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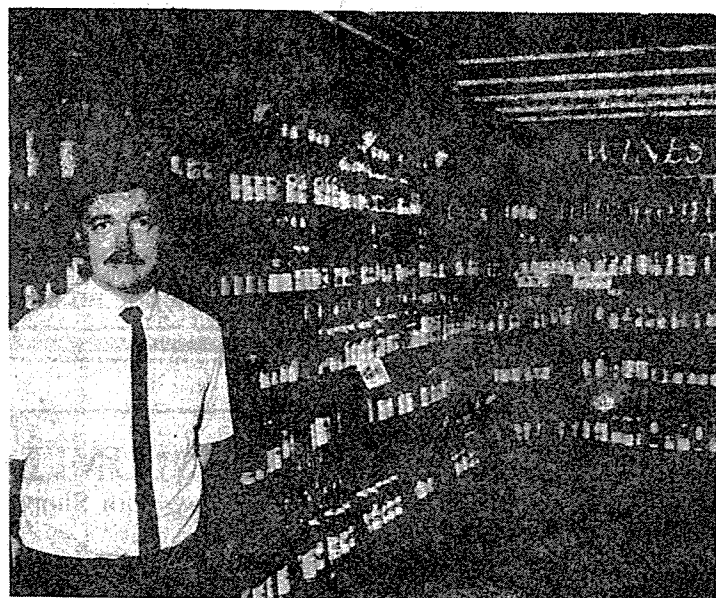
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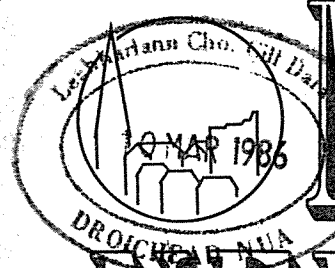
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RELOCATION OF MAYNOOTH POST OFFICE

The news that Maynooth Post Office was to be relocated from its present location in the Main Street to O'Brien's Shopping Centre first began to circulate in the days immediately before Christmas last. Following various representations received on the matter, the Chairman of Maynooth Community Council, Proinnsias Breathnach, sent an urgent letter to the Chief Executive of An Post expressing concern at the proposed move on four grounds:

1. The inconvenience it would cause to most users due to the location of the shopping centre on the other side of the town from the main residential districts. Particular concern was expressed concerning the plight of old age pensioners.
2. The effect the move would have on the town centre.
3. The lack of consultation on the matter with the local community, given that the Post Office is a major public facility.
4. The need for a full-scale Post Office, run directly by An Post, in a town of Maynooth's size and status.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Community Council on January 6, it was decided to formally oppose the move, and to organise a house-to-house petition. Petition forms were distributed without delay to all Council members.

The matter was discussed at a special meeting of the full Council on January 13. This meeting showed that, except in a few areas, the vast majority of residents were opposed to the move. In all, 1,150 signatures were obtained on the petition.

At this meeting, the following motion was carried by a majority of 31 votes to one, with one abstention:

"That, while having no objection to the person appointed postmaster, Maynooth Community Council objects to the relocation of Maynooth Post Office from the town centre, and calls on An Post to rescind the move."

Meanwhile, the Chairman of the Community Council received a reply from An Post in which it was stated that An Post was obliged to operate as a commercial enterprise, and would base decisions such as where to locate post offices on commercial considerations only. The letter confirmed that Mr. Bill Donovan, the Manager of O'Briens Supermarket, had been appointed Postmaster in Maynooth and that the Post Office would be located in a temporary premises in the shopping centre pending the construction of a permanent unit in the coming six months. The letter stated that no suitable premises could be found in the Main Street, although the position of Postmaster had been advertised twice. Finally, the letter stated that the volume of business through Maynooth Post Office was too small to justify upgrading to full post office status.

The Community Council was subsequently presented with three petitions objecting to the move: one, with 903 signatures, collected by 17 traders in the Main Street and Greenfield Shopping Centre from among their customers; one containing the signatures of 37 local traders; and one, containing 145 signatures, collected at the Annual New Year's Dinner of Maynooth Old Folks Committee. The Council Chairman then wrote to the Chief Executive of An Post and the Chairman of An Post, Mr. Fergal Quinn, seeking an urgent meeting in order to present them with the four petitions and to discuss the issue. This is the latest position as these notes are being written.

Letters have also been sent to An Post by the authorities of Maynooth College (which provides most of the Maynooth Post Office's business) and the College Student Union, both objecting to the relocation. At its January meeting, the Celbridge Area Committee of Kildare County Council decided to support the position of Maynooth Community Council, as a result of which the County Development Officer wrote to An Post objecting to the move, citing the County Council's view that the move was not in keeping with the proper development of the town of Maynooth.

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Newsletter

EDITORIAL

THE OLD ORDER CHANGETH

This issue marks the end of an era as far as the Maynooth Newsletter is concerned. The highly-dedicated three-person committee which has seen the Newsletter through the last ten years has handed over responsibility to the Communications Sub-Committee of Maynooth Community Council. This provides a link between the 'new' and the old Community Councils, as it was the latter which initiated the Newsletter in the first place.

A great debt of gratitude is due to Liam Bean, Ted Kelly and John Read for the vital community service they have provided down through the years, and for the enormous amount of time, energy and resources which they put into getting the Newsletter out without fail every month during that period. We also thank all those others who helped in any way with the production since the Newsletter's inception.

The old committee will continue with the production while the new team learns the ropes. The main problem right now is to put together a team which will portray the same qualities of ability and dedication as their predecessors. While overall responsibility for the Newsletter will lie with the Community Council's Communications Sub-Committee, the aim is to assemble a small committee to take direct responsibility for its production, with the assistance of the Council's staff and other resources. If you think you would like to become involved with the Newsletter, or if you know someone else who would, please contact the Community Council's Administrator, Siobhan Hall, at 286399, or leave a message in at Maynooth Public Library.

The Newsletter takes this opportunity also to thank all those who have supported the Newsletter in the past by taking out advertisements and providing material such as club notes, etc., and looks forward to their continued support in the future. We will also be looking for new advertisers, and would like to invite all other clubs and organisations who have not been doing so to send in material for publication. We also need "feature" articles, so if you would like to write something - anything - be it a poem, short story, reminiscences, letter to the Editor on current affairs, or whatever, we would welcome it. The Newsletter is of the community, for the community, and, as far as possible, by the community.

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Proinnsias Breathnach,
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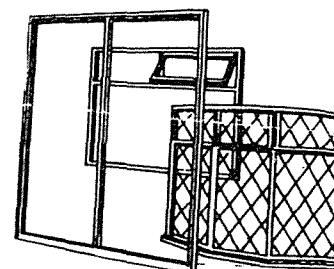
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

THE DECEMBER/JANUARY EDITORIAL

Sir,

In writing this letter in response to your article in the December issue of the Newsletter re Cluain Aibhinn estate. You have slurred the name of this estate and its residents with your unfounded and called-for name-calling and remarks. Not only that, but because of your article, some people now think that my two sons were involved in some disturbance on your estate the night in question. This is because my sons were in that area on that evening. One was visiting his friend in Laurence Avenue, and the other was doing no harm other than standing around the bonfire. They were both home before 9 o'clock and this fact can be proved. Also I am aware that there were a few more lads from Cluain Aibhinn there on that night, as were people from other areas. It would appear that you have published this article as nothing other than hearsay and not on any proof or on any personal experience that any person from Cluain Aibhinn was involved. Therefore unless you have proof that they were involved, I am holding you personally responsible for any damage of character caused to my family or to the estate of Cluain Aibhinn because of your slurring remarks. This matter can be forgotten about if you will make a Front Page apology to the residents of Cluain Aibhinn in the next issue of the Newsletter. If you cannot agree to this, then we will have to seek further advice on the matter. It now rests with you for the moment. Hopefully this matter can be sorted out to the satisfaction of all concerned.

D. O'Brien, 9, Cluain Aibhinn.

Dear Editor,

The Maynooth Community Council at its meeting of 9th December expressed great concern at your editorial attack on the communities of Cluain Aibhinn and Newtown, in your December issue. The Council expressed particular concern at the potentially divisive effect that the editorial could have within the Community. If you have evidence to back up this editorial please place it before the proper authorities; otherwise there should be a public retraction of your accusations.

John McGinley, Secretary,
Maynooth Community Council.

Dear Sirs,

We write concerning your editorial in the Maynooth Newsletter No. 102, December/January 1985/86.

We wish to state our objection to the content and tone of your reference to the children and parents of the Cluain Aibhinn area. The language employed in the paragraph in question is deeply offensive to us, and unworthy of a newsletter from the Maynooth community. More fundamentally the content of the paragraph is a libel on the children and parents of this estate. Your treatment is all the more despicable in view of the fact that you are leaving the Newsletter shortly.

Considering the character and resources of the Maynooth Newsletter we are reluctant to seek the legal redress which is open to us. We feel however that we have no alternative unless we receive a printed apology, signed by you, in the next issue.

Marian Brennan, Secretary,
Cluain Aibhinn Residents' Association.

Dear Editor,

While I thought your condemnation of certain behaviour that occurred at Hallowe'en justified, the intemperate language used lessened the impact. It is true that there is more and more anti-social behaviour creeping into the celebration of this festival, and the question is: how can this trend be reversed?

First, let us agree that children dressing up as witches and goblins and calling around to neighbouring houses is good innocent fun; it is when we come to bonfires, bangers and firecrackers that the trouble starts.

Firecrackers and bangers are illegal and should not be sold in Ireland, yet not only is the use of these on the increase, we find certain misguided parents buying them for their children. Boys soon grow tired of setting off bangers in the open, so they start putting them through letter boxes and throwing them at people - I have seen a number of young children badly frightened as a result of bangers exploding near them.

Apart from presenting an obvious fire hazard, bonfires attract crowds of outsiders into an estate and so provide an opportunity for rowdiness and vandalism. This year old tyres were thoughtlessly provided by certain business people so that the bonfires were on a massive scale. When the fires die down the adults go home and leave unsupervised bands of youths to roam about, some of them setting fire to dustbins and throwing missiles at houses and cars.

Parents who excuse such behaviour by saying that "boys will be boys" and that, anyway "it is part of our tradition", are being very complacent. The parents who allow their sons to roam about after dark on Hallowe'en must ask themselves just what those sons are up to. Many respectable parents are genuinely upset when told what their "nice boy" has done in the name of fun. (continued)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

REACTION TO DECEMBER / JANUARY EDITORIAL (Continued)

What then is the answer? I would make the following suggestions:

1. The Newsletter should advise parents in its October editorial to supervise their children, specially teenage boys, at Hallowe'en and to require them to be in doors at a reasonable hour;
2. Parents should ensure that their children do not use bangers or firecrackers under any circumstances;
3. Bonfires should be kept small and should be well supervised. Young people should be reminded that it is possible to have fun without resorting to anti-social behaviour.

Perhaps your readers might add their own suggestions - or would they prefer to stick their heads in the sand and profess that there is no cause for concern?

It only remains to thank the former Newsletter Committee for the very valuable service that it has provided for our community over the past ten years, a service that is too frequently taken for granted. I say, "Well done to you all and may the new committee keep up the good work".

A Constant Reader. (Name and address supplied.)

Dear Editor,

In your editorial in the December issue of the Newsletter you had some harsh things to say about damage done in the New Greenfield area by vandals at Hallowe'en. You didn't specify exactly what this damage was. What I found amazing in your editorial was what you didn't say about Hallowe'en in New Greenfield or rather should I say the aftermath of the bonfire held in Maynooth Park. The debris was left for weeks and eventually was cleared away by the County Council. If people make a mess surely it is their obligation to clean up afterwards, not put it on the taxpayers' bill. I know there are lots of people who will make every effort to prevent another bonfire being held in this area. A look at the Green in Maynooth Park will tell you why.

Patricia Rice, 75 Maynooth Park.

REPLY FROM FORMER COMMITTEE

It seems that we caused quite a stir with the last Editorial. Most of the letters will (we hope) be published in this Newsletter. The majority of the letters complain about the language we used and demand an apology and retraction of the article. Many people were upset by the descriptions used and everyone seemed to misread the article and took from it that we had branded all in the areas mentioned as being of the same type.

Nothing could be further from the truth. All we set out to do was to bring to our readers' attention the fact that incidents had occurred which had upset people in the New Greenfield area. In this we were mistaken. The incidents were more widespread than that, and the participants were also from areas other than the two mentioned. In the sense that our article was not thorough we apologise.

However all the letters demand apologies, not for the incidents, but mainly for the name-calling. Isn't anybody interested in doing something to ensure that the problem does not arise again? Are we the only ones to care? It would seem so.

Therefore we apologise:-

to the young whelps, thugs and brats for calling them that;

to the blind, stupid, ignorant parents for mentioning them at all;

to the readers of the Newsletter, whom we upset by daring to print such an article.

We will go further and say "shame on you"-

to those who let the incidents happen and then told us about them;

to ourselves for believing what we were told;

to ourselves for printing the article, hoping that some good might come of it;

and last but not least,

to ourselves for living.

Previous Editorial Committee

The present editorial and production team of the Maynooth Newsletter would like to stress that this reply expresses the opinions of the FORMER committee, who are no longer associated with this Newsletter.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

The St. Patrick's Day Parade will take place as usual. It will start at Greenfield Supermarket to Town Centre continuing on towards the top of the town. Any Clubs/Organisations etc. interested should contact us at 55 7 O'Neill, Phone 286399 as soon as possible. The parade will begin at 11.00am.

The rates for entry in the parade are as follows:

Commercial Businesses - £10

Clubs/Societies - £5

We would be very grateful if people could decorate the town with flags and shop owners could decorate their shop windows.

WANTED!

We need your help to find the following: *Photographs (colour or black-and-white) *Line drawings *Sketches *Paintings, all of Maynooth and surrounding areas, present or past. We also need *Ballads *Songs *Poetry, all about the Maynooth area and they can be either original or traditional. A selection of the items will appear from time to time in the Newsletter, and some will be used for a proposed exhibition about Maynooth.

THANKS TO E.S.B.O.A.

Maynooth Community Council would like to thank the E.S.B.O.A., the E.S.B. workers trade union, for their kind donation of a filing cabinet for our office.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,
The Unit Committee of the C.B.S.I. 8th Kildare, Maynooth has asked me to write to you to clarify the position concerning the Scouts' Den which is located in Block 3, Prefabricated Unit at the Post Primary School.

In the November issue (no.101) it was noted that the article concerning the Maynooth Adult Daytime Education (M.A.D.E.) referred to the M.A.D.E. Centre located at Block 3. This is incorrect. M.A.D.E. activities are located in the Scouts' Den with the approval and co-operation of the Scout's Unit Committee, who at the request of County Kildare V.E.C., allowed the Scouts' Den to be used for the holding of classes. It was also noted that in the article in question many people/organisations were thanked for their assistance but it omitted the one organisation i.e. the Scout's Unit without whose consent M.A.D.E. would not have been able to organise the extensive and interesting range of courses which are now available in the Scouts' Den.

In the December/January issue (No. 102), reference is made again in the article "Skills Course for Young People" to the M.A.D.E. Centre.

It is considered that the Maynooth Scout's Unit is not receiving sufficient recognition in the articles in the Newsletter for their co-operation in allowing THEIR Den to be used both for M.A.D.E. activities and the AnCO skills training course for young unemployed people. This letter is intended to clarify the matter in response to many enquiries from interested parties and parents of the present/past Cubs/Scouts/Venturers.

Mary Fleming, Unit Committee P.R.O.
8th Kildare C.B.S.I.

MESSAGE FROM FR. WALTER FORDE

One of the happiest years since ordination for me was 1968-69, when I was involved with the two branches of the Youth Club in Maynooth. Linked to this and resulting from it were the five Summer Camps 1969-73 at Morriscastle near Kilmuckridge, Co. Wexford. In recent years I have met a number of people from Maynooth, with whom I shared the experience of the Morriscastle Camp. When I do meet someone from Maynooth, very quickly the conversation gets around to incidents or characters or experiences from the Camp. I am therefore delighted to hear that a re-union of campers is being planned for Maynooth this year. I hope for a good attendance and know that all who attend will have a chance to meet old friends, renew acquaintances, exchange memories and recall those happy days in Morriscastle. I am glad also of the opportunity, through the medium of this Newsletter to send my very best wishes to many friends in Maynooth and I look forward to meeting many of them at the re-union. Thanking you.
Walter Forde.

BELATED BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Belated Birthday greetings to:
Siobhan O'Keeffe, Johnstown, Enfield Dec. 10th
Noel Tracey, Greenfield Dec. 16th
Garry Thompson, Summerhill Dec. 25th
Noel McGovern, Greenfield Dec. 31st
John Fanning, Greenfield Dec. 31st
Doreen Tracey, Greenfield Jan. 14th
Karina McGovern, " (5) Jan. 14th
David Tracey, Greenfield Jan. 17th

Best wishes for a happy birthday to Siobhan O'Keeffe, Johnstown, Enfield (Dec. 10th) from Una, Tommy & family in Maynooth. Also belated birthday wishes to Sandra O'Keeffe who celebrated her birthday on Nov. 5th.

RECENT BIRTHS

Congratulations to Tony and Mary Bean, 7 Willowbrook Lawns, Celbridge, on the birth of a baby daughter.

All letters to the editor must be accompanied by the author's name and address. Name and address will not be published if the author so requests.



Grainne Farrelly's trip to Brussels was kindly sponsored by Barberstown Castle Hotel and she is shown here receiving her cheque from Ann Nevin, Manageress, Barberstown. Also in the picture are Grainne's parents, Mary and Noel.

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The Annual General Meeting will be held in the Band Hall on Sunday 16th or 23rd February 1986 at 3.30pm.

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MAYNOOTH COMMUNITY COUNCIL NEWS

NEW MEMBERS

Maynooth Community Council welcomes two new members. Elaine Lindsay joins Pat Moynan as a representative of the Kingsbryea, to allow for the rapid recent growth of population in this area.

David Lyon replaces Des Walsh as a representative of Greenfield estate. We are very sorry to see Des, who had to resign due to pressure of work. Des was a very able and energetic chairman of the Council's Youth Affairs sub-committee, and made a major contribution to getting the Council moving in its early days. We are very grateful for his efforts on behalf both of the Council and of the youth of the town.

SYMPATHY

At its December meeting, Maynooth Community Council extended its deepest sympathy to members Eddie O'Brien and Kevin Murphy, and Administrator Siobhan Hall, on recent bereavements.

At its January meeting, the Council extended its sympathy to the Council's Maynooth College representative, Seamus Smyth, on the death of his father.

DEPUTATION TO KILDARE COUNTY COUNCIL

The Celbridge Area Committee of Kildare County Council received deputation from Maynooth Community Council, consisting of Eoinnsias Breathnach (Chairman), John McGinley (Secretary), and Martin McManus, on December 9, 1985. THE DEPUTATION'S STATEMENT IS ATTACHED.

MAYNOOTH EMPLOYMENT OFFICE

Following representations from Maynooth Community Council, a letter was received from Barry Desmond, T.D., Minister for Social Welfare, concerning the facilities at Maynooth Employment Office. The Minister acknowledged that the existing facilities are inadequate, but pointed to the difficulties encountered in finding alternative premises. A premises had been purchased for this purpose, but had been refused planning permission following objections from local residents.

As a short-term measure, the signing-on schedule is being re-arranged in order to reduce the length of queues. In the meantime, the possibility of opening additional employment offices in the area currently served by Maynooth (which includes Leixlip and Celbridge) is being investigated.

MAYNOOTH NEWSLETTER

As reported elsewhere in these pages, the Communications Sub-Committee of Maynooth Community Council has assumed responsibility for the Maynooth Newsletter. As part of a plan to expand the Newsletter, a questionnaire was recently circulated among local houses. If your questionnaire was not collected, we would be glad if you could drop it into Maynooth Public Library, or pass it on to your local Council representative.

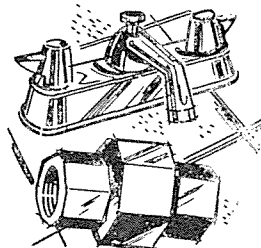
COMMUNITY GAMES

At a meeting held in December, it was decided that the Youth Affairs Sub-Committee of Maynooth Community Council should take over responsibility for the Community Games in Maynooth. The Sub-Committee will be expanded by co-opting those who have expressed an interest in helping with organising the Games. There is always a welcome for anyone who would like to get involved in this very worthwhile activity. If you would like to help, please contact Siobhan Hall at 286399 or any Council member.

Maynooth Community Council extends its gratitude to all those who have kept the Community Games going in Maynooth over the years, and looks forward to their continuing involvement in the years to come.

QUALITY OF WATER SUPPLY

Maynooth Community Council has made representations to the Eastern Health Board concerning the poor quality of the public water supply in parts of Maynooth, and has expressed concern that this may be having an effect on public health. The Health Board is to investigate the situation.



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SKILLS FOUNDATION COURSE

Maynooth Community Council was involved with County Kildare Vocational Education Committee in organising a Skills Foundation Course for young unemployed people in North Kildare area. Based in Maynooth, the course began in December with 25 participants. It will focus on providing both personal and practical skills for those involved, who are being paid normal ANCO allowances while attending the course. We thank Noel Dalton, County Adult Education Organiser, for his initiative in getting this course going.

MAYNOOTH INFORMATION DIRECTORY

As these notes are being written, all is on schedule for the publication of the Maynooth Information Directory in February. There has been an excellent response from local traders and voluntary organisations to this venture, which is the joint responsibility of Maynooth Community Council, Maynooth Community Information Centre, and Maynooth Public Library. The Directory will be distributed free of charge to all houses in the Maynooth area.

NEWSLETTER - NEW ADDRESS NEW PHONE NO.

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Maynooth. Phone 01/286399

This is a temporary arrangement and notice of future changes will be published in further editions of the Newsletter.

ANNIVERSARY

Best wishes to Michael and Eileen McGovern, Greenfield, on their 6th Wedding Anniversary (Jan.26th).

With love from Mam, Dad, Kevin, Noel, Marie & Family.

BELATED CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Sean and Breda Bean, The Green, Maynooth, who celebrated their 25th Wedding Anniversary on November 21st.

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MAYNOOTH OLD FOLKS

COMMITTEE

The Committee would like to take this opportunity of thanking everyone who helped to make our Sale of Work (held in Nov.) such an outstanding success. Our income from the Sale amounted to the magnificent total of £2,447.93. This left us in the happy position of being able to provide a Christmas Gift of fuel or some other token to every old person in the area.

We have had a very busy social calendar since our last "News-sheet". Some of our old people travelled to Dunboyne, Kilcock and Kilcloone for Christmas Parties. We held our own Christmas Party on 8th Dec. in S.V.D. House. We had about ninety people with us for the afternoon and of course the evening would not have been complete without a visit from Santa. We would like to thank all the singers and musicians who provided such a variety of entertainment.

Thursday 2nd Jan. was a very special outing for 25 of our Old Folk. They went to the R.T.E. studios at Donnybrook to appear on the afternoon programme "Looking Good", which is hosted by Derek Davis. Upon our arrival at the studios we were greeted by our hostess for lunch, Dorothy Young. We were entertained to lunch in the R.T.E. canteen where we saw a few famous faces - no sign of Gaybo!! We were then taken to Studio 2 where the producer put us through our "warming-up" paces before we met our host. Derek Davis then arrived and we were "on the air"! He had some very interesting conversations with the Old People and I'm sure any of you who saw the transmission will agree that Maynooth was very well represented by Mrs. Waldron, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Saultz, Miss Maisie Keane, Mrs. Fagan, Mr. Gerry McTernan and of course Mrs. Brady. It was a most enjoyable afternoon.

As I mentioned it has been a very busy time and our last big occasion was our Annual Christmas Dinner, donated by O'Brien Catering. This was held on Sunday 5th Jan. 1986 in the Post Primary School and was attended by 140 Old Folk from Maynooth and some from Kilcloone as well as 13 invited guests. It was a most enjoyable afternoon and we had some superb entertainment.

On Wed. 11th Dec. Messrs. M.P. O'Brien's Supermarket repeated their Special Shopping Night for the Old Folk. Members of the supermarket staff gave their free time to make this another memorable night. Each Old Person received the drink of their choice and all received a gift. When their shopping was completed they had tea and snacks in the Coffee Kitchen. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Bill Donovan and the staff of the supermarket and Coffee Kitchen for their kindness to everyone.

Our next major outing will be to the Pantomime which will be on Sat. 1st March - we look forward to seeing everybody on that occasion. Carol Barton, P.R.O.

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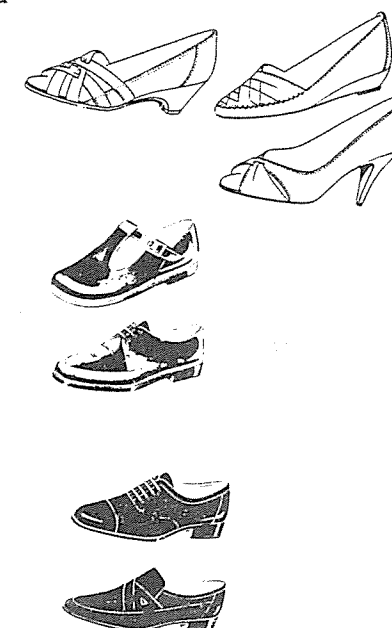
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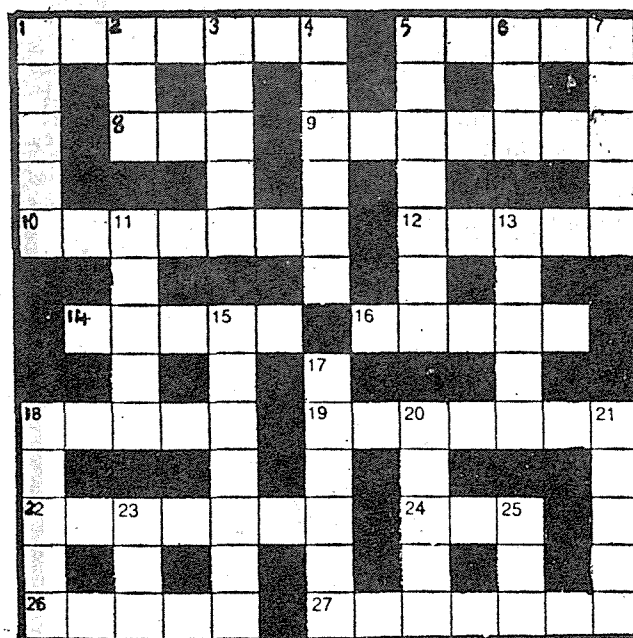
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Across

- 1. Trash (7)
- 5. Pulsate (5)
- 3. Part of foot (3)
- 9. Speech impediment (7)
- 10. Salami (7)
- 12. Topic (5)
- 14. Crest (5)
- 16. Big Plants (5)
- 18. From that time (5)
- 19. Scrape (7)
- 22. Forgetfulness (7)
- 24. Gorilla (3)
- 26. Renowned (5)
- 27. Tire out (7)

Down

- 1. Grazing (5)
- 2. Groove (3)
- 3. Coliseum (5)
- 4. Church Feastday and Bank Holiday (6)
- 5. Farm Engine (7)
- 6. Edge (3)
- 11. Workers' organisation (5)
- 13. Occurrence (5)
- 15. Estimated (7)
- 17. Getaway (6)
- 18. Dirty patch (5)
- 20. Arrive (5)
- 21. Centre (5)
- 23. Mesh (3)
- 25. Flightless bird (3)

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ACCIDENT BLACKSPOTS

Following a recent fatal accident involving a pedestrian on the Kilcock Road near Maynooth College library, Maynooth Community Council has made urgent representations to Kildare County Council to improve the public lighting in this area. We understand that the County Council are awaiting funding in order to carry this work out.

There have been a number of recent cases of people driving down the wrong side of the Canal in trying to get access to Maynooth Railway Station. There have also been several collisions on the brow of the canal bridge. It is only a matter of time before there is a very serious accident in this area. Maynooth Community Council has written to Kildare County Council and CIE seeking urgent action to improve public lighting and signposting in the area.

AFFILIATION TO MUINTIR NA TIRE

Maynooth Community Council has decided to affiliate to Muintir na Tire, the national community development organisation. The Community Council hopes to benefit from a number of services which Muintir provides.

COMMUNAL TV AERIAL

The Residents' Association Sub-committee of Maynooth Community Council will be conducting a house-to-house survey of experiences with the communal TV service in Maynooth in the new year. We would be grateful for the maximum response from householders to this survey.

NEW A.I.B. APPOINTMENT

Mr. Frank Byrne replaces Mr. Tom Kelly as Assistant Manager with the A.I.B. Maynooth.

MAYNOOTH COMMUNITY COUNCIL ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

At its AGM held on January 13, Maynooth Community Council elected the following officers to the Executive Committee for 1986:

Chairman: Proinnsias Breathnach
Vice-Chairman: Tom Purcell
Secretary: John McGinley
Minutes Secretary: David Lyon
Joint Treasurers: Peter Nevin
Ann McStravick

Public Relations Officer: Pat Moynan

The Secretary's Report to the AGM, detailing the activities of the Community Council in 1985, is attached/included elsewhere in this issue.

In his Report to the AGM, the Chairman, Proinnsias Breathnach, thanked all those who had helped the Council in any way during 1985. He thanked in particular the Council's Administrator, Siobhan Hall, and Social Employment Scheme Supervisor, Gerry Colreavy, for their hard work during the year.

The Chairman felt that the Council had made very considerable progress in what was their first full year of existence. He thought a solid base had been created, and looked forward to the Council building on this base in 1986 in order to make Maynooth an even better place to live.

NEW SUB-COMMITTEE

In order to place particular emphasis on the improvement of Maynooth's physical environment, Maynooth Community Council has decided to reconstitute its Planning and Development Sub-Committee as a Tidy Towns Sub-Committee. If you think you would like to get involved in the work of this sub-committee, please contact Siobhan Hall at 286399.

PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRATS

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The local branch of the Progressive Democrats was launched at a public meeting in the I.C.A. Hall Maynooth on Tuesday 28th January.

At this meeting a letter was read from Mr. Desmond O'Malley T.D., in which he said that he was asking ordinary Irish men and women who share his approach to politics and his aspiration to renew our society in a genuinely republican mould to join with him in the Progressive Democrats and to lend their hands to this task.

If you feel that the present political alternatives are lacking, if you feel that you can no longer accept the legacy of division that history has given us, if you feel that we face a crisis of confidence in our society, then you now have the chance to change such politics into a debate on real issues rather than irrelevancies. The real issues which face our society such as taxation, unemployment, public spending, rebuilding of local government and difficult social and personal problems, call for a different political response.

Join the Maynooth Branch of the Progressive Democrats and together we can be actively involved in building a new republic.

If you wish to join, contact any of the following:

Jim Brady, Kilcock Road. 286808
Michael Kelleher, 7 Carlton Court.

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Des O'Malley and the other Dail Members of the Progressive Democrats will be in the Keadeen Hotel, Newbridge, on Wednesday February 19th 1986. See you there!

MAYNOOTH I.C.A.

The local Guild of the I.C.A. had a very busy day on 12th December 1985 as they hosted the Annual General Meeting of the Kildare Federation I.C.A. in the Parish Hall. Most of the Guilds in the County were represented and a lively discussion took place.

The outgoing President, Mrs. Felicity Chwell, spoke of the three happy years of "getting to know you" with members throughout the County. She was very pleased to have met so many people. The new Federation President is Naas member, Mrs. Kitty McCarthy, a very popular person. She has a wide knowledge of I.C.A. procedure and indeed a very able person.

The outgoing Grianan Teachta, Mrs. Bridie Brady, said she felt that her three years in office had come to a close. She said she very much enjoyed the position and thanked everyone who had helped her in any way during her term of office. The new Grianan Teachta is Nan Molloy of Ardclough who is another popular and also knowledgeable person.

The first meeting of the New Year Maynooth I.C.A. was held as usual on the first Thursday of the month (2nd January 1986). The President, Mrs. Madeline Stynes, was in attendance and a fair number of members were present. The demonstration this month was "Choc bloc" making chocolate (Easter eggs and Sweets). The two girls gave us a lot of useful information and also let us sample some of the goodies. A number of members present seemed to be interested in acquiring the art.

The competition for January was a nice slice of Christmas Cake and was won by Rosemary Hanley, Mrs. Bridie Brady, 3rd Mary McMahon. The competition for February is a Fish Dish and the winner goes to represent the Guild at Federation level of the B.I.M. Fish Cookery Competition. Please ladies, let us see a very large number of entries.

Craft nights have commenced again on Monday nights and it is hoped we will see as many eager beavers as were in action before Christmas. All members and prospective members are very welcome on Monday nights from 8.00 to 10.30pm in the I.C.A. Hall. Rehearsals for the Eleanor Gibbons Competition have also commenced and anyone wishing to be associated with same should report to the I.C.A. Hall.

Wishing all members and non members a very Happy New Year.

M.A.D.E. NEWS

Happy New Year to all!!

1986 looks like being a busy and rewarding year in the M.A.D.E. Centre. The BIG NEWS is that ENROLMENT DAY is TUES. JAN. 21st 10-12 noon in the Centre - Post Primary School grounds. If this bulletin is too late for that, come along anyway and see what is still available.

Courses start on Mon. Feb. 3rd. Ten courses running this term - eight new ones on offer - two continuing from last term.

THE BEST NEWS is that thanks to the ingenuity of the Scouts the building, which is the C.B.S.I. Den and the M.A.D.E. Centre, will have had a major face-lift and interior overhaul when February comes around. The clever Scouts got a Dept. of the Environment Grant and put it to the best possible use - we won't know the place.

The following is a list of this term's courses - come down and see what the place is like, and have a chat about adult education if you haven't already made up your mind. There's always a cup of coffee to spare.

Thanks very much to Bill Donovan of O'Brien's Supermarket for his very generous help before Christmas.

MONTHLY DRAWS

MAYNOOTH G.F.C. MEMBERS CLUB 1986 - PRIZES

June

1st Car of your choice, 2nd £100, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100

July

1st £2000, 2nd £200, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100, 7th £100

August

1st Car of your choice, 2nd £100, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100

September

1st £2000, 2nd £200, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100, 7th £100

October

1st Car of your choice, 2nd £100, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100

November

1st £2000, 2nd £200, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100, 7th £100

December

1st Car of your choice, 2nd £100, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100

January

1st £2000, 2nd £200, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100, 7th £100

February

1st Car of your choice, 2nd £100, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100

March

1st £2000, 2nd £200, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100, 7th £100

April

1st Car of your choice, 2nd £100, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100

May

1st £2000, 2nd £200, 3rd £100, 4th £100, 5th £100, 6th £100, 7th £100

Additional Special Prizes (Special prizes on 27th June 1986)

The following prizes will be drawn among those members who subscribe £100 in advance of 1st draw:

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G.A.A. NEWS

The Maynooth G.A.A. Annual General Meeting held on Mon. January 13th was one of the best attended for many years. The Secretary congratulated the football team on winning the "Tom Flood Cup" for the first time and hoped that 1986 would bring more success to the club.

The Chairman welcomed all present and thanked all the helpers who worked so hard during the year. A special word of thanks to the committee who looked after the under-age teams: Jim Ennis, M. Gleeson, J. Nevin and M. Meally.

The Treasurer reported the Club to be in a very sound position financially, thanks to local sponsorship. After much discussion it was decided to extend a Sports Complex on the football grounds on the Moyglare road.

The Committee has appointed Terry Moore and Gerry Connellan as trainer and coach for the coming year. Training takes place every Tuesday and Thursday nights at G.A.A. grounds. It is hoped that all players will attend.

The meeting concluded with the election of officers for 1986:

Presidents: P. Brady, J. Murphy, T. Twomey, J. Nolan and B. Edwards

Chairman: Michael Gillick

Vice Chairman: Thomas Flaherty
Secretary: Thomas Fay

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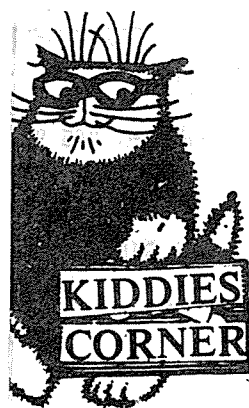
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 Mulready, 72 Greenfield
 A Hearn, 97 Rail Park
 A O'Connor, 35 Greenfield Drive

the runners-up were:

A Stynes, Moneycooley
 A Brady, 36 Rail Park
 A Hogan, 70 Maynooth Park
 McDonald, "Windermere"
 Killoran, 81 Maynooth Park
 Aig Corcoran, 44 Laurence Ave.
 Murray, c/o 857 Greenfield
 McDonough, 38 Maynooth Park
 A McGovern, 820 Greenfield
 A McLoughlin, 64 Cluain Aoibhinn.

1. Fill in the numbers from 1 to 9 in this Magic Square so that any way you add them in a straight line, horizontally, vertically or diagonally, they always add up to 15.

2. Pick the odd one out:-
 kitten, puppy, lamb, calf, goat.

3. What number comes next?
 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, -.

4. Fill in the next 2 numbers:
 2, 5, 3, 6, 4, 7, 5, 8, -, -.

5. Rearrange the following mixed up letters to give the names of 10 animals.

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|------------|---------|----------|
| 1. WOC | 2. TAC | 3. HEEPS |
| 4. TOGA | 5. GPI | 6. YEKNO |
| 7. OGD | 8. OLIN | 9. RTGIE |
| 10. EATNIP | | |

Answers on page 25.

POEM

Get your parents to help you read this poem and explain the difficult words. You may even want to learn it by heart.

The Python

A python I should not advise,
 It needs a doctor for its eyes
 and has the measles yearly.
 If however you feel inclined
 to get one, to improve your mind
 and not for fashion merely,
 allow no music near its cage
 and when it flies into a rage,
 chastise it most severely.

I had an aunt in Yucatan,
 who bought a python from a man
 and kept it for a pet.
 She died because she never knew
 these simple little rules and few
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 1/2 pint cider
 Salt, pepper
 1/4 pint double dairy cream

Preparation time: 10-15 minutes

Cooking time: 55 minutes

Oven set: 350° or Mark 4

How: Fry chops in butter both sides for 5 minutes. Remove and place in casserole. Fry onion and apple together for 5 minutes and add to chops. Pour cider over and add salt & pepper to season. Cover casserole with lid and bake in oven for 45/55 minutes, or until chops are tender.

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Birthday greetings to all of the
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Brian Collins, Mariaville
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Teresa Coughlan, Laragh

2nd
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MAYNOOTH ATHLETIC CLUB

past couple of months activity been in the main confined Cross Country Championships in the Kildare Championships ing been completed and the sters well on their way.

nooth athletes were as usual prominent in the Kildare events ng no less than 16 individual s as well as 7 team awards. highlights of the individual s were Emma McCluskey (Girls 0) and Helen Treacy (Girls 6) taking their first titles while bles were recorded by Emer elly (Girls U/14 and 15); Mairead nan (Ladies Novice and Intermed-); Grainne Farrelly (Girls U/17 Jun.Ladies) and Daragh Callaghan ys U/16 and 17). The other vidual winners were Michelle s (Girls U/13); Mary Farrelly dies 0/30); Patsy McCluskey dies 0/35); Enda Breslin (Boys 6); Liam McNamee (Vets 0/35) Paddy Maher (Vets 0/40).

er individual medalists were mel Noonan (2nd Girls U/13) 3rd Girls U/14); Lisa McCluskey 1 Girls U/13); M. Ennis (Girls 14 2nd); Sandra Stewart (2nd ls U/15); Enda Gleeson (2nd s U/16); H. Treacy 2nd and ala Noonan 3rd (Girls U/17); Noonan (2nd Girls U/21); Mgt. inan (3rd Ladies 0/35); Austin inan (3rd Boys U/11); E. Breslin d Boys U/16); Michael Smith d Boys U/17); Noel Farrelly d Vets 0/40) and Peter Keegan d Vets 0/45).

by other athletes played their rt in these championships and se included:

s: Aisling and Fiona Redmond, ren Higgins, Catherine Gleeson, ling Kelly, Sandra Gillick, Fiona vler, Sarah Breslin.

lies: Helen Redmond, Marie Gleeson, rgaret Gillick, Shelley Breslin. **ys:** Ted Robinson, Niall Gillick, n Higgins, Gavin Callaghan, ll McCormack.

Men: Pat Mahon, Mick Gleeson, Colm Lawless, Kevin Tracey, Dave Jolly, Matt Cunningham, Pearse Breslin, Tony Callaghan, Brian Stewart.

Maynooth A.C.'s winning teams were as follows:

Girls U/13: 1st (M. Ennis, C. Noonan, L. McCluskey, C. Gleeson)

Girls U/14: A 1st (E. Farrelly, M. Ennis, C. Noonan, L. McCluskey)

Girls U/14 B 2nd (S. Stewart, C. Gleeson, A. Kelly, S. Gillick)

Girls U/16: 1st (H. Treacy, E. Gleeson, N. Noonan, S. Breslin)

Girls U/17: 1st (G. Farrelly, H. Treacy, N. Noonan, S. Breslin)

Novice Ladies: 1st (M. Noonan, H. Redmond, M. Gleeson, M. Gillick)

Inter Ladies: 2nd (M. Noonan, H. Redmond, M. Gleeson, Mgt.Noonan)

Ladies 0/30: A 2nd (M. Farrelly, P. McCluskey, H. Redmond)

B 3rd (M. Noonan, M. Gillick, M.Gleeson)

Boys U/16: 1st (D. Callaghan, E. Breslin, N.McCormack, M. Smith)

Mens Inter: 3rd (P.Maher, P. Keegan, P. Mahon, N. Farrelly, T. Callaghan, D. Jolly)

Vets 0/35: A 1st (L. McNamee, P. Maher, P. Keegan, N. Farrelly)

B 3rd (B. Stewart, T. Callaghan, M. Gleeson, D. Jolly)

Leinster Championships

The Club's first success of the season at Leinster level came from a superb performance by the U/14 Girls at Knockbridge Co. Louth. E. Farrelly 4th and M. Ennis 5th led them home in style and with Carmel Noonan 16th and Lisa McCluskey 24th they took the silver medals for the Club as well as helping Kildare to 3rd county award. Catherine Gleeson and Aisling Kelly also performed well in this event. Gavin Callaghan (Boys U/14) and Emma McCluskey (Girls U/10) were also in good form. Patsy McCluskey (4th) and Shelley Breslin (6th) gave fine performances in the Ladies Novice, while Noel Farrelly and Pearse Breslin competed in the Mens Novice.

In the ladies 0/30 Maynooth also took individual silver through Patsy McCluskey and she led the team of Helen Redmond 20th, Mgt. Noonan 22nd and Marie Gleeson 23rd to third club position. Patsy also figured on the Kildare team which took 2nd county.

Home supporters got plenty to cheer about at the second session of the Leinster N.A.C.A. Championships at Maynooth on Sunday 15th December. The Veterans 0/35 retained their Leinster title led home in style by Liam McNamee in 2nd place, with Brian Redmond 7th, Pat Maher 14th, and Tony Callaghan, 16th, completing the scoring. Also running were Brian Stewart 21st, and Dave Jolly 38th, and for good measure McNamee, Redmond and Maher also figured in the Kildare team retaining its inter-county title.

The U/21 ladies in action were Mairead Noonan and Shelley Breslin, who ran excellently for 10th and 13th positions respectively. Newcomer David Dolan had a superb first outing to finish 20th in a strong men's U/21 field.

The veteran men 0/35 saw Peter Keegan 7th and Pearse Breslin 23rd, helping Kildare to 2nd county position, with Paddy Power having to pull up injured. The girls U/16 put up a tremendous performance to take 2nd club position through Enda Gleeson 5th, Helen Treacy 10th, Nuala Noonan 21st and Sarah Breslin 33rd, in a very large field. Daragh Callaghan was just foiled on the line of an individual medal in the boys U/16, but from fourth position he had the consolation of leading the team to third place through the efforts of Enda Breslin 21st, Michael Smith 48th and Niall McCormack 57th.

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Athletic Club contd

The Leinster Championships continued at Balbriggan on Sunday Jan. 5th with our pre race favourites Michelle Ennis (G.U/13) and Grainne Farrelly (G.U/17) duly obliging by taking the individual golds yet again. Carmel Noonan 10th, Lisa McCluskey 18th, Catherine Gleeson 20th and Aisling Kelly 49th were also involved in the U/13 race where the competition was so keen that their 49 pts. was only good enough for third club. Misses Ennis, Noonan, McCluskey and Gleeson were also on the Kildare team that was 3rd county.

Grainne Farrelly led the U/17 girls to 2nd team with Enda Gleeson 10th, Nuala Noonan 13th and Sarah Breslin 24th. Aisling Redmond had a fine run for 22nd position in the G.U/9 while sickness forced Gavin Callaghan to pull up in the Boys U/13. Maynooth had 3 runners in the mens intermediate where Liam McNamee 13th and Brian Redmond 22nd were part of the Kildare team 3rd county and Tony Callaghan finished in 37th position.

Other News

International Duty:

Grainne Farrelly once again represented her country when chosen on a Girls U/17 team for a cross country international in Brussels. Grainne once again had a superb run to take 3rd place in her event leading the Irish team to first place. Christmas Party

Peter Keegan has to take the lion's share of the credit for the organisation of the Xmas party/disco on the 21st Dec. in the CYMS Hall which was an occasion thoroughly enjoyed by young and old. The club would like to especially thank those who sponsored various aspects of the party - Elite Bakery; Tom Geraghty, Greenfield Supermarket; Aidan Flood; Pauline Burke; D. Donegan Londis Supermarket Celbridge; P&L Bakery Leixlip; Kellys Bakery Kilcock; Leaf Ltd. Kilcock.

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is a most important time for nts who are doing the Leaving ficate this summer. They must make up their minds about they are going to do when leave school. If they want ontinue their studies and obtain ualification (and nowadays it etting more and more difficult obtain any job without some her education or training), will have to apply for admission courses very soon, either through Central Applications Office (CAO) or to the college itself.

Applications for admission to courses:

Central Applications Office (CAO) ents who want to follow courses he Universities, National Institutes Higher Education (NIHEs), and Dublin Institute for Technology) must make application through .CAO, Tower House, Eglinton Galway, by 1 February. The lication fee is £17. There is eriod of grace until 1 March, n the student can still apply : £25). After 1 March, the applic- n is late, but may still be accep- for a fee of £40. However, place on the preferred course y not be available, even if the didate is qualified.

dents are advised to take great e in filling in the order of course eferences on the application m. Always list courses in strict der of preference, as places e allocated, as they become ailable, on the basis of the order preference listed. Parents should cuss with their children the nsequences of their course prefer- es, as they affect their possible eer options. Copies of the applic- on form should be kept. Course eferences may be changed up 1 July, but there will be no arantee that the new course oice will be available. After 1 July, for a fee of £18, students ay alter their preferences, but e restricted to choosing courses one college only.

Other Institutions:

Students who want to do courses in other institutions have to apply directly to the colleges, usually around March, but the earlier the better.

2. Grants

Fees for higher level courses can be quite high, as is the cost of maintaining a student in full-time education. The Bachelor of Arts course in Maynooth College cost £808, the Bachelor of Science cost £991 in the 1985/86 academic year. Courses in Bolton St. cost from £317 to £620. However, grants are available in certain circumstances, as follows:-

3. Range of Courses Available:

Over the last ten years, the range of courses in higher education has expanded. There are one year certificate, National Certificate, National Diploma, Bachelor Degree courses available in Universities, NIHEs, RTCs, DIT, and other colleges in business, engineering, science, humanities, art/design. And it is not essential to have an honours leaving certificate to be accepted on to Certificate and Diploma courses. Parents and students who are inter-ested in finding out what is available around the Maynooth area can get more information from the Directories in the Community Information Centre. There are over twenty institutions within a twenty mile radius of Maynooth where students can follow higher education courses.

Maynooth Community Information Centre is located in the Public Library (upstairs) Main Street.

Opening hours are:

Mon.	-	2-4	-
Wed.	10-12	2-4	-
Thur.	-	-	7-8
Fri.	10-12	2-4	-

Vocational Education Committee Scholarships

These scholarships are administered by the local Vocational Education Committee (VEC) - care of the Technical School in Naas, in the case of Maynooth residents - and these scholarships may be obtained by students who intend to follow courses of at least two years' duration in the DIT, RTCs, NIHEs, Colleges of art as well as a number of other colleges. The means test and grant levels are the same as those for the Higher Education Grants Scheme, but a student needs only two honours and three passes in the Leaving Certificate including Irish and English. Application should be made to the VEC by 31 August.

European Social Fund Grants

These grants cover one and two year courses in the RTCs (nearest one to Maynooth is Carlow), and colleges of technology (eg. Kevin St) in areas such as Engineering, Science, Secretarial Studies, Business Studies etc. The grants are not means tested, and amount to £464 per annum if the student is living at home, or £1,160 per annum if living away from home. The Community Information Centre has a list of courses covered by this scheme.

Other Grants & Scholarships

Maynooth College provides a scholarship for one resident of Maynooth parish, or any of the adjoining six parishes (to the value of £808 in 1985). The scholarship is awarded on the basis of a means test and the leaving certificate result, and is usually offered to a student who would not be eligible for any other grant. There are a number of other scholarships and bursaries which may be availed of in other universities and colleges. Again, further details available in the Community Information Centre.

C.I.C. Contd

The Higher Education Grants Scheme

This applies to students following full-time courses of at least two years' duration in the Universities, Teacher Training colleges, DIT, Regional Technical Colleges (RTCs), NIHEs. The grant is administered through the local authority - Kildare County Council in Naas, for Maynooth residents. To qualify, students must be aged at least 17 years on 1 January following the Leaving Certificate. They must also have passed five subjects in the Leaving Certificate with four honours and one other pass grade. The four honours may be reduced in certain circumstances, e.g. an honour in Maths will be counted as two honours, as would an honour in Irish. There is also a means test applied. In 1985, a student whose parents had six dependent children and an income not exceeding £16,546 would be eligible for a grant of one quarter of lecture fees. On the other hand, a student whose parents have two dependent children and whose income does not exceed £8,880 may be eligible for the maximum grant covering lecture fees plus the maximum maintenance grant of £1,160 if the student has to study away from home, or £464 if he or she can live at home. If family circumstances change later on, the student may be eligible for an increased grant. Applications for this grant may be made to the local authority before 31 August, and after the leaving cert results have been issued.

ANSWERS TO KIDDIES' CORNER QUIZ

Answers

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There are other solutions
- Goat (all the others are young animals)
- 18 (going up in 3's)
- 6, 9, (up 3, down 2)
- Cow, Cat, Sheep, Goat, Pig, Monkey, Dog, Lion, Tiger, Elephant

MAYNOOTH COMMUNITY INFORMATION CENTRE

DIARY OF EVENTS

The Community Information Centre is starting a Diary for the use of all organisations in the town.

Any events which you wish to publicise - fund-raising, social, meetings - will be entered in the Diary and posters will be placed around the town each month with the information.

Drop a note into the Public Library addressed to the Community Information Centre as soon as you can and this will also help to avoid having events which clash.

The Diary will be kept in the Public Library at the newspaper/magazine counter for easy access.

We would like to thank the Library Staff for their co-operation.

PRESENTATION CONVENT PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

The following are the winners in our Christmas Draw this year:

- Antoinette Mooney, 826 Greenfield.
- Bridie Furlong, 110 Carton Court.
- Mrs. K. Lawlar, c/o Noeleen O'Brien, Pagetown.
- Ted Dillon, 58 Maynooth Park.
- Sheila Grassick, 43 Carton Court.
- Marie Farrelly, Killeaney.
- Darina O'Malley, 5 Lawrence Ave.
- Elizabeth Serridge, 1189 Greenfield.
- Ian Fitzgerald, 21 Ardeevin Drive, Lucan
- Bridget Barrett, c/o Paul McCarthy, Laraghbryan.

We would like to thank everybody who supported our draw and all those who contributed so many prizes so generously.
P. Rice, Secretary.

RECENT DEATHS

We wish to express sympathy to the following:

The family and relatives of the late Patrick (Patsy) Geoghegan, Sion, Confey, Leixlip.

The wife, family and relatives of the late Eddie Tracey, Dublin and formerly of Maynooth.

The sons and relatives of the late Mary Scanlon, formerly from Doctors Lane, Maynooth.

Mrs. Bridie O'Brien, Leinster Cottages, on the death of her sister, Mrs. Rose Turnbull, England.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Tracey - The wife, family, brothers and relatives of the late Eddie Tracey, 84 Glenariff Road, Dublin 7, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who attended removal, Mass and funeral; all who sent Mass cards, Seraphic certificates, telegrams, letters of sympathy and floral tributes.

A special word of thanks to Fr. Supple P.P. and Fr. Cogan C.C. who officiated at the graveside. Also all the kind neighbours and friends.

Trusting this will be accepted by all in grateful appreciation. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for your intentions.

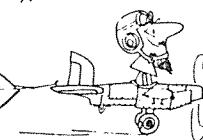
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Repair work to the Den started on 16th Dec. and is progressing satisfactorily. This work was essential as the Den was in pretty bad shape. We are being assisted by a grant from the Dept. of Labour to meet the cost of the repairs. However we will still be left with a sizeable deficit. With this in mind fund-raising will have to feature prominently in 1986. Our first venture is a Monster Bingo to be held in the Parish Hall at the end of February. Notices will be posted shortly re date etc.

The Venturers held their first mixed meeting on Nov. 9th. We extend a big welcome to their new Leader Dolores Brady. We are delighted to have the Lady Venturers as members of our Unit.

Their first mixed activity was a hike along the Wicklow Way. Those who took part were Nora Redmond, Bridget Halton, Dolores Brady (Leader), Sean Halton, Paul Cosgrove, Alan Downey, Loughlin Murphy (Leader), Cathal McAuley (Scout), Eamonn Conway (Unit Trainer) and Tony Muldowney (Unit Leader). Everyone found the 14 mile hike long and tough but most enjoyable. Four Venturers are planning to go to Scotland this summer on an Explorer Belt Expedition.

The Scouts start this year's activities with the Regional Quiz on 11th Feb. at Esker, Lucan.

The Saturday Cub Pack held their Investiture in conjunction with their Christmas Party.

The Tuesday Cubs have yet to set a date for their investiture.

Mary Fleming, P.R.O.

IRISH WHEELCHAIR ASSOCIATION

Extract from a letter to contributors to the recent Church Gate Collection for the Association:

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TREES, TREES, TREES

Maynooth College Buildings Officer, Mr. Colm Buckley is to be congratulated on having in excess of 200 trees planted on the Colleges old and new Campus over the last few months.

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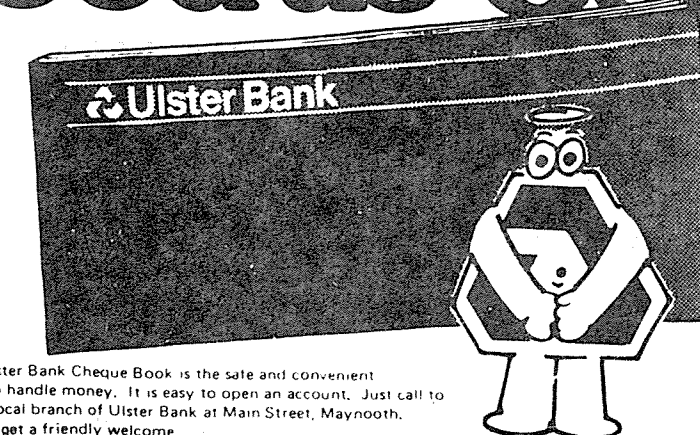
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Many former Campers have been in constant contact with Father Forde since, and indeed much time has been spent recalling the happenings on Camp and the happenings since then. At a recent meeting with Father Forde the idea arose of holding a re-union of Campers in Maynooth this Summer. Interested ? We feel all ex-Campers would surely be keen on such a re-union.

A small working committee are putting the wheels in motion for this event. We would simply ask all ex-Campers to spread the news and complete the attached form indicating your interest in this idea. We ask that you inform us as to which month would suit you best and the organisers will choose a final date. It is hoped that the re-union will be of an informal nature with the emphasis on meeting old friends and recalling old times. Makes me feel quite old !

Please return your form before 17 March to Willie Saults, 9 Parson Street, Maynooth or to Colm Nelson, Clonagh, Maynooth.

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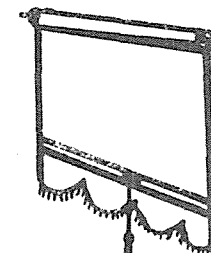
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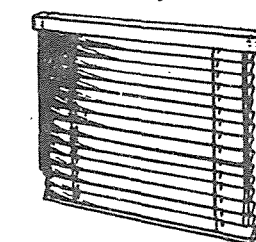
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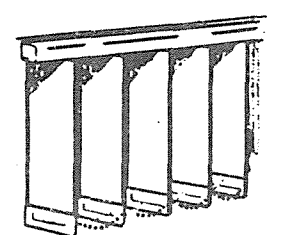


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FINE GAEL NEWS

The following appeared in the December/January issue under Labour News. Apologies to all concerned.
Laraghbryan Cemetery
"That Laraghbryan Cemetery be tidied up and the extension to same be properly fenced and maintained."

Grass cutting was carried out on two occasions during the summer months. The required level of maintenance cannot be achieved given the current level of finances and shortage of manpower. The extension has been adequately fenced and cut during cutting of the older section.

Old Carton

"That this Council would undertake repairs of potholes on road between Confey, Leixlip and Old Carton, Maynooth.

This roadway has deteriorated due to large increase in traffic volumes and inability of maintenance allocation to arrest this deterioration. Filling of potholes will be attended to but it is not possible to strengthen, widen and maintain road now.

Dunboyne Road - Convent Lane

"That this Council would undertake immediate repairs to the Dunboyne Road, Maynooth, particularly at Convent Lane."

Extensive strengthening and improvement works have been undertaken in Old Carton and Kildare Bridge area of the Dunboyne Road. The Convent Lane area is in need of improvements also and it is hoped to attend to the drainage aspects of Dillons Row Corner in the near future.

Railpark, Maynooth

"That this Council would as a matter of urgency undertake road repairs at the cul-de-sac Railpark."

Extensive drainage and strengthening is required on this roadway but as the finances for this level of operation are not available, interim emergency repairs will be attended to in the coming months.

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