

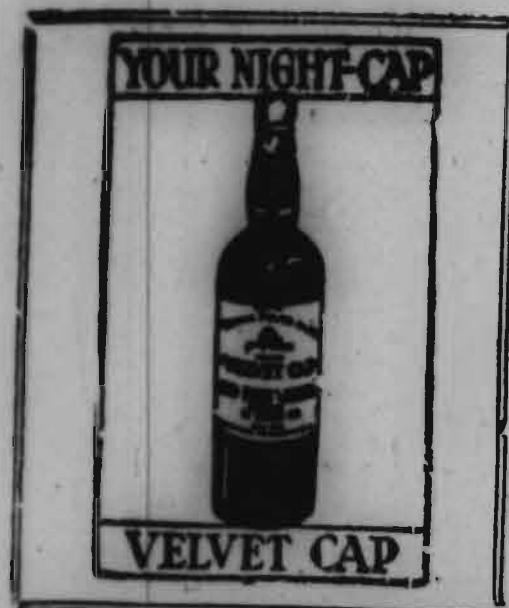
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REDUCE OUR RATES—OR ELSE... THE MANAGER

Farmers of Waterford Demand Justice

BLAME CENTRAL GOVERNMENT —states Colr. Curran

PROTESTS against increasing rates were voiced by members of the National Farmers' Association when they appeared before a meeting of Waterford Co. Council in Dungarvan on Monday.

The deputation led by Mr. P. J. Coughlan, Kilmacthomas, called for an immediate reduction in rates stating that until such time as the farmers got justice there remained no hope for the salvation of the country from its crippling economic difficulties.

Mr. Coughlan, continuing, said the deputation was representative of twenty five branches of the Association in Co. Waterford. Every member of every branch was seriously perturbed at the way rates had been going up year after year. They had figures which would show that farm prices had at the same time shown a downward trend so that now the two showed no resemblance to each other.

Co. Waterford, he pointed out had the fourth highest rate per acre of any other county in Ireland and there were other counties with better land in which the demand was lower. Last year farmers paid their rates out of their pockets and even then had difficulty in meeting the second moiety.

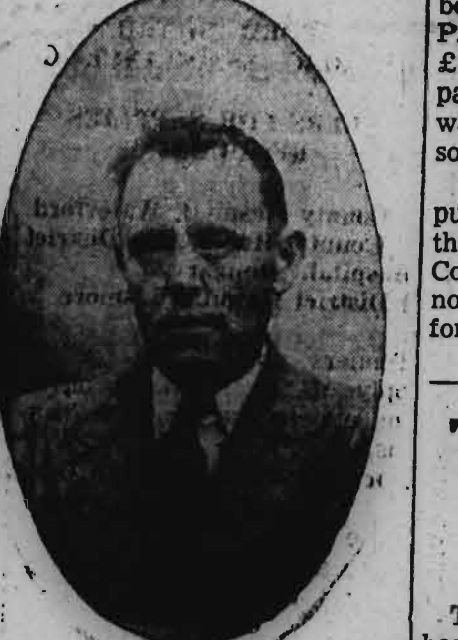
The N.F.A. in Co. Waterford understood that the Co. Council officials were again to seek a higher rate and this, they believed, showed lack of realism on the Council's part. They would ask for a reduction.

Mr. J. Shanahan, Kilmacthomas said that judging by the alarming increase in rates over the past number of years, it was quite obvious that there had been no effort on the Council's part to inquire into the ability of the people to pay.

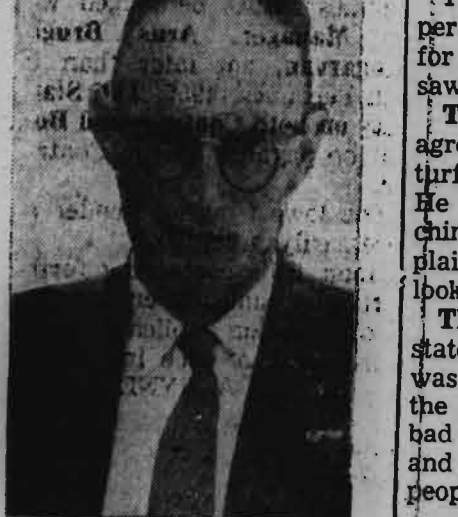
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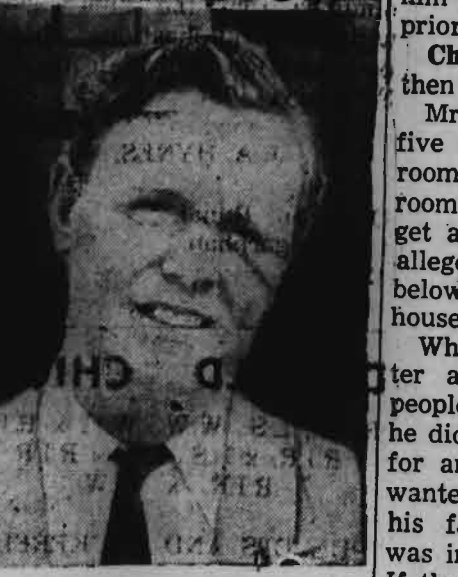
JIM QUIRKE the man from Ballyduff stands under the banner of Fianna Fail. A veteran of the Fight for Freedom and long term administrator both in the Co. Council and G.A.A. members. Popular Jim will be there or thereabouts at the end.



TOM KYNE Once again the unanimous choice of the Labour Party, the record of the Abbeyside-domiciled Dungarvan man speaks for itself.



NORMAN WALSH in the family tradition, seeks the support of the electorate on a Fine Gael ticket. A fine type of Irishman and a true champion of the ratepayers, whose cause he has vigorously advocated since his entrance into public life.



TOM LANNON ? A question mark stands behind the name of the popular Dungarvan man. Be it he stands — as dame rumour would have it — he is assured of a huge personal vote.

DOUBTFUL FUTURE OF DUNGARVAN SWIMMING POOL

GIVE IT AWAY — Colr. Moloney

The future of Dungarvan Swimming Pool seems very much in doubt following the disclosures made in the auditor's report which was before a meeting of the Urban Council in the Town Hall. The report showed that in the last year a sum of £408 was lost in running the pool (as was reported in Tom Tobin's INSIDE STORY in this newspaper a fortnight ago).

Mr. D. Moloney stated he was horrified to find that the losses on the pool had jumped by 100% over the previous year. They would have to do something about it as it was not fair to the ratepayers of the town. It was bad enough, he said when the pool was losing £200 but when it reaches £400 then something had to be done about it without any further delay.

Mr. Lee—What about letting Mr. Moloney—Give it to whoever will take it for nothing. It is costing the ratepayers £400. They'll be glad to get rid of it. Chairman (Deputy Kyne)—You can't do that. Mr. Moloney—Then let it. In reply to question by members, the Borough Engineer, Mr. P. Walsh, stated that the loss of £400 was not connected with repairs carried out at the pool. It was a loss in running costs solely.

Finally the Council agreed to put the matter on the agenda for the next meeting when the Council would decide whether or not they will put the pool up for tender.

TURF—"PURE DUNG"

states Colr. Lee

The turf that people have been getting under the cheap scheme is nothing but pure dung and I have never seen the like of it in my life. This was stated at a meeting of Dungarvan Urban Council by Colr. Lee when he called on the Council to take immediate action in the matter.

It is so bad, he added, that a person couldn't light it. I saw it for myself and one sod of what I saw was so wet, it weighed 4 lbs. The Chairman (Mr. P. Walsh) agreed with Colr. Lee that the turf was bad "and very bad." He pointed out that it was machine won turf and the complaints would not be taken into account.

The Chairman (Deputy Kyne) stated that this was an absolute waste of public money. Turf in the condition complained of was not fit for use and the people who had to burn it.

Mr. Joe O'Donnell, 4 Upper King Street, Abbeyside, came before the meeting stating that his house had been seriously damaged in the recent storm and appealed for a house. He suggested that people had obtained a Council house before him who had not been on the priority list at all.

Chairman—If that is correct, then it is wrong. Mr. O'Donnell said there were five of them living in the one room. He had been offered two rooms but he could not get a three roomed one, yet he alleged, people who were far below him on the list, had 4 or 5 roomed houses in three-roomed houses.

THE MANAGER OBJECTS— BUT COLR. LANNON SPEAKS OUT

Waterford County Manager (Mr. S. J. Moynihan) questioned a statement reported in the Press to have been made by Colr. Tom Lannon almost three months ago and stated that it was up to the Council to substantiate it or withdraw it when the Council met in Dungarvan on Monday.

The statement referred to was "he could mention cases and even though the quality and service in tenders were equally good." The statement was made at a meeting in November last when the Council decided that all tenders would be opened at a public meeting of the County Council.

The Manager took exception to the statement made by Colr. Lannon and wrote a letter to the Chairman of the Council expressing his objections. The Manager being ill at the time was unable to be present at the meeting. Mr. Lannon was not present at the meeting at which the letter was read and the matter was adjourned for his attendance.

Commenting on the Manager's letter at Monday's meeting, Colr. Lannon stated, "I do not see what right the County Manager had to mention my name in his letter to the Chairman regarding the tenders. All that was necessary, if he felt he had an explanation, was to say so, and that he would attend to the matter at the next meeting. After all, I presume he is the servant of the Council and his duty is to let it be known if he is not in keeping with his talk in a hotel across the way, I would like to tell him that I don't frighten quite so easily, as he ought to know. I have no one to grind other than to fulfil my duties while I am here, and that I intend to do, whether it is unpopular or popular. There has been too much wastage of public money, and it is about time the administration concentrated on that and the responsibility of that must rest largely on the County Manager."

Colr. Lannon continued, "The Manager states he has done his duties, well—I don't doubt his sincerity, but I can't forget the large wastage that has been allowed to occur time and again. Plans and plans, money and more money. Mr. Moynihan's letter would have been far more to the point if it had some concrete proposals to reduce the rates because at the moment it seems to be 'the sky is the limit'—but just in case a reminder is necessary, people don't stand it. It's time the spenders started asking 'how much can we afford—within reason'."

Mr. Lannon stated he was not attending meetings of the Council to be cross-examined by anybody. Manager—And I am not here to be slandered. Mr. Lannon said the Manager should get his facts right before he would make any allegations against anyone. If he was satisfied with what had appeared in the Press, then he had the remedy and the Press were usually fairly wealthy people.

Manager—Do you repudiate what was reported to have been stated by you. Mr. Lannon—Any statement I make here I am prepared to stand over it and if you have anything to say against what appeared in the Press that is another matter.

Mr. Lannon then went on to say that he was present when tenders were opened at a public body apart from the County Council and he was very dissatisfied with the results of their consideration. The tenders were for 200 tons of certain commodity and the prices quoted differed to amounts ranging from six pence to a pound. Yet the contract was divided between two contractors.

Manager—Why didn't you raise the matter at a meeting of that body. You say you were there, why didn't you question it then? Mr. Lannon—We are footing

BANK'S WEEKLY HALF-DAY

NOTICE is hereby given that commencing with the week ending SATURDAY, 6th APRIL 1957, the BANK'S WEEKLY HALF-DAY in bank offices in DUNGARVAN will be changed from Thursday as heretofore to SATURDAY, when the bank offices which are open to the public will, as in the case of all other bank offices, be from 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. S. HEGAN Secretary Irish Bank Standing Committee, February, 1957.

ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR I.R.A. PRISONERS

As Church door collections for Irish freedom fighters are not permitted this year's collection will be a house to house one, and will be made this week and continued next week in Dungarvan and Abbeyside.

The number of prisoners in Irish and English jails has increased considerably in the past three months causing great strain on the very slender funds of the Dependents' Committee and once again the generous support of the public is cordially expected for this very deserving charity.

SHORT COURT SITTING

The Dungarvan District Court on Wednesday last before District Justice Skinner was probably the shortest on record, lasting just two minutes. The business transacted included the granting of a Special Exemption order to Mrs. K. Kent, Egan's Hotel, for the night of 27th Feb. for a social to be held by the Brickley Carnot Club and again the granting of a dance licence to Pk. Crotty, for a dance in Kilbride Hall on 25th February.

INCREASE FOR SECRETARY

The Council agreed to an increase of £100 in the basic salary of the County Secretary on the proposal of the Chairman, Mr. M. Morrissey when Mr. Dowd, Mr. Lannon dissenting.

Fianna Fail Election Collection

DUNGARVAN COMRADES CEANNTAIR AREA WE APPEAL urgently to our old and new supporters for funds to defray expenses of forthcoming general election. Subscriptions can be handed to the officers of the local Ceannair mentioned hereunder or can be sent to the following: Patrick Ormonde, Dungarvan; Robert Keane, Dungarvan; James Power, Ballinacree; Nicholas Kelly, Dungarvan; Bill Dunphy, Dungarvan.

Local Clubs are requested to forward subscriptions on or before Wednesday, 20th Feb. A RECEIPT for each subscription of over 2/- will be posted direct to subscribers after election date and collection officers are instructed to take names and full addresses. Names of local officers to whom subscriptions can be handed:

- (1) Dungarvan — J. J. Mahoney, Declan Goode.
- (2) Abbeyside — James Fralton, Wm. Collier, M.L. Cosgrove.
- (3) Ballinacree — Tom Morrissey, P. J. Egan.
- (4) Colligan — Gabriel Foley, Jack Tobin.
- (5) Killybegs — James Burke.
- (6) Killybegs — Liam O'Riordan.
- (7) Moolinga — D. Horan.
- (8) Ballinacree — John Fitzgerald.
- (9) Ring — Donal Keane.
- (10) Glenbeg — William Fralton.
- (11) Old Parish — James Flaherty.

Cumann' elect Officers

The annual general meeting of Dungarvan area Comhairle Dail Ceannair of Fianna Fail was held on Thursday, 7th inst. Officers elected for the coming year were: Chairman, Patrick Ormonde; Vice-Chair, Thomas Morrissey; Treasurer, James Power and Jack Tobin; Secretary, Bill Dunphy, Dungarvan. Delegates to Comhairle Dail Ceannair, Jas. Fraher and Jas. Power.

DUNGARVAN BOXING CLUB

will hold a DANCE AT TOWN HALL on Friday, March 1st, 1957. Dances 8.00-12.00. Minors by TOMMY WESSON (Clubman).

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The Chairman went on to thank Supk. P. Walsh and all members of the Garda for their kind assistance in the parking of cars on the main road, due to inclement weather conditions, and the A.A. for their co-operation. The owners of the cars must not be forgotten for so cheerfully subscribing.

Last and most important the sporting land-owners must be thanked for not alone allowing their lands to be badly cut up, but also for assisting in making the meeting a success. A vote of thanks was passed to the management of the Devonshire Hotel for providing such comfortable accommodation for their meetings.

The Ormonde Cinema

Performance Each Night at 8-30 p.m. Matinee, Sunday, at 2-15 p.m. Sunday, 17th February - Jack Carson, Mickey Rooney in MAGNIFICENT ROUGH-NECKS, Outdoor Drama.

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Dungarvan Golf Club

DANCE

At the Clubhouse

(BALLINACOURTY) SUNDAY, MARCH 17th Music by DICK CASHMAN AND HIS BAND

Special Notices

NOTICE - The Lands of Fahnella, Kilmacshannon and Lackanone, Dungarvan, in my possession are laid with poison from this date for the protection of sheep - David Connors.

MISCELLANEOUS

THE TYRES of your car can be White-Walled very cheaply and will vastly improve its appearance - If your present plugs have done more than 10,000 miles a new set will save more than their cost in petrol.

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P. CONROY, Chief Agricultural Officer, Dungarvan, 12th February, 1957.

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Late Mrs. Ellen Cullinan

BALLYVOILE With regret we record the death of Mrs. Ellen Cullinan (nee Keaver) widow of the late John Cullinan, whose regretted death (briefly reported in our previous issue) took place on Sunday, February 3rd.

The chief mourners were: John Cullinan (son); Katherine and Nellie Cullinan (daughters); John Keaver (brother).

Mass graves were from: Her loving family, Walter, Katherine and Nellie; her brother John Keaver; Mr. W. Cullinan, Mitchell Street; Colin and Eddie Keyes; Kitty and Dick Hickey; Walter and Betty, Dublin; Michael Biddy and family; Hickey family, Craigue, Stradbally; M. Butler and family, Lackendarragh; Ralph family, Durrow; Jimmie Kely and family, Shandon; Jimmie, Kitty, and Maggie, Ballykerogue; Kitty and John O'Brien, Scar; Keaver family, Portlaur; Ellie, Tommie, and Algie Fitzgerald, Scar; Paddy and all at Graw; Maggie and M. Keating, the Cullinan family, O'Connell Street; Jack and Rita Cummins; the Walsh family, 16 Friary Street; Richie and Bridie Clancy, Shekin, Dunford family, Ballinacourty; Maurice and Nan Casdy; Billy, Maggie, and family, Ballykerogue; M. Cummins, J. Connolly Row, Dungarvan; Paddy Carroll and his sisters; the Dea family, Mooncrud; Jackie and Kathleen O'Brien; Tom Mulcahy, King Street; Abbeyside; Morrissey's, Ballyvoile; Paddy and Nan Tobin, Kiffick; James and Alice Cullinan; John and Maude Mulcahy; Droghda family, Mooncrud; John and Annie Fennell; M. and Hannah Daly and family; the Fahy family, Kilmacshannon; Gerald family, Jiminy and Mary Fahy; Dublin; Jim and Annie, 20th Street, Cappoquin.

Funeral arrangements were by Messrs. J. Kely and Sons, Shandon.

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TO LET - 20 Acres of Grazing - 10 in 11 months. Apply J. Fahy, Klossera, Dungarvan.

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Waterford Rural District - Cottage No. 237 Ardnam. Cottage No. 111 Ardnam.

Applications must be made to the Official Application Form to be had from the Cottage Rent Collector of the District, who will then forward applications to the Housing Section, Davitt's Quay, Dungarvan, so as to reach me not later than the 22nd February, 1957.

Signed: S. G. UA DUNLAING, Rural Council.

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YOUGHAL URBAN COUNCIL

COKE. Mr. Daly: How is it that a man can come along with a van and get 4 cwt of coke at the Gasworks and poor people who were queued up waiting for coke were deprived of it. Chairman: Did the people who were waiting for coke get it. Mr. Daly: They were refused. I think that poor people should get preference after bakeries. I think the treatment of these poor people was very unfair and I trust it will not happen again.

PROPOSED COUNCIL HOUSES. Mr. Daly: Did the Co. M.O.H. make any report on our own houses? Town Clerk: No, but the Manager is taking up the matter with him. This was noted.

STRAND SEWER. The Town Clerk gave details of his interview and that of the Town Surveyor, M. J. O'Brien, B.E., and Mr. Regan, B.E., in connection with the proposed sewerage for the strand. The proposal as prepared by the Surveyor was agreed in principle by the Department.

Mr. Lynch-I understood that the sewerage scheme we discussed here was for the strand area only. We would like to know the cost and we should have our engineer here at the meeting.

Mrs. Hurley: The Minister for Finance has allotted £2,600, for housing and sanitary services and we should be entitled to some of this money for the strand sewerage. Chairman: I agree with Mr. Lynch that we should have our Engineer here with us; we all feel we have got to keep within our means and I think this matter should be discussed at a special meeting.

Mr. Daly: The strand sewerage system is sixty years old and incapable of effectively dealing with present conditions. In 1945 WE HAD Mr. N. O'Dwyer, B.E. in Youghal to see the whole system and we should ascertain what would be the cost of the proposed sewerage from Claycastle in what is.

Mr. Lawlor, V.C.: The scheme is for the whole strand and as we have not yet got the cost from Mr. O'Dwyer, I think before we do anything we should get it. Mr. Lynch: Why not go ahead with the strand scheme as proposed by the Town Surveyor.

Town Clerk: Mr. O'Dwyer's scheme provided for an outfall at Mill Goggin's corner which would be unsuitable for a seaside resort; the best place for the discharge would be here near the Town Hall.

Mr. Daly: We cannot have any discharge on the strand. Chairman: The proposals provided for the pumping of the strand sewage in here near the Town Hall.

After further discussion, Mr. Lawlor proposed that the Town Surveyor's report for the proposed strand sewerage be adopted; Mr. Daly seconded, adding that the Council at this stage will not tie themselves to anything as many additional particulars are required.

Mr. Daly: Was it 40 per cent grant was given by the L.G.D. for the sewerage schemes. Town Clerk: I don't know yet but I think that for sewerage it would be 40 per cent.

PROPOSED NEW HOUSES. Town Clerk: As a result of the recent visit of a deputation from the Council to Seafield Fabrics, Ltd., it was decided that the Council would ask for sanction to the necessary loan from the Local Loans Fund to finance the erection of the two houses proposed.

The Town Clerk went on to relate that the Chairman, Senator O'Gorman phoned the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance asking that the Minister would agree to meet a deputation from the Youghal U.D.C. The Minister would not meet such a deputation as the matter was one for the Minister for Local Govt.

Mr. Daly: The Minister should again be requested to reconsider the matter, additional staff is taken on at the Seafield Fabrics and they should be facilitated. Chairman: The full amount for allocation from the Local Loans Fund was exceeded last year and there is no more available for the present year.

Mr. Lynch: How long is it since we first applied for this loan? Town Clerk: The 14th April 1956.

Mr. Lynch: There's something wrong to think that they never made a move in almost twelve months. We all know they are proposing to extend the factory and these extensions could stop if sanction is not forthcoming which would be serious for the town. We should enter a very strong against the Minister's action in refusing this small allocation from the Local Loans fund.

Mr. Lawlor: The Mining Co. in Avoca put up bungalows for their technicians and the Carpet companies here employ techni-

YOUGHAL NEWS

THE LATE MRS. ELIZABETH MCGRATH. We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Elizabeth McGrath, which took place at her residence North Abbey Terrace Youghal, on Sunday last to the inexpressible grief of her husband and family, to whom the sympathy of the townspeople in general is extended.

The remains were removed to St. Mary's Parish Church from where the funeral followed by a large cortege took place to Nth Abbey cemetery on Monday at 3 p.m. The chief mourners were Mr. Jack McGrath (husband), Messrs William, Thomas, John Paul McGrath (sons), Mrs. H. Clarking and Mrs. Herman Vogt U.S.A. (daughters), Mr. Michael Coyne (brother), Mrs. Mary Hurley (sister); Messrs James Marking and Herman Vogt (Relatives), Mrs. M. J. McGrath and Mrs. J. McGrath (daughters-in-law), Misses Mollie and Nancy Coyne, Mrs. Kanafin, Mrs. Daly (nieces); Mr. John, Joe Coyne (nephews); Mrs. H. Bennett and Misses Jane and Bridget McGrath (sisters-in-law); Mrs. R. McGrath, Mrs. M. Callaghan and Miss M. Feeney (relatives).

Very Rev. Canon Sheehan, P.P. and Rev. E.G. Dwyer, C.C., officiated at the graveside. FUNERAL OF THE LATE JAMES SWEENEY. The funeral of the late Mr. James J. Sweeney, formerly of Youghal, whose death was reported in last week's issue, took place on January 21th from his residence 320 Seventh Ave. Brooklyn 15, New York after Requiem Mass at St. Saviour's R.C. Church, 8th Avenue and 6th Street, to Calvary Cemetery. Among the general public were many friends from his native town residing in the U.S.A.

The chief mourners were Mrs. Nora Sweeney (widow), Mrs. A. Noonan, Christopher, Frank, John, Joseph, Charles and George Kenny and Miss Patricia Folin (step-children).

DAMAGE BY GALE. On Monday a strong S. West gale experienced throughout the county, struck Youghal with great force. There was very considerable damage done in the town and surrounding districts, roofs were ripped, outhouses blown down and the huge waves on the promenade threw large quantities of gravel and stones up on the roadway. A large number of trees in the outskirts of the town were blown down and the Cork to Youghal train due to arrive at 4.55 did not arrive until about 8.30, due to some trees falling across the line outside Middleton. The Hospital and the former Military Barracks suffered much damage, the latter had the appearance of having been hit by a bomb. Fortunately no damage was done to the fishing fleet moored in the docks. Had there been more Southerly there would be far more damage done by flooding in the low lying parts of the town.

TOWN CLOCK SILENCED. Since Saturday last the Town clock has been out of commission as for some time it was giving trouble. It is undergoing a complete overhaul by the original maker Messrs Mangan of Cork.

YOUGHAL L.C.A. PARTY. Youghal L.C.A. held its first birthday party at the Park View Hotel on Wednesday, 30th of January last. The attendance, which included guests from all the neighbouring guilds numbered over a hundred. The Acting President, Mrs. E. Galvin, having cut the cake, bid a special welcome to the Rev. Clergy and guests present. In the course of her address, Mrs. Galvin paid generous tribute to the Misses A. Fitzgerald and T. Morrissey, whose untiring efforts contributed so much to the success of the evening. A special word of thanks was accorded to Mrs. Tucker who was in charge of the catering.

Other speakers included Rev. Canon Sheehan, Rev. Fr. O'Connell, Rev. Mr. Pearce, Rev. Mr. Aiken, Mrs. O'Brien, Federation representative Mrs. S. Hurley, U.D.C. and Miss A. Fitzgerald, HON. Secretary. Very Rev. Canon Sheehan expressed appreciation of the Guild's donation towards the Hungarian Relief Fund of proceeds from a dance together with a contribution from the Guild amounting to over £91. It played in the lives of the advantages of the L.C.A. and pointed out the important part it played in the lives of her

part were Miss Monica Heffernan, Mrs. M. Murphy, Mrs. D. Cantwell, etc. Mrs. Murphy gave a wonderful performance also. The Student Prince has been produced by most Choral groups and 1949 saw the show produced in Fermoy, while the Cork Operatic Society availed of the services of Thomas Round in their production some years ago.

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The Inside Story

By Tom Tobin

Moby Dick premiere for Youghal

Big news of the week is the official announcement that the premiere of Moby Dick will be held in Youghal on February 26. The news however, should not come as a surprise to the readers of this newspaper because as far back as last November I mentioned in this column that the matter was under consideration and that everything pointed to a Youghal premiere. I had taken the liberty during my visit to the London premiere of the film to suggest to the powers that be that it would be a very fitting tribute to Youghal's part in the film, to have the Irish premiere on the mouth of the river Blackwater where some of the most brilliant scenes in the film were recorded.

Few people thought Youghal would gain such an honour, for indeed it is an honour. It is, as far as I am aware, the first time that the Irish premiere of a great film will be held in the province of Ireland. But then I know that there were many associated with this film anxious for another visit to Youghal, a place of very happy memories for them.

On the phone with Mr. Goff Nash

On the phone with Mr. Goff Nash, Manager of the Dublin offices of Warner Bros. Ltd. I was told that the arrangements were well in hand for the premiere though at present it is not known how many of the stars of the film will make the return trip.

Man behind the organisation of Youghal's gala event is Mr. J. Finn, Manager of the Regal Cinema in the town, where it will be held. At the moment he is busy engaged sending out invitations to V.I.P.s and making all preparations to cater for as many people as possible. It will be a midnight matinee and on Monday next it will be possible to book seats though they will be strictly limited. The profits will go to the Variety Club for the blind children of Ireland.

Swimming Pool in the news

The local swimming pool is costing the ratepayers £406. This was officially announced at a meeting of the Urban Council last week-end. (This column told you the story last week.) The Councilors agreed that the matter was one for immediate attention and decided to put it on the agenda for the next meeting with a view to offering the pool to the highest bidder.

Whether or not it will be possible to let it, remains to be seen. One thing is clear, however, the ratepayers of Dungarvan should not be asked to shoulder any further burden of the running of the swimming pool.

Selection time again

The forthcoming Election is very much in the news in the West Waterford area, always a centre of lively activity in such times. Last Sunday we had three conversations in the town. Flanná Fall met in the Courthouse. Fine Gal gathered at Egan's and Labour met in their own offices on Main Street.

There was no major surprise. The announcement that County Councillor Jim Quirk, the 63 year old veteran from Ballyduff, had been selected to stand as the third Flanná Fall candidate was expected, though the developments that led up to his selection proved interesting. As usual with such affairs, the selection of the candidate was a private affair. Nevertheless, I got the inside story on it. Flanná Fall had six nominations. They were: Messrs. Charlie Curran, last year; H. R. Dowd, Lismore; Bobby Keane, Dungarvan; John Fahy, Lyranarra, Clonmel; and Jim Quirk, Ballyduff, five County Councillors, and Capt B.

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Little, nephew of P. J. Little, a former T.D.

Mr. Sean Ormonde and Ald. Willie Kenneally, the outgoing candidates, were unanimously selected to stand again.

In the first count: Curran got 22 votes; Fahy 58; Dowd 37; Keane, 29; Quirk 45, and Little 4. Little and Curran were then eliminated in the second count. Down jumped to 39; Fahy held firm at 56; Keane went to 42 and Quirk went to 58. Dowd was then eliminated.

In the third count, Fahy scored 74; Keane netted 37 and Quirk gained a total of 84. Keane went out to leave it a clear cut issue between Quirk and Fahy and in the final count the figures were 108 for Quirk and 89 for Fahy.

The selection of Jim Quirk was indeed a worthy tribute to the old veteran. A soldier of freedom, Jim was Company Capt. in his area and soldiered through many a tough campaign. For twenty years or so, he has been a member of Waterford County Council. He is vice-chairman of the Waterford County Committee of Agriculture and a member of several local bodies as well as being a life-long associate of the G.A.A.

"It's a long time ago now since Jim Quirk played in-county football for Waterford but there are many who can recall those days and they will tell you that he was one of those who made the game and always one who played it."

This is Jim's first contest in a General Election and I will not be surprised if he causes quite a stir. He has the support of quite a representative following. How he fares out will be most interesting.

Mr. Sean Ormonde and Ald. Wm. Kenneally too are assured of the support that has brought them through in the past.

Tom Kyne-Labour's unanimous choice

At Labour's meeting in Dungarvan, Ald. Tom Kyne (outgoing) was the unanimous choice. This should put an end to the rumours that have been in circulation throughout the County that he was not going forward. I heard them in several areas last week-end. The Labour candidate will take his stand as usual and should do well in the issue.

For Fine Gael

General Richard Mulcahy, Minister for Education, presided at the Fine Gael Convention at Egan's Hotel when Ald. Teddy Lynch, Waterford (outgoing) and Mr. Norman Walsh, M.C.C., Cappoquin, were unanimously selected to carry the flag on behalf of Fine Gael.

The outcome here was expected. Ald. Lynch and Mr. Walsh made a good impression on the last occasion. The big question at the moment is: "Will Norman Walsh make it this time?" Who knows. Only time and voting will tell.

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Waterford West News

NEW BOXING CLUB

A boxing club has been formed at Kinsalebeg and a big number of local young men have joined. For the purpose of raising funds it is proposed to hold a dance on Friday night next, 22nd February.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. W. Prendergast, Coolboha, Clashmore, on the recent death of her father. The sad event occurred at his home in Co. Limerick.

BOWLING

At a meeting of the Clashmore Bowling Club arrangements were made for the forthcoming tournament for the Paul I. Power Cup and cash prizes. Entries are expected from all parts of West Waterford and East Cork.

SALMON FISHING

So far the salmon fishing season in this area has been very bad. It is hoped, however, that with more favourable conditions, there will be a substantial improvement.

HUNTING

The Dungarvan Harriers met at Clashmore on Sunday last when a big field turned out to enjoy the day's sport. Conditions were favourable and with foxes plentiful some good runs were secured. The West Waterfords met at Ardmore recently and some excellent hunting resulted.

F.F. ORGANISATION

A meeting of the West Waterford F.F. Comhairle Ceannair was held at Clashmore recently.

SPEED THE PLOUGH

Ploughing operations are now in full swing in this area. It would appear that there will be a big increase in the area devoted to tillage this year.

LISMORE NOTES

WEEKLY 45 DRIVE

The weekly 45 drive was held in St. Carthage's on Friday night and the following are the results: Tie for 1st and 2nd places between Miss M. Curran, Cappoquin and Mr. J. Kenneally, Deerpark (22 games); 3rd prize, after a play off, Mrs. N. Gough, Chapel Street. Four special prizes were won by Miss B. Hartnett, Main St., Mrs. A. Croxly, Strathgully, Mr. J. Kenneally, Deerpark and Mr. J. Whelan, New Street. A similar drive will be held to-night, Friday.

WEEKLY WHIST

Results of the weekly whist drive held in St. Carthage's Hall on Tuesday night are: Ladies—1st, Mrs. A. Pearce, Town Parks (143); 2nd, Miss B. O'Gorman, South Mall (140); half-time, Miss S. O'Donnell, South Mall (82); Gent's—1st, Des. M. O'Connor, J. Whelan, (154); 2nd, Mr. M. Gough, Chapel Street (153); half-time, Mr. J. Tobin, New Street (80); mixture, tie between Mrs. M. Ryan, Main Street, and Miss D. Daly, District Hospital.

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy is extended to the husband and family of the late Mrs. Hartnett, of Kilmore. Up to two years ago the Hartnett family lived in Lismore and the people of the town were deeply shocked to hear of her sudden death.

DEATH OF MR. T. FLYNN

It is with deep regret that we record the death of Mr. T. Flynn, Moonalour, which sad event occurred at the District Hospital, Lismore, on Friday morning. The remains were removed to St. Carthage's Church, on Friday evening and burial took place on Saturday. Very Rev. Canon McGrath, P.P., V.F., officiated assisted by Rev. Fr. McGrath and Rev. Fr. Murphy, C.C.

PAINTING OF CHURCH

Painting of the interior of St. Carthage's Church has already commenced and the work is in the capable hands of O'Connell Bros., Cork. When it is completed, the Church will rank with the best in the Diocese of Waterford and Lismore. Great credit is due to Canon McGrath for his untiring efforts in getting such a big job carried out.

G.A.A. ANNUAL

The annual G.A.A. meeting was held in the Town Hall and a good attendance was present. Officers elected for the coming

CAPPOQUIN NEWS

BOATING ACCIDENT YOUNG OARSMAN IN EXCITING ADVENTURE

On Tuesday evening, Conle McGrath left the Quay in a small boat for his home at Carrigeen. The river was in high flood at the time and while he was attempting to negotiate the "stream" near the Railway Bridge, the craft got out of control and was swept by the strong current, striking a support of the bridge with great force. He was thrown into the water but managed to grip a bough of a bush overhanging the river. Conle then got a hold on the stone buttress of the bridge and with considerable difficulty climbed on to a ledge. After a considerable time in this position he was seen by Miss N. Croxly. She notified her brother, Terry, who promptly raised the alarm. Two members of the local fire-fighting unit, Messrs. J. Mason and M. J. Sargent, removed the youth from his perilous perch by lowering a rope from the parapet of the bridge and hauling him to safety. Although chilled by his immersion and exposure to the cold wind during the time he awaited rescue we are glad to record that Conle is now completely recovered from the effects of his harrowing experience. Credit is due to the Brigade men who were so promptly on the scene. Conle is one of the four brothers who have figured in the Rowing Club's many victories during the past two seasons.

TALLOW NOTES

DEATH OF EDMOND COTTER.

As briefly reported in last week's issue, the death of Mr. Edmond Cotter occurred at his residence Springfield, Tallow, on Sunday, February 3rd. Member of an old and highly esteemed farming family, he was possessed of a most genial personality. He was brother of the late Frs. John and James Cotter, U.S. and nephew of the late Fr. Thos. Barrett, O.P., the noted preacher. There was a large cortege present at the removal of the remains to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Tallow and at the subsequent interment in the adjoining cemetery. Rev. P. Tobin, Glasgow (nephew of deceased), and Rev. M. Condon, C.C., Tallow, officiated at the graveside.

The chief mourners were: Mrs. Cotter (widow); John Cotter (son); Miss Eileen Cotter, N.Y. Tallow Girls N.S.; Miss Mary Cotter, Blackrock College, Dublin (daughters); Mr. Robt. Cotter, Ballycough, Tallow (brother); Mrs. S. Tobin, Birdhill (sister); Rev. P. Tobin, Glasgow; John Tobin, Birdhill, Robt. Tobin, Cork; John and Michael Cotter, Ballycough (nephews); Miss Annie Barry (sister-in-law); Mr. R. Cotter, Ballycough; Mrs. J. O'Farrell, Ashbourne and Mr. John O'Farrell, Ballyanchor (cousins), etc.

UNUSUAL CATCH

While fishing with rod and line on the Blackwater recently, a Youghal angler hooked a fish of an unusual kind; it was a child's rubber toy fish.

LATE MRS. B. HARTNETT

The death occurred suddenly at her residence, Glenagough, Tallow, on Wednesday, Feb. 6th of Mrs. Bridget Hartnett. Deceased was about her usual duties on Tuesday and was found dead on Wednesday morning. An inquest was not deemed necessary. Deceased was member of a highly esteemed family and was a general favourite. There was a large cortege at the removal of the remains to Tallow Parish Church on Thursday evening and at the funeral to Lismore Cemetery on Friday. To her bereaved husband and family we tender deepest sympathy in their sorrow and loss.—R.I.P.

BALLYDUFF MAN'S DEATH

We regret to record the death which occurred at his residence, Ballyduff, on Feb. 7th, of Mr. Hugh Collins, for many years a faithful employee of the C.I.E. at Ballyduff Station. Deceased was held in the highest regard by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance and his death though at an advanced age is deeply regretted.

The remains were removed to St. Michael's Church on Friday, Feb. 8th and were accompanied by a large cortege. The interment took place in Aglish Cemetery on Saturday. To his bereaved family we tender our deepest sympathy.

WEEKLY WHIST DRIVE

The winners of the weekly 45 drive held in the Temperance Hall, Tallow, on Sunday night were: 1st, Messrs. Tom Kelleher, Ballyduff, Lismore and P. Whelan, Ballyduff; 2nd, Messrs. T. Kelleher and J. Goughan, Convent Street, Tallow; 3rd, Messrs. P. O'Malley, West St. and John Coughlan, Rosville, Tallow.

NEXT SUNDAY NIGHTS 'DANCE'

The fact that Jimmy Wiley has been engaged to supply the music for next Sunday night's dance will appeal to all dance-lovers as this is one of the leading bands in the country. Particulars are given in our advertising columns of this function which promises to be very pleasant social function.

FANCY DRESS BALL

The fancy dress ball at Aglish on Sunday night week, 24th inst. promises to be the outstanding event of the year at the popular Globe Hall. The last fancy dress dance was held here about two years ago and it got a record crowd. Now with the improved lighting and more detailed arrangements it promises to be even better especially as Aglish Parish is the home of the famous "dressers-up"—Messrs. Seppie Fahy, Bernard Moloney, M. McLoher, etc. The sister Parish of Clashmore also abounds in "dressers-up."

SPECIAL COOKERY DEMONSTRATION COURSE AT TECHNICAL SCHOOL, DUNGARVAN

The special courses held in Fish and Egg Cookery at the above School in recent years were very well received in the town and district. This year by popular request a special course in the cooking of Meat and Soup will open on Monday night, next at 8.15 p.m. and will continue for five nights at the Technical School.

DEATH OF MISS B. POWER

It is with the deepest regret that we record the death of Miss B. Power, Church Street, which sad event occurred at her home on Thursday morning. The remains were removed to St. Carthage Church on Friday evening and were received and blessed by Very Rev. Canon McGrath, P.P., assisted by both Curates. Burial took place on Saturday in St. Carthage's Cemetery. The deceased was a devout Catholic and a very popular lady and will be missed by all who knew her. We extend our deepest sympathy to her sorrowing relatives in their sad bereavement.—R.I.P.

Housing Complaint to be Investigated

Waterford County Council will be holding a special meeting in March to investigate a number of complaints surrounding applications for cottages.

The matter was raised by Col. Dowd who demanded an explanation as to why 54 applicants had been rejected. 103 had been approved as being eligible for Council cottages, he said, yet the Department had rejected more than half of them.

Mr. Keyes, Housing Officer, stated that of the 103 applications made, 52 had been rejected and reasons were clearly stated.

Mr. Dowd stated that it was not right to reject a good many of them. He referred to a case where the parents with their six children were living in a cottage that was "disgracefully shocking" and anyone that would say the house was satisfactory was "telling a damn lie."

When the Co. M.O. Dr. M. O'Farrell, stated that the person concerned in the case had actually purchased the house, Mr. Dowd replied that he had applied for purchase for the purpose of keeping the rent at the old figure.

Mr. O'Farrell, T.D. who presided, stated that a number of people had signed applications to purchase their cottages in the hope that the necessary repairs would be carried out or to prevent the rent being increased. Many had absolutely no intention of buying their cottages even though they had signed their intention of so doing.

FIVE YEARS WAITING TO BE MAINTAINED

Mr. J. Fahy had a number of complaints, one of which referred to the applicant who had been waiting for a cottage to get married "and to-date he has been waiting five years."

Mr. Fahy added that it was a case of the man having the bird with no cage.

Mr. C. Curran stated that a case he complained of was probably the most serious of the lot. The person who got the cottage was already the tenant of one. A man and his wife who had been living in the cottage in question for the 11th March when the field of another party was about to leave one house and walk

BOREENATRA IDEAL HOUSING SITE

Colr. Kelly's motion rejected

Dungarvan Urban Council endorsed their decision to build a scheme of thirty houses at Boreenatra when they selected a site in the name of Colr. Kelly to remain the decision.

Stating his reasons for submitting the motion at a meeting in the Town Hall, Colr. Kelly said: "Following enquiries I have made we require at least 70 houses in Dungarvan to fulfil the requirements of those who are badly in need of houses. I therefore suggest that we purchase Clonety site which would accommodate 70 houses."

The Chairman (Deputy Mayor) stated that he would like to remind the members of their ruling on matters of this kind that the motion would have to be carried by a two-thirds majority unless there was a greater attendance of members at the meeting than at the previous one.

Mr. D. Moloney—I strong object to the implications of Mr. Kelly's motion. The Co. Medical Officer specified thirty houses as our immediate requirements and he has gone into this matter in detail. In the second place the ratepayers of Dungarvan cannot afford the burden of interest on an additional loan for 45 more houses, especially when 30 are adequate. We already owe £205,906.

WOULD PAY £1 A WEEK EXTRA

I have discussed the matter with a number of applicants on the priority list. Their words to me were: "We may as well live in Ring if we are to go to Clonety." Boreenatra is the ideal housing site, the best possible site in the town. People have told me that they would pay £1 extra per week for a house there. It is a site that is already partially developed. We have no idea what the annuities involved on the site at the Kennels would be. We know where we are where Boreenatra is concerned and Mr. Kelly knows as well as I do that we could not do better.

Mr. Kelly, replying, stated that there was little point in building 30 houses this year and £1 extra per week for a house in another year or two and having to go to the trouble of finding a suitable site. The land at Clonety would accommodate their full requirements and they

into another. There was something seriously wrong about such a situation, stated Mr. Curran and he would not be satisfied until he had a detailed explanation. Mr. Curran stated that he wanted to know what the medical officer's recommendation had been in the case.

The Manager stated that a man and his wife had been lodging with the tenant of the house. The tenant died and the house was let to another applicant. The lodgers had to get out but he wanted to point out that they had no right to be there in the first instance as lodgers were not allowed and the tenant had been violating his letting agreement by keeping them there.

Mr. J. Flynn stated that the only way to deal with matters like this was to insist that Council tenants do not keep lodgers. He knew of cases where the tenants were living in Boreenatra while their cottages were being occupied by sub-tenants.

THE RIGHT PULL

Mr. K. O'Ryan said that it seemed to him that if a person had the right pull he would get what he liked.

Manager—The fact that a man goes into lodgings with a Council tenant does not give him the right to the tenancy of the house in the case of the death of the tenant.

Mr. Curran said he had been given to understand that the lodger in this case had been recommended for the cottage by the Co. M.O. He suggested that there might have been pressure brought to bear on the Manager.

The Manager made it very clear that this was not the case. Mr. O'Ryan—it looks as though it was a member of this Council that recommended the person that got the cottage.

Mr. Curran stated that he would like to have the air cleared on the whole matter. It had been the subject of discussion throughout the county and a lot of allegations had been made. He wanted to see them established or withdrawn.

The Council agreed that the matter would be put before the Special Meeting to be held on the 11th March when the field on the case would be made available.

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GRAND NATIONAL
LUCKY GURDY DUBLIN

GERALDINES HERALD SENIOR DEBUT WITH MERITED WIN

Geraldines 2-4; Tourin 2-2

Although hurling purists might well deplore the tendency to sacrifice brain for brawn—a circumstance that contributed to a standard of performance far removed from the classical mould—no one could fault the zeal...

The hurling was always tough and rugged and not even the vigilance of referee Paddy Cunningham, an admirable official by the way, could prevent an occasional note of discord creeping into the exchanges as the tempo of battle gained momentum.

In general, it was all taken in such good part that looking at the test through the medium of retrospect, I feel the urge to grant even the 'villains of the piece' an unconditional pardon...

The unfortunate victim of the incident was the winners' captain and midfielder, Billy Hallahan, who was conveyed to hospital after treatment by a local doctor and a subsequent X-ray revealed a broken jaw, Gaelis everywhere will wish him a speedy and complete recovery.

As apart from that incident, the entertainment was of a surprising good standard. The hurling through punctuated now and again by reasonable lapses, was of a stirring calibre, every man on duty played himself into virtual exhaustion and on top of all these was a finish to freeze the cockles of the heart regardless of personal allegiance.

Geraldines, who conceded a pronounced advantage in physical looked the more accomplished stickmen from the outset. They took everything the losers could throw their way without ever losing their equilibrium and generally acquitted themselves in a manner that must have left them with happy recollections of their initial venture into the field of senior competition.

Psychologically, too, the result must be worth a score or two to them when they encounter the obstacles that lie ahead.

The Gaelic men always moved the leather with greater purpose. Their ground hurling, a policy that would undoubtedly have won them a victory in the first round, was in direct contrast to the laborious lift and strike game of last year's finalists. When Tourin did succeed in handling the leather, however, one was instantly struck by the telling length they got into their exchanges.

The early exchanges were of an exploratory nature, both sides being content to feel their way. Tourin did manage a goal in the fifth minute for which veteran Jack Fives was responsible and after the same player had sandwiched a minor between a couple of white favours for the winners, Eddie Hallahan shot them a gem of a goal to push the Gaelic men into a lead they never after relinquished.

Once they struck the front, Geraldines hurled with confidence. They tagged on a further goal and two points in the third quarter and seemed set for a convincing victory, despite the desperate efforts of the losers until Hallahan's enforced rest put an entirely unexpected complexion on the exchanges.

Throughout an exhilarating last quarter, the winners were defending with their backs to against it.

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At the Gaelic Field, Dungarvan on Sunday, February, 17th at 3 p.m. Dungabhan v. Dun na Mainistreach Referee - LIAM CROTTY : ADMISSION 2/-

AT THE GAELIC FIELD, CAPPOQUIN on Sunday, February, 17th at 3 p.m. Baile Uí Duibh v. Na Gearaltaigh Referee : P. CUNNINGHAM, ADMISSION 1/-; Stalls 1/- extra

THREE CORNERED BILL ON SUNDAY

Sargent Cup enters decisive stage

THE Sargent Cup which is proving an arduous training ground for the County's senior hurling clubs, enters a decisive phase on Sunday next. Cappoquin, Dungarvan and Dunhill sets the stage with a three-cornered programme that could well determine at least one of the semi-finalists. Looking at the bill of fare superficially, all the indications—keen rivalry in the case of both western encounters and the eagerness of the home-owners to do well at Dunhill—would suggest exhilarating entertainment at all venues.

Age-old rivalry in all forms of combat will drive Abbeyside and Dungarvan to a supreme bid when they cross camans at the Fraher Field. The Blues disappointed badly against Cappoquin five weeks ago, but it would be foolhardy to base their prospects on that showing, for pitted against the men from "over the water", Dungarvan, overhauled and determined, will be an utterly different proposition.

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Dungarvan, despite an occasional good performance, continue to be something of a hurling enigma. It is difficult to understand how a side powered by such fine individual hurriers as Tom Cunningham, Mick Kelly, Austin Hallahan, Francis Kennedy, Nick Quill, Liam Shalloe and Nick Connors has fallen on such lean times. Sooner or later the tide must turn and what more auspicious occasion than against their old adversaries in the saffron and blue.

For all that, however, I too, am banking on an Abbeyside triumph. But there may not be a great deal in the difference, especially if the younger Dungarvan school come up to expectations. Abbeyside, of course, remain my choice.

Geraldines, fresh from their great victory over doughty Tourin, will face their old rivals from the river in confident mood at Cappoquin. The junior champions cut an impressive figure last time out and judged on that form, must be fancied to collect the brace of points necessary to enter the penultimate stage of the competition.

Past encounters between the sides have invariably been extra keen affairs in both codes. Ballyduff had a trial outing against Cappoquin on Sunday and did enough to foster hopes of halting the Gaelic men. Strong, rugged hurriers, they will stretch the Geraldines fully and given the breaks might even succeed in opening up the race once more.

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A recent Abbeyside Picture - By TOM TOBIN

Late Miss Eileen Condon

WOODHOUSE, BALLINAMULT. The announcement of the death of Miss Eileen Condon, which took place at her residence, Woodhouse, on Saturday of last week, after a rather protracted illness, has evoked the deepest feelings of regret throughout West Waterford. Member of one of Co. Waterford's oldest, esteemed and most respected families, the late Miss Condon, who was only in her fifth summer, was one of the most highly idolised young ladies in the district and enjoyed immense popularity among all those who had the pleasure of her acquaintance.

Daughter of Mr. Thomas and the late Mrs. Condon, deceased lady was the possessor of a sincere, kindly and sympathetic disposition; this coupled with her charitable nature and great depth of sincerity made for her many lasting and appreciative friendships. Beloved by all classes, in the family circle her loss is irreparable and deepest sympathy is extended to her bereaved relatives. The remains accompanied by one of the largest funeral corteges seen in the district for a number of years were removed to St. Mary's Church on Monday evening. On Monday, following Masses of Requiem, interment took place in the adjoining cemetery. Very Rev. Fr. Walsh, P.P., assisted by Rev. Fr. Wall, C.C., officiated. The attendance at the interment was again large and representative and testimony of the people's unmistakable expression of regret at the passing of one whom they loved and the sympathy extended for the members of her family.

The chief mourners were: her heart-broken father; her loving sister, Mary; Bridget, her little niece, Siobhan; Johnnie; Thos. Condon, senr. Killooney; (grand uncle); James Condon, Knockavanna (uncle); Mrs. Wall, Knockavanna (aunt); Jim and Bridie Tohill, Ballyduff; Mrs. Norris family, Ballythomas; Mrs. McGovern, Kilkrist; Mrs. Kelly; The Green, Kilkobinet; the O'Brien family, Curraheen, Aglish; Mrs. Grady and Mrs. Coffey, The Nire; Mrs. Garry, Knockavanna; Thomas Condon, Killooney (cousins and relatives). Mass cards were received from: Her heart-broken father; her little niece, Siobhan; Nellie and Sean Norris and family, Ballythomas; Condon family, Ballyconery; Condon family, Killooney; Jerry and Elsie; Paddy and Mary Kelly, Ballinagulkee; Keane family; do; Biddy and John and Mrs. Kelly and family, do; Jack and Mary Morrissey, do; John and Nora Morrissey, Ballinagulkee; Upper, the Barron family, Killooney; Tommie and Eileen McGrath, Ned, Nan and Jim Cullinan, Touraneena; O'Keefe family, Clonegale; Dave, Minnie and Joe O'Brien, Millstreet; Jim Hanrahan, Ballinamult; Michl.

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Scout Notes. TROOP MEETING. At the beginning of the meeting on Saturday night the P.L.s were called out to act the part of Indians on the warpath for scalp-hunts of scouts who chum not answer questions. Of course each P.L. popped question to patrol other than his own. Scalps were represented by belts and in the course of the quiz, a few scouts did lose their scalps and a few others narrowly escaped with their hair on. For first aid reminders a candidate was put in the centre of the room and we were told to imagine that he was a fainting case. A scout was called from the Tiger patrol, told to feel the patient's pulse and say how he was doing. Then from another Patrol came a Scout who was told to feel the patient's face and say how it felt. This went on till all the symptoms were noted and the patient treated but it was shown that the scouts put on the spot were not very sure

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AT DUNGARVAN— Sargent Cup—Abbeyside v. Dungarvan, 3 p.m.

AT DUNHILL— Sargent Cup—Dunhill v. Mt. Sion, 3 p.m.

F.C. Convention

There was a big gathering of delegates from parts of the constituency at Egan's Hotel on Sunday night when General R. Mulcahy, President of the party, presided over and addressed the County party convention, at which candidates for the forthcoming General Election were nominated.

Before the commencement of the proceedings, Aid. T. Lynch proposed a welcome to the party President, which was seconded by Senator J. Butler. In the course of his address to the assembled delegates the President said:

The Constitution of the State recognised that various sections of the people had varied services to offer and varied interests to serve, and the principle of Proportional Representation was enshrined in the first Constitution in order to reflect that in the political life of the country and thereby strengthen the country politically as well as economically. This principle lies at the root of F.G.s whole policy. It was in the operation of this principle that the Inter-Party Government came together in 1948. (Continued next issue)

Following his address Mr. M. Harty M.C.C., proposed a vote of thanks to General R. Mulcahy, which was seconded by Mr. M. Molloy, and passed with great acclamation.

The selection of Aid. Teddy Lynch and Mr. Norman Walsh, M.C.C., to contest the General Election on behalf of the party was unanimous.

and Mrs. Kiely, Lyrrattin; James and Nell Colender, Ballinavoga; the Burke family, Gildin; the Power family, Strand Lodge, Cappoquin; John and Peggie Power, Cahernaleague; Ignatius and Eileen Power, Knock; Ed and Margaret O'Farrell, Langaroran; Helen, Moe, and Jamie, Coolnasmeary; the Phelan family, 37 Grattan Square, Dungarvan; the Kirwan family, Knockempower; the Hickey family, Stradbally; the Grady family, Tinahira; Sheehan family, Ballinakil; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Power, Killooney; Ailish Burke, Dubois; Mrs. McCarthy, Mitchel Street, Dungarvan; Alice and Joseph Kiely, Abbeyside, Dungarvan; Dick Power, the Creamery; Ballinamult; Keane Bros., and Vincent Wade, Ballinagulkee; the Kelley family, The Green, Kilkobinet; Morrissey family, Mitchel Street, Dungarvan; Jock and Pat Power, Londr; Jerri O'Brien and family, Curraheen, Aglish; the Cliffe family, Knockavanna; Lar and Josephine Kiely, Clonegale; Jimmie Kiely and family, Dungarvan; Thos. and Mrs. Nugent, Grattan Square, Dungarvan; Keane family, Cahernaleague; Mrs. Power and family, Kilkibrid; Bridget Whelan, do.; Mrs. McCarty and family, do.; Hickey family, Sleady, Clancy; McGovern family, Kilkibrid, Dungarvan; Tom and Mrs. McCarthy, Ballyhan; Michael and Mary E. Tobin, Chapel Road, Modifog; Joe Dwyer and Danny, Tinahira; Jim and Peg Cliffe, Coolnasmeary; Mrs. Downey and family, Woodhouse; the Beresford family, do.; the Nugent family, Touraneena; Rev. Fr. Bobby Downey, Salesian College, Pallickeny; Mr. Limerick; the Murray family, Ballyquary.

Letters of sympathy and telegrams were received from: Ailish Burke, Dublin; Rev. Fr. B. Downey, Pallaskeyny; Co. Limerick; Con and Mrs. Murphy, Kilkibrid; Maire Kiely, Mercy Convent, Dungarvan; Sr. Angela, Convent of Mercy; Sr. M. Carmel, do.; Sr. M. Benignus, Convent of Mercy, Kilmacshamus; John Sheehan, Ballinagill; Mrs. E. Power, Knock; Nellie, Ballythomas; Mrs. Cullinane and Mrs. Foley, Coolfin; Portlaw; Tom and Mrs. McCarthy, Ballyhan; Jim and Bridie, Ballyconery; Nurse M. Keane, District Hospital, Lismore; the Hickey family, Graigue, Stradbally; Michael and Angela Morrissey, Knockavanna, Ballymacarthy.

(Funeral arrangements by Messrs. J. Kiely & Sons, Shandon).

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