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COMMUNITY GAMES

IN G. A. A. FIELD
SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
JUNE 7th & 8th
ADMISSION.....50 p

SWIMMING.....JUNE 3rd - 6th
IN COLLEGE POOL

SEE DETAILS ON SPORTS PAGE

GRAPEVINE

A monthly and sometimes satirical review of local news, gossip, general chat and perhaps occasionally unbelievable rubbish.

Will someone please ask Kildare Co. Council if they really did put the footbridge on the Straffan Road in place and it was nicked or are they just kidding us ? Local bookmakers deny that they are offering odds of 5 to 4 on that the SWIMMING POOL will be built before the bridge arrives.

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COMMUNITY GAMES take place on June 7th & 8th. The SWIMMING starts on June 3rd and some team events will have already started before this issue is printed.

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Will all last year's Winners please hand back their Perpetual Trophies immediately.

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At the last 'Old Folks' Party' some noted members of the Committee were not fully fit. Perhaps the old folks should hold a party for the Committee.

We must apologise for the errors which occurred in the last month's issue especially as regards the numbers of the pages. We have instructed our Staff that after 4 comes 5 and not 28 and they have been severly reprimanded. Some say it was the work of that MAGICIAN fellow who sawed a page in half and then put the two pieces together again backwards. We don't believe this but if you see some funny looking WOMAN going around then don't be surprised.

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The latest date for items for inclusion in the July issue is June 15th.

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I. C. A. NOTES

The monthly meeting held on 1st May in the I.C.A. Hall had a good attendance, as it was an open Meeting.

The Speaker was Deirdre Row, the demonstration was very interesting and let the ladies know how to buy the cheaper cuts of meat she also gave out leaftets on how to cook the different dishes.

The two Scholarships kindly given by the Maynooth Ulster Bank for 'An Grianain' were also drawn during the evening. The luckey ladies were Mrs. Ann Boyd and Miss Patricia Satchwell. The competition Maytime Flower arrangement was won by Mrs. Mary Doyle and Mrs. Brady was second..

The Raffle was won by Mrs. Fegan, it was for a turkey. Money from the Raffle went to buy a Card for Mrs. Rita O'Reilly, our candidate for Lady Mayor.

A Beetle Drive was held on May 2nd to raise funds for Mrs. O'Reilly, it was a great success.

A Flower Show Meeting was held on Monday 19th May to get the programme ready. The Flower show dates are 11 & 12th July.

Grateful thanks to the American Lady who judged the Flower - arrangement and to Miss Row for the demonstration, and to O'Briens Staff for bring the meat and supplying the tea for the evening. It was very much appreciated by all the ladies.

Congratulations to Mrs. Fegan, one of our members , for doing so well at the Spring Show. She brought home the Cup for the 'Best Short-horn, and to Mr. & Mrs. Farrell for having the animals looking so well for her. Well done !

Next Meeting June 5th.

Results of I.C.A. Art Competition, held for Parish Funds. 'Lord Mayor of Maynooth'. We wish to thank both the Convent, and Boys National School Maynooth for their co-operation in this venture, also the Post Primary School, and in particular Miss Raftry.

Under 6 - 1st. Cathal McCawley : Second - Damien Carroll.

Under 8 . 1st - John Gillespie , 2nd Joyce Carroll.

Under 10 - Sarah McMyler 1st ; 2nd. Killian Fagan.

Under 12 - 1st - Mark Burns ; 2nd Tadhg Lynch.

Teenagers . 1st. Kevin Breslin : 2nd Albert Doonan.

Chain of Office - 1st. Caroline Gillespie : 2nd Marguerite Keogh.

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ALSO
Get well wishes to Fr. Aodhan McCrystal S.M.A. House, Maynooth. Fr. Aodhan returned home recently, from Zambia on sick leave and had to undergo surgery. We will all be remembering him in our prayers for a speed recovery. Fr. Aodhan hopes to return to Zambia in the near future where he was very happy.

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Editorial

In our last issue we asked people in the Town to co-operate and help beautify the town and its surroundings and it is encouraging to see some effort being made. Many people were, however, aghast some weeks ago to see one of the trees in the Main Street stiipped of its branches completely ruining the aspect of the whole town. Had the trees in general been pruned properly at the right time many would not have minded so much but the cutting of one tree only completely ruins the overall look of the Street and sticks out like a sore thumb.

No one individual has the right to cut a tree any more than one would have the right to deface another's house, or lawn or hedge. The trees belong to everybody and even those that have been knocked down or cut down will have to be replaced. The Town would be nothing without them. For over one hundred years they have beautified our Town, so much so that Maynooth is known on the Continent as 'THE TOWN WITH THE BEAUTIFUL TREE' rather than by its proper name.

It is to be hoped that nobody else will touch our trees or try to alter the appearance of the Main Street as, should this happen, legal action will have to be taken against the perpetrator.

There are other aspects which the townspeople should also take into account. In particular, it has been discussed at County Council level that part of the footpaths should be cut away to provide parking bays. This apparently is to allow further heavy traffic to pass through the town as if the town is not suffering enough with what we have already. Obviously the Council do not intend to have the bypass road built which we have been promised for decades. Some 30 - 40 years ago a far seeing Council saw the necessity for such a bypass to relieve the town of the pressure, discomfort and damage to buildings and health due to the ever growing traffic. When do the Council intend to do their duty ? If they had spent 20 - 30 years ago the amount of money that has been wasted since on surveys, etc., we would now be relieved of the annoyance of the incessant noise fumes, etc. that we have to put up with daily.

However, back to the original point, let us all now make an effort to make the town look well again and perhaps we may be able to cloak the damage already done.

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NEW EXTENSION :-
It is nice to be able to report that the building of the New Extension is progressing at a very satisfactory pace. It is hoped that three of the seven rooms will be ready for use in September. This is of crucial importance to us as we are two class-rooms short at the moment and in all probability will need a third room in September.

FIRST COMMUNION:-
Saturday, the 10th of May, was First Communion Day for the Children of the Parish. The day was beautiful and the children looked and behaved beautifully. Heartiest congratulations to the parents and teachers who worked so hard to make this important occasion such a success.

CONFIRMATION :-
Another important day in the life of the Parish is close at hand. On the 12th of June, the girls and boys of the 5th & 6th classes will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. The Mass will commence at 11.a.m. and His Lordship, most Rev. Dr. Forrestal will administer the Sacrament.

Finally, a very special thank you to all the boys who took part so enthusiastically in the Lenten Trocaire Campaign. The contents of the Trocaire Boxes amounted to the magnificent sum of £610.00 a wonderful effort for a very worthy cause.

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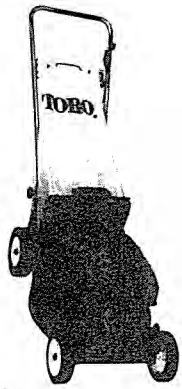

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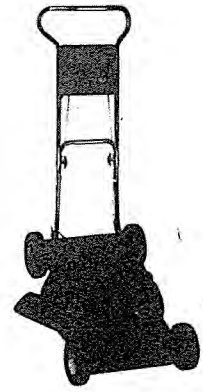

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Willie Reilly, Newtown, May 5th.

John Mangan, Main Street, May 12th

Joe O'Neill, Greenfield, May 6th

Mrs. Mary Coyne, Dillon's Row.

Mrs. Sherry, Leinster Cottages.

Belated congratulations to Mrs. Kitty Dunne , Celbridge Road who celebrated her 81st Birthday on April 17th.

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Happy Birthday to my little brother Gareth McStravick who will be three on 22nd June from,
Orla & Avril

Congratulations to Nora Begley who celebrates her Birthday the 31st May

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CONGRATULATIONS :-

To Colm Feeney, Celbridge Road and Miss Carol McCall, Rail Park on their recent wedding.

Congratulations to Brendan and Mary Barton, Doctor's Road, Maynooth on the Birth of a Son.

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Congratulations to Tom & Rachel Cassidy, O'Neill Park, Maynooth on the Birth of a Daughter.

CLINIC

Councillor Bernard Durkan attends at the Geraldine Hall every Saturday evening at 7.00 pm. to meet constituents (Bank Holiday week-ends excepted).
Items discussed are treated in strict confidence.

EVERYONE WELCOME

HANDING ON THE FAITH IN THE HOME

We publish here a somewhat condensed version of the Pastoral Letter . - "Handing on the Faith in the home" - from the Catholic Archbishops and Bishops of Ireland. The letter was issued by the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference on St. Patrick's Day, 17th March 1980 and is published by Veritas Publications, Dublin to whom thanks are expressed for permission to reproduce. Copies of the complete letter are available through retailers at 61p (inc. V.A.T.) and through Church outlets at about 40p. It is hoped to encourage as many parents as possible to read and implement the sentiments and exhortations contained in the full text. In this way at least the visit of Pope John Paul 11 would not have been in vain.

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF POPE JOHN PAUL 11

1 Pope John Paul said in Limerick :-

"I know that your bishops are preparing a pastoral programme designed to encourage greater sharing by parents in the religious education of their children under the motto :-

"Handing on the Faith in the Home". I am confident that you will all join in this programme with enthusiasm and generosity. To hand on to your children the faith you received from your parents is your first duty and your greatest privilege as parents. The home should be the first school of religion, as it must be the first school of prayer "

2 Tell it to your children :-

Over and over again in the Bible it is repeated that faith in the true God is handed on from father to son to grandson. The religion of Israel under God, was handed on and preserved in the family.

3 The Church In The Home :-

From the very beginning of the Christian Church the same thing has been true. Religion begins at home and parents are its first teachers.

When parents bring their new baby to be baptised the priest meets them on arrival at the church, he says to them :-

"You have asked to have your child baptised. In doing so, you are accepting the responsibility of training him / her in the practice of the faith. Do you clearly understand what you are undertaking " ? Parents answer "We do" They accept their obligations consciously and freely.

A church building is easily recognisable. It cannot be mistaken for a secular building. It has plenty of signs and symbols indicating clearly that is a house of God and a place of prayer. But the home of a Christian family is in a very real sense "The church of God which meets at their home" There fore their house also should be recognisable and clearly identifiable as a place whose members believe , whose members pray. The home of believ - ing Christians should never be able to be mistaken for the home of people who have no the faith. Even in the worst days of persecution, Christians made and used secret symbols and objects of which they understood the meaning, but which pagans could not recognise.

HANDING ON THE FAITH IN THE HOME continued

It is a sad thing that in our days of religious freedom some of the homes of Catholics have no sign or symbol, no picture or statue, which would show that they are Christians, and which would remind them of God and help them to pray.

4 Religion in the Home :-

The home should be the first church which children know, and in which they are reminded of God and helped to pray by what they see around them. Religion begins at home. Parents are the first religion teachers and the most important of all teachers of religion. The Church has reminded us again and again of this.

The Council's teaching was that, if parents fall down on this task, "scarcely anything can compensate for their failure". In 1977 Synod of Bishops also strongly emphasised the place of parents in the handing on of the faith. The Bishops of the Synod in their Message to the People of God said :- "We remember those fathers and mothers who educate their children from infancy in the knowledge of Jesus Christ in the fear and love of God. They preserve in the hearts of their children that faith, received in Baptish and strengthened in Confirmation, in such a way that they are continually building the faith, constantly striving toward eternal life. "

We acknowledge that when the new primary school religion programme was introduced parents were not always given enough encouragement and help to become well informed about it and involved in it. Yet without the parents' involvement and support the programme cannot succeed. We gladly pay tribute to the way in which parents are already sharing in the programme. This present Pastoral Letter and campaign are intended to encourage more parents to become actively involved. in this great effort of renewal of religion teaching.

5 Tradition is "Handing On"

The Synod of Bishops, in the Message we already mentioned says :- "To be a Christian means to enter into a living tradition. Catechesis is therefore the "transmission of the documents of faith". It corresponds to a genuine fidelity to God and humanity in Jesus Christ" Tradition is a basic Christian term. It means "handing on" ; "handing on the Faith". In the church today and always, it means exactly the same thing as it meant in the Bible from the beginning : it means the handing on of faith from father and mother to son and daughter, to grandson and grand-daughter. The link across the generations must never be broken. No "generation gap" must ever be allowed to break the continuity in the handing on of the faith. If ever one generation is lost to the Faith it is difficult and rare for the next generation to return once more to the faith of their grandparents. The believing and praying hands must be kept linked across the generations and the link must not be broken.

You parents must choose. You can either be a 'hander on' or you can be a deserter and betrayer. Parents either hand on faith to their children or they hand on unbelief. They canJt just take a neutral stance and leave the child 'to decide for himself or herself' when he or she grows up. Such parents have already taken a decision for the child ; and that decision is that religion isn't really important.

To be continued in your next Newsletter.

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Sisters, Brothers, Relatives, of the late Michael Dowling, 280 Greenfield wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement. Those who called personally, sent mass cards, seraphic certificates wreaths, attended removal, mass and funeral also thanks to our kind neighbours Doctor Cowhey, Nurse Hyland, Very Rev. Fr. Walsh, Rev. Fr. Supple C.C. and members of local Fianna Fail Cumman, trusting this will be accepted by all, in grateful acknowledgement, the Holy Sacrafice of the Mass will be offered for their intentions.

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NOTES FROM GERRY BRADY

RE: NOTICE OF MOTION -
"That this Council provide the necessary lighting and footpaths from the Church in Maynooth to Mariaville and the football field"

As regards the footpaths in the above Notice of Motion, I wish to inform you that I have same included on the 'Otherworks' list for consideration, but due to the financial constraints in the current year, it will not be possible to have the work done this year.

Signed P.J. Harte,
Acting County Engineer,
Kildare Co. Council.
14/3/'80

Dear Councillor Brady,

I wish to refer to your recent approach to me concerning the distribution of toothbrushes to schools in Co. Kildare.

As you know, the distribution began in Dental Health Week and was, as you will appreciate a major undertaking. Inevitably, delays occured since, in many cases, dental staff of health boards wished to deliver the brushes personally in order to emphasise the educational message of the campaign to staff and pupils.
However, the delivery of brushes is now almost complete and more than 550,000 brushes have been distributed.

I have made enquiries concerning the national schools in Maynooth and Rathcoffey and I understand from the Eastern Health Board that brushes have been distributed to these schools and to all other national schools in Kildare.

I hope that this information is of assistance to you and that the effects of this imaginative health education measure will be reflected in improved dental health in Kildare as elsewhere.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Michael Woods TD.

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NOTES FROM GER. BRADY M.C.C.

Letter from Department of Post and Telegraphs. :-
Dear Gerard,

Mr. Mark Killilea T.D. Minister of State at the Department of Posts and Telegraphs, has asked me to acknowledge your representations regarding the telephone exchange at Maynooth, Co. Kildare.

A reply will be sent to you as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,
T. Kennington,
Private Secretary.

12th May 1980

WORK PROJECTS FOR THE EMPLOYMENT OF YOUNG PEOPLE

Mr. Jim Tunney T.D. Minister of State at the Department of Education, is pleased to announce that the Government has made monies available for the continuation of his Department's Youth Employment Scheme.

Under the Scheme, grants are made to Youth, Sport and Community Associations for the employment of young people on suitable work projects.

This year, in addition to the normal grants payable in respect of the wages of young workers, the Department will also consider requests for assistance towards the cost of materials, where a building project is undertaken, as well as a contribution towards the employment of skilled adult workers, where it is felt that such aid is necessary for the satisfactory execution of the project.

Details of the scheme and application forms for completion by eligible organisations may be had from The Department of Education, Youth Employment Section, Floor 11 Hawkins House, Dublin. 2

GREENFIELD RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE GREENFIELDS RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION WILL BE HELD IN THE GERALDINE HALL ON TUESDAY JUNE 24th AT 8.30 p.m.

A FULL ATTENDANCE IS EXPECTED

GREENFIELD ESTATE RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

As was announced in the Circular Letter (after the face), there was a tidy-up of the shopping area on Saturday morning, May 3rd. We left it better, anyway, than when we found it, and it is heartening to see it being kept that way. So that part of the Estate should win Maynooth some marks when Tidy Towns time comes round again at the end of June. If the writer may wax lyrical for a moment in this fine weather, isn't it lovely to see the young trees coming into bloom, they who have weathered the buffeting winds of winter, standing up bravely by themselves sometimes without much support ?

A donation of £1 will be requested from residents to finance the Sports Day on June 29th. This is designed to be a cheerful get-together for parents and children, without taking anything away from the Community Games.

The residents of Greenfield Drive are making great strides with their Grassing of the Green and we wish them every success in this.

Moving inside from the great outdoors, we would like to thank you in advance for supporting the poker game in the Parish Hall on Saturday, May 17th.

The Committee is all the time doing what it can in such matters as television reception, ground rent and liaison with students.

Go mbainfidh sibh taitneamh as an aimsir bhrea !

PUBLIC MEETING

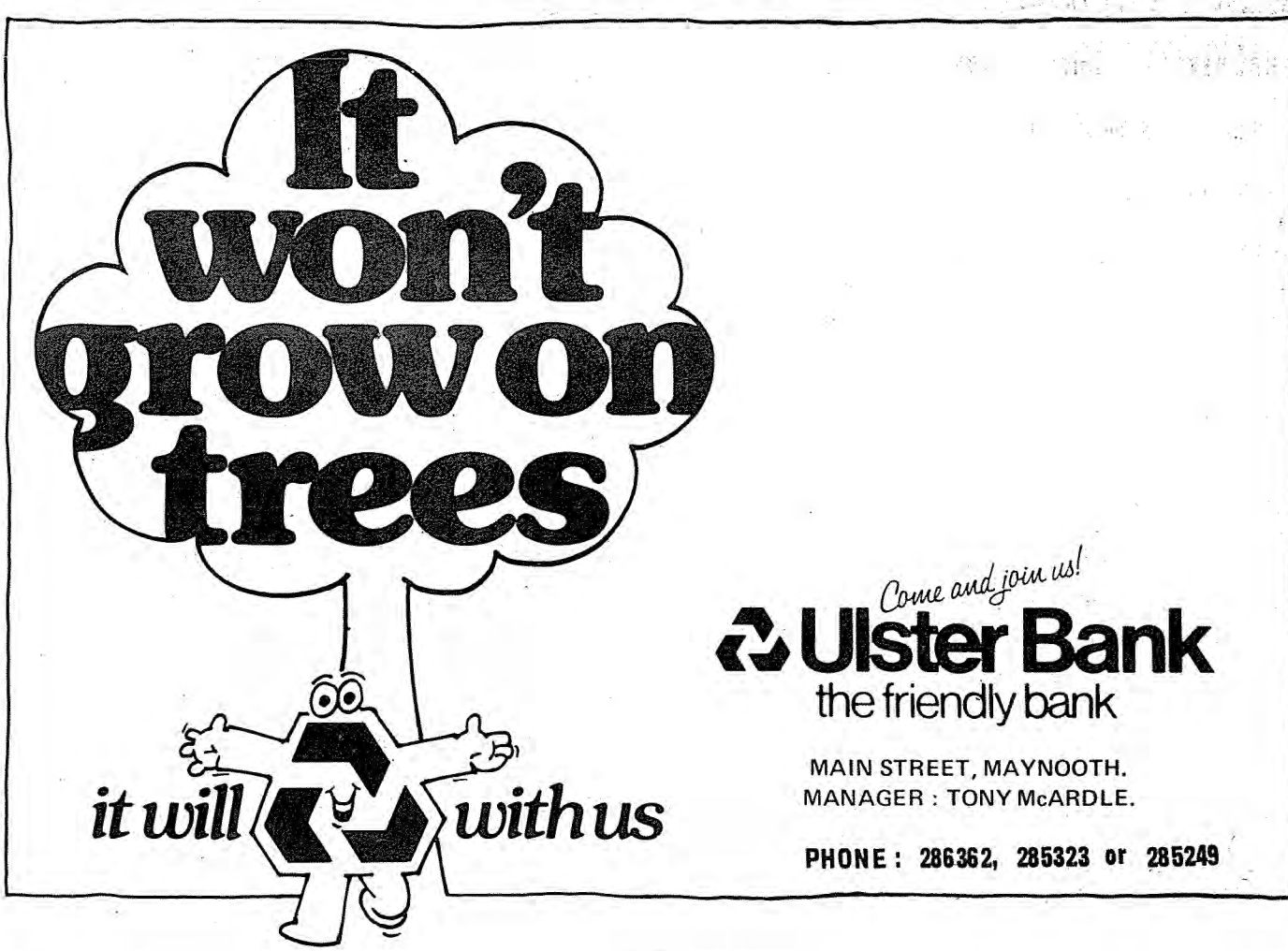
A Public Meeting was held on 14th May, sponsored by the Maynooth Development Association to discuss the proposed transfer by Mr. David Nall Cain of his interest in the Castle grounds, Taghadoe Round Tower and Graveyard and the trees in the town to the people of Maynooth.

A small committee was formed to meet Mr. Nall Cain and discuss with him the appointment of trustees on behalf of the Townspeople and other relevant matters. The Committee will gather the relevant information and report back to a further general meeting when trustees will be appointed.

The Committee comprises :-
Mrs. Mary Cullen ; Mrs. Bridie O'Brien; Mrs. Howard Williams ; Mrs. E. Curran ; Messrs. C. Bean , Martin Kelly and Ted Kelly.

GERRARD BRADY'S CLINIC

GERRY BRADY M. C. C. WILL HOLD A CLINIC ON THE LAST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT MAIN STREET, MAYNOOTH



COMMUNITY GAMES

"Co-operation is the Food on which it will Flourish"

The motto of the Community Games, which in other words means that the GAMES are for the whole Community each and every one of you old and young are expected to be involved, and to co.operate in any way you can.

Most of you have already co-operated by helping to finance the Games, the results of the collection is not yet known, but will be published next month. Here is where we should say 'thank you', but we won't because the GAMES are not ours they are YOURS, they belong to the Community of Maynooth, and we in the Committee are only helping you to run your games They are for your Children, we want every child in the Parish, who can walk or swim to participate. Remember we expect you all from :

KELLYSTOWN : KILMACRADDOCK

OBELISK : BALLYGORAN :

BARBERSTOWN CROSS : LADY

CHAPEL : SMITHSTOWN :

THE MAWS : TAGHADOE :

MOYGLARE : OLD CARTON :

BLAKESTOWN

IMPORTANT

Let everybody understand the Games are not for just members of Clubs, and those who take part do not have to belong to any Club, just to the Parish of Maynooth as set out above. They are in fact, and WE REPEAT your GAMES.

HOW DO YOU ENTER?

Just come along and join the parade on the great Day Saturday 7th June It will start in the "MART" (by curtest of Doyle Bros) at 1.30 p.m. sharp so be there about one. Scouts Guides & Cubs will march in Uniforms. Venturers would be very welcome.

We expect all Clubs to carry Banners or Flags this includes team events. Those who do not belong to a Club we hope will March in groups with the name of their District where they live, on their Banner, and if you come from an outline area, and there are only a few of you, well ask Mammy nicely to make you a Little coloured Flag to wave around. Look in the Rag Box. We want as much colour in the Parade as possible.

The Parade will follow the Band to the G.A.A. Field where the children will continue to Parade until the Lighted Torch arrives which will be carried by various groups. The Bowl of Light will then be lit and remain for the duration of the Games.

When the torch bearer arrives the Community Games Pledge will be said by all. This pledge is the Common Bond between all Community Games, perhaps the Teachers & Masters could help by reading it in class, so as the children can follow the words easily on the great day.

"We pledge ourselves to the ideal of the National Community Games in a spirit of friendly rivalry. We shall strive to participate with honest endeavour. Our aim shall not be victory at any price but we shall genuinely seek to unit our Community in friendly sporting competition. By competing fairly and honestly, we the Children of this Community shall attempt to make our Town MAYNOOTH a happier place to live in.

Then the games are off. Each child and once again our Teachers and Masters can be a great help, you did a wonderful job last year, should wear a tag of some kind, on which is written their, name address, age and date of Birth This is to avoid tears at a later stage. Each child must be under the age, which he/she comptes in on the 31st July 1980. This is a very strict Rule.

Remember no Entry Forms are necessary - No entrance fee is necessary. We hope to have plenty of Stewards who will help marshal the children. You just listen until the event to suit your age is called and go up to the line. Here again our teachers and Masters will be worth their weight in gold (as if they are not always!) Names will only be taken at the winning line, of the first 3 or 4 whatever the Committee decides at the next meeting. You can enter as many events as you like provided you are the right age.

All the heats will be run on the Saturday, and Finals on Sunday 10th. 1st - 2nd -3rd in each event will go forward to Co. Level which will be held in Newbridge, date to be fixed Names of the first 6 in each final event will be taken, in case any child does not wish to go forward. A child can only go forward with one individual event and one team event. There will of course be no awards given on Saturday, except the wonderful thrill of going forward to the Finals on Sunday. We hope everybody will compete in something, don't forget we could not have winners if we did not have loosers.

The SWIMMING EVENTS will be over before the Games, they will take place in the College Pool on June 3rd, 4th, 5th & 6th. However the Boys and Girls will not presented with their medals or Trophies until Sunday 8th. We will have 3 rostrums on which the 1st - 2nd - & 3rd will stand to receive their awards.

contd.

EMMET STAGG CLINIC

Councillor Emmet Stagg will attend on the 3rd Saturday of each month between 2 and 5 p.m. at Brady's Lounge, Main Street, to meet constituents .

COMMUNITY GAMES continued.

The Town we hope will be a blaze of colour (to let children know something very special is happening) ladies are already busy making Buntings, or collecting last year's. All of you have flags since the great event last October, come on Traders hang them out. All you ADULTS have had alot of fun during the Lord Mayor's fund raising, hard work perhaps, but fun too, now it is the CHILDRENS turn come out and support them.

There will be an open Meeting in the Geraldine Hall on Tuesday 3rd June at 9 o'clock, and we want everybody, just everybody, who can contribute in any way, by offering themselves as stewards, to come along. Red Cross, Civil Defence, we would love to have you as a back up.

ROAD RELAYS :- Boys & Girls under 12 on 31st July '80. We have made an alternation in this we will just call it a 'FUN RELAY' These will take place on Sunday but anybody who wishes to enter MUST give in their names on Saturday. Your names will be drawn from a Hat on Sunday. But no entries will be taken on the Sunday, so listen for the announcement on Saturday if you wish to compete in the Fun Relay.

WHO WILL OPEN THE GAMES ? Our New Lord Mayor or Lady Mayor of course, and who will close the Games the same important person, we full robes and chain of Office we refuse to settle for less.

BOYS SOCCER . Our little lads got beaten, but not to worry they were very young, and will be there again next year. Congrats Boys you competed in the true spirit of the Games.

BOYS GAELIC - Hard luck lads the game was a Dead-heat and extra time should have been played, as it is you must play again, keep up the good work. You see there can be no dead-heats in Community Games, one team must keep going forward.

BANNER & BUNTINGS :-

We will need help to put these up, Date agreed upon Sunday 1st. June 7 a.m. Yes Fellows you did read right seven in the morning, before the Whit Traffic get going. Come on shake a leg for ONE MORNING don't leave it to the faithful few.

ART :- The Art Competition is over, a very big 'THANK YOU' to Miss Raftery, the Art Teacher in Post Primary who took such an interest in all the children, especially the work in progress, which took place in the Parish Hall.

Results are as follows:-
GIRLS U/8
1st - G. Kavanagh.
2nd - Catherine Ashe.
3rd - Ciara Houlihan

BOYS U/8 .
1st - Paul Daly
2nd - Conor McCormack
3rd - Darren McDermott.

GIRLS U/10.
1st. - Marie Gillespie
2nd - J. Meagher.
3rd - Caroline Stack.

BOYS U/10
John Gillespie - 1st
Gregory Kirwan - 2nd
3rd - Ian Stack.

BOYS U/12
1st. - Stephen Gillespie
2nd - Mark Burns
3rd. Liam O'Toole.

GIRLS U/12
1st - Oonagh Breslin
2nd - L. Grant
3rd. A. Nolan.

Sister Aquinas, Presentation Convent very kindly presented the Awards for us, Many thanks Sister, it is always a pleasure to have the Convent Re - presented. The above children will represent Maynooth at County Level.

BADMINTON - Our young Badminton team will play Ballymore Eustace in the Semi-Finals in the Parish Hall at 8 o'clock on Friday 30 th. May, come along and give them your support.

BASKETBALL - The Girls are off to Castledermott on May 31st.
The Boys on 14th June, Good Luck both.

THE PITCH & Putt team is as follows :- Martin Foy - John O'Connor - John Mullaly - Garry Power & Tony Kearins. - No date has yet been fixed for their match.
TALENT - In the capable hand of Phil. Burke will take place Crookstown 13th June.

Community Games contd.

SWIMMING :-

Tuesday 3rd. June - College Pool,
Girls U12 - Meet at Geraldine Hall 4.30 p.m.

Girls U/14 - Meet at Geraldine Hall 6 o'clock.

Girls U/16 - Meet at Geraldine Hall 7 o'clock.

Wednesday 4th June - BOYS

U/12 - Meet at Geraldine Hall 4.30
U/14 - Meet at Geraldine Hall 6 o'clo
U/16 . Meet at Geraldine Hall 7 o'clo

Thursday 5th June - GIRLS & BOYS U/8
Girls meet at Geraldine Hall 4 p.
Boys meet at Geraldine Hall 5.30 p.

Friday - 6th June U/10 GIRLS

Girls meet Geraldine Hall 4.30 p.m.
Boys meet Geraldine Hall 6 o'clock.

Anybody entering the College Ground without a Steward from the Swimming Club or Community Games will be disqualified. Remain at the Geraldir until you are called. Happy Swimmin

PICTURES

Many of the pictures which appear in the NEWSLETTER are very poor. This is due to the method used in printing. For good reproduction - pictures must be very clear and if possible in black and white.

RECENT DEATHS

We express our Sympathy to the wife, relatives, and friends, of the late Mathew (Mat) Farrell, Leixlip, Co. Kildare.
Mathew was brother of Nicholas Farrell, O'Neill Park, Maynooth.

ALSO
To the relatives and friends of the late Elizabeth Souhan, The Maws, Kilcock, Co. Kildare.

ALSO
To the wife, family, relatives and friends of the late Hugh Casey, Clonfert, Maynooth.

ALSO
To Family, relatives and friends of the late Mrs. Bracken, Kells, Co. Meath. Mrs. Bracken, formerly lived at Moyglare, Maynooth.

ALSO
To the wife, Family and relatives and friends of the late Ollie Graham, Newtown, Maynooth.

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To the wife, family, relatives and friends of the late Jimmy Kennedy, 114 Palmerstown Avenue, Palmerstown, Co. Dublin. His wife was formerly Maura Bracken from Moyglare, Maynooth.

ALSO
To the Husband, Family, Relatives and friends of the late Mrs. Mary Smyth, Newtown, Kilcock.
Mrs. Smyth was formely from Moyglare, Maynooth

ALSO
To the relatives, and friends of the late Michael Dowling, Greenfield, Maynooth.

ALSO
To the relatives and friends of the late Edward Flood who died recently.

ALSO
To the relatives and friends of the late Julia Weafer formely from Mariavilla, Maynooth.

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CHARITIES & RAG WEEK '80

The Final Report on the College students Charities and Rag Week, 1980 was issued on 6th May together with a message from the President, Mgr. Michael Olden.

Mgr. Olden in his message congratulated the students on their ex - cellent achievement for charity and commended them for their efforts this year to avoid disruption of classes and disturbance of studies. Mgr. Olden himself held the view that a week was too long and that the celebrations should last for two days, thus causing less distraction to students from the main purpose which brought them to the College in the first place. He asked students also to be sensitive of the 'non College world' and to show that students can also be as hard working as other sections of the population.

In the review section, the Final Report outlined the major or minor success of the various ventures during the 'RAG WEEK' both from financial and entertainment point of view. The introduction of the marquee as a venue for entertain - ment was a great success and the increased involvement of students in the functions really made the Week. Much of the expenditure this year for electrical wiring, sound equipment, etc. was an investment as it will be available for future years.

All in all the week showed a nett profit of £1917.22 – £1100 of which was raised by the 'Jumble Sale' Committee, and was distributed to Charities as follows :-

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Barnardo's Child Care, Dublin £100
Irish Wheelchair Association £100
Rape Crisis Centre, Dublin £100
Itinerants' Awareness Committee
Education of Children. £100
Old Folks' Party, Maynooth £67

The rag-week committee return their sincere thanks to all those in the College who co-operated in the Rag Week, to the Schools, Traders and Townspeople of Maynooth etc. etc. too numerous to mention here.

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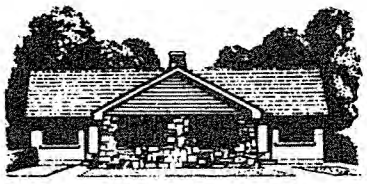

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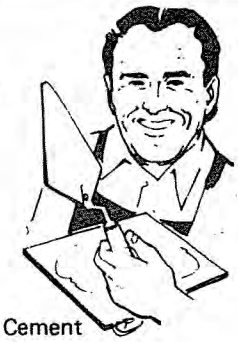

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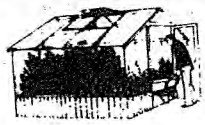

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Like it or not, as we enter the eighties, Ireland's environment–undoubtedly the richest in Europe, is showing alarming signs of decay. Our country's greatest asset–its renowned beauty–is rapidly being stifled by virtually unrestricted air and water pollution, unplanned building, increased ravaging of wildlife and trees. Perhaps the greatest threat to our future prosperity is the abuse of energy.

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MAYNOOTH OLD PEOPLE'S COMMITTEE

Our last Party of this year until after Summer Break took place in the S.V.D. Hostel on Sunday 11th May. The party commenced with a concelebrated Mass. We had with us about 15 Old People from Dunboyne and a special guest -- Mrs. Dunne, Fr. Liam Dunne's mother. In all about 75 Old People sat down to a lovely tea. The sing.song and dancing afterwards proved a lively session with abundance of Talent from old and young alike, ranging from Irish Dancing to some beautiful music on the fiddle by Fr. Liam Roe. As usual our thanks go to Brian Lawless S.V.D. - Ken O'Brien & Kevin McGovern for our music.

On Friday 16th our new Club opened in the Band Hall. The Club will be open each Friday from 10.30 - 12.30 p.m. and from 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. A "Cuppa & Biscuits" will be available all day. We hope that many of our Old People coming to Town on Friday will use it to meet their friends for a chat.

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At our party on the 11th May, Sr. Vivian who organised the Easter Party run by the Students paid us a brief visit and presented to the Committee a cheque for £90 on behalf of the Student Rag Week Committee in the College. For this we are deeply grateful and we will put to good use for the Old People.

On May 31st we celebrate our 15th Anniversary of the first meeting of the Old People's Committee. This we think should call for a special celebration at our next party. One of our original members was Miss Julia Weafer who was an extremely active member. It was with deep regret we learnt of her death. May she rest in peace. To her relatives and Friends we offer our deepest sympathy.

As the NEWSLETTER goes to Press this week-end the results of the Mayor of Maynooth Campaign will be announced. To each and everyone who supported 'MARIE KELLY' we say a 'Thousand Thanks'. Everyone has been extremely generous.

To all the students who have helped all year - good luck to you all in your exams.

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Letters to the Editor

Carton,
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15/5/'80

Dear Sir,

Once again a Public Meeting was held in Maynooth, and once again the same few familiar faces were present !

This meeting was called because, The Hon. David Nall Cain, the absentee landlord of the Castle, trees etc. wanted to hand over the freehold of these very important items to trustees appointed by the Town of Maynooth.

Could somebody please tell me, for I find it extremely hard to understand, where were the vested interests of the Town. What about the College ? The Churches ? The Schools ? The Mill-Owner, the Banks ? The Publicans, the Butchers, the Baker, the Candlestick Maker ? All these people were absent from this important meeting ! which could effect the future of our town.

It is important that the College, the teenagers, the school children, be represented at such a Meeting. To the Commercial Interests I ask is it not time that your interest in the town be declared by your presence at a Public Meeting ? Almost every business premises has a tree out - side it and these were under discussion. Are you just not interested.

I remain,
Yours faithfully,
Joan Howard Williams.

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16/5/'80

A Chara,

I've had a number of inquiries re entry to the Computer Studies course which is to be part of the Maths. Course next year, in this School. Regrettfully, it is confined to Students attending the Post Primary in Maynooth.

Thomas Ashe - PRINCIPAL

NEW DEACON

Congratulations to George Begley who is been made Deacon on June 5th. George is studying for the Priesthood at Clonliffe College. He is son of Mr. & Mrs. Larry Begley, Pound Street, Maynooth.

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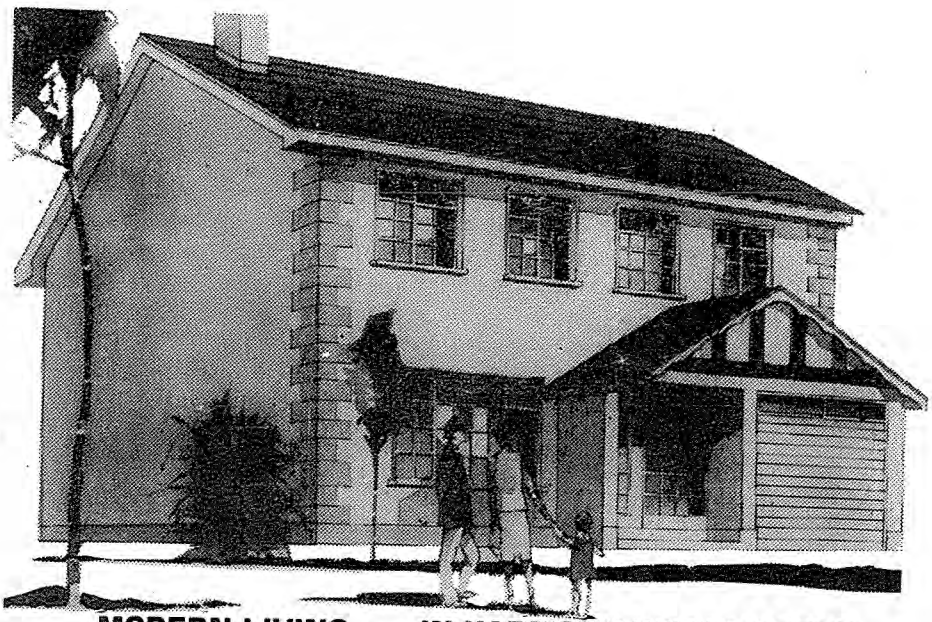

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MEMORIES

When I was nine or ten my Father took apart our Morris. How long it took I cannot now recall but it seemed to take all summer. My brother and I were deeply involved with the removal of each major part. Not content with watching we had to be right there putting the nuts and bolts to one side and asking a constant stream of questions. How my Father kept his sanity and his patience can only be a reflection on his gentle nature. The greatest attraction was the rotation of the wheels. In a time when people were less affluent and very few thought of changing cars as frequently as they do today tire rotation was very necessary. While Daddy tinkered we played at changing tires and when it came to the real thing he let us do it ourselves with his close assistance. The unfortunate end to this budding of mechanical interest was that my Father was unable to put it back together again, which came as no surprise to my Mother, and we were denied the second half of our home mechanics course.

The Morris was towed away with all its' parts in boxes on the back seat and returned to us, a credit to the garage, in time for our Summer Holidays.

We always went camping for our holidays, a truly adventurous 150 miles into the wilds of Southern Ontario. So far in fact that the Morris would overheat and we needed an overnight stop, as much for my parents as the car I suspect. The Morris was packed so tightly and expertly that people would find themselves watching us unpack with increasing astonishment. My Mother always efficent would begin compyling lists in the early spring and when the holidays arrived everything was checked and double checked before being packed. Twenty years ago camping in the Canadian Bush was primitive and you had to plan ahead or cut short your holiday due to imminant starvation, hence the overloaded Morris. It was necessary on steep hills for my Mother, brother and myself to walk while Father, in the Morris, chugged up slowly in first gear. It only added to the adventure. My Mother got out to save herself and her two children, she was quite convinced that it would never make it and if it did would come hurtling down if not this side then the other. Father was always supremly confident.

We sold the Morris, known as Genavive, a year or so after her major overhaul. Years later I would break into tears when my Father mentioned the Morris, so he bought me a Match Box Morris Minor which I have to this day. and foolishly wouldn't part with.

It is because of this close childhood association with a friendly little car I have always been disgusted with women who when confronted with a flat tire immediately run to the nearest male no matter weak , on the mistaken assumption that he must be better at changing tires than she. Although I had not changed a tire since I was nine I had reviewed the theory with my husband now that I was driving and while I was not looking forward to a flat I was more or less prepared. It was with this frame of mind I was confronted with my first flat. I looked cautiously up and down the lane , there was not a man in sight to volunteer his services, and I was delighted, I would have a chance to make any mistakes on my own and take as long as I wanted as it was the middle of the morning and none of my neighbours husbands would be home to lunch. I took out the spare, got out the jack, and attacked the wheel with a spanner, like my Father with supreme confidence. When around the corner came the dust bin men. I was immediately surrounded by five men all tut-tutting my problem. Dispite my assurances everything was under control and for them not to delay themselves the matter was taken over completely. As I stood helplessly babbling about not liking to play the helpless woman role, four of them lifted the front of the car while the fifth, in a matter of two minutes, changed the tire. I thanked them several times, smiling through my teeth. When they had gone I stood holding the jack, unused, and looking sorrowfully down at the tire. I look forward to my next flat in the privacy of my own back garden. Women can change flats as well as men if only we get a chance to prove it.

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THE MEANING OF MISSION
(Part 11)

by Sean P. Smith

The Church recognises that there can be no evangalisation without the action of the Holy Spirit. and encourages Missionary prayer.

The Decree on the Church's Missionary Activity (Ad Gentes) of Vatican Council 11 speaks of the role of the Holy Spirit as "...instilling into the hearts of the Faithful the same Mission Spirit which impelled Christ Himself"

When Pope Pius X1 proclaimed St. Therese Patroness of the Missions (1927), he encouraged the establishment of houses of contemplative life in Mission Countries. This is a facet of Missionary endeavour that deserves greater recognition.

In his address at Maynooth 1st October, 1979, the Feast of St. Therese, , Pope John Paul 11 said "In Maynooth in Ireland to speak of Priesthood is to speak of mission..' Later in his address he expressed this wish :

"May there be many boys and girls called to contemplative life when the future of the church and the future of humanity depends on prayer"

This is an age when sacrifice is not popular and the aspects of prayer and suffering are, unfortunately, too little emphasised in missionary education.

To encourage this apoltolate, Pentecost (which with the coming of the Holy Spirit heralded the beginning of Mission work in the Church) has, since 1934, been set aside each year as Mission Sunday for the sick (This year it fell on May 25th)

In the words of Archbishop Lourdusamy Secretary of Vatican Congregation for the Evangalisation of Peoples :-

"The sick are pillars that support us. It is in physical weakness that the strength of Christ is ro and based."

On suffering Pope John XX111 prayed :

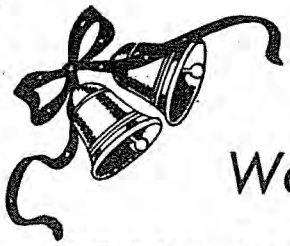
"If only we could recruit for the missionary apostolate all who are sick...If we could make all hospitals so many centres of spiritual support for the work of missionaries..pains accepted lovingly from God's hands for the perseverance of missionaries - what triumphs would the Church of God not win "

Again he spole abour "...the immense fruitfulness of suffering..."

We can understand something of the profound mystery in this means offered to us "so that we can fill up those things that are wanting in the sufferings of Christ...for his body which is the Church.

If any of us should feel daunted by this heroic example that has been portrayed for us, let us remember that the true value of Mission is the way we live our daily lives, and the use we make of the most ordinary things for the spiritual benefit of our fellowmen - our brothers and sisters, one family in one world - making us worthy of the vocation to which we are called.

To be continued.



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SCOUTS - In a mixed good news / bad news situation, usually the good news comes first. However we are all deeply saddened by the departure of Pat Begley as Scout Leader. Speaking formyself and the Unit as a whole I would like to pay tribute to Pat's unselfish years of dedication to scouting in our Town. We shall all miss him, regretably presures of business has forced Pat to depart.

NEW LEADERS . Kevin Kennedy now becomes acting Scout Leader. A warm welcome too, to new Assistant Scout Leaders - C. Murray . T. Whyte - and M. Ryan who swell the depleted leader ranks of scouting.

HIKE - Thirteen scouts took part in tropical sunshine on May 15th at Donadea. Activities included . Swimming Cooking - Test Work - Games - Trail & test work. Many thanks also to the parents who provided transport for the day.

INVESTITURE - All parents of scouts are invited to attend on Saturday May 14th at 3 p.m. venue to be notified. Our new scouts deserve a good turn - out.

CAMP-FIRE - Although details have yet to be worked out this will take place in early June, some evening.

CUBS - Cub Leader Ann Gargan has submitted the following report on our twinning venture with Limerick Cubs.:-

On Friday 18th April the 23rd Limerick Cub Scout pack invaded Maynooth. They were met at the station by Fergus Tuohy and Anne Gargan, safely deposited on a bus bound for Maynooth and arrived to a great welcome in the Square.

Headquarters for the week-end was the Geraldine Hall. Once gear had been temporarily stored we had a film courtest of Tom Ashe. Two hours later it came time to paid the boys off. Accommodation was provided in the homes of the Maynooth Cub Scouts. Old friendships were renewed and it was funny to see Maynooth Cub Scouts trying to persuade Limerick Cub Scouts to stay in their respective homes. It re - minded me of the fruit merchants viewing with each other in Moore Street "My house is beeter than his". Eventually it was all sorted out escept we found we had too many beds and not enough boys. At one stage on Friday night the Maynooth Leaders were racing around trying to find a spare Cub Scout as it seemed that one or two houses seemed destined to avoid the in - vasion much to the disappointment of the Maynooth boys. We finally got it all sorted out, a big 'hurrah' for Adrienne Hatch who ended up with both Limerick and Maynooth Cub Scouts.

Saturday morning we had a tour of Maynooth. Once again the main attraction was the haunted room. After the college we made our way to the Zoo. Of course the leaders had plenty of problems when it came time for going into Dublin, trying to figure out which were Cub Scouts and which were the animals, after the Zoo we went by bus to Dublin. Unfortunately due to the bad manners and ignorance on behalf of some members of C.I.E. our stay in Dublin was not very long but enjoyable still and all.

Saturday afternoon we had "It's a knockout" on the post primary playing fields. After which there was a quick dash home for food and a wash. Then down to the Geraldine for "Saturday night at the Palladium" Parents and leaders were entertain - ed for the night by sketches and songs from the 23rd and 8th. Bedtime was 10.30 p.m. and much to the joy of the leaders they went to their homes not to be seen until the following morning.

We assembled at the S.M.A. house for Mass at 9.30 p.m., celebrated by Fr. Mossie Kelleher who was assisted by our newly ordained deacons Fergus and Kevin.

We headed for Donadea at about 11 where we divided into patrols and set off into the woods for a morning of fun. Fort building, tracking and blindfold trails were just some of the things we did. In Donadea we were joined by some of our parents. Judging by the group I was with they had as much fun as the boys. So you see parent Scouting can be fun if you will just allow yourselves to become involved.

23rd Limerick said their last farewell to Maynooth on Sunday at about 4.30 p.m. However I believe a lot of summer holidays were arranged before the weekend was over.

All in all it was a good weekend. Alot of people deserve thanks but I will limit the list to just one - Mr. Dinny Breen. Without his help and co-operation the weekend would not have gone as well as it did. So from all the Cub Scouts and Leaders in Maynooth and Limerick - Thank Yo

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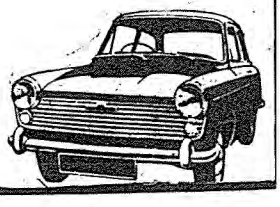

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COMING EVENTS

June 7 & 8th . Community Games in G.A.A. Field.
June 12 - Confirmation
June 14 & 15 . Cosi Van Tutte - opera at Castletown
June 15 - Latest date for items for July Newsletter.
June 21 - Old Folks Annual Outing
June 24 - Greenfield Resident A.G.M. Geraldine Hall.
July 12 - Annual Flower Show
July 13 . Georgian Society Recital at Castletown.
July 18 - Labour Party Night Out at Hitchin Post.
Aug 8 - Band Cabaret in Hitchin Post.
Aug. 10 - Georgian Society Recital at Castletown.
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WELCOME

We wish to welcome Garda Aidan Boyle who has taken up duty in Maynooth recently. Garda Boyle is a native of Mountrath. We hope he will be very happy in his new Post.

Hello Children,

This is the Month of June and you all know what happens in Maynooth in June. Yes, you are right. It is time for the Maynooth Community Games, and we are hoping that it will be as big a success as Last Year or Bigger. However that will depend on you the Children of Maynooth. Pearse Breslin and his Committee are doing a great job organising things for the Games. But they, will be wasting their time if you (the children) do not play your part. So let's have a big turn out for the two days the Games are on. Have a Banner painted with the Name of The Estate or Road where you live on it, and all the children who live there will march together.

Above all enter for the competitions and you could end up winning a Medal or a Trophy. You were all very good last year, and we were all proud of you, the losers as well as the Winners. Make us as proud of you all this year and don't forget to bring your Daddy and Mammy along also as there will be a Race for them as well. Start practicing your favourite Sport now and get in and do your best to win and we'll all be there to cheer you on. So good luck to you all. Remember everything in Community Games is FREE to CHILDREN.

This month we have an other picture for you to paint so when you have it painted hand it in to John Read, 36 Rail Park or to Leo McGlynn, 857 Greenfield on or before the 15th June.

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Paul Daly, Mariaville.
Marilyn Boyd, 517 Newtown.

and the runners-up were

Gerard McDonnell, 5 Doctors Lane
Assumpta " " "
Geradine Dunne, 860 Greenfield
Declan McKibben, 72 Rail Park.
Orla McStravick, 15 Lawrence Ave
Marc Burns, 29 Maynooth Park.
James Burke, 839 Greenfield.
Doreen Fortune, 11 Parson Street
Mary " "
Claire McTiernan, 278 Greenfield.
Sandra Kenny, 829 Greenfield.
Micheal Troy, 821 Greenfield
Laura " "
Pauline " "
Maria Richardson, 483 Straffan Road.

So until we see you all at the 'COMMUNITY GAMES' take care of yourselves and God Bless you all.

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COMMUNITY GAMES

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Brendan Bean
Mark Cribbin
Garry Power
John McGarry
Cathal Power
Hugh O'Donnell
Micheal O'Donnell

GIRLS:- Pamela Burke (Captain)
Shelly Breslin (Vice Captain)
Esa Nolan.
Martina Fitzpatrick
Gillian Deane
Oonagh Breslin.
Anne Marie McDermott
Ursula Byrne
Una Cleary.

Kevin Breslin - won the skills competition held as part of training with Vincent Murphy runner up.

Pamela Burke won the girls section with Martina Fitzpatrick runner up.

Prize for the best defender went to Esa Nolan.

Declan Murphy and Patricia McGarry have kindly taken charge of the teams and will act as Managers for the games.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who turned up regularly and punctually every afternoon to train. This shows a professional attitude towards the game and I hope will show its rewards in the future.

Best of luck in the Community Games and remember win, or lose enjoy the game respect the officials and be sporting.

Thanks for the opportunity to work with you.

Martin McCormack SDB.

The above letter, as you can see, came from 'Martin', and as Secretary of the Community Games, I would like to say a big 'Thank You' to Martin on behalf of the Committee, and the children, and from all of us 'Good Luck' with your exams.

NOTES FROM CLLR. B. DURKAN

Cllr. B. Durkan reports that he has requested Kildare Co. Co. to undertake the cutting of the grass on the 'GREENS' in Old Greenfield and Rail Park Estates.

The Bridge is not too far away -- Co. Engineer told Cllr. Durkan that final arrangements for its installation are well in hand.

Good news for Residents of Carton Court , Greenfield Drive, Maynooth Park, Laurence Avenue, Straffan Way and Cluain Aoibhinn. Cllr. Durkan after intensive negotiations arranged a meeting between Officials of Kildare Co. Co. and representatives of the developers of these estates. The result is that a formula has been agreed upon, whereby the developers will complete any outstanding works in order that Co. Co. can take the Estates in charge. The resolution of this matter is welcomed by both the residents and Co. Co.

NOTES FROM B. DURKAN

NOTICE OF MOTION CLLR. DURKAN

"That the number of Private Building Sites at Maynooth be increased by 30.

REPLY - The development of a further 30 Private Building Sites at Maynooth has been included in a submission to the Department of the Environment for an allocation of Capital for new starts in 1980. As yet the Department has not notified the Council of an allocation for new starts but if the amount allocated is sufficient, it is the Council's intention to proceed with development of this further 30 Private Building Sites at Greenfield in the current year.

Signed:- T. McDonald,
Administrative Officer
Kildare Co. Council.

NOTICE OF MOTION:

"That this Council would seek to up-grade the status of some of its county roads"

REPLY :- I would agree with this proposal. It would require the sanction of the Department of the Environment. The Council has been in touch with the Department over a number of years on the subject and certain proposals have been put forward as part of an overall re-classification of roads such as the Maynooth / Barberstown Road and involving the proposed regional routes. This also includes the Dunboyne Road, and means that more money could be made available for the up-keep of such roads.

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MAYNOOTH ATHLETIC CLUB
N.A.C.A. RULES

The Athletic Club would like to thank Mr. Thomas Ashe for the use of the Post Primary School Field for the "FUN SPORTS" held on the 27th April, in aid of the Parish Building Fund. Also James Harte who supplied Trophies for the Ladies' Tug-o-War and U16 Girls' Race. Diamond & Jem for the trophy for the Maynooth Hulk, Philip McDermot for Weight Throwing and Stop Bricks and Bros. Martin McCormack for the Basket Ball.

We would also like to thank our "Fortune Teller", and the lads from Leixlip A.C. who kept the DONKEY going and the Toddlers Happy all day. Tony Harte and Noel Farrelly for minding the net throughout the evening (it's all right lads we had Pat Jenning for our third choice if anything went wrong Ha! Ha!)Peter Flanagan for looking after the Darts, Pat Harty for Judging the Dog Show, and the man who kept everything going, Pearse Breslin. At the end of a long day Pearse had very little voice left and I'm sure two very sore feet. But he kept going to the very end. Well that's the kind of GUY he is.

After all that, I have no fear in saying that everybody had a very enjoyable day children and Adults alike. I also have no fear in saying that we could have been better supported, judging from the size of Maynooth in comparsion to the attendance in the field. It was poor to say the least We even had a wheel of fortune run by Norah McDermot and of course a shop. What more could anybody need. However the Club and in particular the Fund Raising Committee are very grateful to all our od 'Faithfulls' who never let us down. Anna Kelly and her fund Raising Committee has asked me to thank each and everyone who attended, and at the end of the day made it a success in this their first commitment. See Results at the end of these notes.

The Club would like to remind all our Athletes once again that the Kildare Championships take place in Maynooth on Whit Weekend 1st & 2nd June. So get in that little bit of extra training other than your usual Tuesday & Saturday. The coach Pearse Breslin will advice you on the kind of training you should do.

If there is any child or adult between the ages 7years & 60 years who think they can Run & Jump or who would like to give it a try come and join the Club. For that matter join the shole Family, and be a part of History making by taking part in the Kildare Championships (Track & Field) on Whit week end here in Maynooth. Training takes place in the G.A.A. Grounds, Moyglare Road, every Tuesday at 7 o'clock and Saturday mornings at 10.30 a.m. Coach Pearse Breslin in attendance.

LONG SERVICE

Mr. Richard Kenny has retired from C. I. E. after 48 years service.

Dick as he was known to his friends joined the then named G.S. W. Railway in Tullamore in 1932 and served at Kingsbridge, Ballybrophy, Clara, Moate and others before coming to Leixlip in 1946, when the station closed and transfered to Maynooth unti his retirement April 30th 1980.

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Senior Football Tournament - May 4

Fermanagh - 2-8 : Kildare 1-4

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Fermanagh became the first holders of the Tom Flood Memorial Cup when they defeated Kildare in a special tournament game to mark the official opening of the new shower and toilet facilities at the Maynooth G.A.A. grounds at St. Mary's Park. Fermanagh were deserving winners, as they showed throughout a much greater degree of commitment than their opponents. Indeed, the whole approach of the Kildare County Board to the fixture left alot to be desired, and was the subject of a personal apology subsequently, by the Board Chairman, Hugh Campion, to the Club Committee.

Playing with the aid of a fresh wind, Fermanagh built up a half-time lead of 1 - 6 to 0 - 2. Kildare made much poorer use of the wind in the second half, when they went looking for goals when points were for the taking, and the game was as good as over when a late flurry of Kildare scores took the bare look from their side of the scoreboard.

After the game, Maynooth Club's Chairman, Mick Nevin presented the Tom Flood cup to Fermanagh team Captain Gerry McElroy, while the individual trophies were presented at a function afterwards in the Parish Hall. Again, we would like to thank both teams and referee Martin Meally (Kilkenny) for making the fixture possible. We would also like to thank the following :-
The Flood Family, Bookmakers, The Square, for presenting the magnificent Cup ; Father Supple and the Rev. Hammond for performing the blessing ceremony; the catering committee (Mrs. Betty Fay - Mrs. Anne Kane - Mrs. L. O'Flaherty - Mrs. C. O'Flaherty - Mrs. Peg Conroy Mrs. Bridie Brady ; Mrs. Viva Kearins- Mrs. Mairead Scanlon ; Mrs. Bridie Moore; Mrs. T. Nolan - Mrs. Brid Connolly, and the Misses Helen Horgan, Geraldine Conroy, Jackie Nolan and Eleanor Newton) and all others who helped out with preparations for this auspicious occasion in the Club's history.

Recent Club results :-
Senior Football League --
April. 20. Cappagh 5 - 5 : Maynooth 1 - 7
Scorers : T. Fay (1-1) : T. Moore (0-4) : S. Moore (0-2)

April 23 - Kilcullen 0-13 : Maynooth 1 - 8
Scorers : T. Fay (1-2) : S. Moore (0-2) : T. Moore (0-2) P. Carr & O. Durack (0-1 each)

April 27 - Rhelsan 1-8 : Maynooth 0 - 4.
Scorers : T. Fay (0-2) : P. Carr & S. Moore (0-1 each)

May 11 - Ardclough 2 - 8 : Maynooth 1 - 4.
Scorers: T. Moore (1 - 3) ; T. McTiernan (0-1)

SENIOR HURLING LEAGUE -
April 30 - Coill Dubh 4-8 : Maynooth 4 - 4.
Scorers : T. Purcell (2-1) : T. Fay (1-2) : S. Grant (0-1)

May 14 - Eire Og 4-9: Maynooth 2-1
Scorers : T. Fay (2-0) : T. Kane(0-1)

SENIOR HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP
May 4 - Moorfield 1-14 : Maynooth 2-1
This competition is being run on a league system.
Scorers : T. Fay and M. Lawlor (1-0 each) : T. Purcell (0-1)

MINOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

April 27 - Maynooth 1-8: Rathcoffey 2-1.
Scorers : J. Nolan (0-5) : D. Foy (1-0) : K. McNamara (0-2) : N. Moore (0-1)

MINOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE
April 14 - Maynooth 4-8 : Kilcullen 1-9.

May 12 - Maynooth W-O :Kill Scr.
Our minor footballers are going great guns at the moment.

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UNDER 16 - FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP.
May 9 - Maynooth 1 - 11 : Kill 1 - 4

UNDER 16 - FOOTBALL LEAGUE
April 25 - Maynooth W.O - Newbridge Scr.

May 2 Round Towers 1-8: Maynooth 1 - 6

FIXTURES :-
May 25 in Clane - Intermediate Football Championship V Castledermot - 2 p.m. Junior Football 'B' Championship V. Ballykelly (4.30 p.m.)

June 4 - Senior Football League V Caragh home 8 p.m.

June 11 - Senior Football League V Kilcock away 8 p.m.

June 18 - Senior Hurling League V Ardclough away 8 p.m.

June 25 . Senior Football League V Grange away 8 p.m.

June 27 - U/16 - Football League V Allenwood away 7.30 p.m.

June 30 . Minor Football League V Sallins away 8 p.m.

OTHER CLUB NEWS:-
We would like to congratulate Club Stalwart Colm Feeney on his recent Wedding and wish him and the new Mrs. Feeney all the best for the future.

The Club's Committee has decided to form a Ladies' Committee which would involve itself in the Social side of the Club. Anyone interested in joining this committee is asked to contact M. Nevin - T. Fay . T. Flaherty - or any Committee Member.

BAND BULLETIN

Our Summer Engagement Programme has now taken shape and we set out below the dates and venues already confirmed. We hope this will be of some help to those seeking the services of the Band during the Summer, but it should also be remembered that the Boys and Girls in the Band must be given some free Sundays as well.

Sun. 25th May - Election of Lord Mayor.
Sat. 7th June . Maynooth Community Games.

Sunday 15th - Recital , Blackrock Park, Co. Dublin.

Saturday 21st June - Recital - Peamount Hospital.

Sunday 29th June - Recital - Marley Park, Rathfarnham.

Sunday 13th July - Recital, Balbriggan Strand.

Sunday 20th July . Recital, Swords Public Park.

Sunday 24th August . Recital . East Pier, Dunlaoghaire

Sunday 31st August - Recital - Marley Park, Rathfarnham.

By the time you see this in print the Lord Mayor will have been named, Chained and Cloaked, but regretfully He will not be our Candidate - Peter Brazil. The campaign unfortunately coincided with our own Fund Raising ventures which had already been arranged before we were invited to put forward a personality. However we have made some stride in the last week or two and our contribution to the School Building Fund should help to buy more than just a brink or two. In addition to this we hope to organise a concert in the latter part of the year, the proceeds going to the same fund.

That's all for now. Hope to have more news for the Bulletin Next Month.

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CYCLING NEWS

Our new Senior Ryder, Donal Kelly had an unfortunate accident in Navan. Spent a couple of day in Hospital. He is home now and doing fine and hopes to be back racing in a couple of weeks.

John McGarry and William Cannon are showing great progress in the U/16 and U/14 races.

Michael Cannon and Philip Cannon have taken 2nd and 3rd placings in Glasnevin . Carlow and Navan and 4th & 5th place in Drogheda. Every Sunday these boys are taking home trophies.

MAYNOOTH SWIMMING CLUB

On Tuesday April 29th the A.G.M. was held in the I.C.A. Hall.

Owen Byrne was unamimously re - elected chairman.
Vice Chairman - Michell Mooney.
Treasurer . Margaret Molloy
Ass. Treasurer . Jean Keatley.
P.R.O. - Catherine Mulready.

It was decided to have a Secretary and Session Secretaries as follows:-

Secretary - Eilis O'Malley.

Session Secretaries :-
St. Raphaels Monday :-
Marie Duff & Mary Drennan.

St. Raphael's Friday :-
Margaret Molloy & Peig Lynch.

Coolmine Monday :-
Andrea Eddery : Anne Tyrell : & Kay Lynch.

Naas Saturday :- Eilis O'Malley and Anne Cotter.

Adults Session :-
Margaret Molloy & Marie Duff.

Committee Members :-
Ellen Byrne : Mary Doyle : Veva Kearins : Carmel Buckley : Veronica Dolan : Anne McStravick : Clair Higgins : Mary Halton : Mary Deane.

For information regarding sessions please contact session Secretaries.

It was decided at the Meeting to continue all sessions as at the moment and to expand as the need arises. Mary Deane proposed a vote of thanks to the outgoing Committee on their hard work during the year.

Presently all Sessions are in full-swing and the waiting list still expands. All sessions finish at the end of June, but it is hoped to continue either Naas or Coolmine during the Summer holidays.

April 26th at our Naas Session Mrs. Leonard picked 12 Swimmers to swim in the Mini-Gala against Naas. She was thrilled with their performance as Naas are a very experienced Club. So boys and Girls keep up the good work.

Two of our Swimmers Alan and David Dolan representing their school 'O'Connell School' won two and four medals respectively recently in Swimming Galas. Congratulations Boys.

Our campaign for the Lord Mayor is going well, many thanks to all who have held or attended functions, and who have sold cards. As well as helping our Swimming Club, you are also helping to build the extension to the Boys' School.

RESULTS OF FUN SPORTS
Post-Primary Grounds, Maynooth
27th April.

TINY TOTS U/4 - Boys - 1st - D. Castles - 2nd S. Reilly . - 3rd B. Hanly.
U/4 Girls . 1st. C. O'Connor - 2nd G. Power - 3rd. G. Breslin.

BOYS U/6 - 1st. C. Cassidy - 2nd - S. Hyland - 3rd. S. Carr.
GIRLS U/6 - C. Noonan - A. Kelly - 3rd. B. Fitzpatrick.

WHEEL BARROW RACE U/7 years
1st - S. Reilly & M. Tuohy.
2nd . D. Ryan & B. Collins.
3rd. - N. Hogan & N. McCluskey.

U/8 years.
1st - D. McDermot & M. Reilly.
2nd - M. Murray & J. Caulfield.
3rd. J. O'Rourke & B. O'Rourke.

3 Legged Race U/9
GIRLS - 1st. P. Kelly & F. Lawlor.
2nd. S. Gillick & Lynn Power.
3rd - C. McTiernan & J. Horan.

BOYS . 1st. F. Ashe & S. Halton.
2nd - E. Breslin & P. Flanagan.
3rd. D. McDermot & M. Reilly.

TYRE RACE U/10 years (Mixed)
1st. E. Breslin (Enda)
2nd Helen Tracey.
3rd. John O'Rourke.

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Results of Fun Sports contd.

SACK RACE U/10 - BOYS
1st. - F. Ashe - 2nd M. Hanly - 3rd. D. Hanley.
GIRLS - 1st. Paula Kelly - 2nd. - F. Lawlor - 3rd. Helen Tracy.

3 LEGGED RACE U/11 years.
GIRLS - 1st. F. Kearins & K. Nevin.
2nd. S. Breslin & C. Flanagan.
3rd. S. Moore & A. Cassidy.

BOYS - 1st. C. O'Donnell & M. Burns.
2nd. M. Hanly & D. Hanly.
3rd. S. McLoughlin & P. Rafferty.

SACK RACE U/12 years.
GIRLS - 1st. A. Barton . 2nd. F. Kearins 3rd. E. Cunningham.
BOYS - 1st. T. Ashe - 2nd. C. O'Donnell 3rd. - M. Kelly.

TYRE RACE U/12 - All Boys.
1st. M. Kelly - 2nd. T. Lynch - 3rd. C. Rawley.

3 LEGGED RACES U/13
BOYS . 1st. E. Egan & S. O'Reilly
2nd - M. Kelly & M. Molloy.
3rd. T. Lynch & J. O'Donnell
GIRLS . 1st. M. Kelly & M. Noonan
2nd. A. O'Connor & Y. Cleary.
3rd. C. Fitzpatrick & C. Donning

SACK RACE U/14 - GIRLS
1st. E. Collens - 2nd M. Kelly - 3rd - M. Noonan.
BOYS - 1st. B. Farrell - 2nd. G. Power - 3rd - J. O'Donnell.

TYRE RACE U /14 - Mixed.
1st - Barry Farrell. - 2nd. Ann O'Connor 3rd - G. Malone (Grainne)

3 Legged Race U/15 BOYS
1st. Garry Power & Cathal Power
2nd - K. Breslin & T. Kearins.
3rd. - J. O'Connor & V. Murphy.

GIRLS - 1st. M. Noonan & M. Kelly
2nd. O. Breslin & T. Fitzpatrick.
3rd. G. Malone & A. Conlon.
Would the following please contact Mrs. Anna Kelly or Michael Kelly, Moyglare Road to collect their Medals in connection with the 'FUN SPORTS' held on 27th April. :-

Dermot Ryan - Brian Collens.

Clare McTiernan - Jennifer Horan.

Shane Hyland - Damien Castles - Seamuis Carr.

RESULTS FROM ARDEE - Sunday 4th May.

Boys U/10 - 600m - F. Desmond 3rd.
Girls U/12 - 100m O. Breslin - 3rd
Boys U/12 - 800m - M.Kelly -
Girls U/14 - 100m - M. Noonan - 1st.

4 x 100 Relays :-
Girls U/9 - Maynooth 2nd - S. Gillick F. Lawlor - P. Kelly - L. Power.

U/13 - Maynooth 1st - M. Noonan - A. O'Connor - O. Breslin - S. Mullaly

U/16 Boys - Maynooth 2nd - K. Breslin - J. Burns - M. Cribben - B. Bean.

MULLINGAR SPORTS :-
1st - in 1500m - Pat Long.

FUN SPORTS continued :-

OBSTACLE RACE 11 - 16 yrs mixed
1st - Thomas Bean : 2nd Kevin Breslin : 3rd. Michael Kelly.

U/16 - GIRLS - 1st. H. Lynch - 2nd. C. Gilespie - 3rd. S. Burns.

MUMS OBSTACLE Race. -
1st. D. O'Reilly - 2nd. R. O'Reilly - 3rd. M. Gillick.

DAD'S PIGGY BACK RACE -
1st. P. Hogan - 2nd. N. Farrelly - 3rd. P. Power.

DARTS - Winner James Harte.

STOP-BRICKS - Liam Carney

WEIGHT THROWING . Michael Cleary

PENALTY - T. BEAN.

BASKET BALL - Mixed.
1st. Declan Murphy.
Tie for 2nd. - Sophia Burns : Una Cleary : Ann Marie McDermott - Cathal Power.

Ladies Tug-o-War. -
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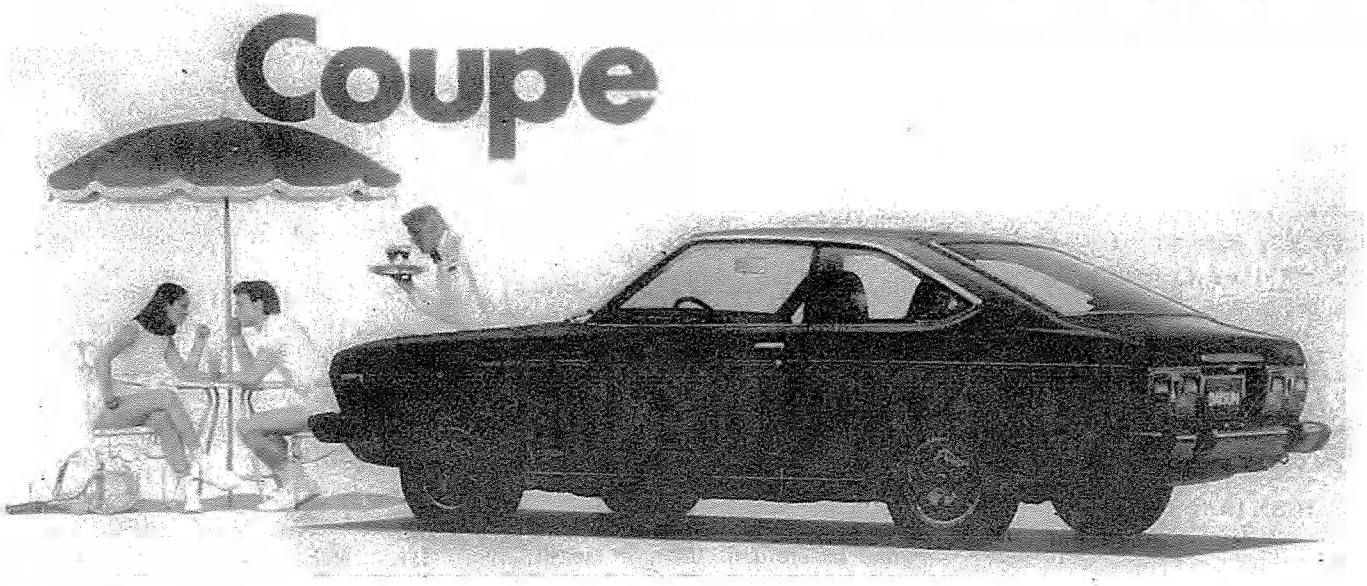

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