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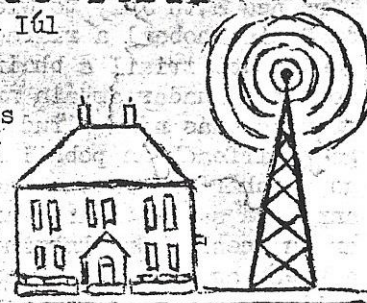
## Soldier Arrested

There was a stir in Carrick on Thursday morning as Sergeant O'Donnell and Garda Joe Bradley arrested a man at the youth hostel. The arrested man turned out to be a deserter from the British Army in Northern Ireland who earlier in the week is alleged to have beaten up a man in Belfast and stolen his car. Earlier a companion soldier had been arrested in Letterkenny and had been returned to the north. The man arrested in Carrick was taken to Ballyshannon and having gone through the court there was handed over to the R.U.C. He arrived in Carrick on Wednesday night with a group of hostellers who had picked him up on the road from Donegal.

SPECIAL HISTORICAL  
EXHIBITION  
ISSUE

## RADIO NA CARRAIGE

Ar an Aoine 23u Iul agus ar an Satharn 24 Iúil beidh lorráí nór is fearistí raidio le feiceáil lasmuigh den Golden Gate Bar sa Charraig. Raidio Phobail a bhéas ann agus don dá lá sin ar feadh sé huairé a chloig san iomlán beidh a raidio féin ag an dá pharóiste Gleann Cholm Cille agus Cill Chartha. Óna 2.00 go dtína 5.00 agus ó 6.30 - 7.00 agus arís san oíche ó 9.15 - 9.45 a chraolfar an raidio. Beidh sé ar fáil ar na meántontracha ar 202 metres agus ar V.H.F./FM ar 96.6 MHz. Tá fáilte roimh gach duine cláracha a thabhairt uathu ar an raidio seo. Sa ghaeilge is mó a bheidh na cláracha ach táthar ag súil go mbeidh cúpla ceann i mBéarla fosta. Freddie Coll as Raidio na Gaeltachta atá i mbun na scéime agus cabhair is comhairle á thabhairt ag Breandán Ó Ciambhain as RTE.



# WE SAY...

Two major events of community significance will take place during the next week. The first is the HISTORICAL EXHIBITION which will take place in the Vocational School on Sunday 18th July and continue open on Monday 19th July. The idea for such an exhibition came from the newly formed Carrick Historical Association and MACRA NA TUAITHE were assigned the project through their leaders Enda Cunningham and Brian McAuley. We would hope that as many people as possible would try and get down to see the show. There are photographs of the locality taken about 80 years ago, a display of artifacts from the archaeological excavations at Bavin, a section on the American Bi-centenary which shows the connections that Donegal and the local area have with the USA and of course books of local interest and of general appeal. This exhibition is only a start. It would be hoped that with local interests aroused, people would come forward with ideas, exhibits and especially help so that a bigger and better exhibition can be mounted in the future - say for the next reunion.

The other major attraction in the coming weeks is the community radio which will be sited outside the Golden Gate Bar next week and will broadcast on Friday and Saturday 23rd and 24th July to Glen, Carrick and Kilara. Tá an scéim seo de Radio Phobail a riaradh ag Radio na Gaeltachta agus tá sé i gceist acu triail a bhaint as ins na Gaeltachtaí eile chomh maith. Don chomhlúadar amháin an scéim seo agus níl de dhíth orainn sin. Prima donnas na son rud den tsort. 'Séard tá i gceist anseo go gcuirfeadh an pobail sa dá pharóiste aithne air a chéile agus go dtabharfar eolas ar na scéimeanna, na hachrainn is na fadhbanna atá san áit gan dearmad a dhéanamh de na scéalta grinn is ar an gceol. Gnáthmhuintir na háite, na comharsain béal dorais a bhéas ag craoladh ar an raidio seo ag ríomh scéalta ón am atá caite agus ag insint cead ba nhaith leo a fheiceáil san am atá le teacht. Ar aghaidh linn, mar sin. Tá scéal nó clár ins gach duine agus ba choir do gach duine a dhéanamh deimhin go gcloisfear ó/i ar Radio Phobail na Carraige an tseachtain seo chugainn.

The opening of the radio also coincides with the beginning of the Carnival. This year the committee have aimed to provide some other entertainments beside the traditional dances. We hope you all join in the fun and dancing.

# HERE AND THERE <sup>3.</sup>

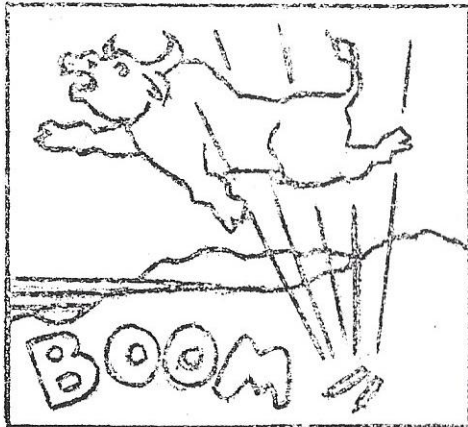
## ANCO COURSE

23 young people are presently doing an ANCO course in Carrick Vocational School. They are all finished with secondary school, most having done the Leaving Certificate or finished a secretarial course. For the first week of the course Charlie McGarvey instructed on Industrial Psychology and Trade Union Practice. The following two weeks Brian McAuley will give a course on company structure, organisation, work study, quality control and semi-state bodies. The students will visit factories in the area and the ANCO centre in Gweedore. They will be given talks by businessmen and managers. Patricia Murrin will give a two-week course on Office Practice, Income Tax, filing procedures etc. The final week of the six week course will be given by Charlie McGarvey. The students receive £3 per day for attending the course and have a card stamped. The general feeling is that the course is well worth while and they would like to see it incorporated in the school syllabus.

## BÁS TRAGÓIDEACH

Dúnmharicíodh Seamus Rooney taobh anuigh dá shippa féin ar bhóthar Newtonards i mBéal Feirste le gairid. Thug Seamus cuairt ar an áit seo go minic agus bhí triúr mac aige anseo nuair a maraíodh é - beirt i gColáiste Theilinn agus duine i nGleann Cholm Cille. Ba dearthair chéile é le Phil Stibhart, runaí an cholaiste. Ar an Deardaoin 8u Iúil a maraíodh é agus bhí sé ar chuairt anseo an Domhnach roimhe sin. Deanaimid agus a chairde uile sa cheantar comhbhrón lena bhaintreach Betty. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

DANCING  
TOWER  
BALLROOM  
FINTRA  
HOLIDAY CENTRE  
WED. 21 JULY  
MUSIC BY  
SPIKE



### SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT

It was a bright summer morning in the recent past when Donegal County Council Special Demolition Expert (DCCSEDE) agent 707 John Haughey walked briskly from Upper Carrick to the Main St. There was a faint aroma in the air and John knew there was work to be done. As he turned the corner of the barracks he saw Special Constable Galkigan of the Force approach cautiously in his Morris Minor. John, tight-

lipped, nodded a greeting and got into the car. He noticed the package in the back and without further ado they moved at high speed up Clogher. Coming into the suburbs at Meenaveen they first got a taste of the future assignment. John held his nose, nearly overcome by the strange toxic odour. Was it a new poisonous gas cunningly devised by enemy agents - Ballyshannon Urban Council across the bay?

They moved at high speed down Glenmalin and into Malinmore where both agents covered their noses with special odour-prevention masks - handkerchiefs. "It will be Malinbeg", said John tersely as agent Galkigan swerved around the corner and headed for the foot of the towering Leahan.

It was when they entered Malinbeg that our two heroes really faced danger, for by now the air was reeking with an overpowering smell. They raced quickly to the slip at Malinbeg and came to an abrupt halt. John cautiously opened the door of the car and peered down into the water. It was then he noticed it, the cause of the dreaded snell - a dead cow wafted gently by the waves was wedged at the foot of the slip. The agents got to work immediately, launching a boat and setting out the fuse wire. John intrepidly cut a large hole in the cow's stomach and gently placed the explosives inside - he was no stranger to this work, having at least one whale-demolition under his belt. Having set the charge he quickly waded to the boat and rowed swiftly out to sea. Moments later the denizens of Malinbeg were shook by a terrific explosion. Minute particles of bovine material gently floated earthwards as the agents rowed back to shore. There was a barbecue in Port a Sheelaigh that night.

# Property Notes

### NEW HOUSES

Gerry Breslin is building two new houses at Aughera.

### CARAVAN

Bernie McNeilis has acquired a new caravan which is now situated at the piggery. We hope he doesn't have to use it in the winter!

### NEW HOUSE

Guard Joe Bradley and family have moved to their new house on the Glen Road from Main Street. They say it is lonely out there in the suburbs.

### LOOKING FOR SITE

A Malayan surgeon is looking for a site to build a fishing lodge in the area.

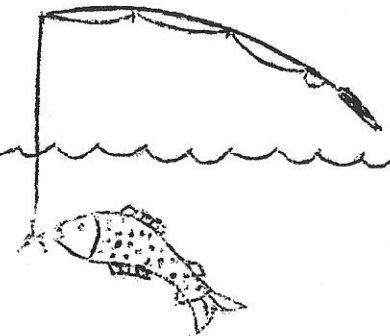
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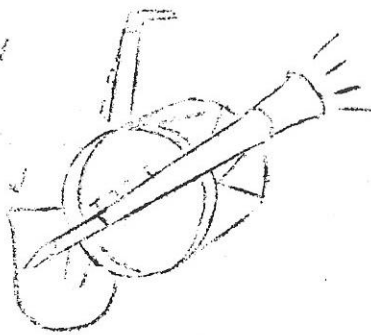
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6. COMHALTAS  
NOTES



There was a very successful Comhaltas Ceoltoiri meeting at the Golden Gate bar on Tuesday 6th July. There was a large attendance of musicians and Christy Downes and Paddy Doc also came from Killybegs. It was decided to continue the sessions throughout the summer and the next session will be in the Golden Gate on Tuesday 20th July. The Radio Pobail technicians will be present and will tape the session which will be played on Friday and Saturday on the community radio. It was also arranged to have a session in Killybegs on Saturday 14th August.

RECENT ILLNESSES

Josie Gillespie's wife was taken seriously ill recently and was sent to Donegal hospital. From there she had to be transferred to Sligo Hospital but we hear that she is improving slightly. She may be away for some time and we wish her all the best.

MISFORTUNES

You would think that only blessings could be showered on anyone who does the station in Teelin but Bridie Doogan had the misfortune of hurting her wrist during the exercise.

Brigid McGill had to have stitches in her wrist after a recent accident with a knife. We hope she recovers quickly.

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In 1907 Mary Cunningham of Lower Carrick was in the employment of the world famous artist St. Gaudens near Boston, Mass. U.S.A. She was 22 years of age. At this time St. Gaudens got his most important ever commission - to sketch the images to appear on a new series of \$ 10 gold coins.

St. Gaudens, naturally, consulted many of his artist friends on what sort of woman should appear on the coins. It was agreed by all that she should have the beautiful lines of the ideal feminine face such as is found in Praxiteles' "Aphrodite". The image on the coin was meant to represent the Goddess of Liberty.

Finally, St. Gaudens decided that the face of Mary Cunningham, of all those he had had ever seen came closest to the ideal feminine beauty and so he decided that her face was the one which should appear on the coins.

An interesting footnote is that St. Gaudens and the intellectual savants who surrounded him were atheists or agnostics who frequently and heatedly argued against religion. But on his deathbed St. Gaudens became a Catholic and it is well known that under God it was Mary Cunningham who was responsible for the change of heart. Although famous Mary led a simple life and never again posed for an artist. You can see the story in the papers of the period at the historical exhibition.

V.  
Cunningham  
- R<sub>x</sub> -  
CHEMIST

# ARTS + CRAFTS

This week we moved on to the intriguing art of casting plaster. We saw how simple it is when you know how - to make medallions, candle holders or exotic sand-casts. This is something I might feel like going to town on myself on my next visit to Port a' Chabhlaigh - plenty of sand in the area to keep me going anyway - whatever about the talent.

Next some lovely blooms appeared magically out of Irene's gifted hands as she seemed to carelessly twist some coloured paper.

We watched a beautifully done wide-skirted lady made in wool by a talented Kilcar member - mounted on a tweed background - Kilcar scores again.

It is hoped to mount an exhibition of the crafts in the future and to have some sort of a competition.



## THE GOLDEN GATE BAR

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FOR A REALLY ENJOYABLE EVENING DROP INTO THE

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### Carnival Notes



Final preparations were made for the Carnival due in Carrick on July 23rd last week when the committee got together in the Vocational School. Members were selected on a rota basis to man the marquee and nearly all bands were confirmed. It was announced that Paddy McDevitt and the Blue Angels will play on Sunday 1st August in place of the Saloon Beats. Wheels have also withdrawn from Friday 30th August but Sean Byrne says he has another excellent band in mind to fill in the slot. Programmes for the Carnival will be printed by AN LIAG.

The members decided to get the School green ready on Tuesday of last week but "rain stopped play" and some sturdy men were seen swinging scythes the following evening. Paddy Hegarty of Teelin and Hugh Lawrence were assisted by Charlie McGarvey and supervised by Brian McAuley. Despite the midgets more people turned out the following night to clear the area.

## 10. CÚINNE CAINTE

Níl ach cúpla bhéarsa beag againn díobh an tseachtain seo ach tá suil go mbeidh go leor de na shean - nathanna ag teacht as Teelin sula fada.

An chéad cheann baineann sé leis "an morning after.."

Ceann tinn  
Béal searbh  
Intinn bhuartha  
Pocáí folanha.

An dara cheann is cineál tongue-twister atá i gceist:  
Tá neascóid in ioscad an easbaig  
Nach nór an leatron ar an Easbag  
Neascóid a bheith ina ioscad?

### WELCOME HOME

We extend greetings to Cathal McLaughlin of Clogher who is home on holidays.

CHARLIE DOOGAN

& SONS

GROCER & DRAPER

## GLEN SCENES

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We continue extracts from the Book by Arnold Bax -  
"Farewell, My Youth", which was published in 1943

I like to fancy that on my deathbed my last vision in this life will be the scene from my window on the upper floor at Glencolumbkille, of the still brooding, dove-grey mystery of the Atlantic at twilight; the last glow of sunset behind Glen Head in the north; with its ruined watch-tower built in 1812 at the time of the scare of a Napoleonic invasion; and east of it the calm slope of Scraig Beefan, its glittering many-coloured surface of rock, bracken and heather, now one uniform purple glow.



In winter I would often linger at that window, too fascinated in watching the implacable fury of that same Atlantic in a south-westerly storm to sit down to work. At one end of the little Glen Bay was a wilderness of tumbled black rocks, for some reason named "Romatia", and upon this grim escarpment the breakers thundered and crashed...

There were days when you had to lean hard up against the wind to keep your feet at all, and I have known stout Peggy to be actually powled willy-nilly into the ditch at the side of the road.

Scattered through the Glen are many curious upright stones, some of them incised with Celtic designs, and known as crosses. They are indeed used on June 9th, St. Coluncille's birthday, for the barefooted performance of the Stations of the Cross, but I have no doubt that they are prehistoric phallic emblems and figured originally in some dark sexual rite.

I am not a scientist, so do not know whether the fact that there is no land between the Donegal coast and the polar ice has anything to do with the dramatic atmospheric and meteorological effects that one sometimes witnessed there.

# ← COMINGS and GOINGS →



## FROM USA

Mr. and Mrs. Mottershead from Massachusetts, U.S.A. are home with the family for a short stay. They are staying in Carrick House. We hope they had an enjoyable holiday. Mrs. Mottershead was formerly Sarah Ann Byrne of Crove.

## WELCOME BACK

We welcome two frequent visitors to the area - Deirdre and Lawrence Flanagan who are back again to their house in Aughera for a holiday.

Also staying in Teelin is another regular visitor and his family Sean O'Neill. We welcome Sean, Rosaline and family.

John Gillespie of Clogher is home for a short stay.

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## TO START FACTORY AT TEELIN

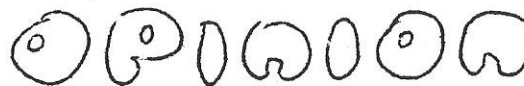
The knitwear factory promoted by Mr. Kelly of Frosses is to start production in Teelin old school in the near future. The factory will begin trials with three machines in Teelin until alternative accommodation for full-scale production is found elsewhere.

## STOLEN BIKES

We are glad to report that the bikes of the hostellers which were missing just as our last edition came out were found by Guard Bradley in Aughera.

## PEDIGREE PUPS

Marie Cunningham's thorough bred Cavalier King Charles Spaniels Trixie and Brandy were the proud parents of 6 pups last week. Unfortunately four of the pups have died since but the two other are thriving. Marie thinks that Trixie strained herself under a gate before she had the litter and that this was the cause of the pups dying so young.



We again received many verbal reports of congratulations and support for our last editorial. Unfortunately few wrote to us.

One of the suggestions made was that AN LIAG should become a monthly paper. We would like to hear opinions on this one. We received the following poem from someone who wishes to remain anonymous:

Now we have a paper AN LIAG,  
By the Macra Group close by Slieve League.  
It has news wide and far, past Glen and Kilcar  
And it spares neither Orangeman nor Teague.

Our LEAG reps give us all the news  
Of goings-on wherever they choose,  
You must be ar d'aire, ar nos Conall Gara  
Or headlines you'll make to amuse.

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## NEW CAR

James McLoughlin of Aughera has purchased a Tillman Hunter - blue in colour.

## IN HOSPITAL

Danny Neill is in hospital in Ballyshannon with stomach trouble. We hope to see him back soon and send him get-well wishes.

## KEEP FIT SET

The latest to join the keep fit brigade and take to the bicycle is Una Beirne of Cappagh, Teelin. It must be a long haul up that Teelin Road.

Fishing at the salmon Leap has been extremely good for the past while. We hear the Board of Conservators were in last Saturday night with cutting gear in Teelin Bay.

White Pyrence Mountain  
Dog for Sale.  
Thoroughbred.  
Ring Carrick 50.

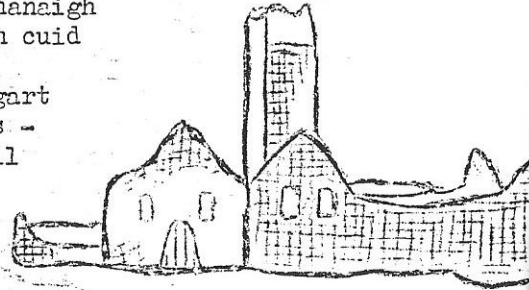
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# paróiste gleann colm cille

le EÁNNA MAC CUINNEAGÁIN. CUID 5.

Nuair a cuireadh an ruaig ar na nananaigh as Mainistir Dhún na nGall, chuaigh cuid acu a seachnadh go dtí an ceantar seo. Thart fán bhliain 1746 bhí sagart anháin agus biáthair ag cuidiú leis - an Bráthair Bán. Ní raibh aon scoil sa paróiste gídh go raibh i gCill Charthaigh. Is thart fán an seo bhí an tAthair Mac Giolla Cearr sa paróiste. Tháinig airteagal air go Malainn Bhig agus nuair a bhí sé ar a bhealach amach an aithghiorra go Teileann, tháinig sé ar mhairnealach leathbháite ar chúl Sliabh Liag. Is cosúil go raibh an duine bocht tar éis bheith i Mexico ar thóir an óir agus é ag filleadh ar ais lena shaibhreas nuair a bhuaíl an bad ar bhuilg agus cailleadh í agus iomlán dá raibh ar bord. Chuir an sagart an tOla ar an bhfear a bhí ag fáil bháis agus sular éag sé, thug sé crios lán óir dó. Leis an airgead thóg an sagart teach pobail ag an Chaislín idir an Charraig agus Cill Charthaigh agus ceann eije ag Fochair i nGleann. Tá scathlann i nGleann agus ar an Charraig áit ar dúradh Aifreann in ainsir na bPéindlithe.

Is thart fá lár na hochtú aoise déag fosta a tháinig an Prionsa Séarlas ar a sheachnadh go dtí an paróiste. Chuir se faoi i dteach Hamilton i Malainn Mór agus chaith sé tamall i Mín na Croise. Mar adúirt an bhean bhocht i Mín na Croise: "Tá sé ina chodhadh anois agus níl an oiread Béarla sa teach a mhúsálochas é." Bhí caidreamh ag deireadh na haoise le Connachta mar a bhí i gcónaí agus maraíodh beirt de Chlann Chuinneagáin sa troid idir na Sasanaigh agus na Francaigh i Rásaí Chaisleáin an Bharraigh sa bhliain 1797. Bhí iomrá gur dódh ceardta Mhic Cuinneagáin ar an Charraig mar nach ndéanfadh sé píicí don eiri amach 1798. Fuair sé cúiteamh £35 don dódh.



## FAMILY REUNION

A big family reunion is planned for Kilcar next week when the McShane family get together. They hope to have a family group of 59 together. We say welcome and hope they have an enjoyable time in the area.

## HOT GOSPEL

Sweet music was heard on the streets of Carrick last Wednesday when two evangelists set up their preaching station outside the barracks. They were from Enniskillen and travel throughout the whole country handing out free prayer leaflets and copies of the Bible. They are financed by an English foundation and are a feature of the area about this time each year.

## WELCOME

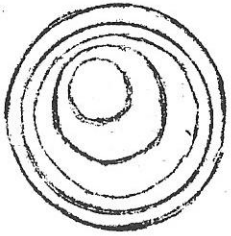
Sr. Lucy Cunningham of upper Carrick is home for a brief stay in the family homestead. She has just been appointed principal of a school in Belfast.

## THE TRAGIC DEATH

The little bird sat alone  
It sat alone on a tree  
Thinking of nothing  
And yet it was not alone  
It sang all day  
With love and no hate,  
And thought of the songs  
The songs it sang for other  
people.  
Then through the woods he came  
with his friend  
He knew nothing but hate-  
It was a gun  
The bird was too slow  
Christy Galligan, Bogagh.

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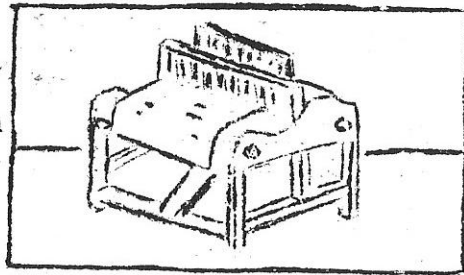
MICHAEL BYRNE, WEAVER.

On the left as you come in the Line Road to Carrick there is a sign: "Hand loom at work - 100 yards". If you go down to the little building marked with the sign "hand loom" Micheal Byrne will be glad to show you his hand loom in action.

The tradition was handed down to Michael from his father, Frank who was a weaver in Kilcar factory. His father's loom could only weave a width of 30 inches but with his double-width loom Michael can weave a web of 56 inches which may be 20 to 30 yards long.

Before he starts weaving proper Michael has to put in about 6 hours preparation. He takes the yarn from the bobbins on to the warping bar - "warping" - which takes about 2 hours. Then he takes them from the warping bar on to a big beam at the back of the loom. The threads are then taken through eyes on four pedals. The threads are then brought through the "reed" and the warp is completed. The warp consists of about 1000 threads. Then the shuttles have to be loaded. There are 3 shuttles and a different colour of thread can be used in each. The threads going across the warp are called the weft. When weaving the shuttle shoots over and back putting the threads of the weft across between the threads in the warp in a process using both hands and also both feet on foot pedals.

There are many different types of tweed that Michael makes - Herring Bone, Straight Twill, Broken twill, Hound's Tooth, Checked and many patterns that have not got specific names. An old traditional type of Donegal tweed (Bainin Brocach) has all white thread in the warp and flecked threads in the weft. Michael gets all his weaving

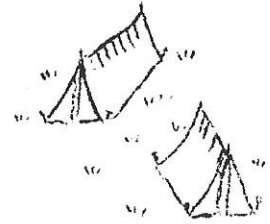


thread from the factory in Kilcar. He send some tweed to America

and also gets orders from a big number of passing tourists. Some tourists come to see the loom at work, others to buy tweed. Michael also cuts his tweed into skirt lengths and wraps them in cellophane. An article on Michael's enterprise appeared in the National Geographic magazine some years ago. Nar laga Dia a laimh...

Reporter: Eunan Cunningham.

## ÓGRAS SA GHLEANN



Bhí slua nór daoine Oga ar champa sa pháirc imeartha i nGleann Cholm Cille le déanaí. Tháinig siad ó gach áit sa tír agus ba bhaill iad uilig de Ógras. Eagraíocht sea ÓGRAS atá á riaradh ag Conradh na Gaeilge agus cineál MACRA NA TUAITHE lán-Ghaelach atá ann ach go bhfuil na baill rud beag níos aosta ná muintir Mhacra.

An tAth. Micheál de Gréil atá i mbun na heagraíochta seo agus bhí sé thíos sa ghleann le linn an campa. Labhair muintir an champa Gaeilge an t-ann ar fad agus de réir dealramh bhí an iontach suntasach acu.

Chodail siad 'sna campaí agus rinne siad a gcuid cocaireachta i Halla Mhuire. Bhí dosaen ceannairi acu leo agus 'sé Tomás O hEochaidh agus a bhean a shocraigh gach rud.

Bhí céilithe acu trí oíche in aghaidh na seachtaine agus chuaigh siad ag snánh agus ag dreapadóireacht ar na sléibhte fosta.

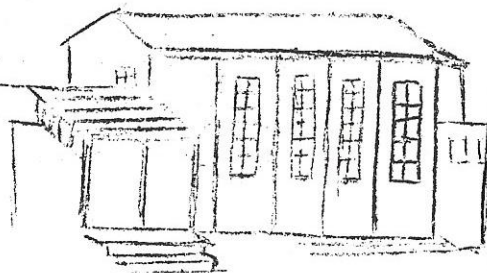
Bhí beagnach 100 sa bhun san iomlán agus coicis a chait siad sa Ghleann. Bhí muintir an ghleanna lánstásta lena n-iompar agus cé nach raibh fhios acu go raibh siad ag teacht sa chéad áit fearrann sead fíor-chaoin fáilte rompu don bhliain seo chugainn.

### DECEASED

The death occurred last week of Mr. Eddie Byrne of Coguish, the Glen, Kilcar. Ar dheis De go raibh se.

## COLÁISTE TEILINN

Ar maidin Déardaoin seo chugainn beidh 106 scoláire ag pilleadh ar na 6 Condae tar éis ceithre lá is fiche a chaitheamh i gColáiste Aoidh Mhic Bhríche i dTeileann. 72 cailíní is 34 buachaillí a bhí ann.



Ochtar múinteoir a bhí i mbun an chúrsa. Phil Stiubhart, an runaí; Bean Ford a raibh cúram leighis uirthi; S. Mac Diarmada, múinteoir ceoil; B. Mac Giolla Bhríde múinteoir rince; M. Mac Coisdealbha, múinteoir cluichí; G. Oats, M. Nic Lochlainn agus M. Mac Fhionnlaoidh.

Ó bheith ag caint leis na múinteoirí agus leis na scoláirí, níl dabht ar bith ná gur bhain siad uilig sult agus tairbhe as an cúrsa. Ar an chlár ama bhí 3 ranganna agus Aifreann ar maidin, rince agus ceol sa tráthnóna. I mbrothall na céad seachtaine chaith siad cúpla uair ag snámh achan tráthnóna ach ar mhí-ánharáí an tsaoil, bhris an aimsir agus chuir sin deireadh leis an tsnámh. Mar sin féin níor chuir sé sin isteach orthu mar go bhfuil áiseanna sa choláiste i gcóir cluichí mar leadóg, leadóg tábla, badmantan, cis-pheil, etc. I rith an chúrsa rinne na scoláirí turas báid go Port a' Chabhlaigh; chuaigh siad go mullach cnoc Áine agus tá súil acu dul go Bunghlas agus go Sliabh Liag sula n-imíonn siad.

Oíche Shatharn seo caite bhí ceolchoirm sa choláiste agus comórtas ann idir ne tithe. B'iad na buachaillí as teach Chon Johnny a bhain an comórtas.

Ag na céilithe a bhí ar siúl trí oíche sa tseachtain is iad na scoláirí fhéin a chuir an ceol ar fáil. Bhí grúpa ceoil acu féin ina raibh fídeál, píob uilinn, bocsa ceoil is feadóga stáin. Beidh cuid den cheol sin le chloásteáil ar RTE raidió ar an 28 Lúnasa.

Gearán amháin a chuala mé nuair a thug mé cuairt ar an choláiste na go raibh cuid mhór Béarla a labhairt ag cuid de aos óg an cheantair a bhíodh istigh ag na céilithe agus na corineacha ceoil. Is mór an trua go raibh sé seo le rá acu, go háirithe nuair a bhí scoláirí an choláiste ag déanamh iarracht mhór lena gcuid Gaeilge a chleachtadh fhad is a bhí siad anseo. Deir údarais an choláiste go bhfuil fearadh na fáilte roimh mhuintir na háite chuig na h-imeachtaí ach iad sampla maith a

thabhairt tri Ghaeilge a labhairt.

Beidh Teileann uaigneach in bhur ndiaidh a scolairí. Ar nbeannacht libh agus ta suil againn go dtiocfaidh sibh slán o achan chontúirt da dtagann in bhur mbealach sa bhaile agus go bhfeicfidh muid sibh arís ar an bhliain seo chugainn.

## Home Cookery



Blackcurrants are now in season. This fruit is one of our best sources of Vitamin C which is vital for our well-being. The following are two practical uses for Blackcurrants:

BLACKCURRANT JAM - (yield 10 lbs).

4 lbs. of Blackcurrants  
6 lbs. sugar  
3 pts. water.

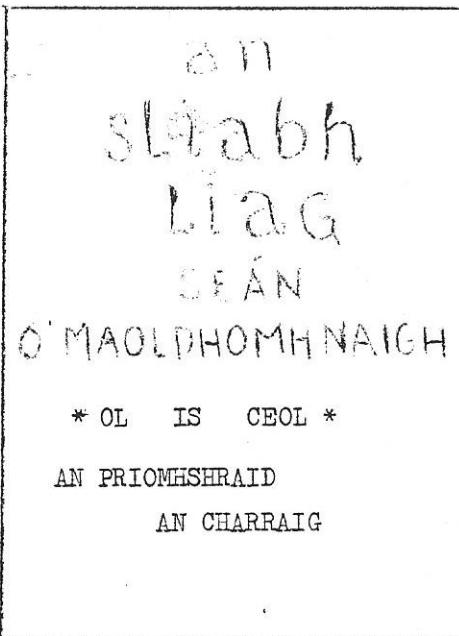
Remove the stems, wash the fruit. Put the fruit and the water into a saucepan and simmer gently until the fruit is tender (about  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{3}{4}$  hr.). Stir frequently to prevent burning. Add the sugar. Stir until the sugar is dissolved. Boil rapidly until setting point is reached. Gooseberry jam is made in the same way.

Blackberries and gooseberries make delicious pies and tarts.  
8 oz. Shortcrust Pastry:  
8ozs. flour; 4 ozs. margarine; pinch of salt; 2 tblsp. cold water.

Filling:

$\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. B'currants or gooseberries.  
4 ozs. sugar.  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  pint of water.

Happy cooking!!



# GLEN NOTES

## JAWS!!

A misfortune has been reported from Glen. It has been mentioned that Conall Gara met a man-eating salmon on the Murlin.



## NEW ARRIVAL

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dullea of Glen on their new arrival.

## BRISK TRADE

It is reported that Cashel public houses were full to capacity recently when the sheep bounty was paid.

## FAMILY REUNION

A big welcome is extended to the Fuller family who are presently having a reunion in Glen.

## ON HOLIDAY

Mrs. O'Reilly and family of 9 children from outside are presently on holiday in their newly acquired house in Glen. Mrs. O'Reilly's late husband was the owner of the "Golden Pheasant" Restaurant outside Belfast and was murdered under tragic circumstances some time ago. We welcome her to the area and wish herself and her family a happy and peaceful holiday.

## IRISH NIGHT

A really enjoyable night for the young folk is provided every Monday night during the summer in Halla Mhuire in Glencolumbkille. The entrance fee is a mere 10p and the entertainment is first rate. There are games and a bit of a ceile and general party atmosphere.

## COMMUNITY RADIO

Paddy Gillespie, comhfhreagroir do Radio na Gaeltachta is organising people to prepare programmes for the new community radio next week. We hope the hills will not block out the signal but if you can't receive on VHF the best reception will probably be on Medium Wave 202 metres.

# MACRA NOTES

## THE BARBECUE

Most members seemed to enjoy the barbecue at Port a' Chabhlaigh which was held instead of the usual Macra meeting some weeks ago. Francie Doogan organised the food and Ian and Ciaran Cunningham got the wood for the bonfire out in the dad's car. Macra leader Brian McAuley arranged for the cooking utensils and the music. Hot dogs and lemonade were sold on the strand and there was some dancing and singing later in the evening. Two boats brought members on joy-rides around Feelin Bay. It is hoped to have another barbecue if the weather improves.

## ENJOYED COURSE

The two Macra members Eunan and Francis Cunningham who attended the special course in Garbally Park, really enjoyed themselves and spoke enthusiastically of the project on their return. They were away for five days.

## CRAFTS

The craft project is flourishing every wednesday night under the leadership of Irene Wojick. The group were engaged in montage work last week.

## GYMNASTICS

Under the leadership of Bridie

Breslin the girls in the gymnastic project are really enjoying themselves. They started Volleyball on their last meeting. They meet each Tuesday.

## HISTORICAL EXHIBITION

Unfortunately many of the tasks given for the historical exhibition some weeks ago were not undertaken and very few members have taken an active part in the display as we go to print. The exhibition is being organised by leaders Enda Cunningham and Brian McAuley and display is in the capable hands of leaders Frank and Irene Wojick. Eunan Cunningham and Christy Galligan have put in a lot of work and they have been helped by Gerry and Francis Cunningham, Peter, Mark and Genia Wojick and Seamus Haughey.

## NO MEETING

Unfortunately there was no meeting on the 8th July and the attendance at the last meeting was very low. The only officer at the last meeting was treasurer Brenda Cunningham.

It is hoped that Macra will be given time on the Radio Phobail next week.



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# YOUNG LINE

This weeks competition on the page opposite is a colouring competition. The usual £1 prize will be given to the best entry. The age limit is 14 years of age. Entries must be sent to AN LIAG, CARRICK, before the 28th July.

The Kerryman was watching a programme on road safety on T.V. and he heard the announcer say that most accidents occur within 10 miles of a person's own home... he moved!!

She was only a poteen maker's daughter but he loved her still. The Irish T.D. heard that his wife had given birth to triplets. Instinctively he shouted: "I demand a recount".

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 The visitor complained of the long muddy avenue to the hotel. "Well now," said the owner, "if it was any shorter it wouldn't reach the house."  
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 If there are thirteen cows in a field, you can always recognise the Kerry bull - he'll be the one standing.  
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"What's he charged with", asked the judge.  
 "Bigotry, your honour," replied the guard, "he married three women."  
 "Don't be absurd, Guard," said the judge, "That's trigonometry."

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Seen in a paper: "FOR SALE: Second-hand tombstone in excellent condition. Good buy for someone named Murphy."

The Kerryman went to a restaurant and ate all his dinner with his knife. "Pardon me sir," said the waitress, "but why don't you use your fork." "I've tried that," said the Kerryman, "but it leaks."  
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# S P O R T S



## GLEN THROUGH TO SEMI-FINAL

Glen narrowly defeated St. Eunan's, Letterkenny at Glenties last Sunday. The match was highlighted by a point from Kevin McGinley which hopped over the bar and a penalty scored by Michael Og McIntyre. Glen will miss Finian Ward for the next match against the, as yet, unbeaten St. Joseph's. Finian is in Chicago.

## MINOR WIN

Glencolumbkille minor team defeated Killybegs at Fintra recently and thus ensured for themselves a place in the quarterfinals of the county minor championship.

## JUVENILES FAIL

Although leading at half time the juvenile team of the area failed miserably against a rampant Dunkineely side recently. Maybe some training is necessary if the stars of the future are to blossom!

## POOL

McGinley's pool team thrashed a Dunkineely side recently by 6 games to 2 at McGinley's Bar.

## PRIMARY SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP

Cashel Primary school won the County Donegal Primary School's title in Glenties recently. Although playing throughout the championship against schools with much larger numbers the boys with skill, grit and determination won through in the end. Comhghairdeachas.