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YOUR NIGHT-CAP



The Eucharistic Fast

HOLY WEEK CEREMONIES IN THE CHURCHES

We give hereunder a résumé of the ceremonies to be conducted in the Parish Church, St. Augustine's and Abbeyside Churches from Holy Thursday to Easter Sunday.

PARISH CHURCH, DUNGARVAN

Holy Thursday—(a) There will be Low Mass for the children at 5 p.m. in the evening. Holy Communion will be distributed to the Faithful during this Mass.

(b) At 7 p.m. there will be Solemn High Mass, at which Holy Communion will be distributed. After this Mass, there will be a Profession of the Blessed Sacrament to the Altar of Repose.

(c) Later in the evening at 9 p.m. there will be special Devotions to the Blessed Sacrament, followed by a sermon on the Blessed Eucharist, which will be preached by the Rev. Fr. Daly, O.M.I.

(d) The Church will be open for a time after the sermon in order to give the faithful an opportunity of visiting the Altar of Repose.

Good Friday—(a) The Liturgical Ceremonies will begin at 5 p.m. in the evening. Holy Communion will be distributed to the Faithful towards the end of these ceremonies.

(b) At 8 p.m. there will be Stations of the Cross, followed by a Sermon on the Passion by Rev. Fr. Daly, O.M.I.

(c) The Crucifix will be presented to the faithful to be kissed and venerated at the Altar Rails, after the Liturgical Ceremonies and also after the sermon on the Passion.

Holy Saturday—(a) Easter Water will be blessed on Holy Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

(b) Confessions will be heard on Saturday from 12 o'clock noon until 3 p.m. and at 6.30 p.m. in the evening; also after the Mass on Saturday night.

(c) The Ceremonies, consisting of the Blessings of the Paschal Fire, Paschal Candle and Baptismal Font, followed by the solemn renewal of the Baptismal Promises, will begin at 8 p.m. Holy Mass will commence about 8.45 p.m. Holy Communion will be distributed at this Mass.

The Faithful who receive Holy Communion at this Mass may receive Holy Communion again on Easter Sunday morning.

Easter Sunday—(a) Masses will be at 8, 9, 10.30 and 11.30 will be a Solemn High Mass.

(b) Short Devotions in the morning at 7.30 p.m. Note—The Faithful who wish to receive Holy Communion at the afternoon or evening Masses of Holy Week, also during the Liturgical Ceremonies on Good Friday, must fast at least for three hours from solid food and alcoholic drinks before receiving, and from liquids for one hour. Water may be taken at any time before receiving, as long as it is not longer breaks the fast.

AT ST. AUGUSTINE'S—On Holy Thursday, High Mass will be celebrated at 6.30 p.m. On Good Friday, Holy Communion will be given at 4.30 p.m. At 8 p.m. there will be Stations of the Cross and Sermon on the Passion.

On Easter Saturday, ceremonies will begin at 11 p.m. with High Mass at midnight.

On Easter Sunday, there will be High Mass at 11.30 a.m. **AT ABBEYSIDE CHURCH**—Holy Mass will be celebrated at 7.30 p.m. on Holy Thursday.

On Good Friday, ceremonies will commence at 4.30 p.m. At midnight Mass followed by Holy Communion.

WATERFORDMEN'S ASSOCIATION

The Editor, Dungarvan Observer Dear Sir,—and Mr. Tobin: Thank you in full, the letter published in full, the letter I addressed to you recently. May I trespass on your space with some more comments.

Waterford Co. Council adjourns proposal to...

APPOINT NO FURTHER RATE COLLECTOR

SAYS COUNCILLOR FORAN

A proposal to appoint no further rate collectors provided a lively discussion at a special meeting of Waterford County Council in Dungarvan on Monday last.

It was moved by Mr. W. Foran and read that in view of the alarming high cost of collecting rates, Waterford County Council appoint no further rate collectors as vacancies arise but instead have rates collected through the County Council offices.

Speaking in support of it, Mr. Foran stated that he failed to see why the rates could not be collected through the office without having to appoint numerous collectors throughout the county, each drawing very substantial sums of money. His proposal would boost the morale of the ratepayers, the greater majority of whom would prefer to pay their rates to the office. As matters were, they had a colossal burden thrown on the shoulders of the ratepayers due to the large number of collectors who were being carried forward by the council year after year.

Mr. Foran calls for economies

Mr. Foran went on to state that they would have to make economies in every way possible.

Mr. Lannon—This proposal was adopted by other councils and it has been successful.

Co. Manager—Kerry tried it but they are going back to the collectors again.

Mr. D. Heskin agreed it was very necessary to go into details as to what the proposed changes would mean. He would like to know if it would mean having to take on more staff and there were many other questions as well that he would like to have answered.

Mr. Keane speaking in favour of Mr. Foran's resolution in principle, stated there was one man collecting a fairly wide area in the county but when he went out of services four collectors were appointed to his work. The whole thing was ridiculous, he said. He knew of a man who would be prepared to collect in the area covered by these four collectors for £800 a year and he would be very glad to get it.

Mr. Lannon referred to the E.S.B. and stated that one person sitting in an office in some place like Dungarvan could successfully collect the accounts of a very large area. He could not see why a properly organised system could not be put into operation with the Co. Council offices.

Mr. J. Quirke stated that the E.S.B. had a sure way of making people pay. If they didn't pay their accounts, one twist of a spanner would leave them without light and power.

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Accountant's Statement

AUDITOR'S REPORT EXPLAINED TO MEMBERS

MR. O'LEARY, Co. Council on the accounts of the Waterford County Council for the following explanatory statement, submitted the following explanatory statement, dealing with the Local last Monday's meeting of the Government Auditor's report Co. Council.

A report of the Auditor's Statement has already been published exclusively in the "Observer".

Warnings unheeded

Similar warnings were issued by the Manager and went unheeded in reports on estimates prior and subsequent to that date.

The reference to the grant outstanding in respect of St. Carthage's Hospital relates to a payment of approximately £28 due to the council which had been claimed from the Dept. but was not accompanied by references to sanctions which the Dept. required. These sanctions were I understand available at the Ardeen Hospital and not in the Accounts office, and should have been sought at the time. The matter is now being disposed of.

While the report makes reference to the fact that the Auditor called attention to travelling expenses of Health Inspectors in his report for the year ended 31/3/54, it must be remembered that the report for that year was not received by the Council until after the expiration of the year 1954/55. The amount of travelling expenses paid to the Health Inspectors, especially in the

period before rates can be collected.

The Auditor's Report on the Accounts of this Council for the year ended 31/3/55 is submitted to you in accordance with the provisions of the relevant portions of Article 25 of the Public Bodies Order 1956 which reads as follows:

(25B) "If the public body is a local authority, he shall submit the said copies to the Manager for inspection, and shall lay the said copies before the directing body at the next meeting."

(25D) "He shall furnish a copy of the said certified Accounts Report to every member of the public body without charge."

In view of the implications in the said report I consider it incumbent on me to avail of this opportunity to set before the members the explanations to which I think you are entitled. I propose accordingly to deal serially with the relevant points raised by the Auditor in the order set out by him as follows:

The debit balance of £150,036.42 referred to must in any appraisal of the financial situation of the Council be offset against the liquid assets of the Council amounting to approximately £116,000, as shown in the Abstract of Accounts accompanying the report. The debit balance on the Roads account is shown as £20,547, but the table of assets shows that Road Grant unpaid at the 31/3/55 amounted to £23,495. The Health Account shows a debit balance of £25,556 but your attention is drawn to Health Receipts (mainly grants) outstanding as £31,533. The general purposes account shows a debit balance of £86,961 and principally reflects the situation in regard to the Machinery and Materials Expense Account referred to later.

The gap as between the net debit balance and the outstanding assets referred to above amounts to £33,547 but it must be borne in mind these figures represent the liquid position only and does not take into account the value of stocks of materials, machinery etc. owned by the Council. The cost price of machinery alone amounts to £125,659. It would seem however that to

Liquid position only

complain about these things if they should come to pass. They had pointed out what would happen prior to the election if Labour were not put into the position to have the balance of power. This was not done by the workers so they must accept what came. The Labour Party could now only point out their folly to the people and hope that the hardships, trials and difficulties that would be theirs by the proposals to reduce the balance of payments by a reduction in the standard of living of the workers would teach them not to, when the time came again, put their trust in any Party but their own.

They accepted the fact that the Fianna Fail Party had not a mandate from the people to deal with that problem and they would be anxiously awaiting the outline of their policy when the Dail re-assembled.

Recent improvements in the position relative to the balance of payments were brought about by actions taken by the previous Government and not by the present one as must be evident to anyone who would consider the change of Government did not take place until March 10th and the three monthly period from January to the end of March showed an improvement of some £14,000,000. Fianna Fail were in Government for little more than a week of this period.

Should the Government decide to abolish food subsidies as advised by the committee set up to examine the position, there would be very little use in trying to claim that because this Committee was set up by the previous Government, it must follow that had that Government remained in power they would do the same. While the Labour Party had been in the Cabinet, food subsidies would have remained. The workers would want to note, especially the unorganised workers, with concern another recommendation of the Advisory Committee. This was that should the Government remove the food subsidies, and thus force up the cost of living they should at the same time control all wage increases. This was in effect that any increase in food prices should not be compensated for by permitting further increases of wages. The Statutory Order of the Emergency was the weapon to be used on the workers again.

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Old I.R.A. Commemoration

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The ceremony programme is as follows: Old I.R.A. and associate bodies from Parist's Cross, Cahernaleague to Touraneena, at 3 p.m. headed by Dungarvan Pipers Band. At graveside—unveiling of headstone, Rosary, reading 1916 Proclamation, oration, sounding of Last Post. C.I.E. bus will leave Square at 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. approx. Tickets, 4/- each, can be had from Larry Fraker, Main St., at 10 o'clock Mass at the Priory Church on Sunday will be offered for the happy repose of the souls of those who gave their lives in the fight for Irish Freedom.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

VOICE YOUR OPINION

THE INSIDE STORY

The Editor, Dungarvan Observer A. Chara,

In reference to the article "The Inside Story" appearing under the name of Tom Tobin in your issue of Saturday, 13th April, I beg to take opportunity through your columns to refute some of the many inaccurate and lying statements which appeared therein.

Regarding the accident to Mr. George McGrath it is stated that I never saw it. I never made such a statement and in fact made a full report of the accident to the Garda Authorities when requested to do so. Mr. Tobin implies that I struck Mr. George McGrath during the interval of the Sargent Cup game at Cappoquin in the sentence: "That difference led to blows..." I had no conversation whatsoever with George McGrath on that occasion. At the match in question one blow was struck and that was by George McGrath. I was at the receiving end but did not retaliate.

Subsequent to legal proceedings I received through my solicitor an apology from Mr. George McGrath which I accepted. This can be seen at the offices of my solicitor, Mr. J. O'Gorman, Lismore, at any time. Should Mr. Tobin or Mr. Bob McGrath wish to reopen the case my solicitor will be only too glad to facilitate them in the matter.

It is surprising that a reputable correspondent as Mr. Tobin is taken to be, did not take the trouble of verifying the accuracy of serious statements before committing them to print. Miss Le mean.

M. O. POLAIRD, Sráid an tSeipil, Lios Mór.

LIBRARY SERVICE

The Editor, Dungarvan Observer Sir, We note Mr. J. E. McConville's remarks re Library Service and his feeble defence of same. I hasten to convey to my learned friend that I am not of the glib type, lest he should lull himself into any false sense of security. Also let him not draw too much on his tain imaginative powers if he thinks I am one of those who benefit from any County Council service.

My dear Mr. McConville as regards paying for me even your advice would not be welcome my way. I fill a category in only one. Later I will return to others. We ratepayers have to exist, something that no library can teach us, only by our own exertions.

salaries; they are pretty well remunerated for their work. To me the Library Service means nothing but a drain on our finances and it's not the only one. Later I will return to others. We ratepayers have to exist, something that no library can teach us, only by our own exertions.

RATEPAYER

Festival film will be shown in town

Preparations are going on apace in Dungarvan to make this the seventh All-Ireland Festival of Traditional Music, the best ever.

All the sub-committees are fully geared for action and results show that the people of Dungarvan are fully behind the Festival Committee in their effort to surpass all previous festivals.

Entries are pouring in to the Festival Headquarters and requests for accommodation are in every post. The Committee wish to thank those who so readily subscribed to the guarantee for funds and those who wished to do so but were late.

All those interested in the festival are invited to the Town Hall on Sunday, 29th April, when members of last year's festival committee at Ennis will attend and a film will be shown, which will give an idea of the magnitude of the task before us.

The interest being taken in the festival from outside sources, is stressed by the fact that reporters and photographers of 22 Sunday papers were in town during the week looking for copy and photographs in connection with the Festival.

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Deputy Kyne reviews the national position

LABOUR WILL CO-OPERATE IF ?

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The Ormonde Cinema

Performance Each Night at 8.30 p.m. Matinee, Sunday, at 2.15 p.m.

Sunday, 21st April - Jeffrey Hunter, Michael Rennie in SINGLE-HANDED. Drama, from the novel by C. S. Forester. Also Margaret Lindsay, Walter Reed in EMERGENCY HOSPITAL DRAMA.

Monday, 22nd - For One Night - Lloyd Bridge, Barbara Payne in TRAPPED. Drama. Also Victor Mature, Mari Blanchard in VEILS OF BAGDAD.

Tuesday 23rd - For One Night - Cornel Wilde, Richard Conte THE BIG COMBO. Drama. Also Leo Gurney, Huntz Hall in HIGH SOCIETY. Comedy.

Wednesday 24th - Two Nights - Glen Ford, Valerie French in JUBAL. Technicolor Drama in CinemaScope.

Friday 26th - For One Night - Van Heflin, Julia Adams in WINGS OF THE HAWK. Technicolor Drama. Also Alvin Karpis and Cowello MEET DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE. Release Comedy.

Saturday 27th - One Night - Peter Graves, Joan Vohs in FORT YUMA. Technicolor Outdoor drama.

The Management reserves the right to postpone admission and to alter the programme.

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FOR SALE - Drop-side Cot with interior spring mattress. Low Baby Chair. Iron Bedstead (single) with Mattress. Formica Topped Table, 5' x 3'. Apply Box 613.

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I have received instructions from Miss Margaret Foley (who is changing her residence) to Sell.

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KILMACHTHOMAS NOTES

Average Prices realised at the monthly cattle, sheep and pig fair of Kilmachthomas held on Friday of last week were as follows: Beef cattle, 130/- to 140/- per cwt. live weight; store cattle, 150/- per cwt. one-year-olds, £25 to £40; two year olds (heifers), £30 to £40; two year olds (bulls), £25 to £35; canning cows, £20 to £25; white-head heifer calves made up to £8; whitehead bull calves fetched up to £15; shorthorn bulls, £6 to £9; poll angus bulls, £7 to £12; and white calves, around £3. Sheep—hoggets, £8 to £9 10s.; ewes, £6 to £7 10s.; swine—strong pigs, £8 to £10; and bonhams up to £13 a pair.
 Sympathy in full measure is extended to well and popularly known Mr. Maurice Power, Western Terrace, Kilmachthomas (who is signaller at the local C.I.E. Station) in his bereavement occasioned by the sudden death of his very esteemed brother, Mr. John Power, Ballyduff, Kilmeehan, all that was mortal of whom was interred at the family burial ground in the cemetery on Tuesday week, 9th inst. after Requiem Mass in the sacred edifice where the coffin had lain overnight, and Very Rev. M. J. Murray, P.P., Ballyduff and Portlary, officiated at the graveside in the presence of a great gathering of relatives, friends and sympathisers. R.I.P.

Have it that after the annual Puppy Show taking place at the kennels in Seafield, Ballymahon, early next month the Waterford Foxhounds will be transferred from their quarters there to kennels newly-erected at Rockmount, where, before the turn of the century, the dogs of the Waterford Hunt Club, Mr. Arthur Hunt, kept and hunted his own pack—the famous "Rockmount" Blenheim. Mr. R. Russell, M.F.H., Seafield, Ballymahon, nephew of Mr. Hunt and he has hunted the Waterfords since the death of his father, the late Mr. Russell, M.F.H., from whose time the Waterford packs have kennelled on the Seafield estate.

Late Mr. M. Power, Churchtown, Carrick-on-Suir — Peace departed citizen. He was a relative of Mr. John Butler, Ballymeaden, Mrs. Patrick O'Reilly, Stradbally; Mrs. Wm. O'Brien, Knockrour, and Mrs. Michael Coffey, Carrigcastle.

Details appear in the advertising columns of this copy of the ninth annual dance under the auspices of the Kilmachthomas Branch, Macra na Feirme. The eagerly looked forward affair is set for the Rainbow Hall on to-morrow (Sunday) night week, and Joe McGinty's Band is booked to discourse the music.

LISMORE NOTES

WEEKLY WHIST
 The weekly whist drive was held in St. Carthage's Hall on Tuesday night and the following are the results:
 Ladies' 1st, Miss S. O'Donnell, South Mall, Lismore (143); 2nd, Miss E. Farrell, District Hospital (142); half-time, Mrs. J. Pearce, Town Parks (75).
 Gent's 1st, tie between Mr. P. Moloney, New Street and Mr. H. Cooke, Main St. (142). Half-time, Mr. J. Pender, Carriganour (75). Miniature, Mrs. B. Scannell, New St. (42).

WEEKLY 45 DRIVE
 The weekly 45 drive was held in St. Carthage's Hall on Friday night and the following are the results: 1st, Mr. J. Power, Deerpark (23 games); 2nd, Mr. W. Linsell, Main St. (21 games); 3rd, Mr. P. Crawley, Tourin (20 games). Special prize won by Mr. J. Coughlan, Main St. and Mr. J. Troy, New St.

LATE MRS. E. MOORE
 It is with deepest regret that we record the death of Mrs. E. Moore, Ballysaggart, which sad event occurred at her residence last week. The deceased was a very popular and well-liked lady and a devout Catholic. To her sorrowing relatives and friends we extend our deepest sympathy in their sad bereavement.—R.I.P.

LATE MR. B. O'KEEFFE
 It is our sad duty to record the death of Mr. Bartholomew O'Keefe which sad event occurred at his residence in Church Street. The deceased who had reached a good age, was a very popular gentleman and will be missed by his many friends and especially by his sorrowing relatives, to whom we offer our deepest sympathy. The remains were removed to St. Carthage's Church on Wednesday evening and received and blessed by Rev. Canon McGrath, P.P., assisted by Rev. Fr. Murphy, C.C., and Rev. Fr. McGrath, C.C. The burial took place in St. Carthage Cemetery on Thursday. Very Rev. Canon McGrath P.P., officiated at the graveside, assisted by both C.C.s.—R.I.P.

Touraneena, Fourmilewater Kilbrien, Ballymacarbray and Modeligo Notes
 By TODD FLYNN, P.C.

EASTER
 Easter is with us again, with its promise of renewed life and hope, and its divine pledge of ultimate spiritual victory. We see around in various signs of vernal rejuvenation. The winter has passed and the flowers have appeared, the fields assume their mantle of emerald emerald, and the birds are busy brooding with gold of primrose and buttercup bestrewn with lines of cowslip and shot over with the silver of daisies. Wisely do the migrants, the cuckoo and swallow await the propitious time to glide softly into the banqueting hall of Spring. The spirit of mildness is in the air, the gentle beauty of his lovely radiant Spring and giving us life, hope and victory, the triple message of Spring.

"We see each tree an Easter tree, The larks are singing clear And oh, the scents and sounds of Spring. How sweet they are, how dear, Easter has a dramatically significant meaning for us in Ireland. We remember the Easter when St. Patrick kindled at Siane the Paschal fire "which shall never be extinguished," and also the Easter when Brian Boru crushed the Danes at Clontarf and swept them with blood stained banners into the foaming billows of the Irish sea. We remember too, the Easter of 1916 when Ireland rose triumphantly from seven centuries of thraldom and faced the world with glorious aspect and countenance serene. We salute the memory of all those who served the sacred cause in every generation and we pray that the dawn of another Easter shall float freely and triumphantly over the four green fields.

Be green upon their graves, Oh happy Spring, For they were young and eager Who are dead.
COMMEMORATION CEREMONY
 "The stones that mark their graves will speak down the ages to the generations that come after us." The village of Touraneena on Sunday next will again resound to the tramp of marching men, as the men of another generation who moulded our country's destiny will again assemble to pay tribute to the memory of their comrade, the late Captain Thomas O'Brien, Dyrrick Company, 7th Batt. Sunday next is specially set aside to pay tribute to the fallen and to mourn those great Irishmen who have crossed life's threshold into Eternity. In this respect Touraneena is not lacking when a monument marking the last resting place of Capt. O'Brien will be unveiled. We are pleased to see that the memory of this great Irish soldier shall forever be preserved in this truly appropriate monument. Our pleasure is also mixed with sorrow when we think back on his death in the prime of life—a life given and I feel I can speak with some authority in this respect as we had an opportunity of observing the havoc wrought on his fine physique by his exertions in his country's fight for freedom—a life given for freedom as assuredly as if he had fallen in one of his many fields of battle. At this point we would like to dwell on some qualities of this great Irishman, a well-known perhaps than his prowess in battle but nonetheless important as integral elements in that great ensemble that was Thomas O'Brien. His almost embarrassing modesty, his chivalry and generosity—which were wont to capture so swiftly the admiration of the most sceptical of his detractors.

Chief characteristic in his brief span of life was his intense loyalty to his comrades, loyalty begotten on hardship, preparations and dangers, all of which were borne with a courage every other fact of his career he can be reckoned as one of the most loving and lovable of men. He now sleeps his long sleep resting beneath the shambles in his native Touraneena, and on this coming Easter his comrades of the West Waterford Brigade and in particular those of the 7th Batt. will honour his memory in the word MEMORANCE.

The G.A.A. Clubs and other organisations are requested to assemble at Parker's Cross, Cahernaleague at 2.30 p.m. at 3 o'clock the parade is due to start to Touraneena Cemetery followed by the reading of the Easter Week Proclamation, a brief oration and the sounding of the Last Post.

LATE MR. THOMAS TOBIN, KILBRIEN UPPER.
 The announcement of the death at a Waterford hospital at a comparatively early age of Mr. Thomas Tobin, Kilbrien Upper, Ballinamut, has occasioned the deepest regret throughout the area where deceased enjoyed immense popularity amongst an ever expanding circle of friends. A kindly, inoffensive and unassuming gentleman, the late Thomas Tobin, in his young days was actively associated with the movement for Independence and contributed to its success in the area. Well-known for his sincerity and charitable disposition, characteristics which made for him lasting and appreciative friendships and which won for him an enduring place in the hearts of the many who now deeply and deservedly mourn his passing. The remains were removed to Kilbrien Church on Thursday, March 28, when the coffin was received and blessed by Rev. Fr. Walsh, C.C. On Friday following Masses Requiem interment took place in the adjoining cemetery, Rev. Fr. Walsh, C.C., officiated. Very Rev. Fr. Power, P.P., was also in attendance. The attendance of the general public on both days was large and representative.

The chief mourners were Mrs. Tobin (widow); Patrick and Martin Tobin (sons); Elsie, Mary and Kitty Tobin (daughters).

SLIABH gCUA DEFEAT GERALDINES
 At Cappoquin on Sunday last Sliahb gCua junior footballers had an easy victory over Geraldines in their first-round championship tie.

MEETINGS.
 Deputy T. A. Kynne was the principal speaker at Labour Party meeting held at Lismore and Tallow on Sunday last.

LATE GARDIA C. McGRATH
 Garda McGrath, whilst engaged in gardening work on plot attached to Kilkenny Garda Station collapsed and died on the grounds. Closely identified in the movement for Independence, he was a member of the first Station party to take up duty in the Waterford-Kilkenny division and served in Lismore, Tramore, Cappoquin, Dungarvan and Waterford City before being transferred to Kilkenny some 18 years ago.

WINNER OF SINGING
 This week we extend congratulations to a much esteemed pupil of David Flynn, son of Mr. Mrs. Thomas Flynn, Killooney Ballinamut, on his outstanding success on being adjudicated the winner of a singing competition held recently at Touraneena for which he was awarded a very valuable Cup Trophy. There was a large number of competitors.

POBHLACHT NA BEIREANN
 "The Provisional Government of the Irish Republic—
 "To the People of Ireland—
 "Irishmen and Irishwomen—
 In the name of God and of the dead generations from which she receives her old tradition of Nationhood, Ireland through us summons her children to her flag and strikes for her freedom.
 "Having organised and trained her manhood through her secret revolutionary organisation, The Irish Republican Brotherhood and through her open military organisation, The Irish Volunteers and the Irish Citizen Army, she declares that she is now ready to receive the oath of allegiance to the Provisional Government of the Irish Republic and to defend it to the death.
 "The long usurpation of that right by a foreign people and government has not extinguished the right, nor can it ever be extinguished by the destruction of the Irish people. In every generation the Irish people have asserted their rights to national freedom and sovereignty. Six times during the past three hundred years they have asserted it in arms in the face of the world. We hereby proclaim the Irish Republic as a Sovereign Independent State, and we pledge our lives and our souls to our comrades-in-arms to the cause of its freedom, of its welfare and of its exaltation among the nations.
 "The Irish Republic is entitled to, and hereby claim the allegiance of every Irishman and Irish woman. The Republic guarantees religious and civil liberty, equal rights and equal opportunities to all its citizens, and declares its resolve to pursue the happiness and prosperity of the whole nation and of all its parts, cherishing all the children of the nation equally and oblivious of the differences carefully fostered by an alien

A MOTHER WANTS A HOME TO EDUCATE HER CHILDREN

The mother of six children whose home is a caravan on the outskirts of the town appeared before a meeting of Dungarvan Urban Council last Friday night seeking a house so that she could provide an education for her children.
 She was Mrs. Bernard Dunne who is at present staying at Springmount, Dungarvan. She was introduced to the meeting by Colr. R. Keane who stated that she was anxious to get a house in Dungarvan so that she could send her children to school. As matters stood the family could not remain in any one place for longer than a week or two and right now the mother was anxious to have one of her children confirmed in Dungarvan.

A NATIVE OF DUNGARVAN
 Mrs. Dunne stated that she was a native of the town. "I was bred, born and reared here," she said "and I am anxious to settle down here if I can get a house."

The Acting Town Clerk, Mr. M. O'Meara said she was not on the priority list because she applied too late. The Manager had refused to accept all the applications that came in late.

Mr. T. Lannon—He can do that when it suits him and he can give houses to people who are not entitled to them.
 The Chairman told Mrs. Dunne that all they could do in her case was make a recommendation to the Manager.
 Mr. M. O'Meara stated that the Priority List had actually been approved by the Manager according to an order he had just received. The order also stated that anyone who refused to take the house offered would lose his place on the list and would be placed at the bottom.

Finally on the proposal of Mr. Lannon he was agreed to ask the Manager to reconsider the case of the five people who were late for inclusion on the list.

Government, which have divided a minority from the majority in the past.
 Until our arms have brought the opportune moment for the establishment of a permanent National Government, representative of the whole people of Ireland and elected by the suffrages of all her men and women, the Provisional Government, hereby constituted, will administer the civil and military affairs of the Republic in trust for the people. We place the cause of the Irish Republic under the protection of the most High God, whose blessing we invoke upon our arms, and we pray that no one who serves that cause will dishonour it by cowardice, inhumanity or rapine. In this supreme hour the Irish Nation must, by its valour and discipline and by the readiness of its children to sacrifice themselves for the common good, prove itself worthy of the august destiny to which it is called.

"Signed on behalf of the Provisional Government: Sean MacDiarmada, Thomas J. Clarke, Thomas MacDonagh, P. H. Pearse, Eamonn Ceannt, James Connolly, Joseph Plunkett."

SEEN, HEARD AND NOTED
 We note the name, Mr. Thomas Quann, Lackendara, Ballinamut, figuring in prize lists in a recent drawing of prizes held at Cappoquin.

Newcastle had an easy 3-13 to 1-0 victory over Carrick-on-Suir in the first round (Group two) of the South Tipperary junior football championship played at Clonmel. The brothers T. and O. O'Flynn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Flynn, Croughloneey, Ballinamut, contributed much to the success of Newcastle. T. O'Flynn gave a convincing display when playing senior hurling with Tipperary versus Wexford on Sunday last at Thurles.

THE GLADDEST DAY
 A song of sunshine through the rain,
 Of Spring across the snow,
 A balm to heal the hurts of pain,
 A peace surpassing woe.
 Lift up your heads, ye sorrowing ones,
 And be ye glad of heart
 For Calvary and Easter day
 Earth's saddest day and gladdest day
 Were just one day apart.

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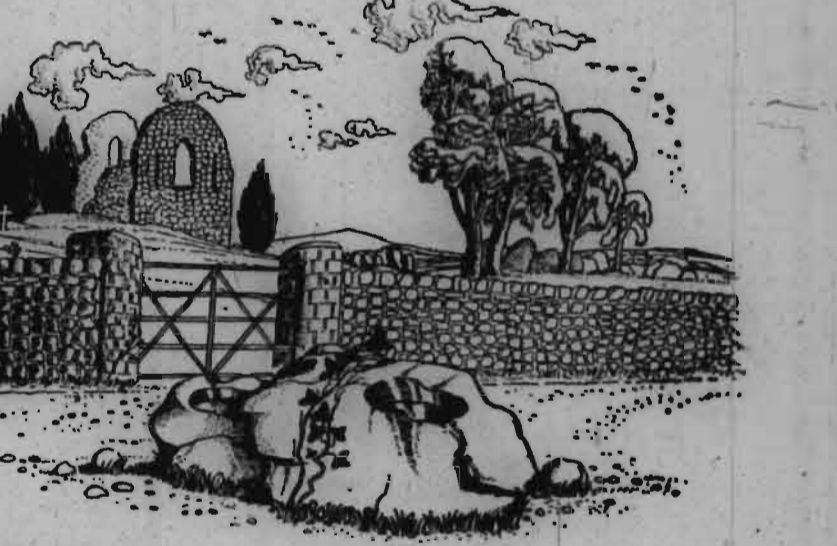
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TALLOW NOTES

BIG CATCH
Whilst fishing in the River Bride near Tallow Bridge recently, Mr. Gerald Sheehan, well known member of Tallow Angling Association hooked a salmon which weighed 14 lbs.

TALLOW I.C.A.
Representatives of Tallow Guild I.C.A. travelled to Ardmore for the area competition of the Social Half Hour. Three teams competed, Ardmore, Coolnaman and Tallow. Tallow were declared the winners securing 90%. On the following evening, Tallow travelled to Waterford for the County final against Waterford City Association where they were again successful with 92%. They will now be representing Waterford in the next stage of the competition which is the inter-county stage. This competition is open to all the guilds in the country and is for the "Eleanor Gibbon" Cup. Those taking part were Misses E. Hartigan, M. Hartigan, Myra Ryan, Bernice McCarthy, B. Hogan, M. and B. Willis, Mrs. D. Doyle and Mrs. J. Frazier. We wish them every success in the competition and hope they will bring All-Ireland honours to the Brideside town.

LIGHT WANTED AT WEST END.
Now that the residents of Chapel Street have been provided with an extra light, residents of West End are hoping that they will be treated in a like manner. Some fourteen houses in this portion of the town are without the advantages of electric lighting. Let us hope that their claim will be considered soon.

EASTER SUNDAY NIGHT'S ARCH ATTRACTION . . .
On Easter Sunday night, April 21st, the Sylvan Show Band (Limerick) will be playing at The Arch Ballroom, Tallow. This band is under the personal direction of drummer-vocalist Eiri Connolly and features Gretta Tucker at the clavoline organ.

F.C.A. NOTES
DUNGARVAN BATTALION
EASTER PARADE
On Sunday next the 21st inst., Easter Sunday, the annual parade will be held in Cork. This year every available F.C.A. member is expected to attend and this Unit has been asked to supply at least 100 members. This Battalion has always been the fore in all competitions for some years back so I appeal to each member to do his utmost to attend this parade and show that the spirit in the Dungarvan Unit is as good as it is known to be.

Transport will leave the under-mentioned places as shown, on Saturday 20th: Dungarvan, 3 p.m., Ring 2.30 p.m., Clashmore, 3 p.m.; Aghis, 3.30 p.m., Millstreet, 3.45 p.m.

Members will report to Collins Barracks, Cork, on Saturday evening, the 20th inst and it is hoped that all members will be in time for transport as shown above.

RANGE PRACTICES
Due to training for the Easter Parade, range practices which were to be held on Sunday, the 14th April had to be postponed. Youghal Range will be at the disposal of this Unit on Sunday, the 28th April. Transport will leave Battalion Headquarters at 11 o'clock and it is hoped that a large number will attend. This will be the final date for the selection of the Battalion Shooting teams. The area shoot will take place at Kilworth on the 12th May, 1957.

FULL-TIME TRAINING
The next period of full-time training will commence at Collins Barracks, Cork, on the 27th April, 1957. Members who intend to avail of this period should hand in their names to Batt. Hqs. as soon as possible. Members should note that to qualify for gratuity while on full-time training, they must have at least two parades per month completed before they report for training. Members who have completed annual training this current year should remember that this does not complete their commitments and hours of training for the current year, they must still attend a number of local parades. Lately some members are under the impression that once they attend full-time training they need not attend any more local parades for the year, this idea may lead them to be posted non-effective at the end of the year due to not having the required number of local parades.

WEST WATERFORD NEWS

CLASHMORE BOWLING CLUB
Result of Sweep was as follows: 1. Joan Murray, Cappoquin; 2. Mrs. Muleahy, Ardmore; 3. J. Flavin, Clashmore.

PARISH PLAN LAUNCHED
The Parish Plan in the Aghlish-Ardmore-Clashmore area was officially launched at a public meeting held at Clashmore, Rev. M. Power, B.A., C.C., Clashmore president and Dr. H. Spain, Department of Agriculture, explained the plan in detail and expressed the hope that all members of the agricultural community would avail of the services of the newly appointed Parish Agent.

The attendance included Rev. J. Foley, Mr. J. Curran, B.Agr. Sc. (Parish Agent); Mr. M. Moran, B.Agr. Sc. (Parish Agent), Conna-Ballyduff area, and representatives of N.F.A., Macra na Feirme, Muintir na Tire and I.C.A. The Co. Committee of Agriculture was represented by Messrs. P. Conroy, C.A.O., W. Dower, M.C.C., Sand C. Curran, M.C.C.

CLASHMORE-AGLISH C.T.A.
The Supervisor of the Clashmore-Aglish C.T.A. in the course of his report to the annual general meeting stated that the average yield for 1956 was 6,793 lbs. milk with an average test of 3.70 per cent and a calculated yield of 251.38 lbs. The average money value of the produce was £57-1-6.

The best individual cow was Mr. D. McGrath's Grace, 10,332 lbs. milk, average test, 4.15% and £27-7-7. The second was Mr. T. Curran's reg. cow, "McDonald", 10,192 lbs. milk, average test, 4.20%, 428.06 lbs. B.F., value, £95-16-0.

The worst cow yielded 2,570 lbs. milk with an average test of 3.43% and produced 89.75 lbs. B.F., thus earning only £20-10-0—a difference of £75-11-0 in favour of the best cow.

The average yield of the five best cows was 10,133 lbs. milk, with an average test of 4.06 per cent and 411.55 lbs. B.F. each; their earnings being £92-8-0.

The five worst cows gave an average yield of 3,513 lbs. milk with an average test of 3.55% and 125.71 lbs. B.F. each. Their average earnings were £28-13-0—a difference of £63-15-0 per cow in favour of the five best animals.

Mr. Thomas Curran was the owner of the best herd whose average yield was 4,443 lbs. milk and 324.43 lbs. B.F. and earned £74-18-0 each.

The worst herd gave an average yield of 6,288 lbs. milk and 215.16 lbs. B.F., and earned £49-6 each, a difference of £23-12 per cow in favour of the best herd.

As on previous years the high yielding cows had a higher test than the low yielding animals. The average yield was about 250 gallons per cow more than the national average—a fact which amply illustrates the advantages of milk recording. It is indeed a pity that more dairy farmers do not keep records and thus increase the earning capacity of their herds by about £25 per cow.

Mr. W. Dower, M.C.C., was unanimously re-elected president. Mr. M. J. Dromey, C.T.I., congratulated the members on a very successful year and gave an interesting and instructive talk on the breeding and care of dairy stock.

SUCCESSFUL AGLISH CONCERT.
On Sunday night last, the talented members of Aghlish Dramatic Society presented in the Glebe Hall that well-known play, "The Sorrows of Joshua." There was a large and appreciative audience and the standard of acting by the different members of the caste was exceptionally high and won well-merited applause. The supporting programme was also of a high standard.

INCH ENTERTAINMENT
Clashmore Dramatic Class directed by Miss Fyfl Morrissey, presented a successful concert and dramatic and variety entertainment at Inch (Killeagh). There was a large attendance who frequently applauded the different items.

Late Mrs. Mary Sanford

Youghal Road, Dungarvan
It is with sincere regret that we chronicle the death of Mrs. Mary Sanford, wife of William Sanford, Rices Street, Dungarvan, which occurred at her residence on Thursday, 4th March, last.

She was a native of the district and a very well-known personality whose hospitality and good neighbourly spirit made her the very good friend of all. She was a good mother and wife and held the respect of the community in which she lived all through her life.

A fine tribute was paid her memory at the removal of her remains to St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan, on Friday evening March 5th where they were received by Rev. D. Byrne, C.C. At the burial in the adjoining cemetery on Saturday another large and representative gathering paid their last respects to yet another member of the departed old stock of the Old Boro. May she rest in peace.

The chief mourners were: William Sanford (husband); Mrs. M. Whelan (sister-in-law); E. Kirby (daughter); Michael Whelan, Congress Villas, and Tom Whelan, U.S.A. (brothers); Mr. E. Kirby (son-in-law); Mrs. M. Sanford (daughter-in-law); Mrs. M. Whelan (sister-in-law); Kirby children (grandchildren).

Mass cards were received from: Willie, Tom and Enea, Michael and Mary Sanford, Edgar Kirby and Joan and children; your loving brother, Michael, Nora and family; Mrs. J. Whelan and family, Abbeyside; the Sandford family, 13, Mitchell Terrace; Pat and Mrs. Ryan and family; John and Thomas Tobin and family; Mary Tobin, Abbeyside; John McGrath; Sandford family, O'Connell St.; John and Agnes Whelan, 5, Fitzgerald's Terrace; Michael and Margaret Whelan; Michael and Mamie O'Connell; O'Donnells, Youghal Road; Dan, Kathleen and John, Rice's St.; Engineering Staff, D.L.C.; Barrys of Ballybarahan; Willie and Birdie, Keating St.; Willie and Kay Burke and family; Thomas Turck; M. M. Lannen; Dan, Duggan and family; Shandon; J. J. Clancy, James Barron and family; Kathleen Dalton and family; Harry O'Brien and mother; Mary Rosister and family; Rice's St.; Mrs. B. M. O'Brien; S. O. Caorain; B. M. O'Brien; S. O. Faolain; P. de Paor, D. O. Leannachin, T. Poirer.

Molitor: M. L. O. Faolain.
Dungarvan Theas 6-1:
Oglaigh na gComaich 2-2
The town boys created a first-class surprise when they beat their more fancied opponents who had well and truly beaten them in the first round. The winners adopted the tactics of beating their opponents at their own game, first time pulling and hard ground hurling with close tackling. Gone was the inclination to lift and the scoreboard tells its tale of success. C. O. Curran lashed in a great goal but A. O. Faolain quickly negated it. L. O. Meara had the green flag flying again seconds later, and a clever pass by R. Mac Uaiteir let C. O. Curran in for another major. D. O. Coireal had a further goal and a point, the former from a 70. The Comeragh boys fought back and D. O. Cullinan, Kilmachomas, shook the net with a rasper. S. Breathnach had two great saves from O. Hallachain and P. O. Floinn but A. O. Faolain quickly negated the last point. Best for the winners: E. Guid (capt.), B. O. Comartun, P. O. Riordan, S. O. Deasunaigh and P. O. Rain.

For the losers: S. O. Caorain, B. M. O'Brien, S. O. Faolain, P. de Paor, D. O. Leannachin, T. Poirer.
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RADIO EIREANN

EASTER SUNDAY, 21st APRIL 10.15—News.
10.25—Weather Forecast.
10.30—High Mass
11.15—Signpost
11.55—Lull at Orb.
12.30—New Recordings.
12.30—Rogha na nEisteoiri
1.00—New Recordings of Irish Music.
1.30—"High Barbarell"
1.45—"Celtic Fire"
2.00—"Hal's a Poppin"
2.30—"Question Time"
3.15—"The Wall"
4.35—"Piano Music by Bach"
5.00—"Celtic Folk"
5.30—"Down the Country"
5.57—Interlude.
6.00—"The Angelus"
6.01—Nuacht Anall, Nuacht Abhtus.
6.25—Appeal.
6.30—News.
6.45—Soccer Survey.
6.55—Provincial News Round-up.
7.10—"The Audrey Park Ensemble"
7.30—"The Resurrection of Our Lord"
7.45—Dunsair na Casca.
8.00—"Rossa"
8.15—Ceili na Casca.
10.00—Gaelic Sports News.
10.15—News.
10.30—Concert of Irish Music.
11.00—Hospitals' Trust Prog.
11.20—Close down.

TUESDAY, 23rd APRIL
8.00—News.
8.15—"Gala" Programme.
8.30—"Castle Hosiery Co. Ltd. Programme"
9.00—News.
9.15—Signpost and Close down.
1.00—"Fry-Cadbury Programme"
1.15—"Donnelly's Programme"
1.30—"News and Topical Talk"
1.45—"Bird's Programme"
2.00—"Batchelor's Programme"
2.15—"E.S.B. Programme"
2.30—Close down.
5.00—"I Knew the Countess Markiewicz"
5.15—"Was There"
5.57—Interlude.
6.00—"The Angelus"
6.01—Nuacht agus Caint na Mairte.
6.20—"Racing Results"
6.30—News.
6.45—"O'Casey and Gogol"
7.00—"History Songs"
7.30—"Hal's a Poppin"
8.55—Interlude.
9.00—"The Dangers of Nuclear Tests"
9.30—"Film Magazine"
10.00—Nuacht.
10.15—News.
10.30—"Dance Music"
11.00—"Hospitals' Trust Prog."
11.30—"Late Sports Results"

WEDNESDAY, 24th APRIL
8.00—News.
8.15—"Irel Programme"
8.30—"Maclean's Programme"
8.45—"Morning Music"
9.00—News.
9.15—Signpost and Close down.
1.00—"Hospitals' Requests"
1.30—"News, Topical Talk, etc."
1.45—"Hospitals' Requests"
2.30—"Close down"
5.00—"Drawing and Painting"
5.15—"Selfish Susan"
5.30—"An Londubh Baite"
5.45—"Accordeon Tunes"
6.20—"Racing Results"
6.30—News.
6.45—"Emerald Girls' Pipe Band"
7.00—"Pleasaca na Casca"
7.30—"Question Time"
8.15—"Easter Parade"
9.00—"They met in Dublin"
10.00—Nuacht.

THURSDAY, 25th APRIL
8.00—News.
8.15—"Hovis Programme"
8.30—"Morning Music"
8.45—"Phillips Electrical (Ireland) Ltd. Programme"
9.00—News.
9.15—Signpost.
1.00—"Fry-Cadbury Prog."
1.15—"Prescott's Programme"
1.30—"News and Topical Talk"
1.45—"Bird's Programme"
2.00—"Colgate-Palmolive Programme"
2.15—"Signpost"
2.30—"Close down"
5.00—"Fry-Cadbury Prog."
5.15—"Prescott's Programme"
5.30—"Morning Music"
5.45—"Phillips Electrical (Ireland) Ltd. Programme"
6.00—"The Angelus"
6.01—Nuacht, etc.
6.20—"Here's the Doctor"
6.25—"Racing Results"
6.30—News.
6.45—"The School Around the Corner"
7.15—"Bolig an tSolathair"
7.45—"The Poets as Critics"
8.00—"Dance Time"
8.45—"Song Recital"
8.55—"Between Ourselves"
9.30—"Curtain Up"
10.00—Nuacht
10.15—News.
10.30—"Spring Serenade"
10.45—"To-day in the Daily"
11.00—"Hospitals' Trust Prog."

FRIDAY, 26th APRIL
8.00—News.
8.15—"Clark's (Ireland) Ltd. Programme"
8.30—"Punch & Co. Programme"
8.45—"Bradford Programme"
9.00—News.
9.15—Signpost and close down.
1.00—"Chivers' Programme"
1.15—"IMCO Programme"
1.30—"News and Topical Talk"
1.45—"Rowntree's Programme"
2.00—"Office Savings Prog."
2.15—"E.S.B. Programme"
2.30—"Close down"

SATURDAY, 27th APRIL 1957
8.00—News.
8.15—"Hercules Programme"
8.30—"Bulmer's Ltd. Prog."
8.45—"Moccasin Shoemakers (Ireland) Ltd. Prog."
9.00—News.
9.15—"Signpost and Close down"
1.00—"Urney's Programme"
1.15—"Donnelly's Programme"
1.45—"Bird's Programme"
2.00—"Gâteaux Programme"
2.45—"Ray Martin and his Orchestra"
3.10—"Rugby: Leinster Cup Final"
4.50—"Charlie Kunz"
5.00—"An Crocail"
5.15—"Junior Sports Magazine"
5.57—"Interlude"
6.00—"The Angelus"
6.01—Nuacht agus Caint na nEisteoiri.
6.20—"Racing Results"
6.30—"Who's News"
7.00—"Light Music"
7.15—"Casán na nDeor"
7.30—"Sons of Freedom"
8.00—"Question Box"
8.30—"Music in the Air"
9.00—"The School Around the Corner"
9.30—"The Balladmakers' Saturday Night"
10.10—Nuacht.
10.15—News.
10.30—"Irish Dance Music"
11.00—"Hospitals' Trust Prog."
11.30—"Late Sports Results"

BANISH BARBERRY AND BLACK STEM RUST

BLACK STEM RUST CAUSES HEAVY LOSSES IN WHEAT. THIS DISEASE SPREADS FROM THE COMMON BARBERRY SHRUB TO CEREAL CROPS IN THE EARLY SUMMER.
You can prevent Black Stem Rust in cereals by destroying all plants of the Common Barberrry now.

The following points will help you to identify the Common Barberrry:

- Leaves have spiny edges and branches have thorns arranged in groups of three.
- Outer bark is grey; inner bark is bright yellow.
- If unchecked, the plant grows into a large bush, 10 feet or so in height, and produces bunches of long, bright red roses its leaves in winter berries in the autumn. If you have any difficulty in distinguishing Common Barberrry (*Berberis vulgaris*) from harmless ornamental species of Barberrry ask your Agricultural Instructor or Parish Agent to help you.

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Dancing 10-3 Buffet Supper
Admission — 12/6 (Dress).

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8.0—Between the Fire and the Wall.
8.30—European Roundabout.
9.00—"An Time Bheo."
9.30—"Farmers' Forum"
10.00—Nuacht.
10.15—News.
10.30—"My Kind of Recitation"
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SATURDAY

The night came down
BY 70

LESS CHANGES
I have been thinking of the water charges. The ratepayers of well raised their master — Senator Sittling across the table he commented casually on the paid by the house and without the discussion of what he gradually led into the view authorities were supplies for next admired the way Manager into as this point and it brought forth local authorities away with it Senator Butler increase in the of 30 per cent that will bring this year by 1-1-57. R. Keane had a wanted the charge 100 per cent to 1/4 per 1,000 seems a pity. This would have rates by 2. In let me point out 1,000 gallons, our be considerably in Waterford and districts.

BEING REALIST
The swimming the discussion too ager had his bath early in the second glad though the would be levied of fer the pöbl. S costs a couple of adults at there objection to this really good step when the many v bers for the Nat of Traditional w will be anxious refreshing water. Yes, there should fit at the pool at year.

Note how the



BY TOM TOBIN

The Inside Story

The night the rates came down

What a night it turned out to be! The Estimates meeting of the Urban Council in the Town Hall. Instead of that much talked about and greatly written about increase in the rates, we had a reduction, and a most welcome one it was too.

Now we will be paying 42/7 in the £. It is still a far too high for a place like Dungarvan but at the same time we should be thankful for small mercies. The gap was one in the right direction. I like to think that it is the beginning of a new phase.

There was something different in the sensible manner in which the members handled matters at that meeting. There was no bawling about the bush and business was carried on briskly and profitably.

LESS GRANTS

I was interested to see that the views expressed in this column earlier about the housing grants did not fall on deaf ears. The number for the coming year will be six instead of ten. Col. Bobby Keane spoke loud and hard on the matter and indeed, Col. Tom Lannon touched a very sore point when he pointed out that the man on the Blue Book was subsidising the erection of privately owned houses for the man drawing a salary of £1,600 or £2,000. How true how true.

However, in fairness to all concerned, it should be stated that there was a good deal to be said for the points made by the Chairman, Deputy T. Keane. The only point which did not fit into place was his statement that it was a better proposition to provide grants to people prepared to build houses rather than build houses for those people. I agree that would be the ideal way if the Council was obliged to build houses for these people but I submit that since out of some of the people who receive grants were not the responsibility of the Council and I challenge anyone to prove otherwise. Still, I have to admit that a discussion proved exceptionally interesting.

WATER FLOWING FREELY HE WAS RIGHT

Then we had the case of the water charges. Here I think that the ratepayers of the town may well raise their hats to the old master—Senator Jack Butler. Sitting across from me at the table he commented quite usually on the charges being paid by the hospital authorities and without the slightest indication of what he had in mind he gradually led the council into the view that hospital authorities were getting water supplies for next to nothing. I admired the way he lured the Manager into an objection on this point and at the same time brought forth the truth that the local authorities were getting included those who voted against with it too. Eventually, the Senator Butler brought off an increase in the charges amounting to 30 per cent—something that will bring down the rates this year by 1/6 in the £. Col. R. Keane had a better idea. He wanted the charge increased by 100 per cent to bring it up to 1/4 per 1,000 gallons. It seems a pity he was beaten. This would have reduced the rates by 2/6 in the £. And had I pointed out that at 1/4 per 1,000 gallons, our charge would be considerably less than that in Waterford and many other districts.

BEING REALISTIC?

The swimming pool came into the discussion too and the Manager had his point neatly scored early in the second half. I was glad though that no charge would be levied on children—plenty of wonderful entertainment to a town that has seen so little of both in the years that have gone by. Let us help these men in any way we can. Let us stop making their task difficult. What they need is co-operation and encouragement because it is dramatic society or musical society, not the business people of the town who will benefit by this share. And remember, more business for any industry, no matter how small that it may be, is a good thing.

that councillors would have to be realistic in their attitude towards the serious losses at the pool. It is a pity that some member did not point out that no ratepayer in the town of Dungarvan would object to those losses if some of the local schools—why not all of them—were to be used for swimming and life-saving. Why leave it to the other fellow all the time

PLOTS AND REMOURS

The Chairman had a noteworthy success in hitting back at critics when it came to the question of spending money on the plots. He spoke well and presented the true picture—a picture that will hold the attention of many for a long time to come. It was interesting too to see what the ratepayers contribute to this scheme. Read the Chairman's report and then figure it out. You will get the idea that is in my mind. And what about the rumours? Another question.

BATTLE OF THE BUNTINGS

But the highlight of the night came in the "Battle of the Buntings". Here again we heard the Chairman to good advantage. He nailed the gods and nailed them fast. He really rubbed salt into many wounds but he made an impression few of us will forget. Let us stop turning our backs on those trying to fool us. Who were the buntings for? That seemed to be the question that bothered all. They were for the town of Dungarvan to be used for religious, civic and other functions. It was not our first time spending the ratepayers' money on such items and certainly it will not be the last time. I remember last year and the year before, members of the council condemned the buntings that had been used to decorate the town for the Corpus Christi Procession. I remember on another occasion, when he was suggesting that the loan of buntings might be got but I cannot recall if this was done or not. However, at the time it was suggested by certain members that a new set would need to be bought.

Then the matter drifted. Some months ago we heard members of the council promise their support to the committee working hard to bring the National Festival of Traditional Music to the town of Dungarvan. Today, when preparations are being made to stage the festival here some people seem to regard it as more of a liability than an asset. I wonder will they think so during the great event or better still I wonder will they think so when they realise what it meant to the town.

I accept

The letter from Mr. Brazil, Chairman of the Waterfords Association in London which appeared in this column made an interesting reading. I make no comment on it because I will be glad to accept the invitation of Mr. Brazil and I wish to assure him and his fellow members that I will do all I can to bring about unity among our Waterford men and women in London.

Past Pupils plan for the future

They are planning big things for the future in the Presentation Convent Past Pupils' Union, Dungarvan. A questionnaire has been sent out to members to find out just what they are interested in and it certainly presents an attractive picture. Members are asked to state what activities they would like to organise for the summer and they will long value the fruits of the efforts that are being made by the few to bring business and plenty of good business, with their own court will be provided for the summer months. For the winter months they can have arts and crafts, first aid and home nursing, reading club, study circle, records corner and musical club and badminton club and whist club.

THE LOT

Looking through the list it is not very difficult to decide just

be, is more work and money for those working in that industry. I don't have to paint the picture any clearer. For the time being I say congratulations to you Tom Kynne. I say good luck to the men working for the success of the Festival and I want to assure all of you of my full co-operation. You have taken on a task that deserves the admiration, not alone of the people of Dungarvan and Co. Waterford, but of the nation at a whole. May every success crown your efforts. For the record may I add that the people of Dungarvan have such faith in this Festival that a loan of £500 floated by the committee was over-subscribed in a few days.

STAR OF THE SHOW

Too seldom we pay tribute to our local officials. Here is one occasion when it is a real pleasure indeed. At the meeting of the Urban Council we had a stranger in our midst. He was the new County Accountant, Mr. O'Leary and he was very welcome indeed. He had prepared the accounts in relation to the estimates and had done a very fine job. He sat there with facts and figures before him and via a barrage of questions he answered.

FOR BOOK LOVERS

First aid and home nursing deserve every encouragement. It will be a great day indeed when we see more of this type of instruction. Then there is the Reading Club, another good idea. A regular get-together at which new books would be discussed would be a wonderful boon to those anxious to build up their own home-libraries and with such wonderful book bargains on the market to-day, they would gain many opportunities to collect profitably.

A letter from Bristol

Over in Bristol is a reader of this newspaper who seems to enjoy his weekly paper from the Old Boro. This is what he says: "First of all we have never met unfortunately. The only reason I am writing this is to say congratulations for doing a good job with your INSIDE STORY in the Dungarvan Observer. Yes, if we had a few more people like you in Ireland, I am sure there would not be as many blazes as there are here. I worked in your town for three years. Oh yes I liked it very much and I got on well there. I get the Observer every week just to read your INSIDE STORY. I think it is wonderful and I say that's the best. Tom, give it to them. It's the one crowd all the time that get the cream over there. I don't like England but on the other hand it is a good living here. Over here it is not the people you know but what you know. "I may get to Dungarvan some day, maybe Christmas time please God, but in the meantime I will keep looking forward to the INSIDE STORY. Don't give my name, just keep my friend guessing by calling me "Sherry PINK"."

Donal writes a letter

Another letter from the big number came this week—is one from Mr. Donal Moloney, U.D.C., who is still in a Dublin hospital. He expresses his appreciation of the Inside Story particularly as a patient in hospital, "and the Auditor's report (how did you do it) made interesting reading. That's good news about the fates. A reduction of 5d. is welcome".

For four Dungarvan exiles

It seems that there are four Dungarvan exiles over there in North Finchley, London, and they are particularly keen on getting the words of that fine ballad "Noreen Bawn". They went to the trouble of writing to me during the week and because their appeal was so well written, I could not ignore their request. I will give it next week.

Name Please

There are several letters from

New Dungarvan Councillor

Mr. Peter Qually, O'Connell St., is the new member of Dungarvan Urban Council. He was co-opted by four votes to one against at a meeting of the Council in the Town Hall last Friday night.

The co-option brought forth a difference of opinion between the two Fianna Fail members, one of whom seconded the proposal that Mr. Qually be co-opted while the other voted against it and actually proposed that Mr. Jackie Kennelly, Abbeyside (F.F.) be co-opted. He got no seconder.

Mr. Qually will fill the vacancy created by the recent death of Mr. P. A. Casey, Main Street.

Mr. McCarthy (Lab.) proposed at the outset that in view of the fact that Mr. Casey was a member of the Ratepayers' Association, the person nominated by that body should be accepted to fill the vacancy. This would be only fair and just, he said, and they should be unanimous in accepting the person to be proposed by the late Mr. Casey's colleague, Mr. Tom Lannon.

Mr. Kelly proposed that Mr. N. Kelly should be co-opted. Mr. Kelly stated that he was speaking as the senior member of the Fianna Fail party.

Mr. Lannon then proposed the co-option of Mr. Qually. Mr. R. Keane (F.F.) seconded the proposal stating that what Mr. Kelly had referred to was finished and done with. He pointed out that in the death of a member of the Co. Council recently, there was no opposition to the co-option of a member from the deceased's party.

The Chairman, Ald. Tom Kynne T.D., said that Mr. Kelly should also remember that there had been a departure from usual procedure at a meeting of the County Council a week before the meeting of the Urban Co. Council. However, he said, the whole thing was now "water under the bridge".

Messrs. Lannon, Keane McCarthy and the Chairman voted for the co-option of Mr. Qually. Mr. Kelly voted against it.

Commenting on his action, Mr. Kelly said that he had to fight in his own corner for his party but he wished to state that he would welcome Mr. Qually as a member as a "fine decent little gentleman".

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CAPPOQUIN NOTES

HOLY WEEK CEREMONIES.

Holy Thursday: Mass at 4 p.m. procession to Alter of Repose. Sermon.

Good Friday: Mass at 7 p.m. followed by Sermon.

Easter Saturday: Mass at 9 p.m. Sermons will be preached by a Redemptorist Father.

MODELLO PLAYERS PLEASE

A large audience gave a very hearty welcome to the Modeligo Dramatic Society on Wednesday when they presented 'The Righteous are Bold' at the Desmond Cinema. The presentation was excellent and while all roles were capably filled there were outstanding performers by Miss Margaret Quinn and Mr. John Costin. Much credit is due to the producer Rev. J. Callanan C.C. for the progress made by the Society since its inception.

DEATH OF CIVIC GUARD

The death of Garda Christopher McGrath which took place in Kilkenny on April 10th, has caused much regret in the town where he was well-known. He was a member of the party which established the first station here on the formation of the Civic Guards and was stationed for some years in the town where he made many friends.

MUNSTER v. ARMY

Munster I.A.B.A. proudly presents its

Annual Boxing Tournament

at TOWN HALL, DUNGARVAN on Saturday, April 27th at 8.15. Doors open at 7.30 p.m.

make it very clear that what happened where political parties were concerned had nothing to do with him or with the Association he represented.

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Co. Waterford Ploughing Association

will hold a

MEN'S BEAUTY COMPETITION

DANCE

AT KILMACHTHOMAS ON EASTER SUNDAY NIGHT

MUSIC BY —

Sean O Connor

AND HIS EIGHT-PIECE ORCHESTRA, CORK with Electric ORGAN and VOCALIST

Dancing 9-3 (S.T.) ADMISSION, 6/..... BAR

DAY OLD CHICKS

As Hatched :	100, £5-5-0	50—£2-12-6	12—13/6
Pullets	100, £10-10-0	50—£5-5-0	12—13/6
L.S., R.I.R., W.W., R.I.RxW.W., I.S. < R.I.R., R.I.RxL.S., W.LxR.I.R.			
Cockerels	100 £4-0-0	50—£2-0-0	12—10/6

Limited quantity of Week Olds on hand

DUNGARVAN HATCHERIES

Dungarvan --- Co. Waterford

Beet Thinning

Farmers who require extra labour for singling beet are requested to communicate with the local Board Secretary, E.G.A. at MALLOW, CARLOW, THURLES or TUAM factories at an early date but in any case not later than APRIL 27th, 1957.

By Order, D. FRAWLEY, Secretary.

Head Office, Athy Road, Carlow. 15/4/57

Local Happenings

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

CURRAN—The family and relatives of the late Mrs. Mary Curran, Helvick, wish to thank very sincerely all the kind friends who sympathised with them in their recent sorrow; all who sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy, and all who attended the obsequies, the kind neighbours who were so helpful and the Very Rev. Fr. Corbett, M.P., and Rev. Fr. Qually, C.C. They trust all will accept this as an expression of their deep gratitude.

ROWE

The family and relatives of the late Kathleen (Kit) Rowe, Ballyinch, Kilmachthomas, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them, sent telegrams, Mass cards and messages of sympathy, and those who attended the funeral. Trusting this will be accepted in grateful acknowledgment by all.

QUEALY

The relatives of the late Miss Mary B. Queally, Coolagh, wish to return sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their bereavement; to those who sent Mass cards and messages of sympathy and to all who attended the funeral. Trusting this will be accepted in grateful acknowledgment by all.

FLAVIN

The widow, sons and daughters, and other relatives of the late John Flavin, Ballymulala, wish to return grateful thanks to all who sympathised with them in their recent sorrow, all who sent Mass cards, telegrams, letters and messages of sympathy, and all who attended the obsequies. They trust all will accept this as an expression of their deep gratitude.

IN MEMORIAM

KIELY—In loving memory of Patrick Kiely, Old Cappagh House, who died April 19th, 1948—R.I.P. Love's greatest gift—Remembrance. Sweet Jesus mercy, Our Lady of Lourdes pray for him. Masses offered. —Inserted by his loving wife and family.

LEE (Second Anniversary)—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Ellen Lee, Cappoquin, who died April 15th, 1955. Will all kind friends remember her in their prayers. "I was not there to say good-bye."

But just had to be. For I could never have said farewell. To the mother I loved so dear —Inserted by her loving daughter, Betty.

McSWEENEY (1st Anniversary)—In loving memory of Michl. McSweeney, Cappoquin, who died on April 19th, 1956. Masses offered. —Always remembered by his loving wife and family.

FLYNN (13th Anniversary)—In fond and loving memory of Patrick Flynn, late of Durrow who died on the 20th April, 1944. Mother of Sorrows pray for him. Masses offered. As we look upon his picture, Sweet memories we recall. O! a fact so full of sunshine. And a smile for one and all. —Inserted by his ever loving wife and family.

TREACY (Fourth Anniversary)—In loving memory of Declan Treacy, who died on April 16th, 1953. Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy on his soul. —Inserted by his loving wife and daughter. Masses offered.

KILROSSANTY v. GERALDINES

A bus will leave Kilmachthomas on Sunday evening at 6 p.m. and travel via Fewes and Leamybrien for Dungarvan, returning at 10 p.m.

SOLD—Mr. Norman Walsh, M.I.A.A. Auctioneer and Valuer, Cappoquin, in conjunction with E. A. Ryan and Co., Soirs, Dungarvan has disposed of the private residence with business accommodation, at Main Street, Cappoquin, in conjunction with E. A. Ryan and Co., Soirs, Dungarvan, to Wm. O'Keefe, Moonamon, Lismore. DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB.

Results—Clonca Cup—G. Geraghty (13) 1 up, winner. TASTY THOUGHTS—Mitchel Crispy Chips, made from grade "A" potatoes and pure filtered dripping—3d., 4d., and 6d. per generous helping. Keane's, Power's, Magner's, Dwan's O'Brien's and O'Meara's soft drinks in a variety of flavours. Merville, H.B. and Fitzpatrick's Cream Ices, Choc Ices, Ice Lollies; also Sweets, Cigarettes, Sundries—Doherty's, "The Dew Cup" Dungarvan.

RETREAT

The Retreat to be conducted by Rev. W. Hogan, S.J. at the Presentation Convent (under the

auspices of the Past Pupils' Union) will commence at 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday evening next, the 23rd inst. All are welcome. Tickets can be obtained from any member of the Committee.

LATE MRS. MARY SANDFORD

Additional Mass cards received were from: Tom and K. Carroll; Minnie and John Wright; Tommie and Hattie, Gloucester, Texas; Mrs. Eather, Josephine and John Whelan, Essex.

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB

The above will hold the last dress dance of the season at the Clubhouse, Ballinacourty, on Easter Sunday, Dancing 10 p.m. to 3 a.m. Music by Dick Cushman and his band. The buffet supper will be provided by the ladies committee and quality and quantity is guaranteed, all for the moderate charge of 12/6. You are all welcome to Ballinacourty and come early (adv.).

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Waterford County officials will hold their Sixth Annual Staff Dance in the Town Hall, Dungarvan, on Wednesday, 2nd October, 1957. Full details will appear later in our advertising columns. (adv.)

DUNGARVAN FAIR

Last Wednesday's Fair saw an exceptionally large supply of cattle, a good bulk of which were imported by train and lorry. The prices obtained showed a downward tendency over those prevailing the previous week.

Prices noted for best cattle in their respective age groups were: 3-year olds, £55 to £70; 2-year olds, £47 to £60; yearlings, £30 to £35; weanlings, £20 to £25; Springers, £40 to £45. Sheep were scarce and made up to £8. Lambs, £5 to £6. Pigs made a quiet trade with prices ranging from £5 to £10-10-0.

Late Mrs. Mary Curran

HELVICK

The death, which took place on Sunday, April 7th, at an advanced age, removes from the Helvick area, one of its best-known and respected residents in the person of Mrs. Mary Curran and her bereaved family members have the sincere sympathy of all in their sorrow.

The remains were removed to the Ring Church on Tuesday, the accompanying cortege was evidence of the popularity of the deceased and the sorrow felt for her family members. The coffin was received and blessed by Very Rev. Fr. Corbett, P.P., assisted by Rev. Fr. Qually, C.C.

Following the celebration of Requiem Masses on Wednesday, interment was made in the Old Cemetery at Ring in the presence of many relatives and friends. Rev. Fr. Qually, C.C., officiated at the graveside.

Mass cards were received from: her loving daughter Brigid, son-in-law Bob and grandson, Michael; her loving daughter Ann and son-in-law Harold; her daughter Katie, grandsons Gordon and Arthur, and great grandsons, Alan and Stephen; her loving sister Kate, her fond niece Bridie; Tom Kelly and family; her nephew W. Halley; James and Mary Bridget and family; Pelg M. Murchada agus clann; Thomas and Kathleen Hickey, Windgap; J. McGrath family, 46 Mary St.; Mike and Minnie Power, Yougal Road; E. F. Bowkhill; Tom and Stasia Barry, 15, Mary St.; Jack, Mike and Paddy; the Hart family, Mullinahorna; John and Hannah Foley and family; Dick and Nonie Hartly and family; Brigid Curran and family; Gurnadaha; Billy and Gretta Walsh and family; Tom and Eileen Barry, 109 Collins Ave., Dublin; Tom and Seann Kelly, Helvick; Harry and Bridie Crangor and family; Jimmy Kiely and family, Shandon.

Funeral arrangements were carried out by James Kiely and Sons, Shandon.

Geraldines Non-Stop Draw

£5. Mrs. B. Cotter, Dromore; £1 each, Miss M. Mernin, Villierstown, and Albert Beston Shanakill; 10/- each Maurice Walsh, Ballinaparka, and P. Kerins, Ballingown. Second Series.

£5. Mr. P. Omond, Clashmore; £1 each, Miss Maureen Mehan, Mountstuart, and B. c/o. James Hayes, Aglish; 10/- each, Messrs. J. Moleay, Ballingown, and J. McGrath, Clashmore. Third Series.

£5 Mr. J. J. Jely, Ballinamela; £1 each, Mr. P. Russell, Aglish and Mrs. Fitzgerald, Geesh; 10/- each, Mrs. Reynolds, Ballinamela, and "B" c/o. Mr. E. Crotty, Mountstuart.

GERALDINES SEEK NEW HONOURS, BUT—

Mighty Kilrossanty are Firm Favourites

SO many outside their own immediate supporters regard Kilrossanty's true standing in the football world as a moot point that their semi-final defence of the coveted Phelan Cup against Geraldines—the last of the dual title aspirants—should attract a bumper hosting to the Fraher Field, Dungarvan, on Sunday evening. The match, as live a topic of conversation as if it were a championship test, is timed to commence at 8 p.m. sharp.

How odd it must seem to greybeards, though, to hear everyday followers of the game expound the novelty of the pairing as one of the outstanding features of a test of strength between the green and gold and the Aglish-based side.

Time was, in the golden hey-day of Rathgormac, Bannibers from Lismore, Dungarvan storied Clashmore, when a clash between the men of Comeragh and Blackwaterside stirred the imagination of gaudium to an extent equalled only by the present day rivalry between Kilrossanty and Mount Sion.

Few there are among the younger enthusiasts who can recall the era from 1915 to '23 during the course of which the few Western club collected no fewer than three championships and the Comeragh side went on to record the second of their eight triumphs in the premier competition.

Kilrossanty, of course, are firm favourites for Sunday's encounter and neutral opinion, though it has yet to be convinced that they are the all powerful machine facile wins over Brickey Rangers and Dungarvan would make them out to be, by and large plumpers for a comfortable victory for the holders of the trophy.

Then again hurling calls have occupied so much of the challengers time this last twelve months that one must treat with considerable reserve their prospects of

Apert all together from the impeccable teamwork that has graced the current run of Kilrossanty triumphs, it is impossible to envisage a side that has laboured through its recent football engagements as Geraldines have putting the Indian sun of men of the accomplishment of captain Jimmy Power, Matty Loneragan, Jimmy Whyte, Mick and Ben Prendergast, the Kirwan bros., Jim Timmons and Colum Cunningham.

Kilrossanty folk, too, cherish recollections of last year's memorable triumph in the competition — they stopped a great Mount Sion team by four points in the decider—and every man who will wear the green



matching football skill and craft with a side of Kilrossanty's all-round talent.

But these considerations have failed to dampen the morale of the versatile Geraldines. I may well be as many assert that there is more spirit than football in the Aglish repertoire but, to my way of thinking, determination and the will-to-win qualities that command respect at any time — are well nigh essential in any side that aspires to maintain an even keel against the green and gold jerseyed brigade.

Believe me that it is no spirit of bravado that Aglish folk, conscious of the fact that outside the parish they are sorely conceded a chance, will tell you that "come hell or shine the Comeragh men will know they have been in a match when the long whistle sounds on Sunday evening".

When one endeavours to weigh up the relative merits of the contestants, however, it becomes increasingly obvious that the holders are much the better armed.

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Warranted careful consideration

Mr. M. Harty said that he agreed the proposal moved by Mr. Foran warranted very careful consideration and because of that they should get all the facts in relation to the problem involved. He suggested an adjournment to get them.

Mr. H. R. Dowd: In other words keep it on the longest possible finger.

Mr. Harty: No, not at all.

Mr. Foran: Never put off to tomorrow what you can do today. That is what I am bearing in mind now and I am going to insist that my proposal be put to the meeting here and now.

Mr. Keane said he knew old men who were collecting rates without the assistance of clerks. They would be going out on pension one of these days and the possibility was there that they would be replaced by several collectors.

Mr. Lannon said that the ratepayers should be given the benefit of the money that was being collected in rates and which the collectors were getting in a generous manner.

Mr. Keane said that while he was most anxious to see the cost of collecting rates slashed as much as possible, he would not favour doing away with the collectors completely. Certainly he was anxious to see their numbers reduced and would agree as much as possible for this they had to bear in mind.

Mr. Keane said that farmers and people generally, were very slow to sit down and write out a cheque. There were some farmers who had never seen a cheque book in their life and more or less depended on the collector to call on them when the rates were due.

The Chairman said that there was no one member against the resolution but it appeared that all were anxious to get the complete picture before taking any action on it.

Mr. Hesklin said he was satisfied that where the proposal was Mr. Foran was tried out it had not been successful. Accordingly he would appeal to Mr. Foran to wait for the complete picture otherwise they would be moving in the dark. The point is he added we do not know what the poundage was in the counties where the system failed.

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Co. Accountant's Statement

SPECIAL MEETING

FROM FRONT PAGE

Inspector referred to amounted to £243, 0. 1. for the year 1954/55 of which a sum of £31. 2. 9. was refunded.

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JUNIOR FOOTBALL

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In each case the margin of victory was decisive enough as to leave absolutely no doubt about the victors right to go forward to the second round.

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But Stradbally followers were not without their moments of anxiety, particularly in the opening half, at the end of which the challengers were by no means out of the hunt.

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