crossword

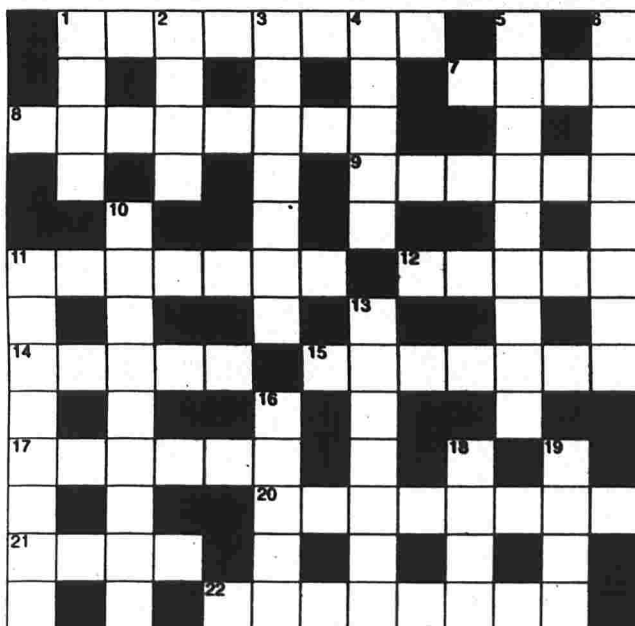
Simplex Clues

ACROSS

- Form a mental image of (8).
- Puzzle or assume an attitude (4).
- Part shin to move from one mode of haulage to another (8).
- Put in order (6).
- Strongly effective (7).
- One who extracts coal etc. (5).
- A notable occurrence (5).
- Tore set to become a bunch of ribbon (7).
- Guides (6).
- One who occupies a house without permission (8).
- A narrow strap to guide a horse (4).
- Written acknowledgement of payments (8).

DOWN

- Sins (4).
- Motor vehicles (4).
- Pertaining to globes (7).

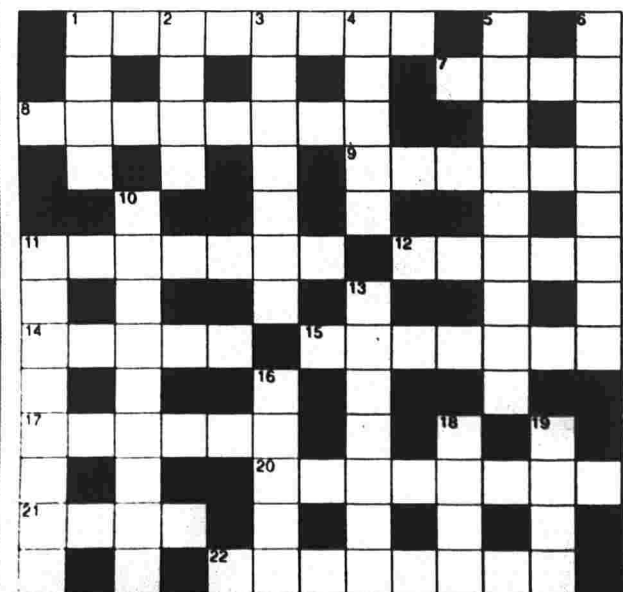


- One of a wandering race (5).
- Happening by a favourable chance (9).
- Erase her to practise (8).
- Lived dear to be one who is recklessly bold (9).
- Kitchen sideboards (8).
- Bewilder (7).
- Pass out an offspring (5).
- Measure in paces (4).
- An untidy confusion (4).

Quick Clues

ACROSS

- Conqueror (8).



- Vehicle (4).
- Request (8).
- Force (6).
- One grieving (7).
- Repeatedly (5).
- Stuns (5).
- Error (7).
- False scene (6).
- Tasks (8).
- Retreat (4).
- Exact (8).

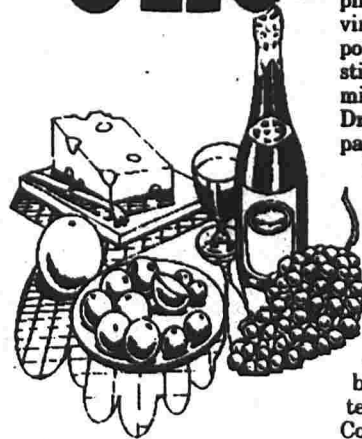
DOWN

- Cook (4).
- Bloc (4).
- Tapered (7).
- Weight (5).
- Everlasting (9).
- Lavishness (8).
- Paraphrase (9).
- Statue (8).
- Upset (7).
- Wait on (5).
- Deceive (4).
- Rudder (4).

NOTE - Simplex and Quick Crossword answers are different.

Chef's Corner

Menus for the week



Meatball And Mushroom Ragout

Preparation: 10-15 min
Cooking: 35-40 min
Serves: 4

3 tbsp oil
1 onion, finely chopped
1 lb/450g pork sausage meat, shaped into 16 balls
10oz/275g open-cup mushrooms, halved
1-1/2 tsp chilli powder
3 tbsp flour
1/4pt/190ml beef stock
1 (14oz/397g) can peeled tomatoes
6oz/175g dwarf beans, halved
1 (15oz/432g) can red kidney beans
Courgettes to serve

• Heat oil and cook onion until soft. Add sausage meat balls, and cook gently for 2 min. Stir in chilli powder and flour. Cook for 1 min. Gradually stir in stock and tomatoes (with juice). Bring to the boil, stirring constantly. Add dwarf beans, cover and cook for 10 min. Stir in kidney beans, and cook for 10 min. Serve with courgettes.

Deep-Fried Whitebait

Preparation: 20 minutes
Cooking: 15 minutes
Serves: 6

DIP:
1 tbsp oil
2 large carrots, diced
1 large onion, chopped
1 (185g/7 oz) can pimientos
1 tbsp cornflour
150ml/1/4pt orange juice
1 tbsp clear honey
1 tbsp soy sauce
2 tsp white wine vinegar
1/2 tsp Chinese five-spice powder

WHITEBAIT:
150g/1 lb whitebait, thawed if frozen
100g/4 oz plain flour
1 egg white

Oil for deep-frying
lime slice and flat-leaf parsley to garnish

METHOD: To make the dip, heat the oil in a small pan. Add the carrots and onion and fry gently for 5 minutes. Drain Pimientos and roughly slice. Blend cornflour with a little of the orange juice. Add to the pan with remaining orange juice,

pimientos, honey, soy sauce, vinegar and five-spice powder. Bring to the boil, stirring. Simmer gently for 5 minutes and season to taste. Drain White-bait on kitchen paper. Sift flour into a bowl and add a pinch of salt. Make a well in the centre. Add egg white and 7 tbsp water. Whisk mixture, gradually blending in flour to a smooth batter. Heat oil in a deep-sided frying pan. Dip a handful of the whitebait into the batter. Remove with a slotted spoon and add to the oil. Cook for 1-2 minutes until crisp and pale golden. Drain on kitchen paper; keep warm. Repeat with remaining white-bait. Serve dip hot or cold with the whitebait, garnished with lime and parsley.

Double chocolate mousse cake

Serves: 6
225g/8 oz nut and chocolate chip cookies
50g/2 oz butter, melted
150g/5 oz plain chocolate
5 eggs, size 3
240ml/8 fl oz double cream
150g/5 oz white chocolate
100ml/4 fl oz white wine
1 (3g) sachet agar-agar
Plain and white chocolate curls to decorate

METHOD: Grease a 20cm/8in spring-form tin. Crush the cookies in a food processor until quite fine. Mix in the melted butter. Press into the base of the tin. Chill. Melt the plain chocolate in a bowl set over a pan of simmering water. Beat 3 of

the egg yolks until thick and creamy, pour on to the warm chocolate then beat well until smooth. Fold in half the cream. Whisk 3 of the egg whites until stiff and fold into the mixture. Pour on top of the biscuit mixture and chill. Melt the white chocolate in a bowl set over a pan of simmering water. Pour the wine into a small pan and sprinkle over the agar-agar. Bring slowly to the boil. Just as it reaches boiling point, pour into the melted chocolate and stir well. Beat the remaining egg yolks until thick and creamy and beat into the chocolate mixture until smooth. Cool, then fold in the remaining cream, making sure it is well combined. Whisk the remaining egg whites until stiff and fold into the mixture. Pour on to the plain chocolate mousse and chill for at least 3-4 hours, until firm. Run a hot knife around the edge of the cake to loosen. Transfer to a serving plate. Decorate with the chocolate curls.

Household Hints

- Two lumps of sugar dropped in the cooking water with a cauliflower will help to keep it white.
- Make a simple sauce or fish stew really special by adding shellfish (canned or frozen and defrosted) just before it's ready to eat. They take only a few minutes to heat through.

Family Health

By Dr. DAVE BARRY

Q. When my six year old woke in the night with earache, I gave him paracetamol. The following morning, there was blood on his pillow but the earache had gone. What do you think was the cause of it?

A. Whatever it was, I do think you son should be examined by your doctor. It could have been something as simple as an infected pimple in the outer part of the hole leading down to the ear, which is occasionally subject to small boils. Earache in a child is most often due to an infection or congestion in the middle ear, just inside the eardrum. In an acute attack, the pressure can build up quickly so that the drum is perforated. This automatically releases the tension and the pain usually goes at the same time. If this has been the case, your doctor will want to keep an eye on it

and could want to prescribe antibiotics to be sure.

Q. Can you tell me what 'heartburn' is, and what causes it?

A. Heartburn is the everyday term to describe a reflux oesophagitis - when the irritant gastric juices splash up into the bottom end of the oesophagus (gullet). It occurs when the valve - like mechanism fails to keep the juices down where they belong. The gullet does not have the protective, gel-like mucus which is secreted on to the surface of the stomach to protect it from its own juices. As a result, the gullet can be irritated by the acid. Symptoms are discomfort high in the abdomen and an increase tendency to belch. Propping up your body with pillows at night, bending from the knees to pick things up, and antacids or medicines from your doctor will all bring relief.

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The town of Dungarvan will play host to this year's Waterford Co. Fleadh Cheoil on Sunday, May 19. It is being organised by a sub-committee of the Waterford Co. Board of Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann. The day's events will get underway with an Aifreann Tradislunta in St. Mary's Parish Church at 12 noon. This special Mass will feature traditional music and singing. Competitions will get underway in Ard Scoil Na nDeise (by kind permission) at 2 p.m. There will be events for under 12, 12-15, 15-18 and senior in music and singing competitions ranging from individual, duets, trios, groups and ceili bands. It is expected that competitions will be concluded by 6 p.m.

On Sunday night, activity will switch to the Park Hotel where the set competitions and ceili will take place. The set dancing competitions for under 12, 12-15, 15-18 and senior mixed as well as senior all ladies are open to all sets in the county. The winners in each section will go forward to the Munster finals in Dingle, Co. Kerry on July 12, 13 and 14. Entries will be accepted on the night or in advance by Co. Fleadh Cheoil Runai Elizabeth O'Shea on 051-54753 (home) after 6 p.m. These competitions will get underway at 7.30 p.m. They will be followed by a Ceili Mor for which Ceoltoiri Phortlairge will provide the music. More details next week.
The organising committee

understand that a number of perpetual cups and trophies were presented in the past for individual and group competitions. If anyone knows of the whereabouts of any of these trophies would they please contact the Co. Runai on 051-54753. The groups that won the set dancing competitions at last year's Fleadh Cheoil in Ballyduff and who may have perpetual cups would they please contact John Jackson on 058-60287 to arrange the return of same.

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AUCTIONEERS' AND HOUSE
AGENTS' ACTS 1947.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR CERTIFICATE OF
QUALIFICATION

APPLICANT:
MANSFIELD PROPERTY
COMPANY LIMITED

TAKE NOTICE that Mansfield Property Company Limited having its Registered Office at Kilrush, Dungarvan in the County of Waterford intends to apply to the District Court at Courthouse, Dungarvan on the 26th day of June, 1996 at 11.00 a.m. for a Certificate of Qualification to hold an Auctioneer's licence and to carry on business under the name "MANSFIELD PROPERTY COMPANY LIMITED" with principal place of Business in the State at Number 42 O'Connell Street, Dungarvan in the County of Waterford.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1996.

Signed:

MICHAEL J. HANRAHAN
Solicitor

43 Lower Main Street
Dungarvan,
Co. Waterford.

THE DISTRICT COURT
District Court Area of
Cappoquin.
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IN THE MATTER OF THE
AUCTIONEERS' AND HOUSE
AGENTS ACTS 1947/87

MAURICE J. NOONAN
and JOHN D. NOONAN
Vs M. J. Noonan & Son
Applicants.

TAKE NOTICE that Application will be made on behalf of the above Applicants trading as MAURICE J. NOONAN & SON having their principal place of business at Main Street, Cappoquin, in the County of Waterford pursuant to the above Acts to the District Justice sitting at Cappoquin District Court on the 14th day of June, 1996 at 11 a.m. for the renewal of their Certificates of Qualification to hold Auctioneer's Licences within the meaning of the said Acts.

Dated this 3rd May, 1996.

E. A. RYAN & CO.

Solicitors for Applicants,
Dungarvan.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR CERTIFICATE OF
QUALIFICATION TO HOLD
AUCTIONEER'S LICENCE

TAKE NOTICE that I, Michael Rawlins having my principal place of business in the State at Mount Melleray, Cappoquin in the County of Waterford intend to make application for a Certificate of Qualification to hold an Auctioneer's Licence at the sitting of the District Court to be held at the Courthouse, Cappoquin on 14th June, 1996.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1996.

Signed:

MICHAEL RAWLINS

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Dungarvan Urban District Council — We wish to apply to the above authority for planning permission to retain indefinitely house and attached flat as constructed at No. 15, T. J. Murphy Place, Abbeyside, Dungarvan. Signed: J. and B. Healy.

Dungarvan Urban District Council — Permission is sought for the relocation of Show Rooms, Offices and Work Shop on a new site at Kilrush Industrial Park, Dungarvan. — Jimmy Lenane.

Waterford County Council — J. and A. Foley wish to apply to the above authority for planning permission to erect stone-facing to our bungalow and a new porch and bedroom extension, at Ballinclammer, Co. Waterford.

Waterford County Council — I, Anthony Hart, apply to Waterford County Council for planning permission for an extension and alterations to the existing dwelling house at Kiladangan, Dungarvan.

Waterford County Council — We, Francesca and Edward Kelly, wish to apply to the above authority for planning permission to replace (a) existing bedroom windows with dormer windows, (b) existing felt roof on front porch with pitched slated roof, at Carrignagower East, Lismore.

Waterford County Council — Full planning permission is sought from the above Authority for change of use from Supermarket to Restaurant at Main Street, Ardmore. Signed: J. Power.

Waterford County Council — Permission is sought for the extension of the Saddlers Restaurant into adjacent premises; change of use of Bakery Shop to domestic use; general alterations and extensions including new facades and fenestration. — Barrons Bakery Ltd., The Saddlers Restaurant, Castle Street, Cappoquin.

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Touraneena Notes

COMMUNITY CENTRE NEWS

Results of racquetball/handball raffle — 1, £100 — Tom McCarthy, Ballinagulkee; 2, Sports Bag — Tom Doheny, Cullohill, Co. Laois; 3, £25 Flower Voucher — James O'Dwyer, Avondale Court, Cahir; 4, Turbo Mixer — J. P. Walsh, Ballinamult; 5, Cosmetic Pack — Bobby Power, 30 Pinewood Dr., Clonmel; 6, £10 Sports Voucher — Breda Cullinan, Touraneena; 7, £10 Sports Voucher — Catherine Kiely, 8 St. Patrick's Terrace, Abbeyside; 8, Bottle Whiskey — Maurice Burke, Tinelira; 9, Box Chocolates — Kristina O'Connell, Ballinaparka, Aghlish; 10, Box Chocolates — Breege Whelan, 26 Danesfield Estate, Cappoquin.

The fundraising committee would like to thank the sponsors and especially all the ticket sellers and purchasers who helped to make this raffle a huge success.

Come along any night and keep fit with a good game of racquetball or handball. Open until 10.40 p.m., Monday to Friday, Saturday 9 p.m., Sunday 10 p.m.

COMMUNITY CENTRE SUPERVISORS

Supervisors for week commencing Sunday, May 12 — Sunday, May 12 — Michael Gleeson; Monday May 13 — Pat Hearn; Tuesday, May 14 — Tom Power; Wednesday, May 15 — Tom McCarthy; Thursday, May 16 — Eleanor Hickey; Friday, May 17 — Seamus Skehan; Saturday, May 18 — Sinead Condon.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The children of Touraneena National School will receive their First Holy Communion on this Saturday in St. Mary's Church, Touraneena at 11 a.m. Hope the sun shines for them.

21st BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Congratulations to Johnny McGrath, Touraneena who celebrated his 21st birthday on Sunday at Dunford's Lounge, Touraneena. All had a wonderful night.

Congratulations also to Frankie and Teresa Phelan, Portlaw on celebrating their 19th and 18th birthdays and Nathan Burke who will be 14 on May 12.

BACK HOME

Welcome home to Breda and Elaine Hickey who have returned home after a very enjoyable holiday in Portugal, and to Elsie Cullinan, Newcastle who spent two weeks in France and enjoyed every minute of her holiday.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN DISTRICT COURT
District Court Area of Dungarvan.
District Number 21.

AUCTIONEERS' AND HOUSE AGENTS' ACT 1947

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION

PATRICK MOLONEY APPLICANT

TAKE NOTICE that Patrick Moloney of Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan in the County of Waterford intends to apply to the Court at Courthouse, Dungarvan on the 26th day of June, 1996 at 11.00 a.m. for a Certificate of Qualification to hold an Auctioneer's licence and to carry on Business under the name "PATRICK MOLONEY, AUCTIONEER & VALUER" with Principal place of Business in the State at Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan aforesaid.

Dated the 1st day of May, 1996.

Signed:
MICHAEL J. HANRAHAN
Solicitor
43 Lower Main Street
Dungarvan,
Co. Waterford.
Solicitor for Applicant

SLIABH gCUA G.A.A. LOTTO

Three shared the lotto prize on Sunday night and the three winners were Donald McGrath, Clonmel, Paddy Fraher, Crough, Colligan and Sharon Cliffe, Knockboy. New jackpot next Sunday of £200. Come along and buy your tickets, you may be the next lucky winner. Lotto numbers were 10, 13, 14.

SLIABH gCUA LADIES CLUB

Sliabh gCua Ladies Club held their monthly meeting on Thursday night last. We would like to thank Kevin Power, Doctor of Alternative Medicine who was the speaker at our April meeting. We would also like to thank Linda Skeehan who gave a talk and demonstration on the application of make-up.

IN MEMORIAMs

BERESFORD — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Victor Beresford, Gurteen, Tarr's Bridge, Dungarvan, who died on May 10, 1986.

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by his loving mother Maureen and all the family.)

BUTLER — Fifth and Twenty-second Anniversaries — In loving memory of my dear mother, Bridget Butler, late of Moneygorm, Cappoquin, who died on May 12, 1991. On her soul sweet Jesus have mercy. R.I.P. Masses offered. Also treasured memories of Marie who tragically lost her life in the 1974 Dublin bombings. R.I.P. Masses offered.

No one knows what sorrow is,
Til loved ones have to part,
It leaves a wound that never heals,

And always an aching heart.
(Always remembered by Mary and Tom.)

CLIFFE — Twenty-third Anniversary — In loving memory of the late John Cliffe, Carragaun, Ballinacult, who died on May 14, 1973. Mass offered.

We hold you close within our hearts,
And there you shall remain,
To walk with us throughout our lives,
Until we meet again.
So rest in peace, dear loved one.

(Never forgotten by your family.)

DROHAN — In loving memory of our Mam and Dad, Patrick and Margaret Drohan, late of Knockenpower, Ring, whose anniversaries occur this month of May and for whom Mass has been offered. R.I.P.

Like falling leaves, the years go by,
But memories of ye will never die,
They bring a smile, sometimes a tear,
Always wishing that ye were here.

(Sadly missed and always remembered by loving sons and daughters.)

HOGAN — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Stephen, late of Fortwilliam, Glencairn and Chapel Street, Lismore, who died on May 8, 1982.

No longer in our lives to share,
But in our hearts you are always there.

(Always remembered by your sisters-in-law and husbands and families.)

PRATT — Fourth Anniversary — Treasured memories today and always of Tubby, Mitcham, Surrey whose anniversary occurs on May 11.

It's not within a golden frame,
Or hung for all to see,
It's just engraved upon my heart,

My husband's memory.
(From his loving wife Maureen and all the family.)

O'LEARY — Fifth and Twenty-second Anniversaries — In loving memory of Tommy O'Leary, who died on April 24, 1991 and his brother Larry, who died on May 16, 1974, late of Murphy Place, Abbeyside. On their souls sweet Jesus have mercy.

Memories are something that no one can steal,
Death is a heartache that no one can heal,
Some may forget ye, now that ye're gone,
But we will remember, no matter how long.
Happy memories keep forever,

Of days when we were all together.
Will those who think of them today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(From all their family.)

NOVENAS

POWERFUL NOVENA — This Novena to be said at the same time every hour for nine consecutive hours (just one day) — O Jesus, who said: Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened to you, through this 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 you ask the Father in My Name He will grant through the intercession of Mary The Most Holy Mother, humbly and urgently ask the 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). Publication promised to make this Novena. (17-5)

THANKSGIVING — May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be praised, adored and glorified throughout the world, now and forever. amen. Say 6 times a day for 9 days. Publication promised. Request granted. Also Our Lady of Perpetual Help and St. Jude. — L.C.

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. — B.L.

Birthday Remembrances



DOLAN — Birthday Remembrance of my dear wife Mary Dolan, late of Scart, whose birthday occurs May 7. It was a sudden parting,
Too bitter to forget,
Those who loved you dearly,
Are the ones who can't forget.
We often sit and think of you,
And think of how you died,
To think you could not say goodbye,
Before you closed your eyes.
Your life was one of kindly deeds,
A helping hand for others needs,
Sincere and true in heart and mind,
Beautiful memories left behind.
The blow was hard, the shock severe,
To part with one we loved so dear,
Our loss is great, we'll not complain,
But trust in God to meet again.
Two tired eyes are sleeping,
Two willing hands are still,
The one who worked so hard for us,
Is resting at God's will.
Our family chain is broken,
Nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us, one by one,
The links shall join again.
(From your husband Joe.)

DOLAN — Birthday Remembrance of my dear mother, Mary Dolan, late of Scart, whose birthday occurs May 7.

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'll never go wrong.
We miss you from your fire-side chair,
Your lovely smile and gentle air,
Your vacant place no one can fill,
We miss you mother and always will.
She was a mother so very rare,
Content in her home and always there,
On earth she toiled, in heaven she rests,
God bless you mother, you are one of the best.

(Always remembered by loving daughter Jackie.)

DOLAN — Birthday Remembrance of Mary Dolan, late of Scart, whose birthday occurs May 7.

Sad are the hearts that loved you,
Silent the tears that fall,
But living our lives without you,
Is the greatest heartache of all,
May the wind of love blow softly,
And whisper for you to hear,
That we your family still miss you,
And wish that you were here.
Along the road to yesterday,
That takes us back to you,
Are memories of us together,
And happy times we knew.
With every day that passes,
We seem to find a way,
To wander back and meet you,
On that road to yesterday,
Silent thoughts, sincere and true,
From a family who thought the world of you.

(Always remembered by your lovely daughter Teresa and Fin.)



HUGHES — Birthday Remembrance on May 12 of Mary Hughes (née Moore), Kilrush, Dungarvan.

Friendship is a priceless gift,
That cannot be bought or sold,
But its value is far greater,
Than a mountain made of gold.
So when you ask God for a gift,
Be thankful if He sends—
Not diamonds, pearls or riches,
But the friendship of a real true friend.
Will those who think of her today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Sadly missed, but never forgotten, your friend Tina.)

Death Notice

ALSFORD — 9, Skehacrine Court, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, May 5th, 1996, Margaret. Deeply mourned by her loving sister and her friends in the local congregation.
Memorial Service on Wednesday, May 15th at 11 a.m. at the Kingdom Hall Jehovah's Witness.



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Prize draw to be held at 7pm on May 22nd at City Square. Entry forms must be handed in by the close of the draw on May 17th 1996. No Cash Alternative will be available. No Purchase necessary. Full set of rules can be seen in Management Office City Square.

News of Town and Roundabout

CHIROPODY
As from Tuesday morning, May 14, Michael Flanagan, State Registered Chiropodist, will attend at Kelly's Pharmacy, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, between 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Mr. Flanagan will also attend in Dungarvan all day Friday, May 17, from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Telephone 058-42180 for appointment. (Advt. 24-5)

DUNGARVAN PREMIER PIGEON CLUB
On Saturday, May 4, our race was from Mullingar (99 miles). Seventeen members sent 210 pigeons.

Results — 1, Jimmy Fraher, vel. 1540.009; 2, O'Donnell Bros., vel. 1530.6; 3, A. and E. McGovern, vel. 1523.29; 4, L. and C. Nagle, vel. 1523.27.

Next week our race is from Cavan.

HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB
Results, May 2 — 1, Nellie Moloney and Pat Harrington; 2, Peggy Kingston and Helen O'Dwyer; 3, Bernie Norris and Mary Walsh; 4, Joan Colbert and Margaret Dower.

ABBAY BRIDGE CLUB
Results, April 30 — 1, Geraldine Murphy and Des O'Toole; 2, Bridie McHugh and guest; 3, Mavis Cusack and Teresa Ryan; 4, Doreen Keane and Margaret Foley.

CUNNIGAR BRIDGE CLUB
Results, May 1 — 1, Marie Fahey and Elizabeth Donnelly; 2, Ned Whelan and Una O'Dwyer; 3, Teresa Sullivan and Phil Barry; 4, Catherine Mulcahy and Alice Butler.

"Snoopy The Musical" In Ballyduff

During the month of May the Irish Touring Premiere of Snoopy takes place in Cork City and County, starting at the Everyman Palace. The Fit-Up Theatre Company has been set up with the specific purpose of putting on this show to raise funds for the Children of Chernobyl.

Between the 11th and 25th May the Company will visit Everyman Palace in Cork and in the County Cork, Macroom, Fermoy, Youghal, Rossmore, Riverstick, Ballincollig and Charleville and Ballyduff, Co. Waterford on May 23.

The title role is played by Pat Lynch with other members of the cast being Karen Walsh, Carol White, Damien Kearney, Julie O'Riordan, Clem Foley and Judy Meany. The Musical Director is Frances Reilly, Choreographer is Dolores Callanan, Set Design is by Jim Queally and the show is directed by Rodney Bolingbroke.

There will only be one performance in each venue, to make sure you don't miss the opportunity to have a fun-filled evening and remember the Children of Chernobyl will benefit.

Ardmore G.A.A. Notes

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to the Cunningham family, Newtown, Grange on the death of their mother Mrs. Mai Cunningham. Her sons Declan and Nicholas are fine supporters while Declan played many a fine game for the club. To all her relatives and friends, our sympathy is with you at this sad time.

May she rest in peace.

THE LATE MOLLY KEANE

That great lady of words, Molly Keane, also passed from us last week and although she did not have any connection with our club, she kept Ardmore on the literature map, so to speak. To her relatives and friends our thoughts are with you.

May she rest in peace.

JUNIOR HURLING

Ardmore 0-3

Clashmore 2-12

This game was played in Fraher Field, Dungarvan on Tuesday week on a night which was totally unsuitable for hurling as it poured rain from beginning to end.

The team were very much understrength and on the night were no match for the stronger Clashmore lads who were dominant all over the field. Nevertheless we had excellent individual performances from young Seamus Budds in goal who gave a polished display of ball handling and in his first outing for the team, can feel well pleased with his display. John Power and Pat Walsh were the pick of the backs while Johnny Hennessy and Kevin Lenane won some good ball at midfield but only Billy Mahony caught the eye in the for-

wards and it was good to see him back in the club jersey after injury.

With another six games to go there is still time to qualify but all those absent will be required if we are to progress further. On the injury front, it was great to see Ann Whelan from the Civil Defence who is a trained first aid person on the sideline and from a players point of view, it is a big improvement to have someone who is competent in their field attending to the injuries. We thank Ann and hopefully she will not be kept too busy.

MINOR HURLING

Ardmore 4-4

Cappoquin 1-3

This game, played in Tallow on Friday evening last, saw our Minor hurlers record their second win in the group.

After a great first half which saw us scoring 4-3 to 0-1 for Cappoquin, the lads took a breather in the second period and allowed Cappoquin back into the game but still held out comfortably for a good win in this 13 a side competition.

At the moment, the lads are still short a few and hopefully Mikie, Gal and Conor (all fine players) will be available for the concluding stages of both the hurling and football Championships. If everybody puts in the effort, then we are in with as good a chance as anyone of winning the titles on offer.

Three In A Row For Minor Hurlers — Ardmore 4-11 Naomh Bríd 0-5

This game, played on Monday in Bushy Park, saw our Minor hurlers win their

third game in this group which puts us into the semi-final.

Our forwards were in top form notching 4-11 which is a great improvement and if they can train on well and maintain their form, then they will be well prepared for both the hurling and football semi-finals.

As I was unable to attend this game, I do not have the scores but I am sure the mentors were happy with the display.

The Championship does not resume until about mid July along with the football because of exams and County team activity in early July.

ADULT CLUB MEETING

The Adult Club will meet tomorrow night (Thursday) at 8.00 in the Clubhouse. We hope to have a full attendance as there are some important items to be dealt with such as future development, attendance at training, club memberships etc. so it is important that all committee members make it their business to attend.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

Junior Footballers Open With Win — Ardmore 2-3 Ballinameela 0-4 — This game, played on Sunday last in Old Parish, gave our Junior footballers the perfect start to the competition and although they too were struggling to field a team, they gave a gutsy performance to record a fine win.

Ballinameela, playing with the breeze, were the first to score and had two points on the board before Cyril Flavin and Billy Mahony equalised with Vince Tutty hitting the crossbar.

It stayed like this to half-time and in the second half, Darren Hennessy gave us the lead with a fine point followed by a goal from the penalty spot by Billy. Our only other score was also a goal from Patrick Conway while in reply, Ballinameela could only add two points to leave the final score 2-3 to 0-4 in our favour and record a fine win.

We had good displays from John Power at full-back, Tomas and Brian Power with Kenneth O'Brien in the half-back line, Billy O'Mahony at centre field and Darren Hennessy and the Conway brothers playing alongside. Their uncle Denis up front also caught the eye.

POKER CLASSIC

A great day out was had by all who attended the final of the Friends of Waterford Football POKER Classic in The Park Hotel, Dungarvan.

Although all those who attended from our club didn't make it to the final stages, they all acquitted them-

selves well. Alan Oliver did win £100 in the raffle while Kevin Gallagher was one of the main organisers on the day with John Colbert as treasurer of the Friends proving that there is interest in football in the County after all.

JUVENILE AFFAIRS

Hurling — Upcoming games this week are U-14 v Stradbally in Stradbally tonight (Wednesday) while on Friday in Ardmore, the U-12 hurlers play Clashmore at 7.00 p.m.

All U-12 players are requested to be at the field by 6.30 p.m. so that the team can be picked in good time.

PLAYER PROFILES



Name: Kerry Griffen; Date Of Birth: March 19th 1983; Favourite Position (Hurling): Half Forward, (Football): Midfield; Favourite Player (Hurling): Johnny Brenner, (Football): John Hennessy; Favourite Pastimes: Rollerblading, orienteering; Other Sports: Swimming, tennis, running; Favourite Food: Chicken curry and chips; Favourite Music: Blur and Oasis; Likes: Man. Utd.; Dislikes: School, homework; Ambitions: To be a hairdresser or fashion designer.



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Name: Donna Hennessey; Date Of Birth: November 17th 1983; Favourite Position (Hurling): Forwards, (Football): Midfield; Favourite Players (Hurling): Johnny Brenner, (Football): Johnny Hennessy; Favourite Pastimes: Watching T.V., playing the tin whistle and listening to music; Other Sports: Running and soccer; Favourite Music: Scooter, Oasis and Blur; Honours Achieved: Community Games medal, school football girls medal and U-12 Club Football medal; Ambitions: To be an Olympic champion at 100 metres sprint, to be a good hurler and footballer and to continue with music lessons.

LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

Results — Decie Fuel Tuesday Bacon — First: D. Shanahan, P. Walton, Fr. Mulcahy, S. Landers 42 L.3; Second: P. Carrie, F. Corcoran, D. Behegan, L. Kiely 42.

Southern Milling Qualifier — Four locals qualified this week with Dan Behegan really getting it together on the back 9 for 39 pts. Also on 39 Noel Landers with Kevin Whelan qualifying on 37 pts. and Dave Murphy with 28 pts.

Pat Moore Transport Open 18 H S'Ford — Michael Burke won this competition by the Proverbial Distance with 44 pts. from Albert Corcoran on 41 pts. T. W. Murphy off 3 captured the gross prize with 33 pts.

Full Results — First: M. Burke (18) 44 pts.; Second: A. Corcoran (10) 41 pts.; Gross: T. W. Murphy (3) 33 pts.; Third: D. Collins (18) 40 pts.; Fourth: P. McCarthy (15) 39 pts.

Monday 9 H Mixed Scramble — Winners: S. Denn (19), D. Behegan (10), D. Murphy (9) 27.

Heritage Shield Holders Retain Title — Monday afternoon saw the staging of the Annual Heritage Shield Competition which gives us an ideal opportunity to show our course at its best to teams from neighbouring clubs and indeed some not so neighbouring. At the end of a great afternoon's golf, holders Kantuck had retained the Shield with an aggregate score of 92 pts.

The team comprised: V. Meade (18), N. Meade (26), J. O'Leary (16), U. Fitzpatrick (15). Runners-Up were Cahir with 88 pts. with Mitchelstown third on 87 pts.

The Best Card of the Day was posted by John Power (12) and B. Twomey (21) West Waterford 46 pts. Just pipping the Youghal pairing of M. and D. Fitzgerald. On 45 playing off (10) and (9) respectively. As usual all who took part left with fond memories of Lismore.

Fixtures — Decie Fuel Bacon Continues Every Tuesday.

Southern Milling Qualifier tomorrow (Thursday) provides another opportunity to qualify in this Open 18 H S'Ford competition.

Vincent De Paul Classic on Friday and Saturday of this week. The local chapter of the Vincent De Paul Society stage a fundraising classic. Times are still available for Shotgun Starts each day 9.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. An ideal opportunity to support a deserving cause.

Sunday next, May 12th 9 H S'Ford last card 10.00 a.m.

The Vice-President Mr. Denis McCarthy's prize will be competed for over 18 H Stroke on Friday week, May 17th, Saturday week, May 18th and Sunday week, May 19th. Timesheet for preferred times on display in the Clubhouse.

On Saturday morning next, our Bruen team take on the might of Tramore in Thurles in the first round of the Jimmy Bruen competition. Our opponents defeated us at the same stage in rain-soaked Dungarvan last year and will be a tough nut to crack. It all comes down to performances on the day and no doubt Willie Henry will have the team primed for victory. We wish them well.

Results — Capt. Prize to Ladies (Mr. D. McGrath) First: P. Bolger/McCarthy (21) 65 net; Second: G. Canning (19) 67 net; Gross: A. Howard (13) 82; Third: C. Dowd (20) 69 net; Fourth: S. Moroney (24) 70 net B9; Fifth: A. Murphy (19) 70 net B9; Sixth: P. O'Gorman (26) 70 net.

Fixtures — Col. O'Brien Cup. Sunday next, May 12th. Please note that there will be a Cookery demonstration by Sharwood's in the Clubhouse on Monday week, May 20th at 7.30 p.m. Open to members and hon. members. All welcome. Admission is free.

LISMORE LADY GOLF CLUB NOTES

Results — Captain's, Mr. D. McGrath, prize to Ladies May 1st. First: P. Bolger/McCarthy (21) 65 net; G. Canning (19) 67 net; Gross: A. Howard (13) 82 gross; Third: C. Dowd (20) 69 net; Fourth: S. Moroney (24) 70 net B9; Fifth: A. Murphy (19) 70 net B9; Sixth: P.O'Gorman (26) 70 net.

Fixtures — Colonel O'Brien Cup May 12th. Please note that there will be a Cookery Demonstration by Sharwood's in the Clubhouse at 7.30 p.m. on Monday week, May 20th. Open to all members and non-members.

SHAMROCKS G.A.A. NOTES

MINOR HURLING A WESTERN CHAMPIONSHIP

Tallow 3-14 Abbeyside 0-4

Played at Cappoquin on Friday night last, this first round game was very one sided as also was the second round game v. Fournilewater which was played at Fraher Field on Monday last Bank Holiday. The score here was also 3-14 in favour of Tallow while the youthful Ballymac' team failed to score.

UNDER-14 CO. HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Shamrocks 2-1 Kilrossanty 0-2

This 1st round game was played at Tallow last Saturday. In the 2nd round we'll be away to Lismore on Thursday evening. Throw-in is at 7.30 p.m. On Sunday evening next our intermediate hurlers will travel to Touraneena to take part in a four team tournament, organised by St. Mary's Hurling Club. The opposition will be provided by the home team. The game will commence at 6.15 p.m.

DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

In the 1st draw of the present series we had one winner of £60, William Motherway, Killenagh, Knockanore.

FIXTURES

Shamrocks play Kilrossanty in the under-12 Western hurling championship this Wednesday. Throw in at 7.30 p.m. in Leamybrien.

Clashmore G.A.A. Notes

JUNIOR HURLING

We opened our Championship campaign with an impressive win over Ardmore last Tuesday night.

Played in a continuous downpour, the game as a contest was over by half-time. The score at half-time was Clashmore 1-8 Ardmore 0-1.

The second half continued much the same with little or no resistance from a weak Ardmore fifteen. The final score was Clashmore 2-12 Ardmore 0-3. Best for Clashmore were Pat Lombard, Seamus McGrath, Mike Shalloe and Vincent O'Rourke. Next Junior hurling fixture is this Saturday night in Ardmore against Tourin at 7.30 p.m.

COLLEGES HURLING

Congratulations to club players Vincent O'Rourke and Ed Beresford who last week helped St. Augustine's College to the Munster Senior Colleges Senior Hurling 'C' title. Well done lads.

MINOR HURLING

Our Minor hurlers played two games over the weekend. On Friday evening we played Stradbally at the Abbeyside venue. Clashmore were first to score with a point per Stephen Barron after a minute. That however, was the only time that we led in the game. Stradbally quickly settled and led by 7-6 (27) to 2-4 (10) at the break.

Exchanges were much more even in the second half and our boys out scored Stradbally 2-1 to 0-2 in the half. However, the damage had been done by half-time and Stradbally ran out winners 7-8 (29) to 4-5 (17).

In the second game, played on Monday, our boys had a relatively easy workout against Kilrossanty. This game was a bit like the Friday game except this time we were in command. In the end our lads ran out winners 5-13 (28) to 0-1.

Both Minor Hurling and Football Championships are now suspended until after the Leaving Cert. exams. Play will resume with hurling in late June or early July. Under the system in operation, both Minor teams qualify for the Minor 'B' competitions.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

Our Junior footballers were beaten by our neighbours Geraldines in Bushy Park last Sunday. The final score was Clashmore 1-5 Geraldines 2-3.

MINOR FOOTBALL SEVEN-A-SIDE

Over the next few weekends, while the exams are taking place, our club hopes to run a Minor football seven-a-side tournament. Stradbally, Abbeyside and

ourselves will be taking part. Clashmore will have two teams while Stradbally and Abbeyside will have one each. The draws for the tournament are as follows: Stradbally - A; Abbeyside - B; Clashmore One - C; Clashmore Two - D.

Round One: A v C, B v D; Round Two: B v C, A v D; Round Three: C v D, A v B.

Games will be of fifteen minutes a side on a pitch 100 metres by 50. Apart from that, all other rules will be the same as normal.

The first series of games will take place next weekend (May 18th) with another round the following weekend (May 25th) and the final series of games on June 1st.

Clashmore teams are as follows (Leaving Certs excluded) -

Clashmore One: Mark Power, Pat Troy, Noel McGrath, Paudie Allen, David O'Keefe, Ger O'Rourke, Joseph Keogh, Tomas Burke, Donal O'Keefe, Benny McGrath, Philip Dee.

Clashmore Two: Karl O'Keefe, Donal McGrath, Stephen Barron, Barry Dunne, Ed Beresford, Shane Allen, William Collins, Michael Cliffe, Declan Hickey, Alan Murray. Further details next week.

CONGRATULATIONS
Congratulations to Clashmore Ramblers on winning the Division Two Red House League title at their first attempt.

DEISE DRAW

We had no winner in the first draw in the new series, held last week in Melleray. The next draw is on Friday, May 31st hosted by Abbeyside G.A.A. club. We would like to thank all those who joined with us in the draw and we wish them the best of luck for the remaining draws.

MEMBERSHIP

Once again we return to the thorny issue of membership. It is up to all selection committees to make sure that all players considered for selection have paid their membership.

GAELTACHT SCHOLARSHIPS

Interviews for the Annual Gaeltacht Scholarships to Ring College will take place on Saturday, May 25th in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan at 3.00 p.m. Application forms are available from Noel Nugent.

FRIENDS OF WATERFORD FOOTBALL

Our players had no luck in the Poker Classic on Monday. Congratulations to Frank Galvin, Youghal who was the winner of the car.

JUVENILE CLUB

U-14 And U-12 Hurling — These Championships

get underway this week with the U-12's out on Friday evening against Ardmore (away) and the U-14's play Tramore (away) on Saturday. We have a very young outfit for the U-14 and our task is very difficult. In the U-12, we have a nice bunch of lads and it will be interesting to see how they will cope with the new rules that apply to this Championship (all ground hurling only).

U-12 Football — There will be a break in football activities for a few weeks while the Hurling Championships take place. The U-12 and U-14 Football Championships do not take place until August.

LADIES CLUB

U-14 Girls Football — On Saturday, our U-14 girls travelled to Killeagh to play Inch in a challenge game. Clashmore had most of the play in the first half but it was Inch who got most of the scores on the break. Inch led at the break 4-1 (13) to our 1-4 (7).

Our girls attacked constantly in the second half but in the end Inch ran out winners by three points on a scoreline of 4-6 (18) to 2-9 (15).

Team: Y. Coughlan, S. Fitzgerald, A. Barron, C. O'Donnell, L. O'Brien, M. Trihy, M. O'Rourke, C. O'Keefe, U. Leahy, I. Keavers, M. O'Rourke, C. Murphy, E. Joyce, J. Byrne, M. O'Connell.

The U-14 Championship first round takes place on Monday evening next in Clashmore at 7.30 p.m. If we get a full turnout, we should be in with a good chance.

FOOTBALLERS OF THE FUTURE



Name: Cliona O'Keeffe; Age: 13; Favourite Position: Midfield; Favourite Intercountry Footballer: Jason Sherlock; Favourite Other Sports: Soccer, running; Favourite Player: Ryan Giggs; Sporting Ambition: To win an All-Ireland medal.



Name: Una Leahy; Age: 12; Favourite Position: Midfield; Favourite Intercountry Footballer: Jason Sherlock; Favourite Other Sports: Soccer; Favourite Player: Ryan Giggs; Sporting Ambition: To play for Waterford.

Rinn Ua gCuanach

IOMÁINT NA MIONÚR

An Gaeltacht 0-0
Cumann Bhríde 2-11

Níorbh olc ar fad an cluiche é agus táimid an-óg agus beimíd, más cead le Dia san, go léir ann arís in '97.

PEIL NA SÓISEAR

Rinn Ua gCuanach 1-4

Ródaithe Na Brice 3-8

Ní raibh cúigear déag againn gan dul i muinghin triúr páiste. Molaim na daoine a tháinig ach tá 38 cláráithe againn agus cá rabhadar? Thuit an rud ceana amach san iomáint sóisear.

Tá ceangal ar gach imearthóir teacht chun cleachta do dhéanamh agus teacht chun cluichí do imirt. Tá ceist dflseachta don Rinn ann. Níl aoinne, oifigeach nó roghmóir, fostaithe nó díolta as bheith ag rith i dhiaidh, más imearthóir tú. Arís, más imearthóir tú, sé do ghnó fios a bheith agat cathain a bheidh cluichí á gcur agus sé do ghnó a bheith i láthair len a n'imir.

Foireann: S. Ua Muirithe, B. de Faoite (Capt.), D. Ua Murchadha, S. Ua Corraoin, F. Uí Muirithe, S. de Faoit, E. de Faoit, C. de Faoit, M. Ua Maoldhomhnaigh, E. Breatnach, T. Breatnach, S. Ua Druacháin, C. Ua Muirithe, S. Mac Craith, C. Ua Murchadha. Fir Ionad: S. Ua Manacháin (as láthair, ar iarradh, nfor tháinig).

Bhí beirt athair agus beirt mhac ar an bhfoireann - neadar ar tharla so cheana riamh.

CLUICHÍ AGUS SCRÚDAITHE - SCRÚDAITHE AGUS CLUICHÍ

In 1975 mhol An Rinn an rún so leanas ag an gComhdháil: (Rún 11)

"Ó 1976 amach imreófar an Sraith-chomórtas Náisiúnta (National League) idir Eanáir agus Meitheamh gach bliain".

Níor éirigh leis an rún, ach anois, bliain agus fiche níos déanaí, tá a raibh á lorg ann curtha i bhfeidhm ag an Ard-Chomhairle.

Thimpeall an ama soleis mhol An Rinn go n'iarrfá ar an gCoiste Bainistí dul i gComhairle le Roinn An Oideachais agus é lorg go ndéanfai na scrúduithe poiblí - Meanoideachais, Iolscoileanna agus rí. do chur in Mí na Nodlag, seachas sa Mheitheamh. Bfonn cuid mhór imearthóir gaibhte le scrúduithe san chéad dá mhí den samhraidh agus easnamh ar na fóirne dá dheasca san. Ní raibh toradh ar an iarradh san.

Ní leor san ann féin chun athrú do dhéanamh, ach bheadh sé, dar liom, ar mhaithe les na scoláirí dá dtosnaíodh an Scoilbhliain in Eanáir agus dá dtagadh deire léithe agus leis na scrúduithe um Nodlaig. Bheadh an aimsear níos oiriúnaí le h-aghaidh an ghnó, bhead níos lúgha Broide ar gach duine, níos lua á meal-lad ón staidéar, ní bheadh grián agus teas an tsamhraidh a mbagairt ós na leabhair agus bheadh 4 mhí Meán-Foghmhar Deir-Foghmhar, Samhain agus Nodlaig acu chun oibre ar a scaireach. Do chuairm ar sin.

Lismore G.A.A. Notes

SENIOR HURLERS

Senior Hurlers Remain Unbeaten — On Wednesday night, April 30th at the Sports Field, Cappoquin, our senior hurlers played neighbours Ballyduff in the fourth round of the Sargent Cup. Played in very poor weather conditions and before a sparse attendance, the game provided very little in the way of good hurling with scores very hard to come by. The score at half-time was Lismore 0-4 Ballyduff 0-1.

In the second half, both teams stepped up a gear to produce a very competitive thirty minutes with Lismore edging out their rivals with the final score Lismore 1-8 Ballyduff 1-3.

Team: B. Landers, M. O'Sullivan, J. O'Connor, M. Whelan, B. Crowley, S. Daly, B. Ormonde, P. Prendergast, P. Quinn, D. Bennett, D. Shanahan, M. Hickey, D. Ormonde, B. Prendergast, O. Bennett. Sub: B. Lawton.

membership for 1996.

WEEKEND FIXTURES

Senior Hurlers — Lismore v De La Salle in Frather Field, Dungarvan at 2.00 p.m. on Sunday, May 12th.

Junior Hurlers — Lismore v Tallow in Ballyduff at 7.00 p.m. on Sunday evening, May 12th.

Minor Hurling Championship — Lismore v Tallow in Abbeyside at 7.30 p.m. tonight (Wednesday), May 8th.

Lismore v Dungarvan in Cappoquin at 7.15 p.m. on Friday, May 10th.

MEMBERSHIP

Just a final reminder to all, that this weekend is the closing date to pay your

membership for 1996.

MUNSTER MEDAL

Congratulations to underage star Billy Walsh who played a major role in helping his college (St. Augustine's) capture the Munster title recently.

Colligan Rockies and Emmets Hurling & Football Clubs

BLACK AND AMBER LOTTO

Numbers drawn on Monday, May 6 — 14-16-17. No winner. Next week's jackpot £1110. Winner of £25 — Michael Lucas, c/o Roger Casey. Next draw May 13.

Local Teacher Wins Poker Classic

Frank Galvin, Youghal, who teaches in St. Augustine's College emerged as winner of the Rover car. Jointed 2nd and 3rd were John McGrath, Clonmel and Tom Feeney, Thurles. In fourth place was Eamon Hogan, fifth Jody Power and sixth Brian Cahill. The classic was organised by the Friends of Waterford Football.

HANDBALL MEETING

A County Board meeting will be held in St. Augustine's College on Tuesday next, May 14th at 8.00 p.m. sharp. Please take this notice as official.

Can I remind all clubs taking part in Féile Na Gael that courts etc. are to be ready for inspection by Mr. O'Rourke (Croke Park).

DUNGARVAN BOXING NOTES

Irish Title To Be Decided In Tallow

The National Junior Title fight between Len Duncliffe of Cork's Ballyvolane B.C. and Richard Hoare of Wexford's C.B.S. B.C. will take place on Monday next, May 13th at the Community Centre Hall, Tallow.

The National Juniors were held last Friday night at the National Stadium. Sadly, Richard Hoare's mother died after a long illness and he was unable to take part. Very sportingly of Len Duncliffe, he refused to take the title on a walkover and offered to fight at the nearest available tournament which will be in Tallow. The I.A.B.A. willingly agreed and are sending officials down from Dublin for the fight.

The tournament is between Fermoy B.C. and Devenport B.C. of Plymouth, England. There are two Dungarvan boxers on the bill - Michael Cummins and James Keenan.

A major disappointment for the local club of national level came when James Keohane was beaten in the National Juniors in Dublin last week by Tommy Sheehan of Athy B.C. on a 14-8 scoreline. James made no excuses - it just wasn't his day.

The Welter Division was eventually won by James' old rival and sparring partner, Patrick Walsh of St. Coleman's B.C., Cork.

Kilgobinet G.A.A. Notes

JUNIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

On Sunday evening last the curtain opened on our football campaign with a highly entertaining game against Old Parish. In a well contested game, play flowed from end to end. We went in at half time with a two point advantage.

In the opening quarter of the second half Old Parish went into a four point lead. However, we dug deep and a gutsy performance saw us carve out a two point lead.

In the last heart-stopping minutes of the game our goalkeeper Stephen Fennell made a vital save to see us seal an important victory.

DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

Congratulations to Pat Doyle on winning £200 in the recently held draw. We would like to thank everybody who joined us in the draw and wish everyone the best of luck in the forthcoming series of draws.

JUNIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Our next fixture is on Saturday evening next, May 11, at 7.30 p.m. against Modeligo at the Colligan venue.

BEST OF LUCK

We would like to wish the best of luck to St. Patrick's ladies under-16 team against Ballymacarbry in the county final replay. In a thrilling encounter on Saturday evening last the score finished all square.

Carling Factory League Soccer Tournament

A meeting for this year's Inter Firms soccer tournament will take place on this Thursday, May 8 at 8 p.m. at Dungarvan Utd. AFC clubhouse. Any firm wishing to enter this year's competition **must** have a representative at this meeting.

The competition itself will commence on Thursday, May 16 (preliminary

rounds) with the first rounds proper starting on Monday, May 20. The final is fixed for Friday, June 7.

The earlier start this year is because of a European Championship starting on Saturday, June 8. Last year's winners, Traders, will be defending their title, while we also hear County Council will enter a team.

DUNGARVAN UTD. A.F.C. NOTES

RESULTS

U-17 Cup Quarter-Final: Dungarvan 1 Park Rangers 1 (after extra time, Dungarvan won 4-3 on penalties).

T.S.B. U-16 League: Dungarvan 1 Bohs 6.

T.S.B. U-15 League: Dungarvan 4 Ballyduff 2.

T.S.B. U-13 League: Dunmore 4 Dungarvan 2.

T.S.B. U-11 League: Johnville 0 Dungarvan 4.

FIXTURES

Junior - Sunday, May 12th - Division Two Infirmiry Cup Quarter-Final: Dungarvan v Kilmacthomas 11.30 a.m.

Schoolboys - Tonight (Wednesday), May 8th - T.S.B. U-11 League: Dungarvan v Carrick 6.15 p.m.

Saturday, May 11th - U-16 Cup Semi-Final: Bohs v Dungarvan 2.30 p.m.

U-17'S INTO SEMI-FINAL

Our U-17 side reached the Cup semi-final on Friday night last with a win over Park Rangers at Kilrush. They were made fight all the way as the game went to extra-time and penalties. The first half ended scoreless but the Blues took the lead 15 minutes into the second half when Mickey Ahearne set up John Paul Donnelly for the lead. However, Park Rangers got the equaliser with two minutes remaining to send the game to extra-time. There were no further goals and Dungarvan won 4-3 on penalties. Joseph Nolan, John Paul Donnelly, Kevin Walsh and Bernie Crotty scored from the spot kicks.

They now meet Carrick or Bohs in the semi-final in Ozier Park on Friday week, May 17th at 6.45 p.m.

Our U-11 side recorded another good victory away to Johnville on Saturday morning last with a 4-0 win.

David Ferncombe, Shane McGrath and Tony Keane were among the goalscorers. This is the third victory in a row in the 'A' League.

Our U-15 side really had to dig deep to come back from two goals down on Monday morning last at home to Ballyduff. Vincent Sullivan pulled one goal back and with 15 minutes remaining, they still trailed 2-1. However, Vincent Sullivan (2) and Clive Crotty scored to give them a 4-2 win. They are now on 30 pts. from 10 games with 6 matches remaining.

Our U-16 side suffered a 6-1 defeat at home to Bohs on Saturday afternoon last. The exertion of the U-17 Cup match the night before took their toll and a lot of the Blues players ran out of steam in the second half.

FIXTURES

Our Second Division side are at home to Kilmac' in

the quarter-final of the Infirmiry Cup on Sunday morning. However, I understand that Thomas Duggan is trying to bring this game forward to Friday night due to our social.

Our U-16 side are away to Bohs in the Cup semi-final on Saturday at 2.30 p.m. However, as this match will clash with the F.A. Cup Final, this match may well be changed.

On tonight (Wednesday) our U-11 side are at home to Carrick at 6.15 p.m.

30TH ANNUAL SOCIAL

I hope by now you have booked your tickets for our 30th annual social to be held this Friday, May 10th. The venue this year is Lawlor's Hotel and the band to provide the entertainment will be "Flames" followed by "Mad Hatter" disco. I'm sure Michael will let everyone know who he will be supporting in the F.A. Cup the next day!!!

Almost 300 people attended last year's social and tickets are again in great demand this year and it is sure to be another fantastic night. So avoid disappointment and secure your tickets now as they are in limited supply. Player of the Year Awards etc. will be presented on the night.

HOLIDAY DRAW

Our Holiday Draw will be held on this Friday, May 10th at our 30th Annual Social to be held in Lawlor's Hotel on the night. A few tickets are still left for this

Dungarvan United A.F.C. Schoolboy Of The Week



Name:	Kieran O'Brien
Address:	8 Silversprings
Date of Birth:	26-10-84
Team:	Under-11
Position:	Midfield
Favourite Team:	Manchester United
Favourite Player:	Eric Cantona
Other Hobbies:	Football + Hurling
Most Prized Possession:	Man. United Jersey
Pet Hate:	School
School:	St. Joseph's
Favourite Food:	Pizza & Chips

draw for £1,000 worth of prizes. First prize is a £600 holiday voucher or cash, Second prize is a £300 holiday voucher or cash and third prize is £100 cash.

As the social is on the same night as the draw, we would ask all sellers of these draw tickets to please return counterfoil and cash on this Thursday, May 9th at the latest.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Our A.G.M. will take

place on Wednesday next, May 15th at 7.30 p.m. in the Clubhouse.

Applications for managers for our junior teams have to be in to Secretary, Kealan O'Neill by Thursday, May 23rd.

PONGO

Eyes down every Tuesday night at 8.15 p.m.

THREE TABLE CARDS

Three table cards each Sunday night commencing at 9.30 p.m.

DUNGARVAN UNITED UNDER-15'S

Battling Blues Keep Winning Run Going

DUNGARVAN 4 BALLYDUFF 2

On Bank Holiday Monday Dungarvan played at home to Ballyduff and had to fight hard to keep their league winning run intact which they did by four goals to two.

The Blues went looking for an early goal but they were almost caught on the break when the wingers cross from the left was held brilliantly by J. P. Healy. The visitors put the home-sters under a lot of pressure and by the half time whistle they had gone into a 2-0 lead.

In the second half Dungarvan went looking for an early score that would bring them back into the game.

They did this when, that man, Sullivan scored. Dungarvan then drew level when Clive Crotty took plenty of time before calmly placing his shot to the net.

Dungarvan were now firing on all cylinders and went in search of the winner and with Garry Collins driving them on from midfield, they just knew they had to get that all important goal. Sullivan duly obliged to add his second of the game and Ballyduff knew their fate and that the game was over when Sullivan went on to score the fourth and his third to complete yet another hat-trick.

It is about time that this young, rare talent is spotted by the right people with someone high up taking this lad and looking after him properly.

He could end up with one of the top clubs in England. Collins, Sullivan, Cowming and Healy all played well with Craig Cowming just getting the man of the match.

Dungarvan - J. P. Healy, K. Lyons (capt.), O. Morrissey, C. Cowming, B. Horan, J. J. Kelleher, G. Collins, M. McGovern, P. Halpin, V. Sullivan, C. Crotty.

Subs. - B. O'Brien for P. Halpin, D. Power



CLASHMORE RAMBLERS DIV. 2 CHAMPIONS OF THE RED HOUSE LEAGUE. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

DIVISION TWO ROUND -UP

Ramblers Are Champions

CASTLEBRIDGE CELTIC ARE RUNNERS-UP AFTER GALLANT EFFORT JUST FAILS

With Clashmore Ramblers clinching the league title on Sunday week last and Castlebridge Celtic grabbing the runners-up position the main focus last week fell on clubs fighting it out to stay in Div. Two and avoiding the drop to the new Div. Three next season.

At this stage the following clubs are all doomed to Div. Three for next season, they are Cappoquin, Affane, Modeligo, Glenview and Bride View United. Two clubs namely Blackwater Rangers and An Gaeltacht must meet in a play off to see who gets relegated with the above mentioned clubs. Araglen's faith is still very

much in their own hands but if they were to lose their last two games, then they maybe relegated and it would save the likes of Rangers and An Gaeltacht playing one another.

RESULTS

BRIDE VIEW UNITED 1

AN GAELTACHT 0

A great headed goal here by James Beecher clinched the points here for United, but they still drop down to Div. 3 next season. An Gaeltacht, despite this defeat, need just a point from their remaining game to stay in Div. 2.

CLASHMORE RAMBLERS 3

AN GAELTACHT 0

A very big crowd turned up for the Ramblers final league game. They were already crowned league champions the previous week but they finished their league programme like true champions when they ran out winners over their neighbours from An Gaeltacht.

Donal Fitzgerald gave Ramblers a 1-0 lead at the break and further second half goals from Kevin O'Rourke and Brian O'Neill gave the homeside victory much to the delight of the big home following.

The man of match here for the winners was Oggie

(Liam) Hogan who went in between the posts late in the game and brought off two terrific saves as the visitors threw everything at a more relaxed Ramblers.

Other Ramblers players who helped the club to win the title during this season were Brian Murray, Vincent O'Rourke, Tommy Power, Eric Trihy, Carol Power, Roger Ryan, Patrick Troy and Michael Costin.

PRESENTATION

Chairman of the Red House League presented the cup to the captain of Clashmore Ramblers Owen Power much to the delight of players and supporters. Celebrations went on late into the night. Anita O'Malley (a finalist in the Waterford Rose Of Tralee) presented the trophies to each of the Ramblers players later on in the night in The Old Still Bar. Well done Ramblers.

YOUGHAL 2

CASTLEBRIDGE CELTIC 2

Celtic had a 1-0 lead at the break here thanks to Joe Hartnett. However the Seasideers fought back and two goals from Ken Hennessy put them in front with 10 minutes remaining. Kevin Cotter grabbed the equaliser for Celtic which leaves them runners-up in this 2nd Div.

YOUGHAL 2

ARAGLEN 3

Araglen held on to their Div. 2 status for next season when they came from behind to clinch the three points that they needed to keep them in Div. 2. Alan Carey (2) and Joe McCarthy were the marksmen here for Araglen.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE DIV. ONE

Lismore Are Division One Champions

Lismore clinched the league title on Tuesday evening last when a Dan Shanahan goal was enough to give them victory over Cappoquin.

Lismore needed a draw going into this game (their second last) against Cappoquin. They were made fight all the way by their neighbours Cappoquin. However Shanahan's goal after 30 minutes was enough to clinch the league title for Lismore.

Lismore have had to come from behind to take the title from holders Bride View. They had the game in hand and they made no mistakes from these games.

It's been a good season for the Lismore club. With the league title under their belts they can now go chasing the double.

This was a good team performance by Lismore but I'm sure their players will look to Shanahan as their hero. Other Lismore players to shine here were keeper Fitzgerald, Bo Bo Maher, Paul Quinn, Paul Prendergast and Michael Hickey.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE

Red House League Tables

(5/5/96)

DIVISION ONE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
LISMORE	18	11	6	1	38	18	39
BALLYDUFF	18	10	3	5	38	26	33
BRIDE VIEW	18	10	2	6	39	21	32
ARDMORE	18	6	6	6	31	29	24
CAPPOQUIN	18	6	6	6	22	31	24
INCH	18	6	5	7	20	28	23
MOGEEELY	18	6	4	8	31	23	22
PINEWOOD RGS.	18	5	3	10	26	38	18
BALLYBRIDGE	18	5	3	10	23	35	18
VALLEY RGS.	18	4	4	10	26	39	16

DIVISION TWO

CLASHMORE	22	16	4	2	49	25	52
CASTLEBRIDGE	22	13	7	2	45	24	46
GORTROE	22	11	8	3	58	22	41
YOUGHAL	22	10	8	4	42	25	38
ARAGLEN	22	12	1	9	37	31	37
AN GAELTACHT	22	10	3	9	38	31	33
BLACKWATER	22	10	3	9	33	35	33
BRIDE VIEW	22	10	2	10	46	40	32
GLENVIEW	22	6	5	11	32	55	23
MODELIGO	22	4	7	11	36	47	19
AFFANE	22	3	2	17	26	65	11
CAPPOQUIN	22	1	2	19	12	65	5

Hanging Up His Boots

This P.R.O. understands that this was Noel O'Driscoll's final game in a Ballybridge shirt. Noel intends to hang up his boots now and take things easy. Who knows maybe he will be tempted out of retirement for next season. All in the league wish Noel a happy retirement.

RESULTS

LISMORE 1

CAPPOQUIN 0

A Dan Shanahan goal here after 30 minutes clinched the points and the league title for Lismore.

BALLYDUFF 7

PINEWOOD

RANGERS 2

Ballyduff had a very convincing home win over relegated Pinewood Rangers on Tuesday evening of last week. This win clinches runners up spot for Ballyduff.

ARDMORE 4

Rangers were already doomed to Div. Two going into this game but Ardmore needed a point to make sure of their Div. One status for next season and they ran out easy winners. Scorers here for Ardmore were Ahearn, Hennessy, Keating, Power while Ted O'Leary and Tony Harpur scored for Valley.

MOGEEELY 1

BALLYBRIDGE

UNITED 1

The points were shared here in this local East Cork derby. A point was good

enough for Mogeely to keep them in Div. One next season.

United needed to win here to keep their Div. One hopes alive. Liam Leahy (The Villa Kid) gave united a 1-0 lead at the break but Collins struck for Mogeely midway through the second half and brought relief to Mogeely's players and supporters.

BALLYBRIDGE

UNITED 2

LISMORE 4

United are relegated to Div. Two next season. Lismore concluded their league programme with another fine win. First half goals for Mike Caples and Gary Keane gave Lismore a 2-0 lead at the break.

Ballybridge pulled a goal back (an o.g.) but Lismore struck again. Keane scored his second and Lismore's third and Anthony Whelan grabbed number four before United struck for their second goal through Noel O'Driscoll from the penalty spot. This defeat sent Ballybridge down to Div. Two next season.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE ROUND-UP

DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP FINAL

Curley's Goal Clinches Cup For Bride View

**BRIDE VIEW UNITED 1
LISMORE 0**

A Paul Curley goal after 23 minutes was enough to clinch the cup for Bride View United. In ideal conditions although the ground was hard, United clinched the cup before a huge crowd in Tallow on Sunday last.

POOR FIRST HALF

The opening 45 minutes was a very tame affair with clear cut chances few and far between. Shanahan tested United's keeper Sheehan after just 7 minutes. At the other end Dermot Henley shot wide from close range. Brendan Prendergast had a good effort blocked down by Timmy Sheehan in the 11th min. At the other end a Stephen Curley cross was headed wide by Dermot Henley. From a free kick Paul Quinn shot over after 19 minutes.

OPENING GOAL

The opening goal came after 25 minutes. A Philly Curley corner was headed home by Paul Curley to give United the lead. Hickey and Shanahan both went close for Lismore before the half time whistle sounded. At the break Curley's goal still separated the sides.

LISMORE ON TOP

Lismore got on top from the beginning of the second half. They took over at mid-field and put tremendous pressure on United's de-

fence. Brendan Ormonde tormented the Tallow defence but Sheehan twice denied him with tremendous saves in the opening 5 minutes of the second half. Hickey had a fine header saved by Sheehan after 7 minutes.

Sheehan was called on again a minute later when he parried a terrific shot by Hickey. The ball fell to Barney Prendergast but his header went wide of the post.

The pressure was now on United's back four as Lismore came forward. United's defence held firm however and United's front men seldom tested Lismore's keeper Fitzgerald. Stephen Curley, Barry and Henley all had shots but all of these went wide.

With just 3 minutes remaining Lismore felt that they had got the equaliser but linesman and referee both felt the ball had not crossed the line. Lismore's players surrounded the referee and linesman but both held firm and said that the ball had not crossed the line. The final whistle sounded a few minutes later much to the delight of United's players and supporters alike.

PRESENTATION

The man of the match award, sponsored by John O'Gorman of Lismore, went to United's keeper Billy Sheehan. John O'Gorman presented this award much to the delight of



BRIDE VIEW UNITED WHO WON THE DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP WITH A HARD EARNED VICTORY OVER LISMORE. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

young Billy Sheehan.

Paddy Pollard, Chairman of the Red House League, called on John O'Flaherty of Dungarvan Tyre Centre to present the cup to United's youngest player on the field namely Timmy Sheehan.

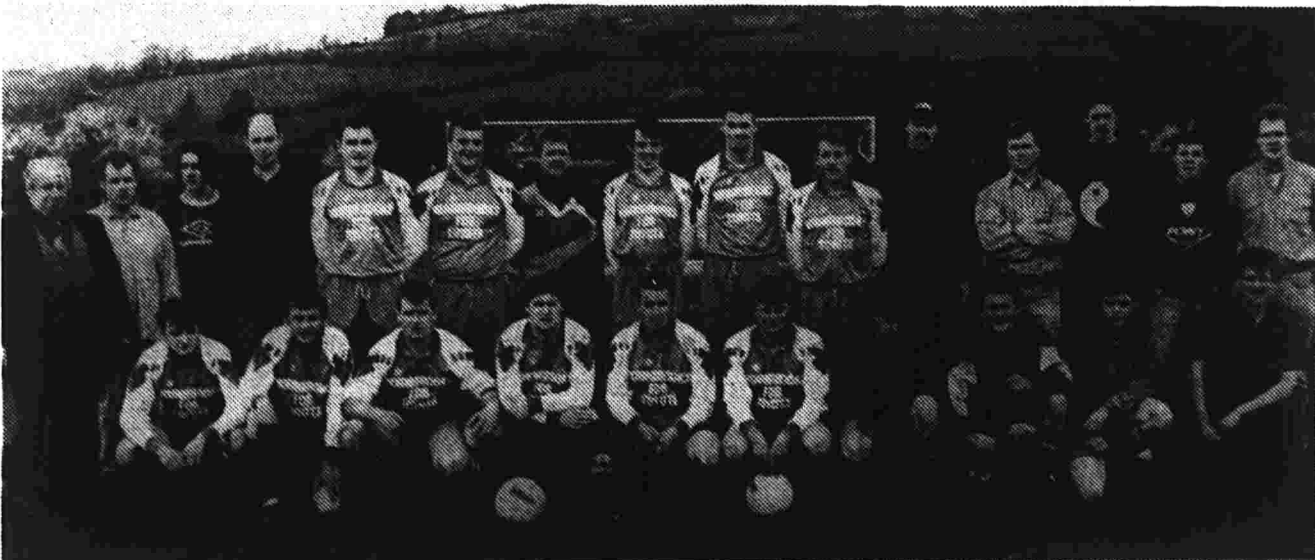
United's captain Denis Martin felt the honour should fall on Timmy being 30 something.

Timmy thanked Lismore for a sporting game and said that with Lismore winning the league title and Bride View winning the cup, both clubs had something to celebrate.

Overall United just about deserved to win the cup, but Lismore will feel they should have taken the game to extra time.



MAN OF THE MATCH AWARD — Pictured above is Bride View United's goalkeeper Billy Sheehan being presented with the "man of the match award" by John O'Gorman (sponsor). Also included is Paddy Pollard, Chairman Red House League. (Photo: Sean Byrne)



LISMORE, RED HOUSE LEAGUE DIV. 1 CHAMPIONS '96 BUT WERE DENIED THE LEAGUE AND CUP DOUBLE BY BRIDE VIEW. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

AFTER MATCH COMMENTS

Manager of United Liam Fraser was thrilled to win the cup. We did not play as good as we can but I felt overall we just about deserved to win the game. Lismore did themselves proud.

United's keeper Billy Sheehan was delighted to win man of the match and added that the referee was right in his decision regarding the "goal". The ball never crossed the line added Sheehan and that's the truth.

BRIDE VIEW UNITED — B. Sheehan, B. Henley, T. McSweeney, D. Martin (capt.), T. Sheehan, S. Barry, J. P. Grey, P. Curley, D. Henley, P. Curley, S. Curley. Res. — M. Curley, J. Fraser, G. Sice.

LISMORE — M. Fitzgerald, P. Prendergast, K. Hornbrook, A. Meagher, S. Daly, B. Prendergast, B. Landers, P. Quinn, B. Ormonde, D. Shanahan, M. Hickey. Res. — K. O'Gorman, G. Keane, T. Molumphy (used); M. Caples, E. Madden, B. Walsh.

ABBEYSIDE AFC NOTES

Kindregan Carries Villagers Through

ABBEYSIDE 6 KILMATHOMAS 0
Despite the scoreline, this was a hard earned victory for Abbeyside's under-11 team. The heroic defending of John Kindregan throughout the game was a key factor in the villagers victory.

Time and time again he rescued them with some excellent tackles, particularly during the first period, and Abbeyside went on to play more constructive football in the second.

Going into the break, Abbeyside were favoured with just a one goal lead. Despite some excellent breaks on the right by Steven Drummy, Declan Byrne found himself busy in the goal for a change and

brought off some significant saves. James Young scored Abbeyside's first midway through the period. Drummy, again the driving force behind the move, drilled through to Philip Wade and he sent Young on his way to the opener. Hurney failed to convert shortly afterwards when he kicked the ball against the upright.

Early in the second half Abbeyside were showing signs of coming to life. An-

thony Flynn hit an excellent goal after some good work by Young and Wade. Hurney broke on the left in the 35th minute and a searing cross from the byline was back-headed to the net by a home defender.

In the 40th minute Wade struck home a penalty after Hurney was fouled in the area. Young got his second of the game five minutes later with a beautiful chip over the keeper after Wade placed the ball at his feet.

Drummy got a well deserved sixth in the 55th minute, hitting a spectacular goal from 15 yards.

Eamonn Hennessy was unlucky just before the end with a fine individual effort.

Team — D. Byrne, J. Kindregan, P. Lynch, B. Morrissey (capt.), T. O'Riordan, S. Drummy, P. Wade, E. Hennessy, A. Flynn, P. Hurney, J. Young, T. Mills, A. French, M. Maher, M. Browne, A. Burke.

UNDER-16 LEAGUE

Set Back For Under-16's

DE LA SALLE 0 ABBEYSIDE 0

This of course is the result that Kilmacthomas needed and Abbeyside could have done without. De La Salle proved a tougher nut to crack than Abbeyside thought. Everything now rests with Kilmac. The Villagers will have to win their remaining games and keep their eye on their neighbours, hoping that they will drop points in their remaining five games (one against Abbeyside — which should be a "cracker.")

For Abbeyside it was a case of missed chances and some good goalkeeping by the De La Salle keeper that deprived them of full points.

HAT-TRICKS FOR DRUMMY AND HURNEY

DUNMORE 1 ABBEYSIDE 7

36 goals in four games and only one conceded, this is the Village record to-date. Like the Kilmacthomas game, Abbeyside did not come out of their shell until the second period. Defenders Kindregan, Morrissey, Lynch and Riordan found themselves under tremendous pressure throughout the first half, while Byrne had a busy time in goal.

Playing with the hill in their favour, Abbeyside could only score once in the first half, when Hurney and Drummy combined in one of their typical efforts, Drummy breaking on the right and crossing from the end line and Hurney meeting the cross to score in the 20th minute.

Some serious talk from Magoo at the break saw a different Village eleven emerge at the start of the second period. Nevertheless, Dunmore were quick to equalise after catching the Abbeyside defence flat. The introduction of Mark Maher to the side at midfield turned the game in the Villagers favour and some good work by him immediately allowed Hurney through for our second goal.

Flynn and Hennessy were now starting to make strides at midfield and force the home defence into making errors. Young put his name on the score sheet in the 40th minute, honing in on Drummy's through ball. Drummy himself got the

first in his hat-trick shortly after this when he blasted home Hurney's cross. Hurney completed his hat-trick five minutes from time after a tremendous through ball from Flynn. Drummy was to strike twice more, completing his hat-trick before the final whistle.

Anthony Burke, Aidan French and Mark Cahill all performed well when introduced so, all in all, things seem to be going quite well for the side. They now seem like certain favourites as we approach the half way stage of the league.

Our next game is away to Kilmacow this Wednesday. Bus leaves Crotty's Corner 5 p.m.

TRIP TO RAILWAY

Our under-age side travelled to Railway on Sunday evening last and had a very exciting game. Our side has much improved since their earlier encounter with Ballinroad but they still have a lot to learn. Railway beat us 5-2.

The game was very much enjoyed by all and our players had the privilege of rubbing shoulders with the legendary Tommy Pratt, who refereed a half of the game. Abbeyside's scorers were Mark O'Gorman and Diarmuid Sheehan — both excellent goals.

Railway will return the visit on Sunday evening, kick-off 6.30 p.m.



Members of Abbeyside A.F.C. under-11 soccer team who raised £180 for the Telethon "People In Need" by organising a sponsored skills competition. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

ABBEYSIDE ADVANCE IN YOUTH CUP

PARK RANGERS 1
ABBEYSIDE 3

Abbeyside advanced to the quarter finals of the Fitzgerald Cup with a spirited second half display in which they overturned a one goal deficit. The Reds were forced to travel minus the services of five players because of injuries and other reasons.

The first half was dominated by the homeside but the first chance fell to Abbeyside when Kieran McCarthy was unlucky to see his lob from 25 yards skim the crossbar. With the aid of the hill, Rangers launched numerous attacks on the Reds goal and only for the brilliance of stand-in goalie Hurney, Abbeyside would surely have been three down during the first 20 minutes.

The home side finally got the breakthrough in the 30th minute when the centre for-

ward unleashed a spectacular shot with which Hurney had no chance. Abbeyside rode their luck for the final 15 minutes and somehow managed to reach half time just one down.

The Reds started the second half in whirlwind fashion and had Rangers on the backfoot for long periods. The turning point was the introduction of Pa Cummins who was unable to start due to injury. His physical presence upset the Rangers defence and in the 60th minute he knocked down a long cross for Burns to drill home from 15 yards. The Reds were in total control now and it was no surprise when they took the lead in the 70th minute. Johnny Burns was brought down in the box following a great run in which he danced his

way past four defenders. The referee had no hesitation in pointing to the spot and Darren Lyons dispatched the resulting kick to the back of the net with ease. Cummins killed off the game in the 80th minute when his looping header gave the goalie no chance.

Abbeyside now go on to play Carrick on Sunday, May 26 at Dog Leaf Park in the quarter final.

Overall it was a good comeback by the Reds in the second half, but they know that when they entertain Carrick that they will have to play for the whole 90 minutes. One pleasing aspect of the game was the return of Johnny Burns following his recent operation. Johnny turned in another flawless display, scoring the first goal and making the

second. His return, no doubt, is a big asset to his side's chances of cup glory.

Also, a get well to regular custodian David Shepherd who is currently out of action following a recent accident. Judging by the immaculate display given by Hurney in the Abbeyside goal there's going to be a lot of competition for the number one jersey.

Team — Hurney, Moore, O'Connor, Lyons (capt.), Lonergan, Lynch, Foley, Burns, Hayes, Sheehan, McCarthy. Subs — Cummins, Hurney, Man of the match: Lar Hurney.

LOTTO

Last weekend's number drawn by Nicola Lenihan were 4, 10, 14. No winner. Next week's jackpot £600.

DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C. 1968/69 YOUTH DOUBLE WINNING TEAM REUNION

'69'ers Win Eleven Goal Thriller

The long awaited reunion of the Dungarvan United Youths team of 1968/69 took place on Sunday evening at sundrenched Kiltrush Park before a large attendance.

Players who hadn't met for over twenty years gathered to share memories and play a fun game against youthful opposition, the latter under the stewardship of the evergreen Jimmy Healy. Big signings from far and near made up the opposition while the Blues virtually lined out as they did a quarter of a century ago. Connie Murphy was their only absentee, while Barry Wyse and Pat Brett travelled from Dublin and Jim Houlihan and Michael O'Donoghue who are both Mallow and Carrick-on-Suir based also lined out.

The banter and comradery was clearly evident for all to see, the game itself was pedestrian at times but when the yellows scored the opening goal the 'Dad's Army outfit' sprung into action. Aches and pains were soon forgotten as pride was more important, a rash of substitutes greatly assisted the Reunion outfit, as fresh legs were available at all times.

Unfortunately Jim Houlihan a lynchpin in their defence had to leave the field after the opening minutes with hamstring trouble, Michael O'Donoghue, Martin Sandford, Pat Morrissey and Anselm Hayes showed the old touches. Eddie Sheehan and David Kiely also played their part. Tom Conway, Liam Foley and Liam Fraser excelled, while Michael Houlihan and



1968/69 Youths Double Winning Team — Photo shows back row (l. to r.) — Jimmy Healy, Martin Geoghegan, Liam Fraser, Barry Wyse, Micheal O hUallachain, Paddy 'Wack' Power, Eddie Sheehan, Martin Sandford, Jimmy O'Donnell and Monnie Lennon. Front (l. to r.) — Anselm Hayes, Liam Sandford, Des Foley, David Kiely, Pa Brett, Jim Houlihan, Michael O Donoghue (capt.), Tom Conway and Pat Morrissey.

Barry Wyse were more than capable goalkeepers. One second half stop from Barry was out of the top drawer.

Paddy 'Wack' Power surpassed himself and his penalty apast Alfie Egan is likely to be among the fore-runners for penalty of the year. Martin Geoghegan and Pat Brett were others in this star studded outfit to shine. Thanks to his brace of goals Eddie Sheehan was voted man of the match. Monnie Lennon and Jimmy O'Donnell were also present to lend support and encouragement.

What of Jimmy Healy's team? They clearly had all

the advantages although foolishly they only played eleven players!

The Curran brothers Jim and Tadgh both gave of their best, while Eddie Cashin, J. D. O'Shea and Nicky Jacob showed plenty of skill. Billy Sheehan, Tomas Duggan, Nipper Hurley proved more than a handful on many occasions. Michael Wright and Huckle Manahan threatened the Reunion goal while Donal O'Connor was his usual reliable self at the back.

Thankfully everybody read the script and the Reunion team ran out 7-4 winners.

Referee Ber Whelan, linesmen Tony Wall and Bo Bo Tutty greatly added to a most entertaining evening's football. The concept of Reunion, I feel, has been born! It was very obvious that the delicate touches, skilled teamwork and determination that were the hallmarks of this great team in their day were still to be seen. Try as hard as the opposition attempted to wrestle the laurels, the story did have the fairytale ending. Well done to all concerned for making the effort!

After the game members of the Reunion team trav-

elled to meet Michael Lyons and to present him with a memento of the occasion. A gesture that was richly deserved by one who gave so unselfishly over many years.

'69ers Panel — Micheal O hUallachain, David Kiely, Des Foley, Jim Houlihan, Liam Sandford, Martin Sandford, Ml. O'Donoghue (capt.), Pa Brett, Anselm Hayes, Liam Fraser, Pat Morrissey, Tom Conway, Eddie Sheehan, Paddy Power, Barry Wyse, Martin Geoghegan.

'70's Youths — Alfie Egan, Donal O'Connor, John Walsh, Jim Curran, Ml. Hurley, M. Wright, Thomas Duggan, Eddie Cashin, Tadgh Curran, J. D. O'Shea, Nicky Jacob, "Huckle" Manahan.

PRESENTATIONS

Activities then moved indoors and M.C. Micheal O hUallachain had everything efficiently organised. Michael spoke of the old days at Quann's, Coffey's field and Dunabbey pitch and the great fun they had back in the 60's. He then called on club chairman Liam Simms to unveil a beautiful plaque (donated by David Kiely, Monumental Works) to mark the occasion. The presentation of the magnificent Waterford Crystal Footballs to each member of that first double winning side was than made.

Michael O'Donoghue, the captain of that side called out all his

players and Patsy Walsh (representing the sponsors) presented each player with his memento. They were Mickey Houlihan, Barry Wyse, Tom Conway, David Kiely, Martin Geoghegan, Liam Sandford, Martin Sandford, Monnie Lennon, Anselm Hayes, Jimmy O'Donnell, Pa Brett, Jim Houlihan, Pat Morrissey. Also Billy Kelly and Connie Murphy were were unavoidably absent.

Special praise was given to the mentors of that era — Jackie Sandford, Ml. Lyons, Tony Smith and Pat McGrath who moulded this successful team together and also present on the night was their former bus driver Maureen Aldridge.

Finally, Micheal called on David Kiely to talk of his memories of that era and he brought back many memories. He spoke of how it all started down in Quann's (where the Sports Complex now stands), and no doubt fired up by the World Cup of '66. They then moved to Tom Coffey's field (Springmount) where he said "they had no showers in those days."

Afterwards all danced the night away to the sound of Colette and Cosmos and our thanks to all who attended and made this reunion a fantastic success. A special thanks to the organising committee who left no stone unturned in ensuring this was one of the most successful events held at the club for some time.



Pictured above are the Pre 1973 Youths team — Back row (l. to r.) Jimmy Healy, Donal O'Connor, John Walsh, Michael 'Alfie' Egan, Michael Wright, Tadgh Curran, Jim Curran, J. D. O'Shea. Front (l. to r.), Michael Hurley, "Huckle" Manahan, Nicky Jacob, Billy Sheehan, Eddie Cashin and Tom Duggan.

Gold Coast Golf Club Notes



Winners in the golf tournament sponsored by Joe Foley, Petrol Station, Abbeyside at the Gold Coast Golf & Leisure Club (front, left to right) — John Coade (Club President), Joe Foley (sponsor), Conor Clancy (winner), John Murphy (Club President); back row — Bobby Buckley, Paddy Walsh, Maurice Foley. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

COMPETITION RESULTS

Monday, April 29 to Friday, May 3 — 18 Hole Stableford, kindly sponsored by Noel Devereux Menswear — Winner, Tony Dunford (18) with 40 pts; 2nd Mark Reynolds (18) with 38 pts; 3rd Vincent Tobin (17) with 37 pts.

Saturday, May 4 and Sunday, May 5 — 18 Hole Stableford, kindly sponsored by Calor Kosangas — Winner, Brendan O'Brien (13) with 44 pts; 2nd Michael Kelly (18) with 41 pts; 3rd Maurice Foley (23) with 40 pts. Best in High Handicap category — Richard O'Gorman (20) with 36 pts.

Friday May 3 — 9 Hole Mixed Scramble — Winning team of David Kirwan, Gary Dunford and Cass Dolan with a net of 26, followed in second place by the team of Ned Murray, Sean Wade and Geraldine Murphy with a net 26; 3rd place went to the team of Morrie Ferncombe, Willie Barron and Yvonne Power with a

net 27; 4th place to Ollie Walsh, Padraig Morrissey and Teresa Norris with a net 27; 5th place to the team of Ray Cliff, John Troy and Joan Mansfield with a net score of 27.

SINGLES MATCHPLAY COMPETITION

Congratulations to all the first round winners who are now through to the second round, which is to be completed on or before Tuesday, May 14 next.

TWO HOLE IN ONES

It's normally an achievement to have to report one hole in one during the week, but to have to report two within the week is something special. The first hole in one was achieved by Maurice Fennell on the 3rd on Tuesday, April 30 last, with Willie Walsh also scoring a hole in one at the same hole on Sunday, May 5 last.

Congratulations to both and each will be receiving a special medal kindly sponsored by the Irish Permanent Building Society, Dungarvan to mark their achievements.

WEEKEND COMPETITIONS

A magnificent selection of excellent prizes are on display for this weekends two single day competitions both kindly sponsored by M. J. Curran and Sons Ltd., Dungarvan. Both competitions will have the normal £2 entry fee, but members may enter for an additional £1 another competition in support of the (R.N.L.I.) Lifeboat Association. The prizes for this additional competition will be entry into a golf classic to be held in Dungarvan Golf Club between May 13 and May 17 next. All members are kindly asked to support this worthy cause.

PIERCE PURCELL COMPETITION

Our selectors are very busy at the moment organising trial matches between local clubs. A panel of players will take part in an open foursomes competition in Youghal Golf Club on both Thursday, May 9 and Thursday, May 16 next. Best of luck to all concerned.

VISIT BY TOUR PROFESSIONAL

Last weekend we welcomed a distinguished golf professional Liam Higgins, professional at Waterville Golf Club to our Gold Coast Golf Club. Liam enjoyed his few days with us and spoke highly of the condition of the course and looked forward to playing the new 18 hole course next year.

FIXTURES

Monday, May 6 to Friday, May 10 — 18 Hole Stableford, kindly sponsored by Raymond Anthony & Co. Accountants, Carrick-on-Suir. Friday, May 10 — 9 Hole Mixed Scramble, draw for partners between 5 and 6.15 p.m. Saturday, May 11 — 18 Hole Stroke, kindly sponsored by M. J. Curran and Sons Ltd., Dungarvan. Sunday, May 12 — 18 Hole Stableford, kindly sponsored by M. J. Curran and Sons Ltd., Dungarvan.

LADIES NEWS

Fixtures — 18 Hole Stableford to be played any day between 6th and 10th May, sponsored by Mansfield & Co., Auctioneers and Accountants, Dungarvan. Presentation of prizes after scramble on Friday, May 10. Ongoing 9 Hole Competition, kindly sponsored by John Walsh Spar, Supermarket, O'Connell Street, 2 cards to counts, see details posted in clubhouse. Friday, May 10 — 9 Hole Mixed Scramble, draw for partners between 5 to 6.15 p.m.

Lady Captain's Prize — Members will see from their fixture booklets that the Lady Captain's Prize will take place on May 26 next. In order to be eligible to play in this competition, two 18 hole competition returns are necessary, all members are encouraged to take part.

West Waterford Golf Club Notes

INTERMEDIATE SUCCESS FOR JOHN FLYNN

Clubman John Flynn registered his first major success on Sunday when he took the intermediate scratch cup. His round of 79 was the essence of consistency with halves of 39-40 to win by two shots from the evergreen Tom Butler.

Played in beautiful conditions, with a fine entry, our sincere thanks to East Cork Oil for their sponsorship and all who played, especially our visitors who travelled long distances.

Full results — 1, J. Flynn (11) 79; 2, T. Butler (11) 81; 3, J. Kelly (11) 82; 4, P. Landers (14) 82; best nett, Michael Purcell (16) 68; 2nd nett, B. Nugent (13) 68.

FEILE NA nDEISE TROPHY

This event was a huge success with a massive entry and again beautiful summer-like weather. It was jigs and reels all the way for ever-improving Pat Landers as he waltzed home with a super 43 pts. Our thanks to Summerby Ltd. for their generous sponsorship and Criostal na Rinne for the specially commissioned trophy.

Full results — 1, P. Landers (13) 43 pts.; 2, M. Shanahan (16) 39 pts.; best gross, A. Harty (5) 34 pts.; 3, T. Butler (10) 39 pts.; 4, A. Hally (7) 38 pts.; 5, F. Walsh (14) 38 pts.; best visitor, S. Landers (13) 37 (Lismore GC).

CLUB RESULTS

Wednesday, May 1 — Gallup Open Single Qualifier — 1, M. Shanahan (16) 36 pts.; best gross, M. O'Connor.

Friday, May 3 — Mixed Scramble — 1, P. Currie, P. Donnelly, Lena Walsh; 2, J. Gough, M. Beausang, Lila Dwyer.

Saturday, May 4 — 18 Hole Stableford — A. Harty (5) 37 pts.

Sunday, May 5 — Monthly Medal — 1, Michael Purcell (16) 68; 2, P. Landers (14) 68; best gross, J. Murphy (7) 79.

Sony Medal — Cat. 1 — J. Murphy; Cat. 11, M. Purcell; Cat. 111, P. Power.

FIXTURES

Wednesday, May 8 — Gallup Open Singles (time sheet); Friday, May 10 — Scramble at 7 p.m. (sharp); Saturday, May 11 — 18 Hole + (Bruen Shield); Sunday, May 12 — 18 Hole +, in Thurles.

Club mixed foursomes, on-going.

Coming soon — Sunday, May 19 — Senior Scratch Cup, 36 hole stroke, handicap scr. to 5. Limited entry to 60. Time sheet 43216.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Jim Murphy on his fine performance in the John White Memorial Scratch Cup in Fermoy, and to John Power and Bernie Twomey on winning best pair in the Heritage Shield in Lismore.

WEST WATERFORD LADIES GOLF

A busy schedule of events was the order of the gloriously long bank holiday weekend. With fine weather on our side, the weekend began on Friday evening with the welcome return of the 9 hole mixed scramble, where both ladies and gents teed off to play some light-hearted and some serious golf. The scramble will continue to run throughout the summer every Friday evening, with tee-off between 6 and 6.30 p.m.

The club mixed foursomes is well into its second round following several matches over the weekend. Tough competition and good golf has eliminated many pairings with a promising lead up to an interesting finale.

The famous Grouse Foursomes ladies qualifier also took place with the winning pair qualifying to play at Newlands Golf Club on June 6. Full results next week.

The 18 hole stableford competition in aid of National Breast Cancer Research began on Thursday, May 2 and runs on a re-entry basis until Thursday, May 16, with prizegiving that evening in the clubhouse. Prizes have been sponsored by Lancôme and we ask our ladies to try to play and support this very worthy cause.

A ladies 9 hole scramble will be held on Thursday, May 16, commencing at 6 p.m., followed by prize-giving in the clubhouse. This scramble is a fun event to encourage all our lady members, most especially the beginner golfers, to participate.

Ladies results — 18 hole stableford — 1, Nora Spratt (19) 36 pts.; 2, Mary Spratt (36) 30 pts.

Ladies fixtures — National Breast Cancer Research — 18 hole stableford on-going until May 16, sponsored by Lancôme; Ladies 9 hole scramble, Thursday, May 16; On-going 18 hole stableford.



David Kirwan, winner of the Value Centre Cash & Carry sponsored golf competition at the Gold Coast Golf & Leisure Club. Included in photo are John Collins (on left), Value Centre and John Coade, Club Captain. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB NOTES



Dungarvan Golf Club Open 18 Hole Fourball, kindly sponsored by First National Building Society, Dungarvan. Front row (left to right) — Jim Prendergast (Captain Dungarvan Golf Club), Eugene Slater (1st), Pat O'Sullivan (First National), Mossie McNamara (1st), Martin Lynch (36 Gross), Pdraig Morrissey (2nd); back row — John Hogan (3rd), Pat Phelan (best back nine), Martin Lavan (2nd), D. Walsh, Skerries Golf Club (best visitor), Joe Lavan (4th). —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

FIRST NATIONAL BUILDING SOCIETY OPEN WEEKEND A GREAT SUCCESS

With golfers taking advantage of the weekend's good weather, players came to Knocknagranagh from far and wide to play golf and enjoy the facilities of our golf club. Our thanks to First National Building Society for sponsoring and presenting such outstanding prizes to the winners.

Our 18 Hole Singles played on Monday morning followed by the 11 Hole mixed foursomes in the afternoon also proved very successful. Over the weekend our younger members played very good golf and Pdraig Morrissey, Martin Lavan, Donal Considine and Graham Nagle with many others proved they are the golfers of the future.

It was nice to see John Treacy, our popular life member, playing his first competitive round of golf on our course at the weekend. He had a most enjoyable round and we look forward to seeing him more often during the summer.

DAILY MAIL QUALIFIER

Also on Monday at Knocknagranagh the Daily Mail Qualifier match between Skerries of Dublin and Dungarvan Golf Club took place. Our team of Martin Lynch, John Gough, Micky Norris and Tony Brady were playing well and after three matches the result was Skerries 1 to Dungarvan 1. Then Tony Brady, the Dublin man play-

ing for Dungarvan and Declan Walsh, the Comeragh (Waterford) man, playing for Skerries having tied on the 18th proceeded down the 19th, shot for shot down fairway and then Tony's chip to the pin was too close for Declan and Dungarvan won the day. Well done to the team and the best of luck in the next match.

The season is now in full swing and next weekend is also a very busy one in our club. On Sunday next, May 12th, the Vice-Captain's prize, kindly presented by Des Baumann will take place. Looking forward to as many club members playing in this Golfer of the Year competition and giving their support to Des on the day.

On Saturday, the Intermediate Scratch Cup kindly sponsored by Murphy's Brewery for 12 to 18 handicaps. Anyone over 18 handicap can play but will play off 18 handicap. To all visitors and clubs, come and play our Championship course, phone (058) 43310 for places on timesheet. All welcome.

This weekend also has our Jimmy Bruen team playing in Thurles on Saturday morning. We wish them the best of luck to get through to Sunday and that they come home victorious after the weekend.

LONG HANDICAPS

Frank O'Riordan has taken on the management of the Long Handicaps Competition and the first outing will take place on Monday next, May 13th. So come on club members and support Frank.

On Friday, May 10th the Kilmacthomas Rainbow Classic will take place in Knocknagranagh. See notice board for times.

LOTTO

Numbers drawn were: 6, 10, 12. The jackpot winner was Noel Hayes. £10 winners were: Eoin Mansfield and Liam Fitzgerald. Next week's jackpot is £500.

LADIES FIXTURES

Tuesday next, May 14th: Start of Season 18 Hole Stableford.

Saturday, May 25th: Yoplait Am-Am Classic Open 18 H.

Sunday, May 26th: 4 Person Team Event. Male section - Ladies section - mixed section.

RESULTS

Friday, May 3rd: 9 Hole Scramble.

First: Julian Moroney, Phil Duggan, Mary Phelan 28; Second: Danny Barry, Gary Morrissey, Brid Killigrew, Des Baumann 28; Third: Peter Cusack, M. Kelleher, Maura Dempsey 29.

Sat./Sun. 18 Hole Open Fourball sponsored by First National Building Society. Winners: E. Slater (10) M. McNamara (13) 43 pts.; Second: M. Lavan (12) P. Morrissey (13) 42 pts.; Gross: J. Gough (5) M. Lynch (9) 36 pts.; Third: T. Brady (6) J. Hogan (10) 42 pts.; Fourth: J. Lavan (12) M. Lavan (12) 42 pts.; Visitors: P. Bennett, D. Walsh 38 pts.; Front Nine: D. Murphy, P. Gallagher 22 pts.; Back Nine: P. Phelan, S. Cleary 24 pts.; Nearest Hole on 13th: P. Phelan 40".

Monday last, May 6th: 18 Hole Open Singles.

Winners: D. Considine (15) 42 pts.; Second: P. Morrissey (14) 40 pts.; Third: Graham Nagle (14) 37 pts.; Visitor: Ger Finnan, Charleville 33 pts.

Monday last, May 6th: 11 Hole Mixed Foursomes.

Winners: O. O'Mahony, A. Stacey; Second: P. J. Killigrew, M. Phelan; Third: C. O'Brien, D. Walsh.

FIXTURES

9 Hole Weekly Monday - Sunday. Thursday 18 Hole Singles.

Friday, 18 Hole Kilmacthomas Rainbow Classic and 9 Hole Open Mixed Scramble 7.00 p.m.

Saturday next, May 11th: Intermediate Scratch Cup sponsored by Murphy's Brewery. Phone (058) 43310 or Pro.Shop 44707 for timesheet. Handicap 12 - 18.

Sunday next, May 12th: Vice-Captain's Prize kindly presented by Des Baumann 18 Hole Stroke a Golfer of the Year competition.

Monday next, May 13th: Long Handicap will start. F. O'Riordan will start this competition.

R.N.L.I. OPEN CLASSIC

Monday next, May 13th to Friday week, May 17th. A team of three competition. Entry fee £45 (multi-combinations) a prize for the best ladies team. Select your day and time and make your reservations by phoning Dungarvan Golf Club on (058) 43310/41605 or pro shop (058) 44707.

PLEASE SUPPORT THE LIFEBOAT.

Cunnigar Pitch & Putt Club Notes

MUNSTER GENTS STROKE PLAY

Good luck to the Cunnigar players who will be taking part in the Munster Gents Strokeplay on Sunday, May 12 in Clare. Mike Daly will be playing in the intermediate section, while Jimmy Cockwell will be in the junior. Our intermediate team will be Mike Daly, Lenny Duggan, Martin Hayes, Patsy Hackett and Thomas Maher. The Cunnigar Club has enjoyed great success in the past in many competitions away from home. We have a great bunch of players this year in both junior and intermediate and I am sure more success in on the cards.

FIXTURES

Our next calendar tournament will be the Baumann's Jewellers, Mary Street, 36 hole fourball stableford on May 19. Names to be in the clubhouse by Friday, May 17. More about this in next week's issue.

GREEN FEES

We are open for green fees, course open Monday to Friday until 9 p.m. Course closed Saturday and Sunday at 7 p.m. For as little as £2 green and £1 for hire of clubs, pitch and putt is a wonderful way of enjoying a bit of leisure time. If anyone is interested in having a game or becoming a member, please call down to our clubhouse at Quann's where we will give you all the help we can. Tourists most welcome.

LOTTO

No winner of our jackpot weekend 30-4-96. The numbers were 2, 8, 25, 26. Our jackpot this week will be £300. Five lucky winners of £20 each were Derek Moroney, Mary McCarthy, Kieran Rossiter, Michelle Whelan, Michelle Burke. — *Shout Fore*.

Clonea Strand Hotel Ladies Bowling

Last Tuesday morning proved to be a tense morning of bowling as all top three ladies were going for glory. When the hour of bowling was up the two top ladies had recorded the two top highest scores, Carol McAndrew scoring 125 and Libby Walsh scoring 117. But this didn't help Carol as Libby held onto first place, pipping Carol by 23 pins.

Libby's lead was reduced from last week but a bad game from Carol last week proved her downfall in not catching Libby. May Walsh let her third place slip as she fell to fifth place and Joan

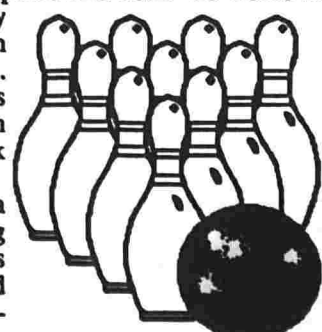
tried in the air as each lady tried her best to win. However, congratulations must go to Libby on keeping her nerve over the past few weeks and winning out the April competition.

The final placings are as follows — 1, Libby Walsh 381; 2, Carol McAndrew 358; 3, Joan Moloney 339; 4, Frances O'Brien 322; 5, Mary Walsh 319; 6, Patricia Donnelly 300; 7, Joan Curran 286; 8, Hannah Walsh 286; 9, Peggy Hanrahan 283; 10, Breeda Bannon 283; 11, Ivy Ahern 283.

Others who took part are as follows — Margaret

Moloney took over in third. Frances O'Brien in turn took fourth.

It was a very exciting morning as you could feel the ten-



Kiely, Margaret English, Kathy Gough, Nonie Daly, Mary Looby, Nellie Moloney, Alice Butler, Pattie Ormonde, Margaret Hogan, Nell Cullinan, Sally Walsh.

ATHLETICS

BY RACE LEADER

THE WEST IS BEST

West Waterford Athletic Club repeated their 1995 domination of the Munster Junior (U-9) and U-23 Track and Field Championships in Cork last Sunday week, winning 13 titles and also being named top club overall.

In the Junior section, West Waterford scored 38 pts. with Leevale A.C., Cork on 21 pts. and St. Brendan's, Kerry third with 16 pts.

In the U-23 category, Borrisokane from Tipperary were winners on 33 pts. with West Waterford second on 30 pts. and Limerick A.C. third with 19 pts.

FOUR GOLD

It was a particularly rewarding day for Derek Hayes and Linda Gully, winning four gold medals each. Derek scored a treble in the Junior Javelin, High Jump and 110 metre Hurdles and he was a member of the winning U-23 4 x 100 and 4 x 440 metres winning relay teams.

Other individual winners were Orla Costin (Junior Walk), Róisín Lynch (U-23 3000 metres), Oliviere Walsh (U-23 100 metres Hurdles), Kevin Healy (U-23 Walk) and Enda Donnelly (U-23 200 metres).

The members of the win-

ning relay teams were - Ladies 4 x 100 U-23: Gillian Conroy, Triona Whyte, Orla Costin, Linda Gully; 4 x 400 metres: Triona Whyte, Linda Gully, Sandra Clancy, Orla Costin; U-23 Mens 4 x 100 metres: Enda Donnelly, Leo Clancy, Edwin Flavin, Derek Hayes.

INDIVIDUAL PLACINGS

In the Junior grade, second placings were achieved by Mairead Costin (Walk), Sandra Clancy (High Jump), Oliviere Walsh (Pole Vault), Eamonn Costin (Walk), Austin Flavin (400 metres

Hurdles), Leo Clancy (100 metres), Mark Deevey (Pole Vault), Philip Harty (5000 metres) and by Trevor Walsh (U-23 5000 metres). The Mens U-23 4 x 400 metres team of Austin Flavin, Kevin Healy, Edwin Flavin and Enda Donnelly were also second.

Bronze medals were won by Juniors Michael Barrett (5000 metres), Brian Swaby (3000 metres steeplechase), Derek Hayes (Pole Vault) and the 4 x 100 metres team of Austin Flavin, Derek Hayes, Kevin Healy and Leo

Clancy. Enda Donnelly was third in the U-23 400 metres final.

The successful West Waterford teams were managed on the day by John McGrath, Nora Healy and Kathleen Walsh.

TITLE WINNERS

Jason Flynn (K.C.K.) and Patricia Cahill (Lismore) continued their fine record at these championships. Jason won the Junior Discus and was second in the shot and Patricia won the Junior Long Jump and Triple Jump double.

WATERFORD CO. CHAMPIONSHIPS

GULLY GLITTERS



LINDA GULLY

The 1996 Track season has certainly started in whirlwind fashion for Linda Gully (West Waterford A.C.) with multiple wins in the South East League, Munster Junior Championships, Waterford Schools and now the Waterford Senior Championships last Sunday.

Linda, who resides near Clashmore, won four titles

last Sunday with wins in the 100 and 200 metres flat and the 100 and 400 metres hurdles.

Her clubmate Ailish O'Brien scored a treble in the Shot Putt, Discus and Hammer.

Frank O'Brien retained his Discus and Hammer titles and among the other individual winners to impress were Jason Flynn (K.C.K.), Muriel Cummins (K.C.K.), Aisling Weldon (West Waterford), Edel Morrissey, Jacinta McCarthy and Ciara Prendergast (K.C.K.) and Sandra Clancy, Deirdre Travers, Samantha Flavin (West Waterford).

DAY TWO OF CHAMPIONSHIPS

The County Championships continue in Waterford this Sunday with a 12.00 noon start. The following is the full list of events -

80/100 m: Girls and boys U-11, 12, 13; 200 m: Girls and boys U-15, 16, 17; 400 m: Girls and boys U-16 and 17; 800 m: Girls and boys U-15, 16, 17; 1500 m: Girls and boys U-14 and 15; 3000 m: Girls U-17, boys U-15, 16, 17; Relays (4 x 100): Girls and boys U-15, 16, 17; (4 x 400): Girls and boys U-17; Long Jump: Girls and boys U-11, 12, 13; High Jump: Girls and boys U-11, 16, 17; Shot: Girls and boys U-12, 16, 17; Discus: Girls and boys U-14 and 15; Javelin: Girls and boys U-13, 15, 17; Hammer: Girls U-17, boys U-14, 15, 16, 17; Triple Jump: Girls U-17, boys U-13, 14, 15, 16, 17.

WEDDING BELLS

Congratulations to Michelle Mulcahy, Childers Estate, Dungarvan and Mark Hennessy, Waterford who were married last weekend.

LOCAL ATHLETES OF THE PAST

Roger Barron
(Kinsalebeg A.C.)

Motivated by Jim Fitzgerald, the current manager of the Hilltop Hotel in Youghal, Kinsalebeg A.C. appeared on the Waterford Cross Country scene in the 1970's and the club enjoyed notable successes as well as supplying valuable team runners for the county squads.

Their most successful athlete was without doubt Roger Barron who began his seven year career in

1972 following an invitation by Michael O'Halloran to join Kinsalebeg A.C. Roger had just started teaching in Tramore C.B.S. Primary School and he began regular training on the sandhills on Tramore beach, in the local G.A.A. field and on the roads around this popular seaside town. Roger found an ideal training partner in Davy Browne who was one of the top runners in Waterford at this time.

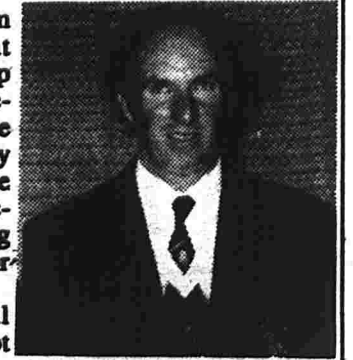
Munster Champion — In 1972 the Waterford Board held a novice cross country league which did much to attract newcomers to the sport. Roger Barron's first race was in the first round of the league held in the De La Salle Grounds in Waterford and it was soon very obvious that here was a runner with great natural talent. Kinsalebeg won that novice league with wins in De La Salle, Tramore and Grange. The members of the winning team were Roger Barron, Tony Shalloe, Liam Curran, Robbie Walsh and Michael O'Halloran. Within two years, Roger, now representing West Waterford A.C., won the Munster Novice and Intermediate Cross Country titles which were held as one race in St. Augustine's College in Abbeyside. In full flight, he was a strong runner with a long stride and a very hard runner to beat.

In December 1974, Ray Treacy won the Irish Intermediate Cross Country Championship in Dublin and Roger Barron ran well in fifth position. The following year, he finished second to Sonny Fennell from Kerry and he was now established on the national scene.

All-Ireland Senior Victories — Roger Barron was a valuable member of the Waterford Senior Cross Country team that won the first of their six All-Ireland Cross Country titles in Ennis in January 1976. Roger finished 14th in that race which did much to secure the historic victory for the Waterford team. The race was won by Gerry Deegan and John Treacy was third with his brother Ray fourth. For the next three years, the Championships were held in Kilbarry, Waterford and Roger was a scoring member on each occasion as Waterford dominated the national scene. The County team went on to win two more titles and two runner-up performances.

Roger Barron retired from athletics in 1979 though still only in his late twenties. There was, no doubt, more quality running left in him but his contribution to Waterford during his seven years of activity was immense. One of the lessons from his career is that with proper structures such as existed in the County in the early 1970's, material can be unearthed to help Waterford athletes.

Roger's sporting interests now centre around Pitch and Putt where he is very involved. He has been secretary of Waterford County Board since 1991 and Munster Council Secretary since 1993.



ROGER BARRON

MARINE ROAD RACE THIS SATURDAY



The previous three winners of the Marine Climb 6 Road Race pictured with sponsor Christy O'Neill (left to right) Kieran Maher (1994), James Sullivan (1995) and Pat Heffernan (1993)

The 4th annual Marine Climb road race sponsored by Christy O'Neill takes place this Saturday evening at 7.30 p.m.

The race, which will be the first event in the Ger Wyley Sports Summer Series will be run over a distance of six miles. The race begins in the Lookout and the course will take the old road up The Sweep, finishing outside the Marine Bar.

The previous winners of this race are Pat Heffernan (Tipperary - 1993), Kieran Maher (West Waterford - 1994) and James Sullivan (Waterford A.C. - 1995). The course record of 30 minutes 30 seconds stands from last year and a cash bonus will be presented to the first

Summer Series member to break this time. The prize list for the race includes the first three men and women and the first three teams of five picked from the entries on the night.

SPONSORED WALK AND RUN

This year's Marine run includes a sponsored walk and run for the local club West Waterford A.C. A number of prizes will be raffled among the walkers. A sponsorship card will gain entry to the race. For non-card holders, the entry fee is £3. Entries will be taken at St. Joseph's Primary School and a social evening will follow the race in the Marine Bar.

KILLEAGH '5'

The Killeagh Five Mile Road Race in aid of GOAL attracted 110 participants last Sunday morning. The event was won by Roy Fahy in 25 minutes 30 seconds. Philip Harty was third in 26.16. Michael Roche ran very well to finish first vet and eighth overall in 27 minutes 11 seconds while Paul Keating had his best run for years in clocking 29.59. 12 year old Philip Harty ran a remarkable time of 29 minutes 13 seconds. Other local finishing times available are Liam Clince 28.50; Anthony Harty 29.00; Anthony Dwyer 30.40; James Moore 32.21; Geoff Bullen 36.00 and Rebecca Harty 36.01.

REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



This week for our "Remembering Other Days" series we go back to January 15, 1955 and the Senior Cross Country Championships held over a 6 mile course in Dunhill. John Leahy from Glenaboy, Tallow (right, back row, No. 15), running for Glen Rovers was the individual winner. Mick White, Dunhill (kneeling second from right) led his team to victory in the club championship and Aglish led by Paddy Kenneally (kneeling front centre, No. 20) were third. Thirty runners from five clubs took part and all are included in the picture. They were: Dunhill — M. White, W. Dunphy, B. Power, P. Cummins, P. Lyons, E. Maher and V. Oates; Waterford A.C. — M. Ryan, S. Mathews, J. Mathews, J. Galvin, D. Waters, F. Hearne, P. Byrne, J. Hayes; Glen Rovers — John Leahy, A. Coleman, J. Coleman, J.O'Rourke, J. Prendergast; Aglish — P. Kenneally, P. Hallahan, M. Hallahan, J. Hayes, W. Dowling, M. Baker; Dungarvan — Nell Hurley, J. Franklin, P. O'Mahoney, Simon Hanley.

SOUTH EAST LEAGUE REACK & FIELD LEAGUE

West Waterford Women Win

The two stage South East Track and Field League promoted by Ferrybank A.C. concluded at the Waterford Regional Track last Tuesday evening.

The West Waterford Ladies increased their three point advantage over Ferrybank after day one to win on a 55 point total with the last club second on 43 pts. Waterford A.C. were third (33 pts.) and D.M.P. Wexford fourth (31 pts.) The West Waterford team was captained by Andrea Travers and the other members were Linda Guilly, Oliviere Walsh, Triona Whyte, Sandra Clancy, Paula Keohan, Samantha Flavin, Clare Long, Mairead Costin, Orla Costin and Aisling Weldon. The team won both relays and individual wins were recorded by Linda Guilly, Mairead Costin and Oliviere Walsh. The West Waterford club wish to express their thanks to Ann Browne for her assistance at the track on the night.

In the Mens competitions, Ferrybank maintained their halfway lead to score a good victory on 90 pts. with West Waterford second on 76 pts., Waterford A.C. third on 50 pts., D.M.P. Wexford 27 pts. and Clonmel 18 pts. Leo Clancy (West Waterford) scored a notable double in the 100 and 200 metres with impressive times of 10.8 seconds and 21.50 seconds. Other West Waterford winners were Eamonn Cashin (walk) and Frank O'Brien with marks of 46.08 metres in the Discus and 45.70 metres in the Hammer.

MIDDLETON ROAD RACE

Philip Harty (West Waterford) finished second to John Kearney (East Cork) in the Middleton five miles road race last Thursday evening. Philip ran 26 minutes 15 seconds for the distance despite going astray inside the last mile. Philip's sister Rebecca was a clear winner of the Junior race.

A number of West Waterford runners set personal best times with Colin Lyons, Dermot and Michael Dwyer and Anthony Harty impressing.

Local Results — 2. Philip Harty (26.15), 16. Colin Lyons (28.25), 25. Anthony Harty (29.02), 28. Dermot Dwyer (29.12), 36. Michael Dwyer (29.35), 41. Martin McCarthy (29.58), 43. Anthony Dwyer (30.23), 47. Tony Ryan (30.50), 50. Paul Keating (31.34), 74. Rebecca Harty (35.11). There was an entry of 104 runners.

Sliabh gCua St. Marys G.A.A. Club Notes

KIRWAN PARK TO BE OFFICIALLY OPENED

On Monday, June 3, Kirwan Park will be officially opened. The first game that will be played once it is officially opened will be an intercounty under-21 hurling challenge between Waterford and Kilkenny.

A lot of work has been done on the field in the last few weeks and will continue to be done over the next few weeks, getting the field ready for the opening and for the Feile na Gael later in June.

BARLOW CUP

On Sunday evening in Kirwan Park the club will be playing the semi-finals of the Barlow Cup competition. At 6.15 St. Marys play Shamrocks and at 7.30 Newcastle play Kilgobinet. Admission to the two games is £2, with children admitted free. We would like to thank John and Mary Dunford for their kind sponsorship for the tournament.

DEISE DRAW WINNERS

Congratulations to Mairead and Tomás O'Meara, Knockboy and the McCarra family in Newcastle who won prizes in the recent Development Draw.

21st BIRTHDAY

Congratulations to Johnnie McGrath who celebrat-

ed his 21st birthday on Sunday.

FIRST WIN FOR SENIORS

The senior footballers had their first win of the championship on Sunday when we had a two goal win over Butlerstown in the third round of the championship.

Our next game is the local derby against the Nire on Sunday, June 9 in the Fraher Field at 3.30 p.m.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

Sliabh gCua 0-4, Ballinacourty "A" 1-15

On Saturday evening we played our first game in the junior football 2nd XV for the first time in a number of years when we went down to Ballinacourty "A" in Cappoquin.

The team was — Quinten Hickey, Brendan Tobin, Paul Condon, Mike Hearne, Mike Murray, Tom Condon, Tom Whelan, Peter Fitzgerald, James Connors, Pat Hearne, Eoin Butler, Anthony Gleeson, Gary Ahearne, Kieran Deegan, Donncha Dunne. Subs — Aidan McGrath and Paul Ahearne.

Scorers — D. Dunne, P. Fitzgerald, E. Butler and K. Deegan 0-1 each.

Our next game in the junior championship is against Kilrossanty on Sunday, May 26 in Bushy Park at 3 p.m.

Brickey Valley School News

MINI SEVENS TAKE COUNTY TITLE

On Tuesday evening last our mini-sevens boys football team won the county title of the INTO mini sevens football competition when they defeated Butlerstown by the narrowest of margins (one point) at Abbeyside GAA pitch.

The first half of this game was played in a downpour where the players couldn't see the football with the force of the hailstones and the rain. At half time we were behind by five points, but even though the boys were "dripping wet" they decided that they had everything to play for and took to the pitch in the second half with their usual determination to win.

In a nail biting second half between two evenly matched teams we levelled the score and then went ahead by four points, but a last minute goal by Butlerstown brought our lead back to the all-important one point that gave victory to us as the referee Pat Moore blew the final whistle.

These boys will now go on to represent Waterford at the Regional finals on Thursday, May 16 in Clonmel.

Panel of players — David Hickey, David Moloney, William Murphy, Shane Mc-

Grath, Tony Halpin, Shane Nugent, Cárthach Shalloe, Austin Cooney, Tomás Halpin, John Gillen, Cian Shalloe, Alan Lyons, Micheál Gee.

COUNTY CAMOGIE FINAL

On this Wednesday afternoon all roads again lead to Abbeyside when girls from Glenbeg NS will take part in the INTO mini sevens camogie county final competition against the Eastern champions. Best of luck, girls.

It is indeed a great achievement for our small schools to qualify for the finals of these competition as they have to compete with all-sized schools in the run-up.

GIRLS FOOTBALL

Glenbeg girls football team had yet another victory in their schools football games when they defeated Ring at Bushy Park on Wednesday evening last. Their next game will be against Ardmore.

Panel of players — Nicola Fennell (capt.), Rosemary Murphy, Aisling Lennon, Aoife Murphy, Martina Donnelly, Triona Shalloe, Rosemary Curran, Eimear Walsh, Mary Clare Walsh, Aisling McGrath, Alice Curran, Emer Murphy, Sharon O'Riordan.

WATERFORD COLLEGES SENIOR FOOTBALL FINAL

Saint Augustine's Win Historic Final



St. Augustine's 'A' 1-7
St. Augustine's 'B' 0-6

Thus unique pairing provided a fitting finale to an historic year of Gaelic Games activity in St. Augustine's College. The Friary had, for the first time, entered two teams in this championship and the 'B' squad in particular had shown tremendous spirit and tenacity in reaching the decider.

The combined panel comprises some thirty six young footballers and essentially the same players had earlier this year contested both football and hurling Munster championship finals. The disappointment of losing the football decider to St. Michael's Roscarberry was countered by a stirring hurling victory over noted Tipperary nursery Roscrea C.B.S.

It is a tribute to these young players that they achieved so much in both codes, and the Waterford football final played on the home pitch at Duckspool, in front of an enthusiastic and 'partisan' crowd, was in effect a celebration of all that had gone before.

The match was played in a spirit fitting the occasion, as the B team determined from the outset to take the game to their move vaunted opponents. Early points for Pat Nugent and Derek Hayes were negated by similar scores from the young Ardmore midfield pairing of Shane Dower and Seamus Prendergast. The battle for midfield supremacy was just one of many man to man duels throughout the pitch,

notably John Organ facing Ken Hassett and Gary Cullinan against formidable Tom

Melody. A second point from Nugent and a free from Pat Fitzgerald left the score at half time A team 0-4, B team 0-3.

The pace of the game picked up after the interval as the A squad established control. A well taken goal by Damien Wall proved the match winning score and though the B team piled on the pressure in the closing minutes their opponents held out for a merited victory.

A Team — M. Kiely (Abbeyside), S. Stacey (Abbeyside), G. Cullinan (Gaultier), J. Organ (Abbeyside), D. Lyons (Dungarvan), B. Cliffe (Abbeyside), V. O'Rourke (Clashmore), D. Hayes (Abbeyside 0-1), L. Hurney (Abbeyside 0-2), E. Doherty (Butlerstown 0-1), P. Fitzgerald (Naomh Brid 0-1), K. Flavin (Ardmore), P. Nugent (Newcastle 0-2), C. Keating (Kilrossanty), D. Wall (Dungarvan 1-0).

B Team — J. White (Abbeyside), E. Beresford (Clashmore), R. Kenny (Rathgormack), M. Supple (Ardmore), A. Flavin (Ardmore), V. O'Shea (Rathgormack), J. P. Cliffe (Naomh Brid), S. Dower (Ardmore 0-1), S. Prendergast (Ardmore 0-2), I. Dunford (Naomh Brid 0-1), D. Brennan (Abbeyside 0-1), M. Cliffe (Naomh Brid), K. Hassett (Rathgormack 0-1), T. Melody (Abbeyside), M. Hickey (Abbeyside).

Subs. (both panels) — C. Hennessy (Ardmore), P. Coffey (Kilrossanty), M. Horan (Abbeyside), N. Thompson (Abbeyside).

▼ — Pictured above St. Augustine's A and B panels with Jim Power (coach) and Ger Walsh (referee).

St. Declan's Community College Notes

CAMOGIE BLITZ

St. Declan's camogie team took part in the Munster Blitz in Charleville, Co. Cork last Saturday. St. Declan's first game against Midleton was a hard fought battle with St. Declan's coming out on top by one point (4-1 to 3-3).

In the second match against Tulla good goals from E. Galvin and N. Barry along with good defensive work from L. Kelly and T. Kirwan secured a well deserved draw (3-3 to 3-3).

In the game against Borrisoleigh, St. Declan's went down by a single point (0-1 to 0-2).

The final match, a local affair, saw St. Declan's v. St. Paul's. St. Declan's dominated the game with a very strong performance from the forward line in particular with L. Grant, N. Barry, T. Kirwan and A. Kelly all getting goals. The final score 5-0 to 0-1.

Each player can feel proud of their contribution to this competition in which St. Declan's lost by only one point to the best school camogie team from Munster.

St. Declan's — L. Mulhearn, E. O'Neill, L. Kelly, C. Duggan, A. Hearne, I. Grant, T. Kirwan, E. O'Neill, K. Barry, N. Barry.

SOCCER: UNDER-18 MUNSTER SHIELD

St. Paul's (Waterford) 0 St. Declan's (Kilmac) 2

St. Declan's advanced to the Munster semi final by virtue of this convincing victory over St. Paul's at Kilbarry. St. Declan's completely dominated the opening half but failed to find a breakthrough against a well organised St. Paul's defence.

The same trend continued in the second half until the 75th minute when John O'Leary rose high at the far post to head in Brian O'Leary's corner kick. Two minutes later St. Declan's made it 2-0 when Dermot Sullivan's inswinging corner went all the way to the net. The visitors were content to settle for this and it needed an excellent reflex save from Derek Gahan to deny St. Paul's a consolation goal in the 87th minute.

This was another very good team performance by this young side (six are under 16 and two are under 15) with each player doing exactly what was asked of him. If they continue to perform like this they have every chance of reaching the Munster final.

St. Declan's — D. Gahan, P. Prendergast, P. Kiely, S. P. Fitzpatrick, S. Kiely, D. Sullivan, G. Power, P. Mulhearn, J. O'Leary, B. O'Leary, M. O'Leary. Res. — D. Hearne, N. O'Sullivan, G. Walsh (all used).

MUNSTER U-16/2 FOOTBALL QUARTER FINAL

Tarbert (Kerry) 2-10 St. Declan's 2-7

St. Declan's were narrowly edged out by Tarbert in this Munster quarter final in a thrilling match played at Buttevant.

St. Declan's dominated the opening exchanges but missed numerous scoring chances. Points from T. Costello

and T. Kiely (2) were answered by three pointed frees by the Kerry men.

On the quarter hour St. Declan's were rocked on their heels by a fisted goal from Tarbert. However, the Kilmac' men recovered to play brilliant football until half time and added points from B. O'Leary and T. Kiely (2) and a great goal from G. Power to lead by 3 points at the break.

Tarbert began the second half outstandingly and effectively sealed the game in a fifteen minute spell by adding 1-7 without reply. St. Declan's did rally in the final 10 minutes, adding a point from M. Fitzgerald and a goaled penalty by T. Kiely. However, despite a virtual siege on the Tarbert goal, the equaliser did not come.

This was a great effort by the Kilmac' players against top quality opposition. Ultimately, a lack of fitness and a lack of games at this standard of football made the difference between the sides.

Best for Kilmacthomas — M. Ahern, T. Costello, T. Kiely, G. Power.

St. Declan's — N. Barry, G. Prendergast, A. Fitzgerald, D. Van Veen, D. Power, P. Mulhearn, D. Hearne, M. Ahern, T. Costelloe (0-1), P. Prendergast, G. Power (1-0), T. Kiely (0-1), B. O'Leary (0-1), T. Curran (capt.), J. Mansfield. Subs., M. Fitzgerald (0-1), T. Mansfield, J. Bagge.

SQUASH: Well done to St. Declan's teacher, Brian O'Connor who was in Amsterdam last week as part of the Irish team in the European Squash Championships.

LOURDES: Congratulations to Mandy Browne (4th year) who has been chosen as the St. Declan's representative to travel on the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in June.

ATHLETICS: Students from St. Declan's competed in the Waterford Schools Championships on May 1 with a number of them winning medals.

In the minor girls 800m., Ciara Prendergast, Helen O'Reilly and Stephanie Hallahan all ran very well to come 1st, 2nd and 5th respectively. Ciara demonstrated her wide range of abilities by also finishing 3rd in the 100m. final.

Christopher Long won the minor boys long jump, a tremendous achievement for Christopher who was competing for the first time in athletics.

The junior girls 800m. was won impressively by Aisling Weldon with Helen O'Reilly 4th and Anna Hearne 7th. Leigh Mulhearn finished 4th in the triple jump, while the junior girls relay team also finished 4th.

Eric Curran and Claire Long finished a creditable third in their respective 1500m. races. In the senior boys 1500m. Brian Swaby ran very well to win, with Trevor Walsh finishing strongly in 4th place.

CAUSEWAY TENNIS CLUB'S INTER FIRMS



Pictured above are the winners and runners-up in the Causeway Tennis Club's Inter Firms Tournament (sponsored by Waterford Foods) which was held recently. Waterford Crystal (A), Coalcraft, Waterford Crystal (C) and Microchem were the winners in their respective sections with Pinewood Healthcare, Carriglea, Cappoquin Chickens, and Kelleher Printers runners-up. Also included is Jean O'Donovan, President Causeway Tennis Club, Gerard O'Donovan (sponsor) and committee members. (Photo: Pat Crowley)

Large Crowds Attend Aglish Gymkhana

One of the largest crowds ever attended this year's Aglish Gymkhana held at Kilmolash on the lands of Jerry O'Brien. Our thanks to Jerry and family who gives us the use of this field year after year.

Thanks also to everyone who helped in anyway and to all our supporters.

The following are the results of this year's Classes.

HORSES

Grade E (Millstreet Qualifier) 28 divided — Rare Melody (John Ahern), Loughnatousa Rose (Diane Beecher), Springfield Cavalier (G. Adair), Cruiseway (F. Connors), Sculptured (F. Connors), Diamond Carat (F. Connors), Mountain Grove Con (F. Connors), Grove Royal (F. Connors), Gildawn Heidi Ann (F. Connors), Springfield Bournemouth (D. Doyle), Kilpatrick Bride (D. Doyle), Capetown (D. Doyle), Springfield Rapport (D. Doyle), Clover Bud (Tholm Keane), Lisa Dobber Candy (Tholm Keane), Cuffsgrange Royale (Ronan Sheehan), Cuffsgrange Possibly (Ronan Sheehan) Redland (Robert Splaine), Milltramp (S. Hayes); Loughnatousa Iris

(Diane Beecher), Carling King (Ml. Buckley), Omard Sunset (Charles Daly), Finnisk King (Ian Cliffe), Oak Melody (K. McCarthy), Clover Z (P. Kelly), Castle Serpent (Tom Aherne), Jack The Nipper (L. O'Driscoll), Kereen Comeragh (S. Keane).

Grade D/E (Gain Qualifier) — 1st Christmas Joy (Denis Coakley), 2nd Johnnie Walker (D. O'Regan), 3rd Loughnatousa Iris (Diane Beecher), 4th Myra's Pet (Francis Connors), 5th Carling King (Ml. Buckley), 6th Maybe (Ronan Sheehan), Heartbeat (Marion Hughes), Loughnatousa Henry (Diane Beecher), Sure Coin (Francis Connors), Irish Diamond (Conor Moloney).

Grade A/B/C — 1st Pair Na Clocha (Ml. Condon), 2nd Enniskeane Ambassador (D. O'Regan), 3rd Macartic (Shane Breen), 4th Burnside (D. Quinlivan), 5th Coolcorron E. Quest (R. Splaine), 6th Prima Donna (R. Splaine).

Newcomers 0-15 — Cashlyn Gold (John Cashman), Brazen Lazer (Tom Herne), Colligan Wonder (Tholm Keane);

PONIES

128 A.B.C. — 1st Ross-lara Boy (Emer Murphy), 2nd Slim Flight (Caroline Ryan), 3rd Pappillon (O. Sheehan), 4th Pirate Prince (J. J. Ledingham), 5th Ganghi (J. Widger), 6th Cameron Cottage (K. Twomey).

138 A.B.C. — 1st Three For A Girl (Paul Beecher), 2nd Taramando (Wm. Dorney), 3rd The Grey Guy (Killian Dorney), 4th Hazel Orchid (Jenny Shorten), 5th Mooncat (Killian Dorney), 6th Its Showtime (S. K. Quinlivan).

148 A.B.C. — 1st Hunters Folly (Jordan O'Neill), 2nd Lismachyran Woodbine (E. O'Sullivan), 3rd Dulancy Danny (James Ryan), 4th Sunview Star (S. Sweetman), 5th Little Switch (C. Curran), 6th Thomastown Lad (C. McGlincey).

148 C.D., 14 divided — Kereen Gypsy (S. Keane), Cherokee Country (J. O'Neill), Monatrea Lady (Lisa Barrett), Golden Sailor (E. O'Connell), Kahola Maestro (Ciara Ferris), Jump For Silver (A. Rowe), Gorby (K. Ryan), Halfway Lass (E. Murphy), Hunters Bell (R. Veale), Navillusa

Chieftain (T. O'Sullivan), Spirit of Belline (T. Beecher), Loughnatousa Felix (P. Beecher), Dancing Dream (P. Beecher), Cushlane Lad (J. McGrath), All Business (C. Curran), Boherduff Sasha (P. Finnan), Midwest Magic (P. Harrington).

128 C.D., 14 divided — Navillusa Thunder (S. O'Sullivan), Lady Ivy (S. Higgins), Ganghi (J. Widger), Go Navy Go (J. O'Sullivan), Miss Betty (E. Large), Begger Boy (Ken Twomey), Lacken George (R. Veale), Double Buddy (L. Keniry), Ticknock Bubbles (Ed. Og Ledingham), Theoilte (M. Hyde), Cappagh Rusty (A. Condon), Elegant Merry Legs (P. Dahill), Rudy (R. Hyde), Lucky Fellow (B. Moran).

138 C.D., 11 divided — Golden Moment (Irene Maher), Shaun Peel (C. Hyde), Prospect (N. Quinlivan), Gooseberry Hill White Horn (I. Magnier), Rustick (G. Phelan), Peppie Ryan (L. Keniry), Blackthorn Sandy (A. M. Allen), Young Fly (S. Jordan), King Arthur (J. Ryan), Dark Crystal (B. Quinn), Greybrook Mischief (A. Keating).

Successful Knockanore Ploughing Match

The following are the results of a very successful ploughing match held recently in Knockanore—

Open 2 Furrow — 1, Michael Linehan; 2, Phil Murphy; 3, Michael Kirk. **Under-21** — 1, John O'Connell; 2, Niall Connery. **Open 3-Furrow** — 1, James Prendergast. **Stand 3-Furrow** — 1, Pad Joe Nugent; 2, Patsy Kearney. **3-Furrow Novice** — 1, Tomás McCarthy; 2, Martin O'Keefe. **Vintage Hydraulic** — 1, John Power. **Vintage Trailer** — 1, John O'Neill; 2, Denis Hennessey. **Vintage Single Furrow** — 1, Maurice Walsh; 2, Dan Linehan. **Reversible Class** — 1, Jimmy O'Neill; 2, John Morrison; 3, Brian Murphy.

Congratulations to all the winners and our thanks to everyone for their support.

CORN AN RUNAI — MUNSTER UNDER-18½ FOOTBALL FINAL

Dungarvan C.B.S. Beaten In Final

MACROOM 2-9 DUNGARVAN C.B.S. 0-8

In the senior football final the local lads never played to their form in the earlier rounds and were beaten 'fair and square' by a Macroom side which was powered by two of last year's Cork county minor side.

The West Cork boys registered 1-6 to Dungarvan's 0-4 in the first half and when Macroom scored a lucky second goal six minutes after the turn around the local boys were really up against it. To their credit they never gave up and battled gamely all the way 'to

the wire'. The final score was Macroom 2-9 Dungarvan 0-8.

Dungarvan C.B.S. — Kenny Kiely, Jamie Burke (0-1), Alan Moore, Richie Ferncombe, J. P. Donnelly (0-4), Kevin Casey, Pat Morgan, Colin Keane, Mark Coles (0-1), Padraig Verling, James Keohan (0-1), Alan Kinsella, John Stack, Mark Crotty, Alan Harty (0-1), J. P. Keohan, Kevin Walsh, Jason O'Mahony, Stephen Keane, Darren Mulcahy, Michael Tobin, Paul Radley, John Fletcher.

U-16 Premier Divisional Football Champions 1996



The Far West team who defeated Mid County in the final of the U-16 Premier Divisional Football Championship on the score of 4-5 to 4-3. Teams from Urban East and Rural East also took part in the competition. —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

PRIMARY SCHOOLS G.A.A.

Carriglea/Glenbeg Bring Mini-Sevens Football To The West

CARRIGLEA/GLENBEG 1-8 BUTLERSTOWN 3-1

Butlerstown started full of confidence and scored two goals per Adrian Troy and Laurence Murphy. Then it rained — torrential rain, laced with hailstones, which signalled a revival by C/G. Shane McGrath scored two excellent points and there was some nice interplay by the C/G players around the centre of the field.

Max Halley steadied Butlerstown with a point from play, but Tony Halpin replied with a peach of a goal for C/G. Carriglea/Glenbeg dominated to a greater extent following that injection and popped over points from Cormac Shalloe and two from Tony Halpin — the second one an excellent effort.

The second half revealed that C/G were the better team but in the slippery conditions both teams found scores difficult to come by. Tony Halpin curled over a minor from a free and followed with a



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similar score after a solo run. Shane McGrath received a pass from a free and scored a point. A goal by Butlerstown ensured that the final few minutes would be nerve-wracking, but C/G held on to win by the narrowest of margins.

Carriglea/Glenbeg — David Hickey, David Moloney, William Murphy, Shane McGrath, Tony Halpin, Shane Nugent, Cormac Shalloe, Austin Cooney, Tomás Halpin, John Dillon, Alan Lyons, Michael Gee, Cian Shalloe.

Butlerstown — Paul Fan, Keelin Kavanagh, Conor Power, Max Hally, Noel Kelly, Laurence Murphy, Adrian Troy, Bryan Hamm, Thomas Hally, David Nolan, Gary Moran.

MINI SEVENS HURLING CO. FINAL

LISMORE 2-3 CLONEA-POWER 2-7
Clonea settled quickly with Fergal Fogarty and Stephen Kavanagh pointing. Lismore replied with a point but Fergal put Clonea further ahead with a goal following a controlled solo run. Lismore pointed but were wide from a scorable free. Fergal scored from his free for Clonea, but Kevin Donoghue reduced Clonea's lead to the minimum when he struck a low shot to the net.

On the resumption, goalkeeper Owen Mackey batted a dangerous lob across the end line for a '65' to Lismore but the free puck was sent wide. Clonea dominated — Christopher Mears goaled with a spectacular ground strike and Fergal Fogarty had three beautiful

points.

Lismore refused to capitulate and were rewarded with a goal. The Clonea backs delivered the sliotar directly to their forwards while the Lismore backs soloed out of defence before striking. The contrast in styles was interesting. Before full time Clonea scored two points whereas Lismore managed just one from a free.

Lismore — Brian O'Connell, Mark O'Reilly, John Heneghan, Brian Doocey, Kevin Donoghue, Ross Kelleher, John O'Donnell, Jamie Dalton.

Clonea-Power — Owen Mackey, Owen Foran, Mark Mears, Fergal Fogarty, Jason Cahill, Christopher Mears, Stephen Kavanagh, Noel Mackey.

FIXTURES

Wednesday, May 8, at Abbeyside, 4 p.m. — Mini-Sevens finals of camogie and girls football; Thursday, May 9 at Abbeyside, 3.45 p.m. — Roinn C hurling semi-final; Roinn D Peil na gCailfín semi-final.



Pat Curran, County Juvenile Coach, making a presentation to Mark Power (Clashmore) captain of the winning Far West team. —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

SOCCKER — U-14 MUNSTER SHIELD

ST. DECLAN'S ARE CHAMPIONS

St. Declan's 2, Tramore CBS 0

St. Declan's advanced to the semi-final stage of the under-14 shield with a superb victory over Tramore CBS. This was a game that St. Declan's dominated from start to finish and but for the woodwork and some good goalkeeping, they could have hit a few more goals.

Michael Hearne opened the scoring after just 5 minutes when he got on the end of an Anthony Cleary cross. Despite dominating, St. Declan's couldn't get a second goal and it needed a very good save by Derek Ryan just before half time to deny Tramore an equaliser.

Both John Whelan and Paul Leahy hit the post in the second half and Michael Hearne had a header go inches wide

before a glorious defence splitting pass by Anthony Cleary put Paul Leahy clear and he duly clinched victory with a delicate finish.

St. Declan's will be at home to a Cork school in the semi-final and a repeat of this performance will be needed if they are to advance to the final.

St. Declan's — D. Ryan, C. Downey, D. O'Reilly, E. Galvin, G. Fitzpatrick, D. Power, A. Cleary, J. Kennedy, M. Hearne, J. Whelan, P. Leahy.

Best wishes to under-14 player Leigh O'Brien who is out of action at the moment with a leg injury. Hopefully this talented midfielder will soon be back in action.

Dungarvan G.A.A. Notes

U-12 HURLING

The U-12 Hurling Championship commences tonight (Wednesday) at 6.45 p.m. when we are away to Cappoquin.

U-14 HURLING

In the first round of the U-14 Hurling Championship we are at home to Portlaw. This game will be played next Saturday.

MINOR HURLING

Our Minor hurling game against Fourmilewater was not played last Friday night. This was due to the fact that seven of our players were involved in a Munster Colleges semi-final match with the C.B.S. on Friday afternoon. However, this game was called off due to tragic circumstances. We sought a postponement and informed the Board that we were not giving a walkover or withdrawing from the Championship but this was refused and we were disqualified from the Championship.

For the benefit of the parents, we would like to state that it was pointed out to the Board that it was most unfair to expect boys having played in one match in an afternoon to go out and play another game a few hours later. What is the rush !!!

This Championship is comprised of five teams which means in reality you play a minimum of four games with the top team advancing to the final and the second and third teams to the semi-final. Another point of note is the approaching Leaving Cert. examinations and the fear of parents that their sons might receive a serious injury which would result in them having to repeat another year at school. Again we ask, why the rush, with all the summer available !!!

We extend best wishes to the C.B.S. team in the semi-final this afternoon (Wednesday).

MELADON TOURNAMENT

The first round of the Meladon Tournament took

PLAYER PROFILE



Name: Colin Houlihan;
Address: 72 Springfield;
Date Of Birth: October 23rd; Team Played For: Dungarvan C.B.S.;
Favourite Hurler: Pat Fox;
Favourite Footballer: Charlie Redmond; Other Sports Played: Soccer, golf; Ambition: Mechanic.

place at our Clubgrounds on Saturday evening last.

We defeated the holders Clonea in a tough and exciting encounter. We now await the next round which, it is hoped, to run off shortly.

SENIOR FOOTBALL

At the Leamybrien venue last Sunday, we took on Stradbally in the Senior Football Championship.

After a very good start with some fine scores from Pepe Ferncombe, we led by five points to two after twenty minutes. However, after that we seemed to fade and were behind at the interval by 1-6 to five points.

In the second half, things went from bad to worse. The final score was 3-8 to 9 points. This was a very disappointing outing for us and we will certainly need to get our act together if we are to pick up valuable points from our next outing against Kilrossanty in two weeks time.

FIXTURES

Senior Hurling — Dungarvan v St. Mollerans at Clonea-Power on Sunday next at 3.00 p.m.

Junior Hurling — Dungarvan v Abbeyside at Bushy Park on Saturday next at 7.30 p.m.

LOTTO

The weekly Lotto numbers drawn on Monday were 24, 7, 5. There was no winner. Next week's jackpot is £300.

It is our intention to change the structure of the weekly Lotto as soon as the present jackpot is won. The new Lotto will be as follows: four numbers between one and thirty. Fee is £1.

The Lotto will commence at £300 and if not won, £100 will be added each week. On the weeks we have no winner, two prizes of £25 each will be drawn for.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support in the past and we look forward to your continued support with our new-look Lotto. Watch these notes for date of commencement.

Also please note that the new Lotto draw will take place on Monday night at 8.00 p.m. and not Sunday as previously.

SYMPATHY

On behalf of the club we would like to tender our deepest and sincere sympathy to the following -

Mary Dee and family on the death of the late Tomsie Dee who died recently.

The deceased was a member of the Sarsfield's side that won two Minor football titles. He also won a Senior football title with the club in 1954 and was a member of the victorious 1948 Minor hurling side that won the

All-Ireland for Waterford.

The sisters of the late Noel O'Mahoney, Bernard Shields and the Shields family on the death of Kathleen

Shields and to Tom and Jack Curran on the death of Wexford of their brother, Michael.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh siad.



The ongoing development at Fraher Field, Dungarvan prompts us to publish the above photograph taken in 1947 in the famed Shandon Grounds when Waterford took on Cork in the Munster Senior Hurling Championship. The picture was taken at the venue and shows well known Dungarvan painter the late Andrew Sandford, Mitchel Terrace and his son Jackie who were at the game. Jackie continues in the family tradition and is himself well known in the painting trade in the area.

Waterford G.A.A. Supporters Club Notes

THE HURLERS

Captain's prize at Thurles Golf Club on Saturday, May 18. Captain this year is Mick Ryan, Dublin. Time sheet in operation from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. For times telephone Bill Cashman at 0504-21531 between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. and 9 p.m.

It was nice speaking to Babs Keating on Saturday (he is a member of the hurlers). He and the Laois team spent a weekend at Clonea Strand Hotel, training and playing golf.

IMPROVED PERFORMANCE Kilkenny 2-17 Waterford 3-11

This was a much improved and encouraging performance from Waterford at Walsh Park on Sunday evening last. This was a cracking game, played at a

terrific pace — there is light at the end of the tunnel!

It was great to see our younger players taking their scores with confidence. A few weeks left for the game v. Tipp. I hope there are no further interruptions to the training programme and the selectors and players are allowed to get on with their preparations.

Total commitment, discipline, fitness, pride, guts and passion will be required from each player if we are to beat Tipp — and we are quite capable of doing so!

MEMBERSHIP

My thanks to Anthony Walsh, Colligan for his membership. I am disappointed with the response from clubs so far. Next meeting at Clonea Strand Hotel Thursday, May 30, 8.30 p.m.

G.A.A. FIXTURES

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

MHC Lismore v. Abbeyside, Abbeyside 7.30

THURSDAY, MAY 9

Lawlor's Hotel SFC Rathgormack v. Ballinacourty, Leamybrien 7.30

FRIDAY, MAY 10

Lawlor's Hotel SHC Mt. Sion v. Ballyduff, Stradbally 7.30

Comeragh Oil JHC Fourmilewater v. Ring, Fraher Field 7.30

MHC Abbeyside v. Fourmilewater, Fraher Field 7.30

MHC Dungarvan v. Lismore, Cappoquin 7.30

MHC Stradbally v. Kilrossanty, Abbeyside 7.30

MHC Colligan v. St. Olivers, Dungarvan Pitch 7.30

SATURDAY, MAY 11 (all 7.30)

SHC Fourmilewater v. Ballygunner, Fraher Field

JHC Kilgobinet v. Modeligo, Colligan

JHC Geraldines v. Ardmore, Cappoquin

JHC Dungarvan v. Abbeyside "A," Bushy Park

JHC Ballyduff v. Cappoquin, Lismore

JHC Old Parish v. Brickeys, Abbeyside

IHC Ferrybank v. Ballyduff, Portlaw

SUNDAY, MAY 12

Lawlor's Hotel SHC Erin's Own v. St. Saviours, Walsh Park 2.00

SHC Roanmore v. Passage, Walsh Park 3.30

SHC Lismore v. Se La Salle, Fraher Field 2.00

SHC Portlaw v. Dunhill, Kill 3.00

SHC St. Mollerans v. Dungarvan, Clonea 3.00

SHC Tallow v. Clonea, Clonea 6.00

SH Tournament Waterford v. Kilkenny, Clonea 7.30

Comeragh Oil JHC Ballinameela v. Kilrossanty, Cappoquin 2.00

JHC Clashmore v. Tourin, Cappoquin 3.15

JHC Glen Rovers v. Abbeyside "B," Colligan 3.00

JHC Tallow v. Lismore, Ballyduff 7.00

G.A.A. RESULTS

SHC Nire 3-9 Kill 3-5

SHC Sliabh gCua 4-9 Butlerstown 2-9

SHC Dunhill 0-7 Affane 0-7

SHC Kilmacthomas 0-12 Bonmahon 1-8

SHC Stradbally 3-8 Dungarvan 0-9

SHC Kilrossanty 0-7 Tramore 0-5

SHC Gaultier 2-13 St. Saviours 2-5

SHC Ballygunner 2-14 Passage 0-11

SHC Roanmore 1-7 Fourmilewater 0-7

SHC De La Salle 0-10 Mount Sion 0-9

SHC Dunhill 3-12 St. Mollerans 2-9

SHC Lismore 1-8 Ballyduff 1-3

SHC Portlaw 4-13 Dungarvan 0-1

SHC Tallow 5-6 St. Saviours 1-4

SHC Erin's Own 2-12 Clonea 1-6

IFC Newtown 5-12 Ballyduff 0-2

IFC Portlaw 3-8 Ferrybank 1-2

JFC St. Mollerans 1-12 Mount Sion 1-8

JFC De La Salle 3-8 Butlerstown 0-2

JFC Brickeys 3-6 Ring 0-4

JFC Kilmacthomas 2-9 Dunhill 0-2

JFC Ballinacourty "A" 1-15 Sliabh gCua 0-4

JFC Fenor w/o Roanmore

JFC Geraldines 2-2 Clashmore 1-4

JFC Ardmore 2-5 Ballinameela 0-4

JFC Melleray 1-4 Ballysaggart 1-4

MHC Tallow 3-14 Abbeyside 0-4

MHC Stradbally 8-7 Clashmore 4-4

MHC Colligan 5-10 Kilrossanty 1-3

MHC Naomh Brid 2-11 Gaeltacht 0-0

MHC Ardmore 4-4 Cappoquin 1-3

MHC Mount sion 5-17 Roanmore 1-1

MHC Ballygunner 3-6 Portlaw 1-3

MHC De La Salle 4-11 St. Mollerans 1-11

MHC Tramore 4-10 Clonea 0-5

MHC St. Mary's 4-10 Ferrybank 3-7

MHC Ardmore 4-11 Naomh Brid 0-5

MHC Clashmore 5-13 Kilrossanty 0-1

MHC Cappoquin 5-12 An Gaeltacht 0-2

MHC Tallow 3-14 Fourmilewater 0-0

MHC Stradbally 5-11 St. Olivers 4-7

U-21 FC Tramore 1-6 Rathgormack 0-8

U-21 FC Gaultier 2-12 Dunhill/Fenor 0-2

Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty G.A.A. Notes

UNDER-10

Coaching for all under 10's continues each Saturday morning a 11 a.m. at the club grounds. All are welcome.

UNDER-12

On this Wednesday evening our under-12 hurlers get into action when they play Lismore in the first game of this year's Bord Na nOg hurling competition at the Abbeyside pitch at 6.45 p.m. All players to be at the grounds at 6.30 p.m.

Training for all under-21's each Tuesday and Thursday evening at 6.30 p.m. and Saturday afternoons at 3 p.m.

UNDER-14

On Wednesday evening last our under-14 footballers were decisively beaten by a strong An Gaeltacht team at Dungarvan.

Panel of players — Alan O'Kennedy, Richard Cosgrave, James Power, Cormac Enright, Liam Fraher, David McGrath, Keith Brown, John Hurney, Gary Dunford, Sean Kiely, Jimmy Moore, Ross Jordan, D. D. Molloy, Patrick Enright, David Cashin. Subs — Sean Cleary for Cormac Enright, Cormac Enright for D. D. Molloy.

Team selectors present: Pat Hurney and Bernard Gorman.

Our under-14 hurlers will have played Dungarvan on Tuesday evening last May 7, in the first round of the under-14 hurling championship. The next game will be against Colligan on this Saturday, May 11 at 3 p.m.

UNDER-16

As we're going to press, the under-16 'A' county football final is still set for Friday, May 10. As yet we don't know who our opponents will be or the venue for this game. A bus will leave Danny's for this game. All supporters welcome.

MINOR

Our minor hurlers were decisively beaten by Talow in the minor hurling championship at Cappoquin on Friday evening last. Next game in this competition will be against Lismore on this Wednesday, May 8, at Abbeyside.

JUNIOR 'A' FOOTBALL

Ballinacourty Junior 'A' footballers had a well earned victory over Sliabh gCua on Saturday evening last at Cappoquin on the score 1-15 to 0-4.

Panel — Mattie Kiely, Ivan Breen, Tomás Walsh, Tommy Reynolds, John Organ, Karl Power, Stephen Stacey, Derek Hayes, Nicky Thompson, Fran McGovern, Laurence Hurney, Gerry Connors, John Kyne, Ger Smith, Michael Kelleher. Sub — Neil Moore for Michael Kelleher. Team selectors present: Pat Hurney and Liam Enright.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to our club secretary Bernard Shields and to all the Shields family, their relatives and friends, on the death of their mother Mrs. Kathleen Shields, Murphy Place. Leaba i measc na naomh go raibh aici.

GOLF SOCIETY

The second annual outing of the Abbeyside/Ballinacourty GAA golf society took place on Saturday last at the Gold Coast golf club. A most enjoyable time was had by all on this beautiful summer's day. Great credit is due to club committee member Seamus Fitzgerald for his trojan work in making this outing such a huge success.

WELL DONE

Well done to committee member Breda Cleary, N.T., who coached her school Glenbeg/Carriglea mini sevens football team to take the county title on Tuesday evening last. This game was played at our club grounds.

CORN NA gCOLÁISTÍ: MUNSTER FOOTBALL QUARTER-FINAL

C.B.S. Through To Munster Football Semi-Final

DUNGARVAN C.B.S. 5-6 ST. FINBAR'S (CORK CITY) 1-8

In the under sixteen and a half game, the C.B.S. boys surpassed themselves when registering a 5-6 to 1-8 win over St. Finbar's - that very well-known football and hurling Cork City college.

In the early stages, the C.B.S. were completely overawed by the pace and competitive aggression of the game and were 1-3 to no score behind by the 15th minute. However, the move of Kevin Walsh to midfield to partner Jason O'Mahony brought about a transformation. Almost immediately full-forward, Bernie Crotty

had the ball in the back of the Finbar's net. Further goals were added to without reply by Vinnie O'Sullivan, Diarmuid Keating and Jason O'Mahony. Bernie added a further minor to make the score at halftime 4-1 to 1-3.

In a very entertaining second half, the C.B.S. went on to record a further goal (number two for Diarmuid Keating) and five points from the scoring boots of team captain Alan Harty. Finbar's added a further five minors to make the final score C.B.S. 5-6 St. Finbar's 0-8.

This win now earns the C.B.S. their passage to the Munster semi-final of this very prestigious competition. This game against Clonmel High School will be played today (Wednesday), May 8th at 2.30 p.m. in Goatenbridge.

David Morrissey, who played brilliantly for the C.B.S. at full-back last Friday sustained a nasty ankle injury in that game and will, if unavailable, be an incalculable loss in the semi-final. Ironically, Macroom play St. Michael's, Listowel in the other semi-final. Maybe

West Cork and West Waterford may have to do battle for a second time this year !!!

DUNGARVAN C.B.S. TEAM — Stephen Keane, Paul Radley, David Morrissey, Alan Harney, John Coffey, Kevin Walsh, Donal O'Keeffe, Jason O'Mahony, J. P. Keohan, Diarmuid Keating, Alan Harty, Joe Nolan, Vinnie O'Sullivan, Bernie Crotty, Patrick Halpin, Seamus Cunningham, Danny Power, Owen Morrissey, K. McCarthy, Michael Kiely.

NAOMH BRID G.A.A. NOTES

U-14 HURLING CHALLENGE

On Tuesday evening of last week, St. Mary's of Clonmel visited Touraneena to play our U-14 hurlers in a challenge match.

After a slow start, we started hurling very well halfway through the first half and picked off scores with great accuracy.

In the second half, we played some excellent first time hurling which was a delight to watch. Overall it was an excellent team performance with vast signs of improvement from some of the players. The final score was Naomh Bríd 1-6 St. Mary's 0-0.

Team: Paul Gleeson, John Queally, Adrian Lonergan, Paul McCarthy, John Myles, Denis Coffey (0-1), Jimmy Buckley, Sean Dempsey (1-1), John Ahearne (0-2), Colm Geary (0-1), Patrick Coffey, Paudie McCarthy, Jonathan Webster, Colin Gleeson, David O'Donovan. Subs: Stephen Cliffe, Aidan Dalton (0-1), Justin Power.

U-14 COUNTY 'A' HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

St. Oliver's 4-3 Naomh Bríd 1-4

Played at the Modeligo venue last Saturday, we were beaten by St. Oliver's in the U-14 County 'A' Hurling Championship.

The scoreline doesn't do us justice as we were winning the game with ten minutes remaining. We had a great start with a goal from Paudie McCarthy and points from Colm Geary. With ten minutes remaining, we were leading by 1-4 to 1-3. In the end it was the physical strength of our opponents that was the difference between the teams. Overall the standard of hurling was quite high with both teams serving up a very entertaining game

of hurling.

Team: Paul Gleeson, John Queally, Aidan Dalton, Paul McCarthy, John Myles, Denis Coffey, Jimmy Buckley, Sean Dempsey, John Ahearne, Colm Geary (0-4), Adrian Lonergan, Patrick Coffey, Paudie McCarthy (1-0), Colin Gleeson, David O'Donovan. Sub: Mike Kiely.

Our next game is next Saturday at 5.00 p.m. in Modeligo against Mount Sion.

FÉILE NA GAEL

The panel of 20 players to represent the club in the Féile Na Gael have been picked and are as follows: Paul Gleeson, Justin Power, Aidan Dalton, Paul McCarthy, John Myles, Denis Coffey, Jimmy Buckley, Sean Dempsey, John Ahearne, Colin Gleeson, Adrian Lonergan, Colm Geary, Paudie McCarthy, Patrick Coffey, David O'Donovan, Jonathan Webster, John Queally, Stephen Cliffe, Mike Kiely and Matthew Cashman.

FUN RUN

On Sunday, July 21st our club will hold race number five of the Ger Wyley Sports Summer Series in Touraneena at 7.00 p.m.

The race will coincide with a sponsored walk/run in aid of our juvenile club. The distance of the race will be five km. The prizes for the runners are first three individual men and women and the first three teams. These teams are confined to non-individual winners and each team must consist of two U-40's and two over 40's. There will also be a juvenile team race. This is confined to local boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 16. This will be an inter-firm league where hopefully the various local businessmen will sponsor a team.

MINOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Our Minor hurlers had a very comfortable win over

An Gaeltacht on Friday evening last in Fraher Field, Dungarvan.

There was a considerable improvement from our first game against Cappoquin. Players to impress were Kevin Quinn, Philip O'Meara, David Meaney, Paul and Eamonn Condon.

Team: Paudie Denn, Brendan O'Connell, Eamonn Condon, David Meaney, Paul Condon, Walter O'Grady, Pat Fitzgerald (0-5), Micheal Power (0-1), Quentin Hickey, Kevin Quinn (0-1), Adam Bending, Ian Dunford (1-3), Philip O'Meara (1-1). Sub: Maurice Keane.

Our last game in the league section was against Ardmore on Monday last in Bushy Park.

LADIES FOOTBALL

The club would like to congratulate the Na Déise U-16 football team on reaching the County 'A' Final for the second year running. Like last year, the final ended in a draw. The replay is due to be played on Friday night in Leamybrien so with a bit of luck they can retain their title that they won in such convincing fashion last year.

MIXED FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The first round of the Mixed Football League which is being sponsored by Gleeson's Excavation was due to be played last night. Next week's fixtures are - Division Three: John Power's Dublin team versus Christine Cliffe's Meath team; Eoin Walsh's Kildare team versus Tara Skehan's Offaly team.

Division Two: John Boyle's Kerry team versus Susan Nugent's Cork team; Anne-Marie Kearns' Clare team versus Mark Dalton's Waterford team.

Division One: Helen McCarthy's Derry team versus Matthew Cashman's Down team; Sandy Walsh's Done-

gal team versus Paudie McCarthy's Tyrone team.

Waterford Ladies Football Notes

RESULTS

The under-16 'A' and under-16 'B' county finals both ended in exciting draws at the weekend. All four teams played some excellent football and deserve another chance to take the honours.

The final scores were: u-16 'A' final — Na Déise 2-8, St. Anns 3-5; u-16 'B' final — Ballymac' 0-12, St. Pats 1-9.

REPLAYS

These two games have been re-fixed for this Friday evening at Leamybrien. The u-16 'B' final will get underway at 6.15 p.m. and will be followed by the 'A' final at 7.30 p.m.

SENIOR LEAGUE SEMI-FINALS

The senior league semi-finals were held last Sunday morning in Dungarvan GAA grounds. Ballymac' were as usual at their brilliant best and scored a comprehensive victory over the county junior team. The final score was: Ballymac' 6-13, Junior Division 1-5.

In the second game Kill looked like making it to the final, but the intermediate team made a great comeback midway through the second half and ran out worthy winners, the final score being 2-14 to 2-5.

GOLF CLASSIC

Our golf classic will take place on May 25/26 at West Waterford Golf Club. Teams of 4 cost £80. Anyone interested can contact their local clubs for more details.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

**SYMPATHY
LATE MRS.
KATHLEEN SHIELDS**

Our very sincere sympathy is extended to the Shields family, Murphy Place, Abbeyside on the death of their mother Mrs. Kathleen Shields which sad event occurred on Sunday morning.

A lifelong supporter of the games both here and in her native Down, she was predeceased by her late husband Paddy Shields, who was widely known for his G.A.A. involvement. Mrs. Shields was mother of Bernard, who is the long-time secretary of the Abbey-side/Ballinacourty Clubs and a former player as was his brother, Felix. Mrs. Shields was also mother of Mrs. Margaret Cunningham, who is widely known for her promotional work as an officer of the Primary Schools Board in West Waterford. The club paid their respects in the traditional G.A.A. manner at the funeral and burial.

As a mark of respect, the Senior Football Championship game involving Rathgormack and Ballinacourty which was fixed for Leamybrien on Sunday, was cancelled.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a hanam.

**LATE MR.
TOM BOLAND**

G.A.A. people all over Munster were shocked to learn of the unexpected death of the very popular and highly respected Tommy Boland, recently retired Chairman of the Munster Council and former long-time secretary of the Limerick board.

The late Limerick official will be remembered by Waterford hurling supporters as the man who presented Waterford captains with the provincial trophies in Minor and U-21 grades in 1992.

A man who gave a lifetime of wonderful service to the G.A.A. as a player and a top administrator, he will certainly be a great loss. He died at his daughter's home in Waterford on Sunday evening.

To his wife Esther and family, we offer our very sincere and deepest sympathy.

Launch Of Guinness Sponsorship

At the launch, Guinness announced that the company would be increasing its investment in sponsorship this year and it would also continue its strategy of working closely with the GAA to promote and market the sport. In that context, a major new advertising campaign will commence towards the end of May.

Commenting on the sponsorship, Managing Director of the Guinness Ireland Group, Colin Storm, said that their first year in sponsorship with the GAA had been very successful. He said: "Undoubtedly Clare's win played a major part in what was a great year for hurling. I would like to think that our involvement also helped." In particular he noted that in 1996 both attendances at games and television viewing were both up considerably.

In response, the President thanked Guinness and said that in their first year it had been an outstanding success. He said that the

benefits accrued directly from the championship and associated promotions, were a major boost to the game.

Tipperary's John Doyle, winner of 8 All-Ireland titles, was honoured also on the occasion and was given a special award.

A total of 10 Junior Hurling Championship games are listed on the western board programme for the coming weekend and splendid contests are expected in three or four of these.

Among the better matches on the programme are the clashes involving Kilgobinet and Modeligo at Colligan on Saturday evening

ST. GARVAN'S ARE MINOR COUNTY CHAMPIONS



Pictured above is St. Garvan's ladies football team who recently captured the Minor 'B' county final by defeating Clashmore 3-6 to 3-4 at Bohadoun.

Western Board Meeting

Paddy Fitzgerald, Chairman, presided at last week's meeting of the Western Board which took place at Lawlor's Hotel.

CORRESPONDENCE
Applications before the Board related to postponement of championship games, permission to run tournaments and appeals for financial assistance by charities, etc.

SPONSORSHIP
The Treasurer, Tony Morrissey, reported that ACC Bank had agreed to sponsor the intermediate hurling championship for 1996.

The chairman asked clubs to be mindful of the generous contribution being made by our various sponsors and where possible to support them. This latest sponsorship, he said, meant that the division have all their championships supported.

MINOR FOOTBALL DRAW

The draw for the minor football semi-finals resulted as follows — Abbeyside v. Dungarvan and Ardmore v. Stradbally.

ABANDONED GAME

The referee Liam O'Donnell reported that during the second half of the Affane v. St. Olivers minor football championship, he abandoned the game in the interests of safety after a free-for-all erupted and mentors from both sides became involved. Jack Cullinane on behalf of Affane apologised to the Board and to the referee.

He said the matter was not at all as serious as it appeared as there was only a handful of people at the game and many of those were women, who remained seated in their cars.

People from both sides had to help out as officials.

Tony Morrissey, on behalf of St. Olivers, similarly apologised to the Board and referee.

Having further discussed the matter, three players who were sent off were suspended for the minimum applicable to the offence and the game was declared abortive, with both sides losing the points.

On the proposition of Tom Browne, both clubs were severely warned about their future conduct.

WITHDRAW

St. Olivers notified the Board that they were withdrawing from the minor football championships because of lack of numbers and players being involved in other grades.

FIXTURES PROBLEM

After the secretary had informed the meeting about the many problems arising from postponement applications, he said it was becoming impossible to make out a fixtures programme that will keep everyone happy.

The chairman hit out very strongly at those who were making it difficult to progress with the championship. He referred to the fixtures being published and a large portion of them being either moved or changed or cancelled. He said with the senior board having taken over the dates and venues, the divisional board were at their wits end in trying to get games played.

POKER CLASSIC

Before the conclusion of business, an appeal was made to clubs to support the poker classic which was due to take place on Monday of this week.

SARGENT CUP TABLE

As will be seen from the table of points outlined hereunder, the senior league is now over as far as the majority of clubs are concerned. At a meeting of the County Executive Committee to be held tonight, a formula for the finish will be drawn up and recommended to the County Board next week, but whatever plan is proposed, the finish will be confined to only a few clubs.

Already the competition has thrown up a few surprises, not least of which is the defeat of Mount Sion in three of their four matches.

Team	P	W	L	Pts.
Group "A"				
Ballygunner	4	4	0	8
Passage	4	3	1	6
Roanmore	4	3	1	6
Tallow	4	2	2	4
Fourmilewater	4	2	2	4
Erin's Own	4	1	3	2
Clonea	4	1	3	2
Saviours	4	0	4	0
Group "B"				
Lismore	4	4	0	8
De La Salle	4	4	0	8
Portlaw	4	2	2	4
Dunhill	4	2	2	4
St. Mollerans	4	2	2	4
Mount Sion	4	1	3	2
Ballyduff	4	1	3	2
Dungarvan	4	0	4	0

The cup games resume on next weekend and round 6 is scheduled for the weekend of May 18/19, but the senior hurling selectors have appealed for a deferment of this in order to allow players free to assist the county in their preparation for the Tipperary game.

Next Weekend's Junior Hurling Championships

and Geraldines versus Ardmore at Cappoquin also on Saturday.

Of the matches to be decided on Sunday, the best contests will involve Tourin against Clashmore in the feature game at Cappoquin on Sunday and the curtain-raiser at the same venue and which will see Kilrossanty against Ballinameela.

In the second string section, we have Dungarvan against Abbeyside, Ballyduff against Cappoquin, Tallow against Lismore, Ring against Fourmilewater, Sean Phobal against Brick-eys and Glen Rovers against Abbeyside's 'B' team. See the fixture programme for details of times and venues etc.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

NEXT WEEKEND —

ROUND FIVE OF SARGENT CUP COMPETITION

Exciting Games In Prospect In Divisional Adult Championships

Seven of the eight Cup matches are fixed for Sunday but because of the County game on Sunday evening, there may be a few changes. Patrons are therefore advised to check before travelling.

AT FRAHER FIELD

The opening match here between Lismore and De La Salle will likely provide the best contest on the entire afternoon. Both clubs have full points from their games to date so this is very much a tie-breaker. While neither team are playing full championship hurling yet, both are making a brave effort to stay on top of the table in order to obtain any benefits that may result from being the leaders at the finish.

When they met in last season's championship, Lismore had a 1-11 to 1-7 win over the city team. De La Salle are playing much better hurling this year and some judges say that Lismore are still struggling to reproduce their 1995 form. This could be one that is too close to call.

Mount Sion and Ballyduff are listed as the feature game. Neither seem to be doing well so far and re-

gardless of the result here, it is unlikely that either of them will be in the reckoning at the finish. They were in different groups in the Championship last year so making a comparison would be difficult.

Mount Sion will be favourites and may win this one, having lost three already. Tallow and Clonea, both of whom are also out of the reckoning, will clash in the evening match at the Fraher Field on Sunday when Tallow will be the fancied team and should take the points.

OTHER GAMES

Ballygunner v Fourmilewater — Ballygunner will be strongly fancied to account for Fourmilewater in their match and at the time of writing I am unsure of the venue.

Dungarvan v St. Molleran's — Unless Dungarvan show a complete upturn of form, they are unlikely to

beat St. Molleran's in their tie at Clonea. The 1995 Intermediate champions are doing far better at senior level than very many people thought possible.

Portlaw v Dunhill — At Kill, Portlaw will find it very difficult to beat an improving Dunhill.

Erin's Own v St. Saviour's — Erin's Own will be expected to continue on their winning way when they come up against St. Saviour's at Walsh Park.

Roanmore v Passage — This will be the highlight in the east and it will attract a good number to Walsh Park. Both are doing well and with their standards improving, it must be a game worth seeing. Passage will be slight favourites.

Waterford v Kilkenny — The game to mark the opening of the Clonea field on Sunday will bring into opposition, these rivals who never fail to produce an exciting contest when they clash. The progressive Clonea club are treating the event as a big occasion and no stone will be left unturned in an effort to make the event a very enjoyable one.

TOURNAMENT AT WALSH PARK

A splendid crowd turned up at Walsh Park on Sunday evening for the hurling tournament in aid of St. Patrick's Hospital and the organising committee expressed themselves delighted with the support. Both games were very enjoyable and patrons were given good value for money.

In the opening game, Kilkenny scored a three point victory over Waterford in a game that produced some nice hurling and was wide open until the final whistle. Waterford opened in blistering style and had 2-2 on the scoreboard after only six minutes. Goals by Dan Shanahan and Ken McGrath were splendid efforts and helped Waterford to stay marginally in front at half-time (2-5 to 1-6). It was in the closing stages that the Leinster side got on top. Johnnie Brenner retired in the second half and his loss affected our effort in the final ten minutes.

WATERFORD AND KILKENNY MEET FOR OPENING OF CLONEA GROUNDS



Photo shows Brendan Hannon, Hillcrest, Ballyduff (centre) receiving his prize of £400 which he won in the Ballyduff G.A.A. Club weekly lotto draw from Dave Barry (Chairman, Ballyduff G.A.A. Club) and Pat Flynn (Joint Treasurer, Ballyduff G.A.A. Club).

Walsh Park Okay For Tipperary Game

When Munster Council officers visited Walsh Park on Thursday last, they expressed themselves satisfied with the progress made with the improvements needed before the Waterford versus Tipperary Munster Championship match would be given the all-clear to be played there on Sunday, June 2.

At the Council meeting on Thursday night in Limerick, approval for the game to go ahead was given and some details of the arrangements were announced.

Dickie Murphy of Wexford will be the referee. The idea of appointing referees from outside the province is catching on and I understand it is favoured by players and mentors.

It was further confirmed that the game will be an all-ticket match and no cash will be taken at the turnstiles. The total capacity of the ground is 16,500 and in the next couple of weeks the proportion to be allotted to each county will be decided.

All children going through the turnstile will require a ticket (this is in accordance with the new Government

Safety Regulations). Children without a ticket will not be admitted.

The game is not being televised live, but the highlights will be shown later. It is difficult to estimate the attendance at Walsh Park on the day. When the same counties met in Cork last year the official attendance was in excess of 16,000. This is about the capacity of Walsh Park right now.

On Saturday last I spoke to a Tipperary official about the size of their support and he told me that it was reckoned that they had in excess of six thousand in Pairc Ui Chaoimh when we met last

year and on this occasion, with the game being that much closer to home, the fixture may go to around seven thousand.

If these figures are reasonably accurate, it would leave around nine thousand places for our supporters. I doubt very much if we will have that many and if we don't, there need be no worries about not getting in.

The curtain-raiser on the day will be the Waterford v Tipperary junior hurling first round championship tie. Team manager, James Tobin is presently getting his charges in shape.

UNDER-21 HURLING

Over the weekend the county under-21 hurling panel travelled to Dublin for a game with Dublin at Parnell Park and on the way back, a game against Kilkenny. The Dublin branch of the Supporters Club paid for the overnight stay. In seven weeks time our under-21s play Clare in the Munster semi-final at Thurles (July 10).

SCHOLARSHIPS

We have been asked to remind applicants for the 25 scholarships to Colaiste na Rinne that all club secretaries have a supply of application forms that must be completed and properly vouched when presenting them to the examiners at Dungarvan and Portlaw on Saturday, May 25.

JIMMY O'GORMAN ON G.A.C.

Lismore's very popular official and one of Waterford's two representatives on the Munster Council was last week unanimously elected as the Provincial Council's representative on the powerful Croke Park Games Administration Committee who are responsible for organising games in all grades at national level as well as appointing referees for All-Ireland's and national leagues in both codes.

With years of experience in all facets of G.A.A. activity to call on Jimmy will have a lot to contribute at this level and I'm sure his colleagues will find his advice on many matters to be very worthwhile.

During his years in the association, Jimmy O'Gorman had a splendid career as a hurler with his first club, Tourin. He has excelled as an administrator in several roles, including Lismore Club Secretary, Western Board Chairman and other posts in club and county. For a long number of years, he was a referee both for the County and the western division. He was also a County Senior hurling selector for a number of years. The experience gained in all these and other roles will make Jimmy an excellent choice. It is good for the County to see a man of his calibre being promoted to one of the top committees.

His term of office will be for three years. Other Waterford members to become members of the G.A.C. over the years were Donal O Faolain R.I.P., Tom Cunningham, Dungarvan and Seamus O'Brien, Abbey-side.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

SENIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

Stradbally Too Good

STRADBALLY 3-8 DUNGARVAN 0-9

Stradbally were clearly the better side in this splendidly contested game at Leamybrien on Sunday and gave a performance that must have put all others on notice of their resolve to take the 1996 County title.

It began at a hectic pace and we had a score a minute during the first ten minutes. They were level at 0-5 on

the 12th minute and it remained tit-for-tat until Eoin Phelan's fisted goal in the 24th. Two further goals in the second half put the issue beyond doubt and left Dungarvan trying unsuccessfully to cope with incessant pressure from a fast moving Stradbally attack.

In the second half, Stradbally kicked ten wides

when Dungarvan had none.

The match was less than a minute old when Morrie Ferncombe kicked over a free but not more than a minute passed before Eoin O'Brien had the sides level with a point from play. P. P. Ferncombe and Eoin O'Brien exchanged points before John Power put Dungarvan in front with a

splendid score. A point from play and another from a free (both by P. P. Ferncombe) left the Blues in front by 0-5 to 0-2 in the eighth minute. Then points by Stephen Cunningham, Liam O'Brien and Pat Halpin put Stradbally in front. A 17th minute score by P. P. saw the teams level again. In the 18th minute, Dungarvan keeper Niall McGregor brought off a spectacular save from a Pat Halpin rocket. After a scoreless six minutes, Phelan's fisted goal gave the lead back to the Reds and a Pat Curran point a minute afterwards left them ahead by 1-7 to 0-6 at halfway.

SECOND HALF

After a scoreless ten minutes, P. P. Ferncombe pointed a free to reduce the gap to a goal but Stradbally were two goals up in the 45th minute when Liam O'Brien, receiving from brother Eoin, sent to the net. Points by John Power and Stephen Cunningham left the position unchanged until George Walsh's 57th minute goal left the issue beyond doubt. A 59th minute point by P. P. Ferncombe ended the scoring.

It was a fully deserved victory for Stradbally who looked very good and showed a great appetite for the game. They may have to shake the habit of overplaying the ball as the championship progresses.

Dungarvan, although starting very well, looked only a shadow of their great team of a few years ago when they ruled the roost for three years. They will need to improve a good deal if they hope to make it to the top five in their group. They still have games to play against Rathgormack, Tramore and Kilrossanty etc.

Stradbally team: K. Cunningham, F. O'Brien, O. Costello, M. Curran, L. Walsh, P. Curran, T. Walsh, M. McGuinness, G. Walsh, P. Halpin, S. Cunningham, N. Curran, L. O'Brien, O. Phelan, E. O'Brien. Sub: T. Curran (used for P. Curran - injured).

Dungarvan team: N. McGregor, D. Dee, D. Donnelly, M. McLoughlin, D. O'Callaghan, N. Considine, B. Lyons, D. Lyons, F. Cunningham, P. P. Ferncombe, J. J. Ferncombe, J. Power, G. Beresford, D. Burke, M. Ferncombe. Sub: O. Cunningham (used for D. Callaghan).

Referee: P. Moore, Ballinacourty.

THRILLING NIRE DISPLAY

NIRE 3-9 KILL 3-5

This game was described as being the best football game of the weekend with the 1995 Intermediate champions really putting it up to the twice senior champions of 1993 and 1994. In fact many of those who saw the game at Fraher field on Saturday evening reckon that Kill were decidedly unlucky, having held a five point lead well into the final quarter when a couple of Nire goals denied the young challengers a sensational victory.

DESERVED DRAW FOR AFFANE

AFFANE 0-7 DUNHILL 0-7

This was the second drawn game in the Championship and it was the kind of game which saw a division of the points as an equitable result.

Dunhill led by double scores 0-6 to 0-3 at halfway but in the second half with Charlie Barry sending over some nice points, the western side got a grip on the game and came back for a deserved draw in the end.

SLIABH gCUA WIN LIVELY GAME

SLIABH GCUA 4-9 BUTLERSTOWN 2-9

This was a lively game that saw the Touraneena team bounce back into contention following their recent unexpected defeat by Kill at the same venue. The match produced some very good scores and despite the fact that two goals separated them at the end, the game remained exciting until the final whistle.

IMPRESSIVE KILMAC' KILMACHTHOMAS 0-12 BONMAHON 1-8

A splendid second half display which saw Kilmac-thomas add on nine points to their half-time score of 0-3 gave the mid-Waterford club their first win in a long time.

Bonmahon, who recently drew with Kill, had 1-6 on the scoreboard at the break and seemed to lose their way a bit in the second half.

KILROSSANTY JUST GET THERE

KILROSSANTY 0-7 TRAMORE 0-5

Both sides found it very difficult to get scores in this very close and uncompromising contest. It was nail-biting stuff and the result was in doubt until the final kick.

Kilrossanty just about deserved their win which brings them level on points with Tramore.

DECISIVE VICTORY

GAULTIER 2-13 ST. SAVIOURS 2-5

The Passage East side had a decisive victory here over Saviours who seem to be experiencing exceptional difficulty in breaking their losing sequence.

Gaultier had a player sent to the line after an 'eruption' in the second half of this tough contest.

OTHER RESULTS

In the Junior Football Championships, Kilgobinet, who reached the divisional final last year, made a good beginning when beating their strong challengers, Old Parish by just a couple of points at Fraher Field on Sunday evening. Final score Kilgobinet 0-11 Old Parish 0-9.

In the second string of matches, also in football, Brickey Rangers had a good win over Ring.

Ballinacourty had a lot to spare against Sliabh gCua. Geraldine's had a narrow escape against Clashmore while Ardmore had seven points to spare at the end of their match with Ballinacourty.

In the east, the Intermediate Football Championships got off to a start when Newtown scored a huge victory against Ballyduff and Portlaw brushed aside the challenge of Ferrybank.

County Board Meeting

The May meeting of the County Board will take place at Lawlor's Hotel on Monday night next at 7.30 p.m. The agenda will include championship progress, a discussion on the Sargent Cup, finance and arrangements for the Waterford v. Tipperary game on June 2.

FAS Schools Football Coaching Scheme

Monday 13th — Knockanore, C of I, Stradbally.
Tuesday 14th — Lismore CBS, Ballymacarbry, St. Declans, Few, Newtown, Coolnasmear, Kilbrien.
Wednesday 15th — Garranbane, Ballinacourty, Mod-eligo, Abbeyside, Grange, Old Parish, Kilrossanty, Stradbally, Scoil Gharbhain.
Thursday 16th — C.B.S. Dungarvan, Clashmore, Ballycullane, Knockmahon, Seafield, Poltown.
Friday 17th — Kilmac-thomas Girls, Ard Scoil na nDeise.

Primary Schools Hurling Prospects



GLENBEG N.S. — LEARNING THE BASICS — Two girls working on the skills in the schoolyard where Sceim Imana Na nOg has been in operation for the past six years. As everyone knows learning the skills of hurling can be a long slow process. The work of teachers and coaches was rewarded recently when Carriglea/Glenbeg won the West Waterford I.N.T.O. Mini Sevens beating Presentation Convent Lismore in the final. Aoife Murphy (foreground) is a brilliant camogie player and starred in the final. This is a very well organised school where teachers and pupils are very interested in sports.

Lismore C.B.S., Shane Byrne, 9 years, 3rd Class — Shane lives at Monamon and loves hurling. He has excellent skill and is a fearless tackler. Performed some marvellous "block downs" at mini game in school yard. All the boys in this school are very skillful and some look to have a great future in hurling. Shane's favourite player is D. J. Carey (Kilkenny).

Scoil Naisuinta Baile Mhic Cairt, An Seana Phobal — Pdraig O h-Ealaithe, 8 mblián, Rang 2 — Pdraig is a pleasant little boy who loves sports. He has very good co-ordination and practices regularly at home. Looks forward to coaching visits and is always eager to learn the basic skills. He loves hurling matches and hopes to play for the Gaeltacht underage teams in a few years time. His favourite player is Clare's Anthony Daly.

Scoil Mhuire Dun Na Mainistreach — David Cahill, Rang 3, 9 years old — David is a tidy little lad who has very good basic skills. Good striker of the ball and can control it well. He enjoyed the coaching session in the "Chapel Field" on Thursday last. This school is making good strides in hurling and look to have a good school team. David lives at McCarthyville and he is a very well behaved little lad. Favourite hurler is Johnny Brenner.

Primary Schools Hurling Coaching Dates

Monday, May 13 — Clashmore/Ballycurrane N.S.
Tuesday, May 14 — Grange/Piltown N.S.
Wednesday, May 15 — Glenbeg/Carriglea N.S.
Friday, May 17 — Ballyduff N.S.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Clonea N.S. on winning their first I.N.T.O. County Final in a thriller over Lismore, and to Glenbeg/Carriglea on a brilliant victory over Butlerstown also in an I.N.T.O. County football final.

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Vandals Cause Major Power Cut In Dungaryan District

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enced in the town this year.

Mr. Norris said the ESB will now have to consider whether it can still afford to continue current operations at the County Council dump.

In the last two years, the company has invested in very expensive equipment at the site to upgrade the standard of service to local customers.

This most recent attack by vandals however has raised two important issues for Mr. Norris — more importantly if the vandalism continues, someone may get electrocuted, and secondly, the inconvenience caused to customers.

"Our main concern is the safety aspect at the site," he stated.

Apologising for any in-

convenience caused to customers as a result of the power loss, Mr. Norris however stressed that Thursday night's power cut was beyond the ESB's control.

CONDEMNATION

This mindless vandalism of what is one of the most important standby lines to the town, has been met with widespread condemnation by the community, particularly those customers in Kilmacfrehan who had no overnight electricity supply.

The wanton damage caused in the malicious attack could have had drastic consequences for many elderly and infirm householders, while the danger of interfering with such power lines cannot be overstated.

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