







DEAR READER.—The first number of this, your favourite weekly newspaper, was published on 10, 1912, and here are excerpts from the paper's initial Editorial (written by its first and original Editor, the late Mr. A. Lynch):

"In presenting this our first number to the people of the Co. Waterford and the surrounding counties, it is only right that we should explain to our readers our policy and our principles. And at the outset may we say, lest by chance misapprehension should exist in the minds of our readers, that this newspaper is not run in the interests of any party, political or otherwise, in this Green Isle of ours; neither is it financed by any person or party in the community; but it is absolutely a private enterprise, and its aims and objects are no less sincere and worthy on that account. We are firm believers that an inherent love exists in the minds of all Irishmen for their ancient Faith, in respect of which they suffered so much persecution and undesired so much torture in the days that are happily now no more; we too believe and hold that the love of country and almost as deeply in the genuine Irish heart, and hence Faith and Patriotism will be our watchword in the day to come.

"In every country in the world Irishmen are amongst the leading and most skilled administrators and their honesty of purpose, upright and constructive ability have won for them the applause of the universe in general. It is the right of every man to his opinions, and never should we in any way prevent the free expression of sentiments of all shades. We are tolerant in degree and are adherents of the principle of tolerance. Ireland wants the help of all her sons, and the sympathies of none should be alienated from her. In the industrial revolution, as well as in everything which tends to promote the commercial and agricultural prosperity of the country, we take a very deep and consistent interest, and our columns will ever be open for the exposition of grievances affecting the community and the demands for their redress. The Irish language, too, must not be allowed to decay. No language spells no nation. And here in the territory of the ancient Deccies, where all the machinations of the invader have in vain endeavoured to eradicate the native tongue, it yet survives in all its charming mellifluousness, and how it has come down unimpaired to this time is the wonder of the stranger. It would ill become us to treat the language question lightly."

"Nor in the question of penmanship literature—that vile trash imported in large consignments into our country, and digested by our young, innocent and thoughtless people—shall we be found wanting. Our columns will at all times contain full and impartial reports of all local matters, which will be fair and square, for we mean this to be the people's paper; an organ of public opinion in which they will at all times find true words, pictures of what is going on all round them in the world of news, politics and sport.

"On the subject of correspondence in regard to controversial matters, whilst giving every facility to the publication of letters that are signed by the writers, we are averse to and highly deprecate the use of personalities, and such communications will find little favour with us. We mean to give the game fairly and give everybody a fair do."

"There will be no dead journalism interred in these columns. Every item will be as fresh as the proverbial daisy, and neatly and tersely written. Thus we hope to merit the confidence of a generous public, and in return to give them a clean, well-written and up-to-date newspaper—the work of Irish hands and Irish brains, and in every respect worthy of our country and the days in which we live.

And who will say that this policy has not been carried out faithfully and well? Still upholding and maintaining its original policy of 33 years ago, this newspaper continues its winning way. The public have for some time past been made aware of the manifold ways by which the Press is hampered and hindered ever long before the actual declaration of war. As well as the additional stumbling blocks which have been placed in the way of the general printing trade, together with the shortage and increasing dearth of newsprint and paper of every kind, the various other material requisites for printing are in the same category. Such a hindrance to satisfactory production can readily be realised by anyone of ordinary intelligence. It is gratifying to record that the amount of advertising carried week in and week out exceeds that of any other journal printed in the Deise. We are pleased—may, pardonably proud—to be able to say that our advertisers, and our contributors and all our patrons for their unstinted and continued support. Let us fervently hope that before our organ reaches its next birthday milestone the great blessing of peace may be granted to this distracted world.

W'S AUCTIONS.

AD. KINSALREG. WATERFORD. Important Auction of 100 ACRES OF PRIME TILLAGE LAND AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

has been instructed by the late John Hallinan (who is farming) to sell by public auction on FRIDAY, 23rd FEBRUARY, at the hour of 12 o'clock, suitable lots, for 11 acres of sale.

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RD COUNTY SHIPS, 1945. DIVISION. LAND FIXTURES for will take place at the PROQUIN, on SUNDAY, 11th, at 2.30 p.m.

Entries for Senior (all codes) will be for day and hour. Not accepted. From Affiliated Clubs. Permitted to attend the

Div. Sec. O'CADHAIN, Dun na Mainstreach, Dungarvan. Carrier Club. Dance. HELD AT BLACK HOUSE

of Mr. J. J. (Brook). Feb. 11th. Body Makers' Dance. 8 p.m. to 4 a.m.

Supper extra. MISS COLBERT. Accommodation. DEL DUCKY, M.H. TERRY. AM TOBIN.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

DEATH. CARROLL (nee Kiely) — Knock, Dungarvan, February 7th, 1945, at her residence, Knock, Dungarvan, Hanora, wife of the late John Carroll—R.I.P. Funeral took place to Carranbane, Thursday, Interment after Office and High Mass at 10 a.m. (O.T.) to-day (Friday), in adjoining cemetery.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS. KEANE—The parents, brothers and sister of the late Nora (Essie) Keane, Colligan, wish to return their very sincere thanks to all those kind friends who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, floral tributes, letters and messages of sympathy, and all those who called personally or attended the funeral and interment. They trust they will accept this in grateful acknowledgment.

RYAN—J. Ryan and Mrs. Ryan, The Gabies, Killybanogue, Killybeggs, wish to thank those who so kindly sympathised with them in their recent sad loss.

IN MEMORIAM. SLINNEY—First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear brother, Michael Slinney, Ballinacree, Dungarvan, who died, Feb. 8th, 1944. Masses offered. Inserted by his loving sister.

TOBIN—Second Anniversary — In affectionate remembrance of my dear mother, Mrs. Alice Tobin, 15, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, who died, Feb. 8th, 1943—R.I.P. Masses offered. Sadly missed by her son, Pat.

Victory Cellidhe — All arrangements are now completed for the grand victory cellidhe under the auspices of the Dungarvan Camogie Club in the Town Hall, on Tuesday night next. A record crowd, it is expected, will patronise the event. The beautiful medals to be worn in the 1944 championships will be presented to the members of the team by the Very Rev. T. Canon O'Brien, Hon. Patron of the Club, during the cellidhe. Dancing will commence at 8.30 p.m. (sharp). Support the call by purchasing a ticket now. See advertisement for particulars.

Green Cross Fund (Dungarvan Branch)—The first annual meeting will be held at the Town Hall on Sunday next, February 11th, after the last Mass. All interested are invited to attend.

Wedding at Waterford Cathedral.—Members of two well-known and widely popular Waterford City and County families were united in matrimony at Waterford Cathedral, when the marriage was solemnised by Mr. William E. O'Connell, eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Walsh, St. Lawrence Terrace, Waterford, and Miss Kathleen (Kitty) Moloney, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Moloney, Crough, Colligan, Dungarvan. The ceremony (with Nuptial Mass) was performed by the Rev. Fr. Hallinan, C.C. Chaham, officiating in a navy hair-stripe costume, with silver fur to tone, the bride was given away by her father. She was attended by her sister, Miss Nellie Moloney, who wore a brown hair-stripe costume with accessories.

Joseph Walsh, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. After the ceremony, a reception, attended by some thirty guests, was held at the Adelphi Hotel. The happy couple, whose popularity amongst the members of a wide friendship circle was reflected in the large number of beautiful and costly presents received, left later for Limerick on their honeymoon. The bridegroom is an esteemed and valued member of the Waterford Sack and Bag Co., to which firm he has been attached for a number of years past, and where he enjoys the confidence and confidence of the directors and is a general favourite with his colleagues. Enjoying an equal measure of popularity regard and esteem is his young bride, who, for the past six years, was a very courteous, capable and efficient member of the staff of Mr. T. Corcoran, Bridge Street. Both have the very sincere good wishes of countless friends for many years of wedded happiness.

45 Drives.—6d. 45 drives continue at the Scouts' Den, Abbeyside, every Friday and Sunday night. £3 is in prizes for 27 prizes.

Cappagh Camogie Club.—A meeting of the above will be held at the Ballinacree School, on Sunday, February 11th, at 8 a.m. (S.T.). All members are requested to attend.

Dungarvan Blaziers meet on Sunday next at Walsh's Cross, Old Parish at 1 p.m.

Irish Red Cross Society.—Dungarvan Branch.—The committee, with the kind co-operation of the representatives of the Dungarvan Literary Club, Dickens Leather Co. Social Club and Dungarvan Choral Class, have now completed arrangements in connection with the annual dance which will be held on Sunday night, 11th February. In view of the great humanitarian work being done at present by the Irish Red Cross Society, all functions should be well supported by the general public and it is expected, therefore, that the dance on Sunday next will be well patronised. Refreshments will be served in the supper-room at a small charge and in the Bar, Messrs. Thos. Power and Co., will, as usual, serve only the best drinks. Splendid music will be supplied by the Twilight Serenaders, Fechar, with the following programme: Quickstep, "American Patrol"; Old Waltz, "The Choristers"; Quickstep, "Dance with a Dolly"; Slow Fox-trot, "A lovely way to spend an evening"; Old Waltz, "Medley of old favourites"; Quickstep, "San Fernando Valley"; Tango, "La Paloma"; Slow Waltz, "Fascination"; Irish Set Dance; Fox-trot, "Swinging on a Star"; Quickstep, "It's Love, Love, Love"; Old Waltz, "Strauss' Novelty"; Novelty Paul Jones; Slow Fox-trot, "I'll be seeing you"; Rhumba, "Amor, Amor"; Slow Waltz, "Santa Lucia"; Walls of Limerick; Quickstep, "It had to be you"; Slow Fox-trot, "Till the stars forget to shine"; Old Waltz, "Popular Melodies"; Quickstep, "Don't Sweatheart Me"; Medley. Please come and help.

Youghal Priest for New Zealand.—Rev. J. Redmond, C.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Redmond, North Main Street, Youghal, who was ordained in June, 1940, for the New Zealand Mission, has left for New Zealand this week. Father Redmond, who was deservedly popular with the people of Youghal, was ordained at All Hallows in Dublin, and served on the English Mission at

Lancaster, for a period of two years. But for the war he would have left for his new sphere of sacred duties shortly after his ordination. In New Zealand, Fr. Redmond will serve in Auckland under Most Rev. Dr. Liston, Bishop of Auckland.

A Welcome Reminder that the strike at the Dickens Leather Factory is now a thing of the past was forthcoming on Monday morning last when at 7.55 a.m. the familiar sound of the Factory hooter once again echoed throughout the town. It is learned that the factory will be in full production again as from Monday next.

Postal Official's Transfer.—Mr. Patrick Landers, a popular official of the Dungarvan P.O. staff left on Tuesday morning last to take up duty in Killybeggs. On Monday night Mr. Landers was made the recipient of a presentation by the staff (indoor and outdoor) at the Dungarvan office. The presentation was made by Mr. M. J. Power, Postmaster, who in the course of his remarks complimented Mr. Landers on his promotion, but regretted his departure from the Dungarvan staff whom he described as a very happy family. Mr. Kavanagh, on behalf of the indoor and Mr. O'Grady on behalf of the outdoor staffs having spoken, Mr. Landers thanked all for their kindness to him and several very handsome presentation which will always cherish in remembrance of the very happy time he spent in Dungarvan.

Song Hit.—The big hit of the moment in musical circles is the song "On Dreamland Avenue," words by Mai Higgins, music by Joseph Milton. The writer, Mai Higgins, needs no introduction to the people of Dungarvan. We all knew her as Mai Carey, the amiable and popular assistant for a number of years, at the local branch of Roinn Tionscail agus Trachtála. The song itself has made a wonderful hit in Dublin having been sung several times by Martin Crosbie in the Capitol and Olympic Theatres; it is at the moment being played by the Gresham Hotel Band, and other Dublin bands. This alone vouches for its popularity. Copies are now on sale and may be had at Miss Boyle's, O'Connell Street, at 1/- each. We would advise our readers to purchase a copy as soon as possible as we understand that owing to paper shortage only a limited supply is available.

Touraneena 45 Drive.—The Touraneena 45 drive postponed from Sunday, Jan. 28th, will be played off on Touraneena N.S. on Sunday next, Feb. 11th.

Dramatic Club Dance.—The dance organised by the Dungarvan Dramatic Club and brought off in the Town Hall on Sunday night last was a most enjoyable event. The Rhythm Band supplied the music in their usual faultless fashion. Special lighting effects and decorations lent additional colour to the scene of gaiety. Mr. Donald Moloney, the hard-working Hon. Sec., was indefatigable in looking after the comfort of all patrons who took forward to a repeat performance about Easter.

Radio Announcer Resigns.—Mr. Nicholas Barron, E.L., Chief Announcer at Radio Eireann, has retired from that post, which he filled with such conspicuous success for over seven years. He is a native of Dungarvan, where his family, up to 30 years ago, were prominent in the commercial and social life of the town.

Ballycove 45 Drive.—The Ballycove 45 Drive will be played off at the Pike Hall on Sunday night was won by Messrs. P. Keane and J. French, Knockatemore. The runners-up were Miss M. Dunford, Pike; Mr. M. Carroll, Ballyvoile; and J. and J. Flynn, Monarud.

Kilrossanty Social Club's Dance.—All arrangements have been completed for the above dance at the Pike Hall on Sunday night. Music by the Moonlight Serenaders' Band. For particulars see advertisement.

Resumed Inquest on Soldier.—Dr. P. E. McCarthy, Coroner, resumed the adjourned inquest on the Court-house Dungarvan, on Friday of last week, into the circumstances of the death of Private Charles Daly at Cross Bridge Street, Dungarvan, on August 30th, 1944. The following jury were sworn: Messrs. J. J. Crotty (foreman), Capt. T. O'Donoghue, Ed. Fleming, D. Walsh, J. Dower, Jas. Delany, Chas. Quigley, P. Foley. The following verdict in accordance with the medical evidence of Dr. Cusack was returned: "That deceased, Charles Daly, of the Defence Forces, died on 30th August, 1944, from the effects of an encephalitis of the brain caused by three severe impacts on the back of the head."

Coolnamear Flogging Competition and Frotting Match will be held at Crough on Thursday next, Feb. 15th. There is a record entry in each class which will make competition extremely keen.

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WEST DIVISION G.A.A. NOTES

By "AN RUNAIDHE."

SHILL They Come.—All the last week's affiliations and entries to the 1945 competitions or assurances of intention to be in the games come pouring in. 1945 promises a record year in the Division. Amongst many others are Kilrossanty with S.F., J.F. and J.H. teams; Glenkeel Rangers, J.F., Camphire, J.H.; and a suggested Nire-Shabh a GUA amalgamation entering S.F. and J.F. teams. I hear that Eire Oge are entering a J.H. team and Cathal Brughas the usual two minor teams. Clubs are advised to send in their applications before Sunday if at all possible as no late entries will be accepted. Remember 2.30 p.m., Sunday, at Cappoquin, is the very latest date and hour.

Change of Div. Meeting Venue.—Delegates to Sunday's meeting of the Div. Board at Cappoquin should note that the meeting will be held in the Library not the C.Y.M.S. as previously advertised. The meeting starts at 2.30 p.m. (S.T.). Clubs are warned that entries received late will not be accepted. The club's percentages will be given out at the meeting.

Reinstatements.—All applications for reinstatements must be made personally and written on Irish watermarked paper. The application must give the offence with full details, dates, etc. It must be signed for a fee of 5/- or 10/- if a foreign game's offence, must accompany the application.

Regradings.—Applications for regrading must be either personal or made on behalf of players by their club secretaries. Same must be on Irish watermarked paper and give details, etc. No fee is required for regrading applications, but same must be in before the first meeting of Co. Board.

Transfers must be personal and unlike reinstatements will be dealt with on Sunday next at the Board meeting. Those late for same will be held over until the next Board meeting and may miss the first Co. Board meeting.

Brickies Entering.—I have just heard that the Brickies Rangers are calling up all their reserves and entering a J.F. and a J.H. team. Transfers will be in great demand this week. Come on the black and amber.

The General Amnesty.—I have been asked to explain the general amnesty resolution recommended by the West Div. Board and passed at the Co. Board. This, if passed by the Central Council, means that offenders (whose offences have been in the past but have not been proved) against the rules other than the foreign game's ban and the minor over age rule, will be absolved for those past offences unless a definite term of suspension has been passed or incurred. Offenders, who are serving sentences unless a definite term of suspension has been passed or incurred, will be allowed to apply for reinstatement in usual way. Players, who say, two years ago carried a term, are now with two clubs without transfer, are now cleared of all danger of being objected to by another team.

Abbeyside Again.—Abbeyside are also entering a junior hurling team. This was, I learn, decided at a meeting at the Social Club on Wednesday night. Officers appointed are: Hon. President, Rev. M. J. P. Kennedy; Hon. Vice-od, Mr. P. J. Morrissey, solr.; Chairman, Mr. L. Condon; Treas., Mr. M. Cashman; Sec., Mr. P. Foley; capt., Mr. Sean O'Brien; Committee, Messrs. P. Whelan, Sean McGrath, Bella Beatty, Sean Leahy, with above officers and captain. Delegates to Divisional Board, Messrs. P. Whelan and P. Foley, secretary.

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SUNDAY'S RADIO. Sun. 11th Feb.—10—Lunch Time Concert, 1.50—Interlude, 2.00—"Elegiac Overture" Tchaikovsky—Selections. 3.15—Symphony Concert from Capital Theatre, Dublin. 5.30—"Tea Time Tunes." 6.15—"Twas Taurisc." 6.30—"Master Singers." 6.45—News. 7.0—"Perennial Philosophers." 7.20—"Lillian Conolly's Light Melody Quintet." 7.45—"Radio Digest." 8.15—"Question Time" relayed from Kildare. 9.0—"The Day's News." 9.30—"The Week's Appeal on behalf of The Mount Street Club, by Joe Linnane. 10.0—News. 10.20—Garda Cellidhe Band. 10.30—Gaelic Sports News. 11.0—National Anthem.

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DEATH OF MRS. HOLROYD-SMYTH, BALLYNATRAY ESE, YOUGHAL. It is with very deep regret that we have to record the death of Mrs. Alice I. Holroyd-Smyth, which occurred at her residence, Ballynatray House on Monday last, after a very short illness. The deceased lady was a daughter of the late Chambre P. Ponsonby, of Killooley Abbey, Co. Tipperary, and the Hon. Mary S. Ponsonby, daughter of the 6th Baron Dunsany. She was a collateral descendant of Blessed Oliver Plunkett with above officers and captain. Delegates to Divisional Board, Messrs. P. Whelan and P. Foley, secretary.

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LATE MRS. MARY CLIFFE, CARROWGARRE. DUNGARVAN POINT-TO-POINT RACES. RESULT OF DRAW. The draw for the sweep on the Baldyve Chase, conducted by the Dungarvan Point-to-Point Race Committee resulted as follows: Prince Regent, No. 518, J. P. Kennedy; Slioghanach; The Gripper, No. 918; M. J. Dee, Clashmore; Whelan, No. 2138; P. Merne, Dungarvan Post Office; Calary, No. 335; M. O'Connor, Abbeyside; Golden View II, No. 104; A. Murphy, O'Connell St.; Border Knight, No. 2383; M. Wall, Abbeyside; Belled Monarch, No. 2963; Mce, Walsh, Colligan; Lavenham, No. 205; A. Murphy, O'Connell St.; Dorem, No. 138; P. J. Lynch, Clones Castle; Eastern Realm, No. 1271; K. O'Neill; Roman Hackle, No. 573; Mrs. Wilcox, Mary St.; Summer Star, No. 2168; S. O. Dalagh; Ted Branch, No. 923; M. Dee, Clashmore; Heirdom, No. 2199; Sean S. Breathnach, An Rinn; House Warner, No. 1335; D. Deherly; M. Mclerran; African Collection, No. 2283; M. Fitzgerald; O'Dearst, No. 2280; Michael Hubert O'Hara, B.A.; Erinox, No. 1315; Vincent Evans, Mount Mellery.

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