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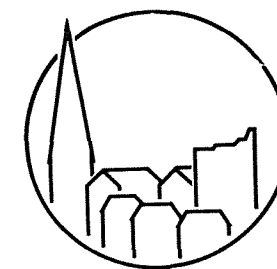
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Kenneth Killoran

Joey Nevin

We would like to congratulate, Kenneth Killoran and Joey Nevin  
on being selected to play with  
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## Editorial

### Maastricht and all that

This month brings the Maastricht Referendum on June 18th. Readers will probably be overwhelmed with information and opinions on the rights or wrongs of voting yes or no. Much of the discussion is hypothetical, as we really cannot predict the outcome for Ireland, whichever way the vote goes. So much can change so quickly as we have seen in the last traumatic year or two. The Berlin Wall fell almost overnight, the USSR disintegrated, Yugoslavia is still tearing itself apart. The question to decide is can Europe buck this trend, and even if it can, at what price to Ireland? Ireland has benefited tremendously from its participation in Europe, particularly with social legislation. But there are now more people unemployed than there were when we joined the EC; the promises of extra funding may not materialise; what is the future of our neutrality? Whatever way you decide to vote, it is important that all voters take every opportunity to inform themselves of the facts, to differentiate between the facts and speculation, and to go out and vote. Don't leave Ireland's future in other hands.

### Freedom to travel?

With all the discussion about freedom to travel in other contexts, there is something both tragic and infuriating that it is not safe for a woman to travel alone in her own neighbourhood. Readers may be aware of the horrific attack on a Maynooth woman last month. There are no easy solutions to this kind of situation. It is not acceptable that women should become prisoners, and they should be able to walk home at night without this terrible fear. Certainly, something should be done about the lighting in the area where the attack began.

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### Exam Times

By now most students in the College will have completed examinations. The *Newsletter* extends best wishes to all for a successful outcome, including our Editorial Board members, Richard Hayes and Peter Hussey. Maynooth residents will notice a reduction in student numbers this summer, not because of a higher pass rate, but because final year honours students will be taking examinations at the beginning of Summer for the first time, rather than at the end of the Summer as in previous years. To the Leaving Certificate and Junior Certificate students still awaiting their date with destiny, we advise you not to worry, just study effectively, and you'll get the results you deserve.

Good luck all.

### Community Festival Week

We print details of the diary for Community Festival Week in this issue. The *Newsletter* urges all residents to get involved in at least one of the many events which the Committee has organised - at least the one in which the *Newsletter* has a direct interest - the Table Quiz.

### Goodbyes

The *Newsletter* would like to extend its best wishes to Michelle Mee who has acted as secretary to the *Newsletter* Editorial Board, on her departure. We wish her every success.

### Calling all writers

The *Newsletter* is seeking people to join the Editorial Board, and anyone who would be interested in writing material, either features, or regular reports. We are interested in receiving any material related in some way to Maynooth, which is fit to print. Those interested should contact Christina Sauls at 6285922, or Kay MacKeogh, 6285241.

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Dear Editor,

I would like to draw your readers' attention to the fact that bogus ticket sellers were operating in Maynooth some weeks ago. They were supposedly selling tickets as a fund raising venture on behalf of the elderly. The Old People's Committee had no hand, act or part in this. Our only fund raising activities are the Sale of Work in November and the Annual Collections in March. Each Committee member has an I.D. card and I would urge householders to verify the identity and purpose of each caller. Yours faithfully

Joan Lennon P.R.O. Old People's Committee.

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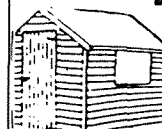
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## Community Council Notes

### Lee Mallaghan for Pierse Contracting

Statement from Pierse Contracting and Lee Mallaghan (owner of Carton House) in relation to Guinness withdrawal from Carton House:

We have been informed by Guinness Enterprises of its decision to withdraw from the Carton Estate Project.

We are shocked by this announcement and do not accept that they are entitled to withdraw. This action has been taken at a particularly sensitive stage in the appeal process.

Furthermore, only very preliminary discussions have taken place with a number of banks regarding financing for the project.

### COMMUNITY FESTIVAL

Inter Estate 7-A-Side Soccer.

We are again holding this most popular event during the Festival. First matches should begin 8th June. Guinness are sponsoring the trophies to the tune of £800 i.e. £400 for men's competition and £400 for womens competition. Same rules apply as last year. Names of teams should be given to:

Peter Holland, 72 Maynooth 'Park.

John Mc Ginley, 50 Greenfield Drive.

Padraig Kearney, 5 Carton Court.

Denis Mc Dermott, 12 Carton Court.

Christina Saults, Community Council Office.

### PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

The Planning and Development Committee are very disappointed that our FAS Project due to start in late May has been postponed until July (earliest). This is due to an over run on the FAS budgets for 1992.

However, the work of the committee continues and we hope shortly to have our outline plans ready.

We will be holding two major fundraising events in the near future.

The "Daisy Pat" competition will be held during the Community Festival week, please support it.

The other is a Race Night at a date yet to be confirmed.

Finally if you have thoughts on the future shape of Maynooth, please send them to Planning and Development Committee, C/o Maynooth Community Council.



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## COMMUNITY GAMES NOTES

**Results of Gymnastics:** Boys U/8 - 1st Eoin O'Sullivan, 2nd Conor Brady, 3rd Darren Hayes, 4th Edmond Cooney. Boys U/10 - 1st Brendan Eddery, 2nd Peter Sheehan. Boys U/12 - 1st Damien Travers. Boys U/14 - 1st John Moran, 2nd Cormac Eddery. Girls U/8 - 1st Deirdre Anglin 7.2, 2nd Lauren Eddery 6.8, 3rd Ciara Hayes 6.7, 4th Andree Heslin 6.5. Girls U/10 - 1st Josephine Fay 8.4, 2nd Anthonine Rossiter 7.7, 3rd Lynn Brennan 7.4, 4th Rachel Cunningham 7.2. U/12 - 1st Isabelle Fay 8.6, 2nd Aileen Billings 8.4, 3rd Anne Gannon 8.0, 4th Roisin Farrelly 7.8.

It was a marvellous evening and very successful. A special thanks to: Josephine Fay (Co-ordinator) Orlaith Murphy and Jennifer Caulfield - for sharing their experience and expertise, parents and children for coming in such large numbers. Congratulations to Josephine Fay, Isabella Fay and John Moran on winning County medals.

**Swimming Results:** Tiny Tots, 1. Nora McGlinchey, U/8 Fr. St. 1. Aileen Byrne. U/10 Fr. St. 1. Emma Fleming, 2. Catherine Gannon, 3. Emma Cullinane. U/12 Fr. St. 1. Rachel Watson, 2. Therese Flood, 3. Helena Healy. U/14 Fr. St. 1. Susan Dillon, 2. Anna Flood, 3. Eleanor Scully. U/16 Fr. St. 1. Aoife Callaghan, 2. Elaine Fleming, 3. Emer O'Sullivan. U/17 Fr. St. 1. Ann Marie Gallagher, 2. Paula O'Shea, 3. Caoimhe O'Sullivan. U/10 Bk. St. 1. Emma Fleming, 2. Emma Cullinane, 3. Catherine Gannon. U/12. Br. St. 1. Louise Gannon, 2. Therese Flood, 3. Sharon McLoughlin. U/14 Bk. St. 1. Susan Dillon, 2. Anna Flood, 3. Eleanor Scully. U/14 Br. St. 1. Susan Dillon, 2. Eleanor Scully, Joint 3. Maeve Stynes & Anna Flood. U/16 Bk. St. 1. Aoife Callaghan, 2. Elaine Fleming, 3. Emer O'Sullivan. U/16 Butterfly 1. Aoife Callaghan, 2. Elaine Fleming, 3. Paula O'Shea. Tiny Tots. 1. Patrick Pearse. U/8 Fr. St. 1. Mark Watson, 2. Paul Horan, 3. Kevin Farrell. U/10 Fr. St. 1. Padraig O'Sullivan, 2. Peter Sheehan, 3. Brian McLoughlin. U/12 Fr. St. 1. Mark McLoughlin, 2. Martin Sheils, 3. Martin Filbert. U/14. Fr. St. 1. James Gallagher, 2. Owen Maher, 3. Declan O'Rourke. U/16 Fr. St. 1. Michael Pearse. U/10 Bk. St. 1. Brian McLoughlin, 2. Padraig O'Sullivan, 3. Peter Sheehan. U/12 Br. St. 1. Martin McLoughlin, 2. Martin Filbert, 3. Martin Sheils. U/14 Br. St. 1. James Gallagher, 2. Owen Maher, 3. Declan O'Rourke.

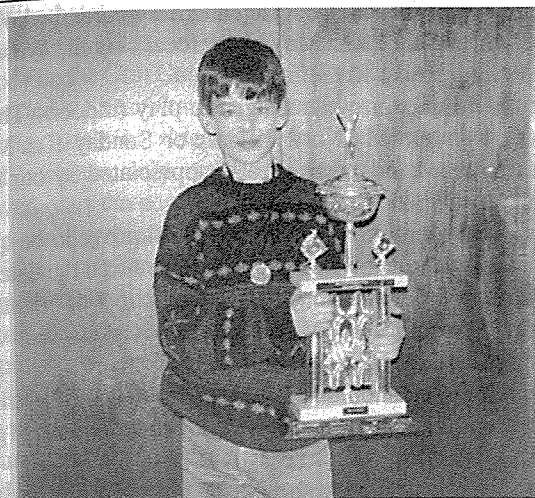
Thanks to Jim Fleming (Co-ordinator) and those too numerous to mention who came to help in the smooth running of the event in Stewarts. Also thanks to Maynooth Swimming Club for donations towards the cost of the day.

**Variety:** This year we hosted the county finals on 23rd May. Thanks to Annemarie Thompson and Christine Reilly. Team: Susie Creggy, William Gannon, Gareth Gallagher, Brian Folen, Eithne Cunningham, Virginia Breslin, Shirley Dowling, Josephine Behan, Valerie Nolan, Mary Nolan, Tony Dowling, Maeve Flood, Orla Cathal, Fiona Wederfort and Muireann Tierney for all of their hard work and dedication. It's a costly business hosting an event such as this so our thanks to Paul Daly for acting as compere on the night, Johnny Thompson for providing the lighting and all the other people who have given of their time.

**Athletics:** Thanks to Mick Gleeson for co-ordinating again. There will be more information in the next issue.

## Community Council Notes

Well the individual events will all have taken place when this goes to press, we still have team events and Mosney to look forward to. We will keep you updated with the bits and pieces.



Mark Hallinan of Greenfield Drive, Maynooth, who recently won the under 12 Art Competition at the Kildare Community Games. He will now go on to represent Kildare at the National Games in Mosney, Co. Meath.

### MAYNOOTH TIDY TOWNS

Our entry is now in for the 1992 Bord Failte Tidy Towns Competition. We are disappointed that the Planning/Development Scheme will not take place until later in the year. However our small band of volunteers has already started work.

We welcome any help, please contact 6286044.

As usual our Tidy Estates/best Area - best Shop Front Competition starts in June continuing to September.

If any area or business requires a copy of the judging criteria, please contact above telephone number.

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## OLD PEOPLE'S COMMITTEE

As Active Age Week 1992 comes to a close we wish to report a very successful and enjoyable week. The week was officially launched at a function held in the Town House, Naas on Monday, May 11th. The event was organised by the E.H.B. and a number of our Committee attended and enjoyed the outing.

On Sunday May 10th the draw took place for the holiday in Kerdiffstown in August. Successful were: Mary Waldron, Mrs Keoghan, Imelda Farrelly, Mr. and Mrs Edwards, Mrs Hand, Mrs Daly, Mrs Tracey, Moyglare Road, Gret Dunne and Tosheen Farrell.

We wish to thank the G.A.A. for the use of their premises on Thursday night May 14th. Thanks also to the entertainers who so generously gave of their time. The trip to the Art Gallery in Kilcock with tea and snacks in O'Keeffe's Pub was also very successful.

At a promotion in Quinnsnorth on April 30th Owen Byrne was asked to nominate a group as beneficiaries of a large amount of flowers, which the management of Quinnsnorth were distributing.

He named the Old People and the flowers were duly delivered to the I.C.A. Hall where the morning session was in progress. The Committee organised it from there. For a very thoughtful gesture we extend our thanks to the management of Quinnsnorth and to Owen Byrne.

Our annual outing takes place on June 20th. The morning session will finish at the end of June.

We wish to report that in April, tickets were being sold under false pretences in Maynooth. A number of teenagers were selling these on behalf of the "elderly". This exercise had nothing to do with our Committee or the elderly for that matter. We have two fund raising activities each year - Sale of Work in November and Annual Collection in March. Cloakroom tickets are never used by us and we never send children to do our work. All our members now have I.D. cards and are happy to produce them on request.

P.R.O.

## ST. MARY'S BOYS' NATIONAL SCHOOL PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

The Boys' National School Parents' Association held a Race Night in the G.A.A. Clubhouse on Friday 10th April. The night was a huge success and thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended it. We wish to thank all the people who sponsored races, those who placed ads in the programme, those who attended on the night and especially the G.A.A. Club for the use of their premises. The children of the school will all benefit greatly from your generosity.

B. Furlong, P.R.O.

## ST. MARY'S BRASS AND REED BAND BULLETIN

We congratulate Patricia Dempsey and her husband who tied the knot on Saturday 16th May in our local church. We wish them every happiness in the future.

Despite the downpour, we managed to play (indoor - Thank God) at the Jamboree in North Kildare on Sunday 10th May. Our musical renditions were greatly appreciated by our fans and supporters.

Over the coming months our schedule will prove to be quite busy. In the last issue of the *Newsletter* we listed the dates of our engagements. As you may be aware, the roof of our hall is at present being repaired. We hope to cover the cost with financing from our engagements.

In July our horizons should be broadened with a holiday trip to Wales (please Saint Swithin, can we ask you in advance to give us good weather'!).

Booking for engagements should be made in writing to Secretary, (Elaine Bean), St. Mary's Brass and Reed Band, Band Hall, Pound Lane, Maynooth.

Fiona O'Malley,  
P.R.O.

## THE CARTON COMMITTEE

The future of Carton remains uncertain. Guinness/Gleneagles has pulled out of the proposed development but the remaining members of the consortium, Mr. Mallaghan the owner and the building firm involved, are appealing to an Bord Pleannala against some of the conditions imposed by Kildare and Meath County Councils when giving planning permission. The worst possible scenario of Carton becoming a glorified housing development could yet become a reality.

Information is now emerging which highlights how important it is that everyone interested in the future of Carton - and that includes the entire population of Maynooth - is alert and questioning about the present and any future proposal for commercial development. One fundamental question concerns the commercial viability of these hotel - golf course - equestrian centre complexes. The market is awash with this type of development. All over the south of England demesnes and parklands are being converted to golf and equestrian centres for elite tourism. In Ireland there is a growing flood of applications for permission for developments almost identical with that proposed for Carton - similar in detail almost to the last golfing villa. There are no fewer than 60 private golf courses in the pipeline in Ireland at present. Many have the same formula: 200 bed hotel, golf course (most of them described as 'championship' - like the K club), equestrian centre, housing development in the woods (variously called 'villas', 'lodges', 'chalets', etc.) Examples abound and include Powerscourt, Co. Wicklow (currently under appeal to an Bord Pleannala), Lough Key in Co. Roscommon, Fota in Co. Cork, Muckross in Co. Kerry, Mount Nugent in Co. Kilkenny, and most recently in Meath, Killeen Castle and Oldbridge House.

Does anyone think all these will make money and provide secure worthwhile jobs? There have been persistent rumours that the K Club at Straffan, so close to Maynooth and so like the

Gleneagles proposal for Carton, is far from being a commercial success. The Carton Committee has recently been informed by someone who stayed at Gleneagles in Scotland for several days at Easter that at the time of the visit the total number of resident guests in the Gleneagles Golf Hotel was five, and there was nobody on the Golf Course! And Maynooth residents might be interested to hear that the Gleneagles Golf Course is now closed to locals in Achterarder; in an effort to boost the flagging hotel business, only residents in the Gleneagles Hotel are allowed onto the course. Local small hotels which formerly had a thriving business with customers staying in them and playing on the famous course are now up in arms. An even more disturbing aspect is also emerging. It now appears that Guinness had made the decision to withdraw from the proposed development before Kildare County Council voted for a material contravention of the County Development Plan to allow it to go ahead.

We understand that as early as last Christmas Guinness indicated that it was dropping a number of similar development in Europe. It is further reported that Guinness has been trying to sell its interest in the proposed Carton Development in England over the last few months. If this is indeed the case it raised serious questions about the *bona fides* of the planning application. Kildare County Council officials and councillors granted permission reluctantly in the belief that the proposal was the only viable future for Carton, and relying on the commitment of the proposers to carry the plan through. It is highly improbable that permission would have been granted had the Council had any doubts about the commitment of the major partner to the application.

A Carton Appeal Group has been set up recently to co-ordinate the work of the various groups interested in preventing the wrong kind of development of Carton and in working to bring about the best possible development. We will report further on this in future Newsletters. We hope also to encourage public discussion as to how Carton can be developed to serve the interests of all the community.

The Carton Committee.

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As part of the Community Festival in Maynooth, we are having a Fete on Saturday 20th June in the garden of the Old Rectory, Parson Street by kind permission of Walter Hayley. The Fete will commence at 12 noon and there will be lots of activities to suit both children and adults.  
Church of Ireland is open to visitors every Sunday from 3 - 5.

## CITIZENS INFORMATION NOTES

### Question:

Can you tell me what annual holidays are employees entitled to. Is it three weeks or four weeks? Also, are all employees entitled to some sick leave with pay?

### Answer:

Under the Holidays (Employees) Act 1973, you are entitled to one and a quarter days leave for each calendar month in which you work at least 120 hours. If you work 1,400 hours in the year for the same employer, you would be entitled to three weeks holidays.

People working in certain industries may be legally entitled to more than the fifteen days leave, e.g. construction workers get twenty one days, hairdressing employees in Dublin and Cork get twenty days, certain workers in the catering trade outside the Dublin City and County area get nineteen days.

Part-time workers who regularly work for the same employer for at least eight hours per week are entitled to six hours paid leave for every one hundred hours worked after they have been working for that employer for thirteen weeks.

There is no legal requirement on your employer to pay you whilst you are out sick. Some employers do give a certain amount of paid sick leave, others do not. Unless your conditions of employment state that you are entitled to paid sick leave, then, you do not have to be paid.

It is proposed that employers will take over the payment of Disability Benefit from the Department of Social Welfare for the first four weeks of the illness.

If you are not getting your holiday entitlements or if you want to know if there are any Registered Joint Labour Court Agreements for your particular employment you should contact - The Department of Labour, Adelaide Road, Dublin 2. Tel: (01) 765861. There are about 17 of these Agreements registered with the Labour Court.

This column has been compiled by Maynooth Citizens Information Centre which provides a free and confidential service to the public.

There is a new publication "Where to Complain" - a guide to the consumer which is available free of charge from this office.

## MAYNOOTH FLOWER AND GARDEN CLUB

Our Annual Spring Show, held on April 28th, was a great success. There were a lot of entries and the standard was very high. Felicity Satchwell won the award for *Best in Show* and we give her our heartiest congratulations. A list of all other winners will appear in next month's issue. Our "Garden Trio", Sarah Angel, Noeleen O'Brien and Maureen Stephens did us proud at the RDS Spring Show achieving a "highly commended" for their garden exhibit. Congratulations to all three!

The Club's outing will take place on June 13th. We will take a train trip through the bog from Shannon Bridge. We will see the lovely gardens of Birr Castle and a photography exhibition there. Our evening meal will be enjoyed in the Montague Hotel

## Clubs, Organisations & Societies

near Portlaoise. We will leave Maynooth at about 10.00 am and return at about 9.00 pm. For information please call Felicity Satchwell Telephone 6286240. Non members are very welcome.

Our next demonstration will be held on June 16th in the SVD Hall and will commence at 8.00 pm. Linda Murphy will be the demonstrator and her theme will be "As I like it".

R. Smyth, PRO.

### GARDA TALK

#### Child Protection The Garda's Role

The Garda Síochána accepts a responsibility for protecting all our citizens, and makes a special effort in those cases where the person is particularly vulnerable. We are especially concerned to ensure that children should be safe, and free from all forms of criminal abuse. In achieving our goals it is vital that adults appreciate this concern, and that children understand that we are here to help.

#### Investigation

If cases are not reported, then one of the main deterrents to future offending is absent. Reporting is often the first step towards ending these crimes. It may also help the child realise their "innocence" and the "guilt" of the other party. In any circumstance where abuse is suspected, we would urge that all information is given to the Garda Síochána, as soon as possible. These matters will be dealt with discreetly, and sensitively.

#### Children at Play.

When children are at play, they are generally beyond your immediate supervision. Here are some points which you should raise with them, and which they should remember.

1. They are always safer playing in groups, than alone.
2. They should not play in secluded, or dark places.
3. They should always tell you where they are playing and play only in that place.
4. They should not involve unknown adults in their games.

#### Children with Adults.

While we often talk of the dangers of strangers, many abusers are actually known to their victims. Before entrusting children into the care of adults, assure yourself that they are trustworthy, and reliable.

1. Use recommended babysitters whenever possible.
2. Be alert to danger signs, for example, if your child exhibits strange or reluctant behaviour in the presence of a particular adult.
3. Warn children against talking to adults they do not know.
4. Children should be cautioned against going off with adults without their parents' permission, even when they are known.

#### Signs of Abuse.

There are very many signs which may indicate abuse. They are not conclusive in themselves, but should give grounds for suspicion. Some of the main indicators are listed below.

1. The child has injuries which it cannot explain, or explains inappropriately.

2. The child exhibits fear in the presence of certain individuals and does not want to be in their company.
3. The child appears withdrawn, or exhibits abnormal behaviour, which is markedly out of character.
4. The child appears to be underdeveloped, constantly sickly, ill-kept or malnourished.

#### Appreciate Difficulties

Sometimes, it can be difficult for a child to know who to go to for help and assistance. Parents should always provide a "listening ear" for their children. Children should know that the right thing to do always, is to tell a parent what has happened. They should not fear criticism for being foolish, or disobeying your previous instructions. Of course, it should be made clear, that under no circumstances are they to be blamed.

#### Protecting Children.

Please let your children know that they can always go to any member of the Garda Síochána if they need help. The Gardai can be contacted 24 hours a day, every day of the year. Let them know that **The Garda is a Friend.**

#### Who is the New Garda?

A cead míle fáilte, to Garda Tom Milner who came to us in April. Tom who hails from Offaly, served for 10 years in the Cavan/Monaghan area. We wish him a happy stay while in Maynooth.

(I hear there is high transfer fee if the G.A.A. are interested)

#### Your local Gardai

### GRANGE WILLIAM CEMETERY RESTORATION COMMITTEE

The above Committee will hold its next meeting in the Parish Hall (Maynooth) on Monday, 8th June, '92, at 8.30pm. Cemetery Sunday will be held on the 14th June, Mass will be celebrated at 3 o'clock.

For further information regarding the restoration project etc. Please contact Peter Nevin (Secretary) 'phone - 6285179 or Kathleen Murphy (P.R.O.) 'phone - 6286399.

### MAYNOOTH I.C.A. NOTES

The A.G.M. of Maynooth I.C.A. was held on Thursday 7th May at 8.00 p.m. Our President Mary O'Gorman was in the chair and welcomed all. We had a great turnout.

Three of our ladies won their Matches in the Badminton competition in Clane: Mary Fleming, Bernie King and Rosemary Hanley. Well done girls.

The Raffle, winners for this month were 1st Bernadette Duffy, 2nd Mary O'Gorman and 3rd Joan Grant. Next month's competition will be the oldest magazine, so come on everybody have a root around the attic. You never know what you may find.

On Wednesday 27th May in the S.V.D. Hostel we are hosting the Federation Meeting.

The "Make and Model" competition was held in the Red House

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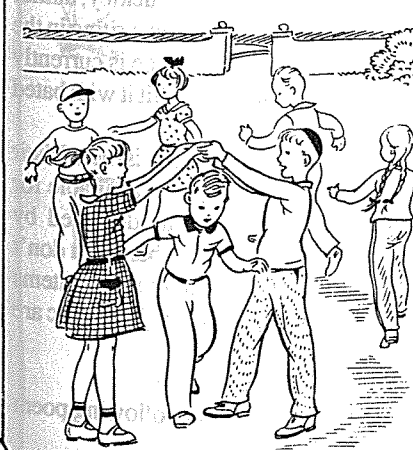
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## Clubs, Organisations & Societies

in Newbridge on the 14th May, Maynooth ladies came away with five prizes. Ursula Forde, Betty Moore, Margaret Gee, Mary Halton and Pauline McCarty were the successful entrants, also Margaret Houlihan won the Brother Sewing Machine and Margaret Gee won the Singer Knitting Machine. We also had three raffle winners Josie McWeeney, Anna Dolan and Felicity Satchwell. Congratulations to all the winners especially the ladies who made the beautiful garments. Our Federation President Maisie Mc Myler presented the prizes. Unfortunately our Federation Crafts promoter Mary O'Gorman who organised the show and spent a lot of time travelling around the county was unable to attend due to a sudden death in the family. We offer our sincere sympathy to her family. Our Annual Show will be held in the Post Primary School in July, schedules are available in the shops. We are hoping for a large turnout of entries. Please support.

Our new Committee is:

President - Imelda Delaney

Secretary - Rosemary Hanley

Treasurer - Anna Dolan

Vice President and An Grianan Rep - Betty Moore

Ass. Treasurer & P.R.O. - Joan Grant

Sports Officer - Bernadette King

Contest Sec. - Kay Burns

Produce Officer - Mairead Scanlon

International Officer - Bernadette Duffy

Crafts Officer - Nell McLoughlin

Arts - Marian Souhan

Timire - Viva Kearns

Hostess - Joan Shannon

### MAYNOOTH ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

On Monday May 11th, twelve members of above (both male and female) travelled to Naas at the invitation of the Eastern Health Board to a painting session. It was organised in conjunction with Active Age Week, and the Maynooth group was specially invited because it was a newly formed association. All enjoyed the afternoon though some showed more talent than others in the artistic field. But it was fun!

Nineteen members of the group went to the Abbey Theatre on Monday, May 18th to see Hugh Leonard's play "Moving". It is hoped to arrange a day trip on the train to Sligo sometime in June. Sligo has been selected, because that train may be boarded at Maynooth station, and those who have travel cards, will travel free.

All activities of the Active Retirement Association are open to all over 55 years of age. So it is hoped that many more (male and female) will come to the next meeting, which will be held in the Health Centre at 8p.m. on Monday 8th June '92. Do come and air your opinion!

P.R.O.

### MAYNOOTH MISCARRIAGE OF JUSTICE GROUP

With great joy we heard of the release of Judith Ward who had

been imprisoned for the past eighteen years for the murder of twelve people in an I.R.A. bombing of a British Army Coach. Judith was a victim of the same combination of unscrupulous police, the now discredited forensic "expert", Dr. Frank Scuse, and, popular hysteria that convicted the Birmingham Six, the Guilford Four and the Maguire Seven.

Indeed at the appeal court hearing, it was revealed that before her trial prison doctor reported that she was suffering from acute psychotic depression and that this report was not accepted at her trial. Such was the pressure on the British police to secure a conviction that they engineered the conviction of someone whom they knew to be innocent of such an atrocity. We are also delighted with the Irish Government's decision to grant Nicky Kelly a Presidential pardon for his conviction in 1978 in connection with the Sallins train robbery. Like Judith Ward, Birmingham Six, etc. Nicky Kelly was a victim of a signed "confession" extracted after lengthy interrogation and subsequent judicial maneuverings to ensure a conviction. We support Mr. Kelly's call that a Judicial enquiry be set up to investigate the full circumstances of this case that full compensation be paid to him and that for his wrongful conviction for a crime which he did not commit.

Both of these cases illustrate that the Miscarriages of Justice have taken place in both Britain and Ireland and what is now needed is the removal from office of Police and Judges involved in such cases. But more importantly, that laws are enacted and systems introduced to ensure that such injustices cannot reoccur in the future.

H. Dunne  
(Hon Secretary)

### MAYNOOTH PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWS

People tell me that they have walked by the library recently, not recognising it in its newly painted splendour. We hope that this extra attention to our exterior will help increase the overall marks that Maynooth will obtain in the Tidy Towns Competition. Henceforth the library will be known as the "Building with the red door"!

The Pavee Point exhibition on Travellers is just over, and presently on display is an exhibition for Active Age Week, consisting of a selection of crochet and knitted articles. The entries for the written and photographic competitions will also be displayed when judging has taken place.

We would like to express our gratitude to Joe Buckley, author of "Run Donny Run" who recently gave a talk on writing in the library and read some extracts from his book. Joe is currently working on a follow-up to this book, and we await it with bated breath!

The Black Tulip Club have put together the first issue of their magazine-"The Black Tulip"- A copy of this is available for borrowing. The cover of this magazine was designed by Karina Mc Govern and Karen Bright. Remember - you don't have to be a member of the Black Tulip Club to submit items to the magazine - any pieces of writing, drawing, joking etc are welcome.

Some gems from the current issue include the following poem by Alice Dunworth:

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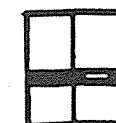
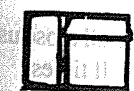
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## Clubs, Organisations & Societies

### *The Crocodile.*

One day I met a crocodile,  
With a very crafty smile,  
He asked me in for a cup of tea,  
I answered very carefully.  
He brought me in  
And in his bin  
There was a pile of bones,  
He poured me out a cup of tea  
And gave me 500 scones.  
And then with one huge burp  
Instead of trying to slurp  
Down his tea  
He ate me  
Very very carefully  
And the very next day  
He began to say  
Oh! I've a pain in my tummy  
I'll have to tell mummy.  
So she gave him a whack  
On the bone in his back  
And out I came  
Not quite the same.

Raymond Bright submitted some titles which we don't have in our library:

At the South Pole - by Ann Tartic  
The Bullfighter - by Matt Adore.  
Aches and Pains - by Arthur Ritus.  
Rice Growing - by Paddy Field.

And the following limerick describes the group itself -  
There gathered some bright sparks one day  
To read, to write and to play

The Black Tulip Club was the name of their gang  
And in Maynooth Library their works they will hang.  
One of the next activities planned for the Black Tulip Club is a guided tour of the Cardinal Printing Press. We are grateful to Mr. Joe Wall for allowing the Club this opportunity to learn about printing processes.

To facilitate local schools doing projects on Saints, we have added a copy of "The Seventeen Martyrs" to our stock - it must be the best read book in the library!

The second series of talks held in the library - "Get Ready for Summer", was very successful. Thanks are due to Patricia Orr, colour consultant, Brendan Hackett, proprietor of Motions Gym, and Tony Adderley from the Abbey Garden Centre, St. Raphael's Celbridge - who gave interesting and informative talks.

*Margaret Walshe- Gannon.*

### PRESENTATION CONVENT GIRLS SCHOOL PARENTS ASSOCIATION

The above Association wish to thank all who supported our recent auction and gave so generously the items for auction. The proceeds of the auction were used for the cutting of the grass and maintenance of the school grounds.

We also wish to thank the parents and children for the support given to our recent cake sale. With the proceeds from this event we have purchased games etc., for use by the children in school during bad weather.

We are ending the current year's fund raising events on May 20th with a beauty demonstration and talk given by Ann Carey, local beautician from Cameo Beauty Salon, The Country Shop, Maynooth.

Finally I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a good holiday and looking forward to a good attendance at our A.G.M. at the end of September.  
Thanking you again.

*Margaret McLoughlin, P.R.O.*

### ROYAL CANAL AMENITY GROUP NOTES

#### Harbour Day

The final preparations are now being made for our "Harbour Day". The Community Festival week commences on June 13th/14th and we in the Royal Canal Amenity Group are proud to have been asked to provide the opening spectacle, and what a spectacle it will be.

The Steam Train will operate on both days and tickets will be available shortly at both branches of "Newtown Stores" as well as from committee members. The Harbour area of the Canal will be filled with many attractions: Side shows, Rock Bands, Maynooth Accordion Band and hopefully St. Mary's Brass & Reed Band. The Steam Organ will also be there and this is a "MUST" for all who appreciate craftsmanship at its best. It is also hoped to have boat rides on the two days. With regard to the Steam Train, tickets are priced very reasonably to enable people from all walks of life to enjoy this trip back into "Yesteryear". Tickets for adults are only £3.50 return, tickets for children are only £1.50 return, a special student ticket costs only £2.50 return. Tickets are on a "first come first served" basis so **DON'T DELAY GET YOUR TICKET TODAY.** While on the subject I should like this opportunity to thank the Station Staff at Maynooth Railway Station who have been most helpful in relation to the organisation of the Steam Train. One final word on the train - please follow the stewards' instructions on the day.

#### Works Update

Phase I is now complete at Pikes Bridge and the area is now looking very well. Visitors to the area should keep it tidy and take home their litter with them. Shrubs have been planted to enhance the area.

#### Safety.

Finally, with the good weather arriving we urge all those using this amenity to exercise the utmost caution at all times.

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## Residents' Associations

### LYREEN RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Once again the issue of the by-pass and its feeder routes were top of our agenda. Our association has joined with the other local associations who will be directly affected by the new or altered road systems. We expect that this combined group will carry some influence and that this will be translated into a response from the County Council who will hopefully give and fulfil some undertakings regarding the issues seen as important by this group of associations. It is our own particular regret that the by-pass will not fully by-pass the town at all, but perhaps bring in more heavy vehicles than at present and thereby defeat the possible benefits of such a roadway.

*A note of caution to all our Residents.* Please be alert to all happenings in the locality. We have experienced a number of incidents recently which were of great concern and distress. It would be best to nip all minor acts of vandalism/theft in the bud and we would ask the Gardai to give us their greatest co-operation in this regard.

Finally, we wish Gerry Coyne a speedy recovery. Gerry, get well soon or your paper round will have to be put up for grabs!!

*Tony Bean.*

### KINGSBRY RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

The Annual General Meeting of Kingsbry Resident's Association was held on March 2nd 1992 in Caulfields Lounge.

The following people were elected on to the committee:

Chairperson - Brid Anglin

Vice Chairperson - Eugene Hughes

Secretary - Brian McGarvey

Treasurer - Marian Alford

P.R.O. - Bernie O'Meara

Committee Members - Kathleen Kehoe, Cathal Gaffney

We would like to thank the outgoing committee for their hard work and dedication during the past year.

We would also like to thank everyone who has paid their subscription to the Resident's Association and grass cutting and we appeal to those who have not paid to do so as soon as possible.

Our first clean up day which was held on May 2nd, was well supported and we plan to have another later on in the summer. Now that building has finally finished in the estate, we hope that our roads will soon be tarred and that Kildare Co. Council will take over the running of the estate.

*Bernie O'Meara*  
P.R.O.

### CLUAIN AOIBHINN RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

The Annual General Meeting will take place shortly, residents will be notified of the date and venue.

A clean-up day is being organised when it is hoped that residents will come together to help clean up the estate.

We welcome to the estate Mr & Mrs Philip Ryan and family who have recently purchased No. 3.

Good wishes are extended to those Students on the estate sitting exams in Maynooth College and we take this opportunity also to voice our good wishes to the children of our residents participating in Junior and leaving certificate exams.

Congratulations to Naomh Harney and Catherine Walsh who were members of "Its a Knockout" team which won their way into the semi-finals of the competition at the Royal Canal Jamboree on May 10th last. The team went to "Mosney" and were pipped for a "Final Place" by one point. They had some consolation, however, because the team which beat them was also from Maynooth, that of Coonan Auctioneers. With Catherine and Naomh on the team were Jemma Harran, (daughter of Peadar - well known local Garda), Jillian Power, Brian McGlinchey, Richard Cotter and some of the Students from Kings Hospital. Well done to you all.

Finally a few words from our illustrious chairman Mr. Tom McMullon:

We appeal to all residents in Maynooth to keep an eye open for a set of ladders and an Antique Pot which has been stolen from the estate. The ladders were steel double unit with CARA painted on the sides. The Pot was painted black about 12" high 12 - 14" across. Any sign of them can be reported to Garda or to Tom McMullon No. 63 or Tel: 6286526.

### GREENFIELD ESTATE RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

Our first Estate Tidy-Up for 1992 was held on the first weekend of May. The estate looks the better for it. How much more would have been achieved if we had more people out.

Our thanks to those who came out even for an hour or two.

The skip was provided by Kildare County Council whom we thank.

Members of the Committee are now calling for the annual subscription, if you were out when we called please drop it in to our Treasurer, 11, Greenfield Drive.

The Association has been notified by An Bord Pleanála of the outcome of the appeal by The El Dorado Take-away for longer opening hours.

The decision was that the Application was refused for the following reasons.

The Take-away forms part of a local Shopping Centre whose function is to serve a local catchment population.

The proposed extended opening hours would serve to attract business from outside this local area and would cater for the after pub-trade.

Such extended opening hours would, therefore generate a level of late night noise disturbance and general activity that would be incompatible with the amenity of the surrounding residential area at the time of the night/morning.

It is considered therefore that the proposed development would seriously injure the amenity and depreciate the value of property in the vicinity.

Good Luck to all our residents concerned with the Community Festival.

We ask all our residents to support this annual entertainment.

## Leixlip Amenities Group



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### NORTH KILDARE/DUBLIN WEST GROUP AGAINST THE MAASTRICHT TREATY

As the referendum debate enters its final stages it has become clear that many voters feel that they have not been sufficiently informed on the details of the Treaty to make a decision on a matter of such far-reaching consequence. Would any person sign a contract without reading the small print?

What is also clear is that the Government is spending vast sums to cajole the electorate into voting Yes on items such as 1 million "Guides" to the Treaty, which do not reveal the true meaning or effect of its provisions. This contrasts to No finance whatsoever being available to the NO side - how can we have a proper democratic referendum on this basis?

We believe that the electorate should vote No and look for a re-negotiated Treaty to include:

1. **Enlargement** of the E.C Budget and agreement on the size, nature and duration of Cohesion funds for Ireland.
2. **Transfers** to Ireland on a scale sufficient to really reduce unemployment and narrow the gap in living standards between Ireland and the E.C. average within 10 years.

3. **Extension** of the E.M.U. timetable. The proposed timetable is ridiculously short and will cause deflation, higher unemployment and lower living standards for most of this decade.

4. **More Democratic Control** of the European Central Bank. The major decisions of this Bank must be sanctioned by the European Council and the European Parliament.

5. Inclusion of the Social Charter to guarantee and protect the basic rights of working people from the greatly increased powers of international capital arising from E.M.U.

Won't the other eleven members go ahead without us if we vote No, leaving Ireland out in the cold? No. It is an E.C. Treaty and it must be ratified by all member states.

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The fact that these summer camps will be held in St. Patrick's College means that the participants will be able to partake in a new type of environment. Another factor which will help to prepare the participants for life beyond the school will be the emphasis on interview skills and self-presentation. There will be a lighter side to the week with a number of sports being available as well as a visit to a water sports centre.

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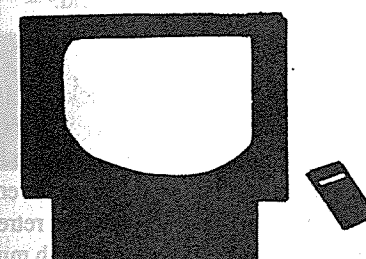
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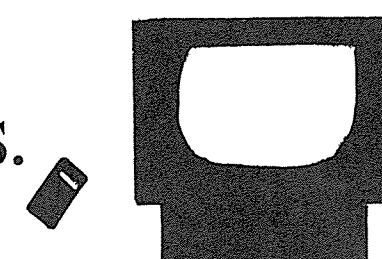
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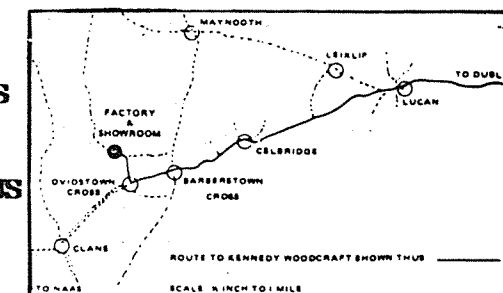
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## Features

### POETRY COMPETITION

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#### The Wave

First came the screams of the seagulls  
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"Its" gone, really gone!"  
But It wasn't for long;  
This time it came higher and higher.  
Taking with it lumps of clay, bits of walls  
And smashing roofs as it went further up the hill.

Finally it slowed down;  
Suddenly stopping dead in its tracks,  
It slid down the hill and with a great gulp  
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2nd Prize £5 to Lynn Brennan (9), Taghadoo, Maynooth

#### Our World

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#### Planning Permissions.

There have been a large number of planning permission applications to Kildare County Council for the Maynooth region within the past year. This can be a very controversial process as is known by anyone who followed the saga of the El Dorado takeaway.

Most of the planning applications are for alterations to existing houses or to erect bungalows in rural areas. There are also applications to build or extend housing estates in Newtown, Moyglare and Railpark. Two of the more interesting applications are for the erection of 20 two-bedroomed luxury apartments in Parson Street by a company called T. Hoare Ltd., and a proposal by a company called Atlanta Properties to build a hotel on the site of an existing garage in Greenfield.

#### Conferences in the College.

A number of conferences will be held in St. Patrick's College during the Summer months when the students will be on holidays. They will be held throughout the Summer with June and July being the busiest months. The types of conferences include language schools, academic conferences and retreats. Among the major conferences will be those on church music, the teaching of Spanish and a retreat given by the French-Canadian Jean Vanier.

According to Mr. Dominic MacNamara, assistant to the president, these conferences are important for keeping the college alive during the Summer and the few thousand people who attend the various conferences provide an important source of revenue for the restaurants, pubs and shops in the town at a time when the absence of students means that there will be less money in circulation. It also provides an opportunity for people to run courses to cater for their own specific needs. Mr. MacNamara further stated that one of the main advantages of holding conferences in Maynooth was its proximity to both Dublin and the countryside and areas of interest such as Wicklow, the Boyne Valley and Clonmacnoise. It can thus give visiting people the best of both worlds.

#### Classified Casuals.

Classified Casuals have now moved into larger premises within the Centrepont Arcade and it now occupies the site of the former Patrick's Restaurant. The proprietor, Rita O'Carroll informs us that she stocks a full range of casual menswear such as jeans, jackets, sweatshirts and rugby shirts. They specialise in Levis and Wrangler brands. The opening hours are Monday to Friday 9.30am to 6pm when late opening on Friday until 8pm.

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## Features

### An Post Dispute.

The ongoing dispute within An Post has affected some postal services in Maynooth. However the following services are working as normal at the moment, the E.M.S. courier service, the parcel service and all incoming social welfare payments. The letter service within Kildare is normal but there are no services to or from the rest of the country. At the moment the situation is very fluid and it could very easily deteriorate.

### Womens Mini Marathon

The forthcoming Womens' Mini Marathon will have a contingent of Maynooth women running in it. They hope to raise £800 in order to purchase a book page turner which will be for the use of Multiple Sclerosis (M.S.) sufferers in the Maynooth, Leixlip, and Celbridge areas. M.S. is a debilitating disease which leads to a gradual loss in the body's power, especially in the limbs. As a consequence reading is the only form of recreation available to many sufferers, especially women. The book turner, which operates by being pressed by a persons head etc. is essential for people who have lost the power to use their hands effectively. The machine will be rotated around the various sufferers in the area. If you want more information or are interested in sponsoring this worthy cause please contact Evelyn MacGrath at (01) 6286737 or Liz Delaney at (01) 6285591.

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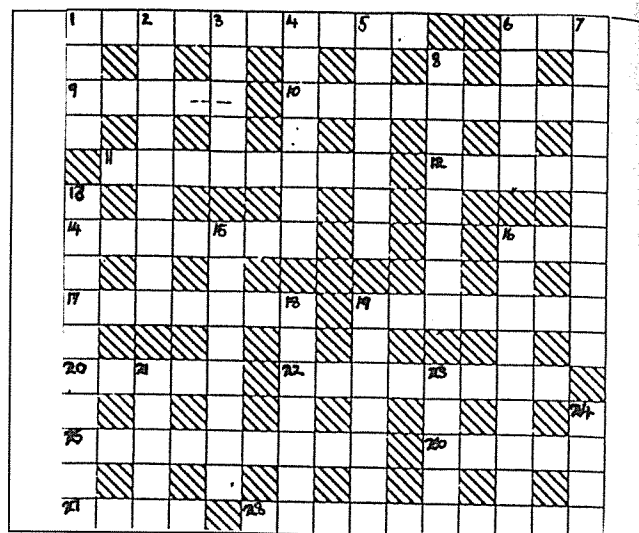
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## CROSSWORD NO. 55



Entries before 5.00 pm Friday 19th June.

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### Across

1. This local stud ran at the end (10)
6. Place the ball at the hole (3)
9. Savour in this state (5)
10. Beyond all bounds (9)
11. Forest fleas (8)
12. A numerical relation (5)
14. A hard place for Ed to sleep on (7)
16. A tool to punch holes in the law (3)
17. Makes the blood boil (7)
19. Nowhere to be found (7)
20. A pint-sized state, one's self included, perhaps (5)
22. The party member may be advancing, but there's a rodent in the end (8)
25. Chew after the flagpole (9)
26. Incompetent pet is inadequate (5)
27. Appendage with an aptitude for detection (4)
28. A book worm from all directions in the compass (10)

### Down

1. A receptacle for the knight? (4)
2. The ultimate command may result in a jar (4,5)
3. Lose hope of return on effort (5)
4. This local erection is the height of folly (7)
5. A cause to unite the Greek Island at the end (7)
6. Indicate the meaning of it all (5)
7. The local education factory (3,7)
8. One clerk gives credit (8)
13. This mariner seems competent at first (4,6)
15. It looks like the vital part must expire at last to make this transparent muslin (8)

## Features

16. An ultimate finish (1,5,3)
18. A doleful restaurant according to the ballad (3,4)
19. Mother starts the actors in a folk play (7)
21. Abstains (5)
23. A hundred begins the backward evil chap (5)
24. Agitate in the last iron (4)

### Solutions to Crossword No. 54

#### Across

1. Royal Canal, 6. Tug, 9. Sisal, 10. Catherine, 11. Seaside, 12. Organ, 14. Android, 16. Ski, 17. Loyalty, 19. Scalpel, 20. In Oil, 22. Railpark, 25. Last Train, 26. Roost, 27. Sash, 28. Emmet Stagg.

#### Down

1. Rush, 2. Yesterday, 3. Lulls, 4. Acceded, 5. Asterix, 6. Thing, 7. Green Field, 8. Veronica, 13. Caulfields, 15. Oilcloth, 18. Yard Arm, 19. Science, 21. Oasis, 23. Paris, 24. Stag.

### Winner of Crossword No. 54

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### Wedding Belles

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### Travelling on

Once again, Kay MacKeogh has asked the *Newsletter* to alert all and sundry that she will be running in the mini marathon this June. She will be looking for sponsorship for the Travellers Committee, of which she is the treasurer. Each year, over 300 pounds must be raised to offset the costs of transporting travellers' children to school. If anyone would like to assist financially, Kay may be contacted at 6285241, or sponsorship cards may be collected at the Community Council Office.

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#### TUESDAY 16TH JUNE

Old Folks - Caulfields

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#### WEDNESDAY 17TH JUNE

Poetry Reading - Library

Set Dancing/ Folk Dancing - G.A.A. Club  
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#### THURSDAY 18TH JUNE

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#### FRIDAY 19TH JUNE

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## LABOUR PARTY NOTES

### Crime Rate Increase

The alarming increase in the crime rate in Maynooth which culminated with the rape of a young woman recently and has seen residents in Parson Street living in fear of wanton vandalism was discussed at our last Branch Meeting. Arising from this Deputy Emmet Stagg is to table a Parliamentary Question in the Dail to the Minister for Justice calling for additional Gardai to be deployed in Maynooth.

### Laraghbryan Cemetery

Following representations by Deputy Stagg on behalf of Maynooth Mortality Society the County Council have now advised that they intend to proceed with the extension of Laraghbryan cemetery shortly. The extension will consist of development of the area north of the old cemetery. A wall will be built around the new section and plots will be marked out. A considerable amount of drainage work will also be carried out. We will continue to monitor progress on this matter. Deputy Stagg has also been advised that the Council will carry out the following works while the extension is being completed. The Pillar at the main gate will be repaired and a proper stile will be built for people entering the old cemetery on the Kilcock Road.

### Accommodation Road

Arising from requests from residents of the estates on Newtown Road Deputy Stagg requested Iarnrod Eireann to upgrade the Accommodation Road from Bond Bridge to the Railway Station and to provide lighting. The Managing Director of Iarnrod Eireann has responded stating that the costs of the works required would be in the region of £7,800 and that finance is not available for same at present. However he did indicate that some improvements would be carried out to the road surface. Deputy Stagg is to continue to press this matter.

### Speeding along Greenfield Lane

Concern has been expressed by residents of Greenfield Lane at the speed of motor vehicles passing through the area. Deputy Stagg has now asked the County Engineer to investigate the matter to see how this problem can be solved, be it with the use of ramps, the provision of warning signs or the closing off of the road to motorised traffic at the Newtown end of the lane.

### Skip Scheme

The Council operate a scheme whereby a Skip is provided to Residents' Associations to enable residents in Estates to get rid of items which are not collected in the normal refuse collection. Deputy Emmet Stagg has advised the Council of the names of Secretaries of Residents' Associations in Maynooth so that application forms could be forwarded to them. If your Residents Association did not receive an application form please contact Deputy Stagg.

### Road Signs

Arising from a motion tabled by Deputy Stagg at the last Celbridge Area Committee of the Council the Council have agreed to erect a Regional Road standard directional sign at the junction of Parson Street and Main Street, facing Main Street,

indicating the route to the West. The Council has also erected a yield sign at the exit from Maynooth College on to Parson Street.

### Straffan Road Upgrading

A deputation from the Straffan Road Committee met the Celbridge Area Committee of the Council on Monday 18th May. The Chairperson of the Committee presented a written submission as to the safety measures they felt were required when the Straffan Road is upgraded. Proposals include the erection of an 8 foot high wall be built on the green areas facing the Road, trees be planted inside the walls, a cycle lane be provided, adequate controlled crossing points be provided, the entrance to the Railway Station should be made safer, closing off or provision of ramps at the entrances to Railpark and Laurences Avenue to prevent these roads from being used as through roads. The upgrading of Blacklion Road was also included in the submission and the restricting of vehicles over 5 tons from using Convent Road. Deputy Stagg as Chairperson of the Committee thanked the deputation for their submission. The Committee will be invited back to another meeting of the Celbridge Area Committee at a later stage when the Co. Engineer has a draft plan for the upgrading of Straffan Road completed.

### Stream in Brookleigh/Meadowbrook Estates

Deputy Stagg has requested the Council to contact the developer of Brookleigh/Meadowbrook Estates to clean up the stream that flows through the Estate. At present the stream is full of builders' rubble. We will keep you advised of progress on this matter.

### Tony Smith Memorial Walk

The Tony Smith Memorial Walk on behalf of Maynooth Old Folks was held on Sunday May 10th. The walk will raise approximately £1,200 for the Old Folks' Committee. Whilst the weather let us down on the day all those who participated enjoyed themselves. The proceeds of the Walk will be handed over to the Old Folks' Committee in the near future.

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### DEMOCRATIC LEFT NOTES

#### Gender Audit

In a recent issue of these notes, we mentioned that Councillor Catherine Murphy had requested an audit of the gender breakdown of the workforce in Kildare County Council. This has now been produced, and, as promised, we now present the results.

There are 485 people in all employed by Kildare County Council, of whom no less than 390 are men. In other words, a man has four times the chance of a woman of getting a job with the Council. The Council staff are divided into three sections: Clerical/Administrative/Executive; Professional/Technical; and Non-Officer Grades. Over half of the 137 clerical/administrative workers are women. This includes ALL of the clerk/typists, but NONE of the revenue collectors. The top positions - County Manager, County Secretary, County Engineer and County Finance Officer - are all held by men.

Only 12 per cent of the 91 professional/technical workers are women, including eight out of 51 engineers, one out of 23 draughtpersons/technicians and one out of seven planners. Of the 257 workers in the non-officer grades, a mere six (just two per cent) are women. These all work in the sports/recreation area. There are no women drivers, caretakers, craftspersons or labourers.

There is no suggestion, of course, that Kildare County Council deliberately discriminates against women in its recruitment policies. The fact is that few women pursue educational courses which give technical qualifications. Nor do women apply for caretaker's or labourer's jobs. Nor will you find many men seeking clerical jobs. Kildare County Council is simply a reflection of Irish society in general in this respect. Nevertheless, might it not be a good idea if the Council adopted a positive policy of seeking gender balance in its workforce? In other words, where candidates are otherwise equally qualified, perhaps they should, for example, give clerical jobs to men and technical jobs to women until such time as there are equal numbers in each area?

#### Public Lighting

A survey of public lighting in Maynooth carried out last year by members of Democratic Left pinpointed the railway bridge on the Straffan Road and the area from there to Railpark Estate as a particular black spot, and urged immediate remedial action by the County Council. In his reply, the County Manager said that Maynooth's lighting needs were no greater than any other town in the county, and would have to wait its turn. This despite the huge concentration of young women in the town for the bulk of the year when the college is in session. The areas pinpointed in our survey is precisely where a young local woman was recently abducted and savagely attacked. There are similar black spots on the Rathcoffey Road where women walk home nightly in fear. Perhaps if we had a female County Manager, we might get some action. But then, who ever heard of a female County Manager? In the meantime, Councillor Catherine Murphy has called for immediate action to rectify the situation in Maynooth.

#### Straffan Road

A number of residents associations along the Straffan Road have recently come together to express their joint views to the

County Council concerning the forthcoming upgrading of the road, which will be the only access route to the by-pass road, now under construction. There is particular concern for the safety of children, and the new group is seeking the construction of a high wall on both sides of the widened road, with proper screening. Councillor Catherine Murphy welcomes this joint action, and fully supports the residents in their wish to safeguard our young citizens.

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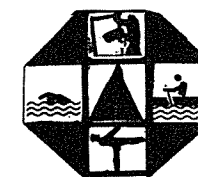
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#### MARGARET PAYNE

Mrs Margaret (Gretta) Payne Nee Nolan, was born in Ringsend, Dublin, 82 years ago next July. She lived in a number of parts of Dublin before moving to Maynooth five years ago where she now lives with her daughter and son-in-law. She is a very active lady and is the life and soul of any party which she is in and is very involved in the Old Folks' Group in Maynooth. She grew up during the time of the Easter Rising and the War of Independence. She remembers vividly the Easter Rising as her father had become stranded in the City Centre and could not get to Ringsend. He went instead to an aunt's house in Shankhill in South Co. Dublin and returned home a week later. Another memory from this time is of going to school in Baggot Street and being among a number of children who were given a penny by British Soldiers at Mount Street Bridge.



Margaret Payne in her earlier years

Her father, Mr. J. E. Nolan was a Councillor for the Labour Party in the Pembroke Council, which later became part of the Dublin Corporation. Mrs. Payne can clearly remember many of the Labour Party members of that time such as Johnston, O'Brien and Heron. Once when she was part of a group putting up posters in Deansgrange, Co. Dublin, the car in which they were travelling broke down and they were forced to walk home. She has remained a supporter of the Labour Party throughout her life. The times in which she grew up were tough. She had two brothers, one of whom emigrated to Herefordshire in England, the other to Cape Town in South Africa and a sister in Dublin.

During the 1930's Mrs. Payne travelled extensively throughout Ireland, usually by bicycle and stayed in hostels. She travelled a lot in the North, which was very quiet at the time and one highlight was going by boat from Newry, Co. Down to Omagh, Co. Tyrone. During the 1930's work was plentiful for women but not for men and the average wages were around 10 shillings a week. A trip to Dun Laoghaire by train at this time would cost 9d with a journey to Bundoran, Co. Donegal costing 11 shillings. There were a number of dances which Mrs. Payne attended during the 1930's such as those run by Frank Sherwin in Gardiner Street. One dance hall which she remembers cycling to in Lucan turned out to be no more than a tin shed. These dance halls were places where a Dublin gang known as

The Animal Gang, used to hang out; however while they did have a very bad reputation at the time Mrs. Payne contends that they were not as bad as they were made out to be and were really fairly harmless.

In 1943, Ms. Gretta Nolan became Mrs. Payne when she married Edward Payne, a very quiet man who came from an old Ringsend family. He died suddenly quite a number of years ago. They lived in various parts of the City before settling in Ballyfermot where Mrs. Payne remained for 35 years. She has one son and four daughters and a total of 17 grandchildren. Over the years Mrs. Payne travelled abroad a number of times, to France, Spain and Italy but her most memorable journeys have been to South Africa to visit her brother in Cape Town. She loved the climate there for its mildness and the fact that it allowed a very rich plant life to develop. Her brother once found an ancient elephant tooth on a beach and this later helped to prove that they were once native to South Africa but had died out for some reason. Overall Mrs. Payne has fond memories of her earlier life and finds the people of Maynooth to be very nice and kind to her as a newcomer on her arrival 5 years ago, and that since then she has fitted in very well.



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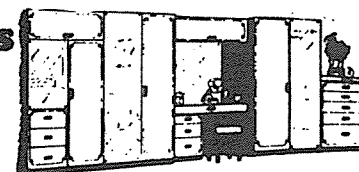
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On behalf of the above team I agree to abide by the rules of the Competition and the Committee's decisions at all times.

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Team Captain/ Manager**

**N.B.** Completed Entry Form together with Entry Fee of £10 must be lodged with Secretary not later than Friday 5th June

## Sports News

### MAYNOOTH TOWN A.F.C.

With the season now coming to a close it is good to report that we are still there fighting on a number of fronts.

With the 1st team out of the running for League honours the emphasis was placed on a good cup run to maintain late season interest. The Dowdall Cup provided the lifeline in this respect when a good run culminated in reaching the semi-final due to be played at time of printing. Hopefully a final place will be the reward.

The 2nd team have just succeeded in at least forcing a play-off for second place in their division. If Corduff Celtic drop at least a point in their final game Maynooth will finish a clear runners-up on their own. If Corduff win that game a play-off will take place.

Our U/13 Schoolboys have two league games remaining and can finish runners-up in their division.

Our U/11 Schoolboys have finished their season without any reward but better things are expected next season.

The U/15 Schoolgirls side have finished runners-up in the League and have qualified for the quarter final of the North Eastern Shield.

#### Dowdall Cup Quarter final

##### Maynooth Town 4 Slievenamon Utd. 3.

Maynooth booked their semi-final place with this thrilling victory. Maynooth were coasting to victory when disaster struck. Martin Curtis was ordered off for a second bookable offence and Maynooth got an acute bout of the jitters. Slievenamon made great use of the extra man and stormed into all out attack and scored three quick goals but were unable to get the equaliser when Maynooth settled again and took control once more.

Goals by P. Doyle, B. Barry, M. Curtis and John Geoghegan sealed victory.

#### Division 3 Private Grds.

##### Ballymun Ath. 1 Maynooth Town 5.

Maynooth guaranteed themselves at least a play off for runners-up in this division with an easy win over Ballymun. Philip Doyle opened the scoring when he tapped in a rebound off the post. Ballymun equalised just before half-time and it looked like Maynooth would have a fight on their hands. Maynooth took total control after the interval and scored four without reply when Bobby Barry 2, Fergal Barton and a second by Philip Doyle put a convincing look on the scoreline.

#### G.A.A. NOTES

##### Hurling

##### U/15 Win Autumn League

##### Maynooth 4-6 Castledermot 0-0

After several defeats in finals over the years Maynooth finally took a cup home with a superb victory over Castledermot. Maynooth were always in control with Peter Leacy and Thomas Farrell on top at midfield and Stephen Noonan and Stephen Brennan cleaning up anything that passed midfield. In the forwards Cathal Ryan and Eanna Hassett were causing all kinds of problems for the Castledermot defence. Maynooth led

2-1 to nil at half time and any chances of the opposition getting back into the game were finished by 3 fine points from Captain Patrick Farrell early in the 2nd half. Great credit is due to mentors Mick Gillick and Pat Nevin for looking after this team. Team: D. Buckley, M. Bennett, H. Nevin, R. Casey, R. Cotter, S. Noonan, S. Brennan, P. Lacey, T. Farrell, C. Ryan, V. Nevin, P. Farrell, N. Gillick, E. Hassett, R. Murphy, Subs D. Mooney (for Murphy), A. Gaffney (for Gillick), S. Griffin (for V. Nevin), M. Nugent, J. Higgins, D. Coughlan. Scorers E. Hassett (4-0), P. Farrell (0-3), T. Farrell, C. Ryan P. Lacey (0-1) each.

Maynooth have recorded 3 further wins in this competition, home, and away to Moorefield and away to Kilcock. These wins put them in the driving seat in this competition unbeaten with one game to go and definitely into the final. On current form they must be favourites to add this competition to the U/15.

##### U/14

##### Maynooth 1-1 Rathangan 1-1

A goal by Stephen Brennan and point by Robert Casey gave us a draw in this game that looked unlikely for a while.

Maynooth also recorded a victory over Confey in this competition and are well placed for reaching the final stages.

##### U/13

Maynooth scored a further victory in this competition beating Leixlip narrowly by 1-1 to 1-0 and are unbeaten in this competition.

##### U/12

The under 12 team went down to a strong Confey outfit despite fine performances from Tom Mullarkey, Conor Diggins, Karl Ennis and Seamus Cummins.

##### U/10

##### Maynooth 4-3 Corra Choill 2-2

We had to work hard to finally win a game that looked won at half time. M. Gleeson (2-2), M. Kavanagh, P. O'Flaherty (1-0) each and B. Guinan (0-1). Also impressive A. Molloy, M. Sweeney, P. Ennis.

##### U/16 Hurling League

##### Maynooth 8-1 V Moorefield 2-3

Maynooth had a good win over the fancied Moorefield team. Maynooth scorers: A. Hassett 4-0, N. Gillick 3-0, P. Lacey 1-0, P. Farrell 1pt.

##### 1st Team

The main talking point since the last issue concerns the drawn championship encounter with Rheban in Naas and in particular how the side managed to draw a game which they dominated from the start and which they led by 6 points with only 3 minutes remaining. The injuries to Joey Nevin and Killian Fagan didn't help but slack marking and loss of concentration also contributed to Rheban's late late revival. The replay is set for Naas again on May 24th with the winners due to play Caragh in the next round. There is no reason why it cannot be Maynooth provided the effort is sustained for 60 minutes next time.

Scorers: Paul Garvey 1-2; Joey Riordan 0-2; Joe Conway, Joey Edwards, Mick Nevin and Paul Stynes 1pt each.

Best for Maynooth: Nevin (M), Nevin (J), Kearney, Conway, Ennis, Gagan, Stynes, Riordan, Devereaux and Garvey.



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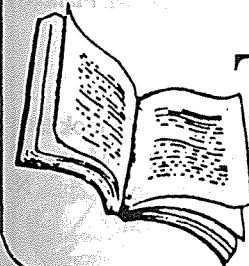
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## Other results

1. Enfield 2-9 Maynooth 1-7

Scorers: Paul Garvey 0-5, Liam O'Toole 1 goal and Joey Edwards 2pts.

Best for Maynooth: Garvey, Murray, Fagan, Nevin (M), Conway and Reilly.

2. Maynooth 1-9 Clogherinkoe 6pts

Scorers: Paul Garvey 1-2, Joey Edwards 4pts, Liam O'Toole and Eoin O'Neill 1 pt each.

Best for Maynooth: Nevin (M), Kearney, Stynes, O'Toole, Fagan, Edwards and Conway.

## Underage

The under 10 and under 12 footballers followed up their April victories over Kilcock with a brace of wins against Celbridge. In addition the Under 12's kept up the winning habit by beating Confeby by 4pts on a night when the Under 10's went under to the same opposition by the narrowest of margins. The team mentors are delighted with the progress of both sides and with the high degree of commitment and skill shown in the games to date. Games to look forward to over the few weeks will be those against Ballyna and St. Marys', Leixlip.

## Results Under 10

1. Maynooth 3-5 Kilcock 1-4

Scorers: S. Fleming 1-1; M. Sweeney 1-0; S. Brady 1-0; M. Kavanagh 3pts; A. Baxter 1pt.

2. Maynooth 1-6 Celbridge 2pts

Scorers: D. Campbell 1-1, P. Ennis and C. O'Malley 2pts each; S. Fleming 1pt.

Best for Maynooth: Campbell, O'Sullivan, King, Devereaux, Pigeon, Ennis and O'Malley.

3. Maynooth 1-3 Confeby 2-1

Scorers: M. Dolan 1-0; S. Fleming, P. Ennis and A. Baxter 1 pt each.

Best for Maynooth: Campbell, Ennis, Brady, Gleeson Baxter and O' Sullivan.

## £300 Club Draw Result for April -

£100 Noel Farrelly, £50 Pat Corray, £20 Eoin Donovan, 4 prizes of £5 each - Aideen Flood, Kevin Connolly, Michael Corrigan, Mick Stynes.

## U/16 Football League:

Maynooth 2-4 V Kilcullen 1-6

Despite the atrocious underfoot, this game served up a good standard of football. There was little between the teams in opening half. Maynooth opening the scoring a point by A. Hassett. Then Kilcullen were awarded a penalty and this was saved by T. Fay. After this Maynooth were awarded a penalty and T. Farrell put the ball in the back of the net, leaving half time score Maynooth 1-2 Kilcullen 3pts. The second half started well for Maynooth with A. Hassett punching to the Kilcullen net. Kilcullen fought back but could not overcome Maynooth. Maynooth scorers: T. Farrell 1-2, A. Hassett 1-1, P. Burke 1 pt, also to play well, T. Fay, J. Higgins, T. Byrne, C. Ryan, J. Lawlor, H. Nevin, O. Nevin.

## U/16 Football League:

Maynooth 3-2 V Suncroft 0-9 pts.

Maynooth played very well in first half and led at half time by 3-1 to 4 pts. In the second half Maynooth fell away and let Suncroft back into game. Minutes to go Maynooth got there only point of second half and it turned out to be the winner. Maynooth Scorers: A. Hassett 1 goal, O. Nevin 1 goal, C. Ryan

1 goal, T. Farrell 1pt, J. Lawlor 1pt. Also played well - P. Lacey, J. Higgins.

## U/16 Football League:

Maynooth 4-11 V Round Towers 2-3

Maynooth turned in an excellent team performance to defeat Round Towers. The Round Towers defence were on top for the opening minutes but once Maynooth forwards got going and S. Noonan opened the scoring there was no holding Maynooth back. Despite missing numerous scoring opportunities they ran out easy winners.

Maynooth Scorers: S. Noonan 1-3, T. Farrell 1-2, E. Hassett 1-1, C. Ryan 1-0, J. Lawlor 3pts, P. Burke 1 pt, D. Noonan 1pt. Also to play well, J. Higgins, V. Murtagh, N. Gillick, P. Grant.

## Minor Football League:

Maynooth 2-8 V John Devoys 2-2

Underfoot condition played a big part in this game. Maynooth started well but John Devoys held the forwards in first half. In the end Maynooth were wordered winners. Maynooth scorers: H. Purcell 2-2, E. Lyons 2 pts, K. Killoran 2 pts, P. Hogan 1 pt, R. Quinn 1 pt.

Minor Football League: Maynooth 3-12 V Castlemitchel 0-2

In a very one sided game Maynooth ran out easy winners over Castlemitchel. Maynooth played against the wind in first half and this laid the foundations for victory with excellent scores from H. Purcell to lead at half time by 1-3 to 0-1. The second half seen Maynooth on top right through, with K. Killoran and E. Lyons tops at midfield, and continued to dominate the game. Some bad shooting by Maynooth forwards, the score could have been doubled. Maynooth scorers: D. Mahoney 1-2, H. Purcell 1-1, E. Lacey 1-1, P. Garvey 3pts, D. Fleming 2pts, R. Quinn 1pt, E. Lyons 1pt, E. Mitchell 1pt. Also to play well, E. Dunne, K. Killoran, M. Mealy, D. Horn.

## Minor Football League:

Maynooth 2-15 V St. Laurance 0-4

Maynooth short 4 players were still too good for St. Laurance's. Maynooth forwards were on a high as score shows. Maynooth scorers: E. Mitchell 1-1, P. Garvey 4pts, D. Mahoney 1-0, E. Leacy 3pts, M. Donnelly 2pts, R. Quinn 2pts, H. Nevin 1pt, E. Dunne 1pt, H. Purcell 1pt. Also to play well, A. O'Shea, P. Hogan, M. Mealy.

## Junior Football League:

Maynooth 1-3 V Rathangan 1-8

Rathangan came out best in this Junior Football League, played in Rathangan. Maynooth played well but could not catch Rathangan. Best for Maynooth: C. Feeney 1 goal, J. Nolan 2pts, M. Cahan 1pt, N. Reilly, D. Burke, D. Murray.

## Junior Football League:

Maynooth 3-10 V Monasterevin 4-9

In a high scoring game Maynooth lost out to a young Monasterevin side. Maynooth scorers: J. Keigher 6pts, D. Murray 1-1, K. McNamara 1 goal, D. Burke 1 goal, D. Scraffe 1pt, M. Galan 1pt also to play well R. McTernan, M. Flaherty, E. Dunne, J. O' Neill.

## Junior Football League:

Maynooth 1-4 V Leixlip 12 pts

Maynooth were beaten by Leixlip because Leixlip took their scores. Maynooth forwards kicked too many wides. Maynooth Scorers: P. Conway 1-0, D. Murray 1pt, J. Nolan 2pts, N. Reilly 1pt. Also to play well C. Feeney, P. Nevin.

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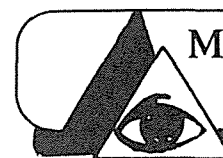
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The family of the late **Liam McWeeney**, Carton Court, Maynooth, wish to thank all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement, those who attended the removal, Mass & funeral, those who sent Mass cards and floral tributes. Special thanks to all the Priests who attended and all the kind neighbours. We trust this will be accepted by all as a small token of appreciation. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all your intentions.

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Birthday greetings to Gran on the 15th of June. Lots of love from your daughter, son-in-law, and grandchildren, Michelle and Theresa xxxx.

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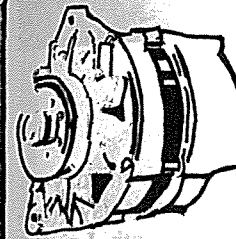
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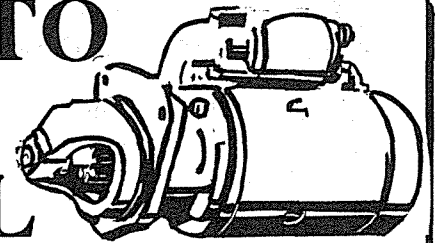
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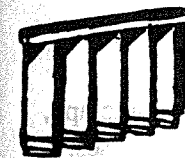
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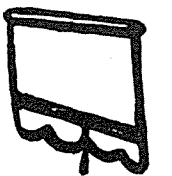


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