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# WORLD MOURNS SAINTLY POPE

## Local Happenings

**Dungarvan Town Association**

The season of the Dungarvan Town Association of the year opened with a swing on the night (20th September) demonstration of Musical Preparations, by Mrs. Devlin, on a hundred attended. Devlin, (Mrs. Atkins), a native of Cork, and her own family, were in Cork city, where she added pit of treatment already interesting subject of the most interesting and beautiful music. With the assistance of her family, she presented a "five minute" treatment on a voluntary basis. Mrs. Devlin, of Mary Street, Dungarvan, gave the treatment on another night. Mrs. Dr. H. O'Neill, of Dungarvan, the Dungarvan Branch of the Irish Union of Distributive Workers and Clerks, which will be held at Egan's Hotel from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Excellent menu, four piece band and a host of valuable spot prizes. Admission 12/6. Cash to be handed to Secretary not later than Monday, 20th Oct.—Wm. J. McGrath, Branch Secretary.

**ST. LAURENCE'S PARISH HALL, NON-STOP DRAW**

Mr. Thomas Keating, The Burgery, Promoter Declan Terry Ballinacourty, £2, Miss Molly Brett, Sarsfield St., Abbeyside, Promoter Kathleen McEvoy, St. Patrick's Tree, £2, Mr. Augustine Kiely, Ballinacourty, Promoter Sean O'Brien, do., £1, Mr. James McGrath, Mitchell St., Dungarvan, Promoter Mary Morrissey, Garrynagaragh.

**ANNUAL SOCIAL AND DANCE**

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**GOLF NEWS (Ladies)**

Sunday, 12th — Saturday 18th October—Members' prize. Result—Members' Prize-day, Electric winner—Mrs. J. C. Dalton (10) 39; runner-up, Miss R. Ryan (32) 39. Special prize, Mrs. W. S. Kelly. Putting prize (tie) Miss E. Moloney and Miss U. Power.

**THE STRAND LAWN TENNIS CLUB**

The annual general meeting of the Strand Lawn Tennis Club will be held at the Devonshire Arms Hotel on Thursday, 16th October, at 8 p.m. All members are requested to attend. I.C.A. (Town Association). There will be a demonstration of Ruchcraft at the Courthouse on Monday, 13th October, at 8.15 p.m. All members are cordially invited to attend.

**DUNGARVAN FRIARY NON-STOP DRAW**

Have YOU Yet Enrolled? If not, DO SO AT ONCE! £30 in Cash Prizes Each Week. For Members and Promoters. Also Interval and Special Xmas Prizes.

FIRST DRAW will take place in Friary Hall at 8.15 p.m. on Tuesday, 14th October, 1958. Promoters and Members please note that subscriptions for this draw must be handed in at the Friary Hall at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, 7th October, 1958. Promoters should NOW hand in their completed lists of Members to the Hon. Sec so that covering cards may be issued in time. REMEMBER! Only 1/- per week gives YOU maximum chances of winning a really substantial Prize.

# Holy Father's Long and Fruitful Reign Ended

**HIS HOLINESS POPE PIUS XII, SUPREME PONTIFF OF THE CHURCH OF ROME AND SPIRITUAL LEADER OF OVER 400 MILLION CATHOLICS, DIED EARLY ON THIS (THURSDAY) MORNING IN HIS SUMMER PALACE, CASTLEGANDOLFO, IN THE ALBAN HILLS, SOUTH OF ROME. THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE HOLY FATHER'S DEATH WHICH OCCURRED AT 2.52 (IRISH TIME) WAS MADE OVER THE VATICAN RADIO.**

## IRISH PILGRIMS PRAY

Among the pilgrims who knelt and prayed outside the Holy Father's residence on Wednesday was a group of Irish women who were to have had an audience with the Pope that day.

## HIS VOICE BREAKING WITH EMOTION, THE VATICAN RADIO COMMENTATOR FATHER FRANCESCO PELLEGRINO, GAVE THE NEWS OF THE PONTIFF'S DEATH FROM AN ANTE-CHAMBER TO THE POPE'S BEDROOM.

He commented: "He was the most esteemed and venerated man in the world and the greatest Pope of the century." The Pope died as the result of two strokes, one 48 hours after the other. He suffered the first stroke on Monday morning after repeated warnings by his doctors that he was over-taxing his strength by hard work.

After an "extraordinary recovery" on Tuesday, he suffered a second cerebral attack yesterday morning, while his four doctors were gathered in his room preparing to examine him.

Towards midnight an estimated 1,000 to 1,500 people still jammed the small Castlegandolfo square, even though the ponderous wooden doors to the palace had been closed.

Broadcasting from the ante-room of the Pontiff's bedroom last evening, the Vatican Radio commentator said the doctors expected the Pontiff's heart to fail and his lungs to give way. He said that Pope's temperature, normal yesterday morning, was then over 40 deg. centigrade (104 degrees Fahrenheit), his breathing was rapid and his pulse beat 140, while the blood pressure was sinking. The Holy Father, he said had entered into "a state of pre-agony."

THE late last night, pilgrims thronged the little village square outside the Papal Villa, many kneeling to pray for him.

In Rome other crowds gathered in the great colonnaded space before St. Peter's Basilica where in case of death, the Pope's body will lie in state before burial in the crypts below.

## HOPE ABANDONED

The Vatican Radio commentator, Fr. Francesco Pellegrino, said in a TV programme earlier in the evening that the Pope had "begun to sink."

The Pope's widowed sister, Countess Elisabetta Pacelli Rossignani, and his nephews were at his bedside yesterday afternoon, along with the physicians, Professors Riccardo Galeazzi-Lisi, Antonio Gasbarri, Ferdinando Corelli and Ermanno Mingazzini and Dr. Paul Nehans.

As though foreseeing what might be his own fate, the Holy Father 13 years ago laid down Vatican rules to be followed in the event of a Pope dying outside Rome.

The Apostolic Constitution on the vacant Holy See and on the election of a new Pope, which he issued in 1945, provides that in such a case "the Sacred College of Cardinals will have to make all arrangements for a dignified and decorous transfer of the body to the Basilica of St. Peter's at the Vatican."

## CONFUSION IN ROME

There was almost hysterical confusion throughout the morning in Rome as newspapers came out with special editions and banner headlines "The Pope is Dead." One brought out a second special edition with the headline, "The Pope Died at 10.40 a.m."

As the hours passed and the news proved false, police in Rome and in the little hilltop village of Castlegandolfo responded to the pleas of the newspapers themselves by helping to round up and cart away all unsold copies.

In the Papal Villa, hushed prelates and other dignitaries of the huge Papal Court waited in the ante-rooms to the Papal apartment.

Grouped around an old-fashioned brass bed, the Pope's physicians struggled for his life. The Chairman of Waterford Co. Council, Mr. M. Morrissey, and the Chairman of Dungarvan Urban Council, Deputy T. A. Byrne, on behalf of their staffs and subsidiary bodies have sent telegrams of condolence to the Bishop of Waterford, Dr. Cohan, and the Apostolic Nuncio on the lamented death of Pope Pius XII.

## POPE'S SISTER AT BEDSIDE

The Pope himself, pallid and motionless, lay on his back, breathing with difficulty through his open mouth. His arms lay along his body, and every now and then a doctor touched one of them to test his reactions. Always at hand was Sister Paulina, the German nun who has kept house for the Pope since long before his election as Supreme Pontiff.

# ARCADE — LISMORE

# GREAT RE-OPENING SALE

(UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT)

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BY TOM TOBIN

The Inside Story

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N.F.A. News

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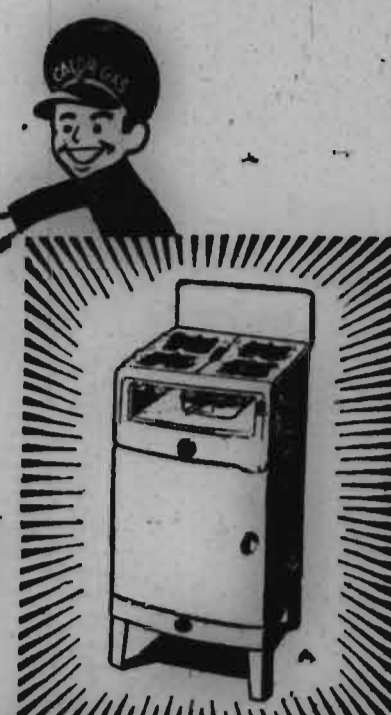
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DEBATE. A debate which was both educational and entertaining was listened to with wrapt attention by a very large and appreciative audience.

WEDDING BELLS. A wedding of much local interest took place recently at St. Mary's Church, Cahir, when two of the best known cattle dealing families in the south of Ireland were united in wedlock.

LAUGHTER IN COURT. On March 26th, 1951, James O'Driscoll stood in the dock at Clonmel on trial for his life.

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question, he said my name was John Crowe, which it is. Council: What is the prisoner? Witness: He is a man.

CONGRATULATIONS. Congratulations are extended to Mr. Charles Fraughen, Knocklofty, Clonmel, and his bride, Miss Maura Condon, New Castle, on their marriage.

DEATH OF MR. J. CONNORS. It is with the deepest regret that we record the death of Mr. John Connors, Round Hill, Lismore, which had occurred on Sunday last.

THE ENTERPRISE Lounge Bar where the best is the rule, with the exception.

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CATHOLIC SCOUT NOTES

4TH. WATERFORD C.B.S.I. TROOP BIRTHDAY. We celebrated the Troop's 28th Birthday on Thursday night in the usual manner.

GENERAL. A photo of the Melvin Team taken on the 28th of August was taken on Sunday morning with the sun beaming down and putting grins on faces.

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WEEKLY SHORT DANCE. There was a good attendance present at the weekly short dance held in the Town Hall on Friday night.

CRICKET CLUB MEETING. Lismore Cricket Club held their meeting in St. Carthage's Hall on Wednesday week last.

SOCER. Lismore Athletic XI met Tyrone Athletic in their Marquis of Waterford Cup tie at the Soccer Grounds, Lismore, on Sunday last.

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LEAGUE OPENING

The Rebels are welcome

THE hurling men of Cork, a great attraction at any time, will be very welcome visitors to the Fraher Field on Sunday afternoon for the opening test of the ever-grinding National League campaign.

Recent events in the world of hurling have greatly increased the anxiety with which the average follower awaits the outcome of a game that seems certain to attract one of the biggest gatherings of the year to the Old Boro battleground.



PADDY BARRY (Cork)

But naturally anxious to remain on the winning side, the visitors have named a formidable line-up.

They again, the men who have proved themselves in the past, will be the main attraction.

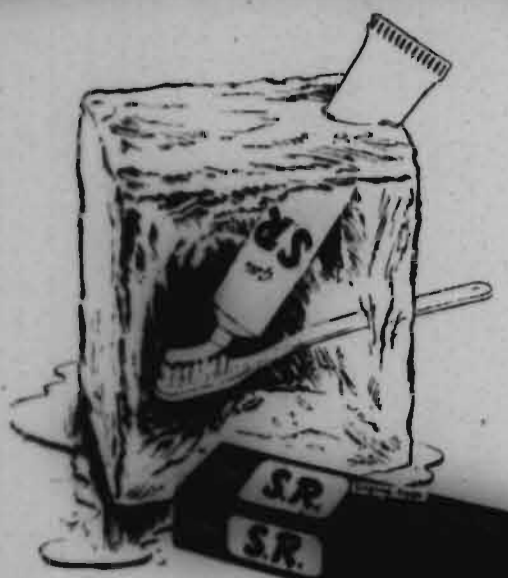
Previous experience, however, has proved that Cunningham is much more at home in defence than in attack.

Mick White, of Dunhill, makes his debut at mid-field in preference to club mate Dunphy.

LARRY GUINAN (Waterford)



TINGLING-FRESH S.R. tells you it's doing you good!



S.R. is good for teeth and gums

SUNDAY'S PROGRAMME

AT DUNGARVAN—National Hurling League—Waterford v. Cork, 3.00

Scoreboard S.F.—De La Salle, 2-4; Brickey Rangers, 0-3. M.F.—Rings, 4-2; Abbeyside, 1-3. J.F.—Valley Rovers, 2-5; Emmets, 1-5.

REFEREES FOR CO. FINALS

The following referees have been appointed to officiate at the county finals:— Junior Hurling—Colligan v. Ferryside at Waterford, October 18th—Billey Daniels; Junior Football—Valley Rovers v. Gaultier, at Dungarvan, October 20th—Con Crowley; Senior Football—Kill v. De La Salle, at Dungarvan, Nov. 2nd—Con Crowley; Minor Football—Ring v. Mount Sion or Tramore, at Dungarvan, Nov. 2nd—Tom Cunningham; Minor Hurling—Abbeyside v. Mount Sion or Carrickbeg, at Waterford, Nov. 9th—Billey Daniels.

BUS TO COUNTY FINAL

On Sunday, 19th October in connection with the county hurling final—Colligan v. Ferryside at Waterford—a special bus will leave the Square at Dungarvan at 12.15 travelling via Quill's Pike (12.30), Colligan Stone Bridge (12.45), Foley's Work Shop (1.00) and Colligan Cross. Return fare: Adults, 7/-; children under 14, 5/-.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy was extended to the family and relatives of the late Richard Lincoln, N.T., Ardmore, Friday night's hurling match.

FERRYBANK STOP MOUNT SION

Ferrybank 1-10; Mount Sion, 2-2. The exchanges were full-blooded and the excitement intense as Ferrybank, the underdogs, battled their way to within striking distance of a county crown with a well-merited victory over Mount Sion in the Eastern junior hurling decider at Waterford on Sunday last.

Ferrybank's victory, unexpected though it may have been, was nonetheless richly earned. It gives them the right to a county final date with Colligan Rockies on Sunday week.

Mount Sion, who utilised the advantages of the breeze in the opening half, were ahead by 1-1 to 0-2 at the interval. But Ferrybank made all the running on the change over and were convincing winners at the long whistle. This was Ferrybank's first championship success for several years.

The hurling, though never great, was always right interesting. All told the quality of the entertainment bettered anything seen in an Eastern decider for many a long day.

Ferrybank, who included the forty-eight mid-fielder, Eddie Carew at top of the left, were splendidly served by Percy Flynn, the minor inter-county goalkeeper, Nicky Power, M. Lawless, W. Carroll, Hennessy, Duggan and Ryan. Fully fit Carew can still be a potent force, too.

SALLE LEAVE NO DOUBT



'48 Captain, JIM WATE... appointed an S.H. Selector.

The Champions Are Not Represented

Heated exchanges punctuated the proceedings when the members of the County Board deliberated on the composition of the County senior hurling selection committee at a special meeting in the C.V.M.S. Rooms, Dungarvan, on Friday night.

After a stormy session it was decided by 12 votes to 9 to shelve the existing arrangements, which allow the winners of the county championship two representatives.

When the decision was announced, Mr. Seamus Power, on behalf of the Mount Sion Club, declined to nominate a representative.

Mr. Power, who stated that the move was inspired by a hatred of the Mount Sion Club, said there would be no suggestion of a change had there been a change of champions.

At the outset, the Chairman, Mr. P. O'Fainin, calling the meeting to order, stated that it had been the practice for years back to select three members with two representatives from the champions.

D. Dooney—I suggest that there be some change for the betterment of the county team. He proposed the Board elect five independent selectors.

E. Lonergan seconded. J. Moloney, N.T., proposed that they elect four selectors with one member nominated by the champions.

P. J. O'Sullivan seconded the proposal of the Western Board chairman, D. Dooney then withdrew his proposal.

Seamus Power proposed and W. Morrissey seconded that the committee include two representatives from the champions as heretofore.

On a show of hands Mr. Moloney's proposal was carried by 12 votes to 9. S. Power—in view of the vote of no confidence I am withdrawing the nominee from the Mount Sion club.

BRICKEYS FAIL IN DISAPPOINTING SEMI-FINAL REPLAY

DE La Salle, a side that was hard-pressed to earn a draw with Brickey Rangers two weeks ago, swept into the senior football final with an ease that was unexpected as it was decisive on Sunday last.

The big, well-balanced City fifteen played sparkling football as they romped away with their first final ticket in over twenty years.

One found it difficult to reconcile this dashing De La Salle machine with the almost indifferent fifteen which laboured to a rather fortunate draw a fortnight ago.

The Brickets, in contrast, never hit it off. Tom Barry's steady influence was sadly missed and the team in general looked beragued by comparison with their sweet-moving opponents.

Ground conditions were a big improvement on those that prevailed for the drawn test, though the sod was still on the heavy side.

Whereas they were hesitant and uncertain in their movements two weeks ago, they now came to the field with rhythm and assurance and their first-class teamwork became a potent factor as they swept through for match-winning scores.

As in the drawn game, mid-fielder Bro. O'Connell was the winner's outstanding figure. Lording his own particular sector and popping up in the most unexpected places always to the advantage of a colleague, O'Connell's was a truly devastating performance.

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The Chairman stated that the deputation, which consisted of the representative from each of the three clubs that made up Faughs team, approached him with the ultimatum within fifteen minutes of the scheduled start of the game.

He refused to entertain any suggestion of a change and informed the deputation that he was prepared to abandon the fixture rather than concede to the demands of such nature.

ALL ROADS lead to the Enterprise "For a Better Drink." It never varies. (8-9)

CARRICKBEG QUALIFY

Carrickbeg minor hurlers qualified for a tilt at Mount Sion's championship crown by virtue of a 2-5 to 2-2 victory over Ballygunner in the Eastern Divisional semi-final.

Soccer Notes Junior Cup Opens

Dungarvan Celtic second string Dungarvan Celtic second string gave a fine performance when scoring a 5-0 victory over their Lismore counterparts in an interesting challenge test at Clonsilla on Sunday last.

The line out was: J. Lyons, W. Curtin, P. Healy, L. Healy, V. Daly, A. Hayes, M. Lyons, A. Sandford, T. Woods.

On Sunday next, Celtic face their stiffest task to date, the eagerly awaited meeting with Bohemians in the opening round of the F.A. junior Cup, at Clonsilla on Saturday, 11th October.

MUNSTER RUGBY TRIAL

Tim McGrath, popular assistant Manager, in Dungarvan C.F. Op., and international rugby forward, takes his place at Lismore on Saturday, in the Munster trial game as lock-forward (his favourite position) for the probables.

ROVERS HAD LUCK ON THEIR SIDE

Supporters of the Colligan Emmets—who they travelled in strength—left Cappoquin on Sunday evening firm in the belief that the fortunes of war rather than the brilliance of Valley Rovers had thwarted their bid for the Western junior football championship.

As it was Colligan lost. But the result, to put it mildly, was scarcely in keeping with the exchanges which marked an hour that was interesting and keen without being ever really spectacular.

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Echo of Hurling Final Incident at Board Meeting

How he was approached by deputation from the Faughs Club on the occasion of the county hurling final and informed that unless he changed the referee there would be no game was disclosed by Cathal Feighan at Friday night's meeting of the County Board.

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