

GUTH TUAIRIM

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JACK'S FAIR

In days gone by Jack's Fair which took place in Meenaleck was one of the biggest and best fairs in the county and people travelled from far and near to be there on the 16th day of the month. The Summer Fair in particular which was always held on the 16th July was a very big occasion and was talked about for weeks in advance and indeed for weeks afterwards. As the drawing below shows Jacks-town was crowded on a fair day with stalls selling everything from delph to clothes to fruit and vegetables. The "jobbers were there of course from all over the county, arguing, buying and selling, and dealing and drinking their fill afterwards. But times change! Along came the marts and sadly Jack's Fair came to an end in the mid 60's. Now, however Aonach Jack is set for a revival as a festival of fun and music, and although the cattle, the horses, the sheep and the pigs won't be there it promises to be a big occasion with the proceeds from the various activities going to the disabled. It will start off with a band-parade on Thursday evening (16th) and continue until Sunday night. The stalls will be back just like the good old days and at night there will be music and song. Many of the older generation will remember the golden years of the Slieve Foy and their comeback during the festival should be a major attraction as indeed will Clannad's concert which will close the event. So, it's worth looking forward to Aonach Jack 1981 and in this the Year of the Disabled it's fund-raising activities deserve all our support! (See story inside).

Aonach Jack i mbarr a réime.



Beautiful Mary Ward (18) from Mín na Leice represented "Guth - Tuairim" in the County Final of the Mary from Dungloe competition which took place in Óstán na Rosann recently. Her hobbies include dancing, films and football and she works in Crolla factory.



"I don't believe my wife dresses to please me - if she did she'd wear last year's clothes!"

EAGARALT

Over the last year or so a lot of people have said to us, "why don't you do a survey on the shops and supermarkets around here. They're charging whatever they feel like!" Well, now we have decided to do just that, but we want you the public to help us do the job. We have compiled a list of basic necessities, items like bread, butter, sugar, jam, etc. and we are looking for somebody in every area to keep a check on a shop over a period of time using this list. We will then present the facts to the public. If you are interested, write to "Survey", "Guth/Tuairim", Doire Beaga. It is something that affects us all! Why not drop us a line.

"An tEagarthoir"

Tá súil againn go mbeidh eagrán Lúnasa amuigh i dtús na míosa mar sin ba mhaith linn bhur gcuid litreacha go luath. Letters, articles, competitions, etc. for our next edition must reach us by July 31. Seoladh: "Guth 7 Tuairim," Doire Beaga. Fón - BunBeag 265.


Anagaire

One man in the Parish who won't have to worry about transport is Anthony McGinley. While Anthony will be advising everybody to "go by bus, leave the driving to us", he himself will now be using two wheels to get from A. to B. No, he hasn't bought a motorbike, but he was the lucky winner of a bicycle in a recent draw. And we believe he is something of an expert on cycling.

Tessie Joe recently retired from Anagaire National School where she was teaching for a good number of years. She was well-liked by her pupils and all in the parish wish her a long and happy retirement.

Well, the new Cope is making wonderful progress and the housewives are all looking forward to shopping in an ultra-modern Hypermarket. Could Timmy be the new Pat Quinn?

"???"



GETTING MARRIED?

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MARRIAGES

Congratulations to the following happy couples:

- Geraldine Gallagher, St. Peters Terrace, Dungloe agus John Meenan.
- Ann Theresa Gallagher, Kincasslagh agus John Bonner, Kerrytown.
- Kathleen Woods, Gort a' Choirce agus Manus Ferry, Cnoc Fola.
- Margaret Alcorn, BunBeag agus Donald Armstrong, Doire.
- Sorcha Ní Fhearraigh, Bun an Inbhir agus Tim McCarthy, Kerry.
- Rita Bonner, Burtonport agus Joe Harmon.

To the dance promoters who mislead the public with false advertising.

To the supporters of the 3 political parties who wrote election slogans on roads and walls

Raspberries

Do'n mhuintir nach gcaitheann a gcuid bruscar ar ár gcuid traigheanna.

To the employee's at a local cleaners who handed back a sum of money found on an item of clothing.

Roses

(Nota: Opinions expressed in this column may not necessarily be those of the Editor.)

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Robert's glasses survived two dangerous days - football on Saturday and roller-skating on Monday.

Did the Loughmure girls enjoy the sports in the Banks?

Did you hear about the busload of pilgrims from L.D. who had a big feed in Donegal Town one Sunday recently?

SAOĪDOBÁIR

Ceantar Pobail Dhoire Beaga

Tá na sluaite ag teacht isteach na paróiste sa deireadh, idir muintir an "North", na Scotties, lucht na Gaeilge, na Braithre Críostaí lena gcuid umbrellas agus go leor eile. Tá na tithe leanna ag déanamh go maith agus tá neart damhsaí ag gabháil. Dá dtiocfadh an aimsir anois!

Bhuaidh scoil náisiunta an Luinnigh corn Sheáin Uí Shuilleabháin do'n dara bliain ar na mallaibh. Seo comórta idir scoltacha náisiunta Ghaoth Dobhair agus bhí scoil Dhoire Beaga ins an dara h-áit. Aiso, recently Gweedore Celtic's Under 15 team won a trophy in Milford. A good sign for the future!

Níonn muid comghairdeachas le Jimmy Coll agus Kitty a bhí 25 bliain pósta ar na mallaibh. Níl a fhios agam an dtabharfaidh Jimmy pictiúr dúinn do lá a bpósta choinne an mhí s'chugainn?

Ceantar Pobail Mhín Uí Bhaoil

Tá muintir na h-áite ag déanamh réidh choinne Aonach Jack ach níl sé fíor go bhfuil Tom Doalty ag gabháil anonn leis an bhó. D'inis bean d'ár dtuaisceoir go bhfuil Dick agus Freddie ag smaointiú tent a fháil agus fanacht thall i Mín a Leice. There is wide speculation about Leo's role in the band. Will he be playing the melodeon?

Tá siopa na dtroscaín ag déanamh go spéisialta ó thoisigh cailín-aimsire úr ag obair ann. Deirtear nach bhfuil siad ábalta leapacha a fháil isteach gasta go leor. Cluinim go dtig leis na custaimóirí triall a bhaint astu ins an tsiopa.

Dún Lúiche

Jimmy Hannah's pony was recently heard late one night neighing loudly "Haw-hee, Haw -hee for T-shirt. But a visit from the DOC cured that. Now we have silence. Bhain Dún Lúiche a gcéad 7-an-taobh ar na mallaibh thiar i Maghery. Edward, John A. Mc Geady, Ciarán agus Martin Roarty, Hughie agus Tommy Cannon agus Pádraig O'Donnell a bhí ag imirt. What a pity the local artist didn't complete his painting of Hughie Frank's. Perhaps he was an apprentice applying for painting the Chapel. Reports that Sean was sighted in the bog have not been confirmed. Local sources deny the report saying, "that is impossible", "unbelievable," "run away and don't be daft."

Tá an club sacair an bhuíoch d'acha n nduine agus le na h-imreoirí a thug cuidiú agus airgead leis an pháirc i nGleann Tornain a fhorbairt.

Is it true that Manus forgot all he knew about tractors after a recent transfer?

Deir Phil ná cuir isteach é. Deir Patsy nach raibh sé ann. Ní dhúirt Paddy Mulligan aon rud. An é ag caint fa'n Taoiseach a bhí siad? "Krapp"

Congratulations to the following couples on their new arrival:

BIRTHS

- Síle agus Eugene Ferry, BunBeag (Twins - gasúirí).
- Maisie agus John Campbell, Middletown (Twins - gasúirí).
- Olive agus Noel Ó Gallchóir, Gort a' Choirce, (girseach).
- Susie agus Francie Davitt, Mountcharles (girseach).
- Kathleen agus John McFadden, Calhame (gasúr).

Sympathy is extended to the family of the following:

DEATHS

- Ned O'Brien, Curransport
- Bridget Coyle, Ardaí Bheag
- Kate Browne, Maghery
- Muiris McHugh, Bun a' Leaca
- Nellie Gallagher, Ardaí Bheag
- Annie Hanlon, Cloughwally
- Michael Boyle, Belcruit
- Mary Ward, Diamond, Dungloe
- Nellie Gallagher, Arainn Mór
- Patrick McFaul, Glasgow
- Annie O'Donnell, Termon
- Francis Boyle, Falmore
- Patrick O'Donnell, Cro' na Madadh, Dungloe
- Pat Gallagher, Rann na Feirste
- Teague McGinley, Baile an Droichid
- Ned Boyle, Loch an Iúir



The Lower Rosses

Well, I am home safe and well after the Brixton riots. I was tracing the English Lady after she left Miltown with a dirty old man. But before she left she had a lot of sightseers the night before, including Josie, Peter, Michael D., Francie and Bella. They couldn't believe her new boyfriend. After luring her man to Brixton something terrible happened to him. I'll tell you more next month.

Poor Tully has a job going to the Bank every week after all Ann is winning at the bingo. The "wheel" hasn't called it an Accident Black Spot yet, but a number of cars nearly ended up in Keadue Lake recently coming from Burtonport. The slipway is not guarded by any barrier and you would think the road is going straight ahead.

Election Special

F.F.'s convention started like a football special. Branch members went to vote but when it came to the Burtonport Branch there was an uproar. Packin would not be allowed to vote and him chairman of the branch. Just imagine - Packin could not vote. Then Big Con was overthrown by Niall - and him in the party since 1925. David stayed away, he knew better. Packin, Doc, Con and a number of other's left the convention. Election coming nearer and things are hotting up. Kitty and Agnes descended on Kincasslagh for a gate collection. It took the people there by surprise. Nora thought they rose from the dead and she paid with fear. I heard they got £100. Then came the posters. F.G. had them up quick and down the next day. Young McCole put a poster of Pat in his window just looking into Ward's house. Next day Garret was smiling across at Pat. Then polling day on the islands and David made with the box for Inisfree. 3 votes - 100% turnout. Screaming started as they left the island. Then it was on to Arranmore where Tom's Car Ferry was forgotten about. Election day on the mainland and Niall's wife took Keadue over with Patrick Murray as clerk. Gorry was at Meenbanad. But the day started bad for some; Mary Mickey Bonner, Meenmore was up at six in the morning to find her four wheels flat. She went to Mickey (the wheel) but he could not help. Gunner was alerted and made for the Bridge garage and landed with a compressor. Acres was a busy place! Agnes and Big Cathal inside, Packin outside who had by now gone over to Kelly. Then Jimmy Johnnie, Rose, Julia and Hugh (you won't forget the local man). The rear guard consisted of Kitty, Condy, Vietnam Veteran Packie the Hat, The Wee Barrel himself Houston taking out all sorts. As evening approached Mena was tried six times. Cathal Murray and Eddie Bonner made a dash for her and Cathal arrived with her and voted for her just before nine. Also before nine Tadie made an emergency landing at the rear of the school. He was a bit shocked and Kitty came to his aid and voted for him. This didn't please Cousin Joe who threatened to withdraw the taxi service on pension day. Then came the moment of truth! Con had not voted and when he landed a passage was made to let him into the school. But guess who hooked him in - the bold Kitty. Hunt says that's the first of the Bachelors and Spinsters. Results out, Pat won the battle. A great welcome at Ostan and guess who welcomed him - Cathal Murray, F.G. Pat had no-one of his own to do the job. Then to add to speculation Cathal resigned from the Branch. Jim is said to have cried. Mr. Wonderful did wonderful work on election day! Mr. Jim Peacock made a dash to Gweedore to try and calm Dr. Who. Now it's all over until the next time!

Don't forget the highlights of the English Lady at Brixton in next month's issue.

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Bhí craic ag Columba le Feadar tinnas taobh thuas do'n Earagail.

Andrew says N. will have the first castle in Cloughlass.

How does Caroline feed the baby?

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DUNGLOE

To the many people who wrote to the Editor expressing regret that the June issue carried 'no news' from the Kerryman, I offer together with my thanks my sincere apologies. The simple fact was that I became frustrated with the goings-on from the day Charlie went to the park that I decided to take a holiday - Outside the country. However I arrived back in time to cast my vote with Shaun Mc Glynn. On the day of the count nobody seemed in the slightest interested in National trends or other constituency results as the race progressed for the 3rd seat in Donegal South West. At 7.15 after a long day Pat "the Cope Gallagher" was declared elected however. This heralded a time of great rejoicing in Dungloe and for the next few weeks the "Cope mobile" would be very busy indeed. I have unconfirmed reports that the Gola Ballot Box which was reported missing has been located, and that the overall figures will not be re-adjusted as the total votes cast were not in favour of any of the five candidates. Well, it's nearly "Mary" time again and the town is preparing itself for what promises to be a really great festival. I am personally looking forward to all those beautiful Mary's. The town will of course be represented by Christine Connors while dear old Donegal will be represented by Ardara girl Linda Forde.

"The Kerryman".

Cloich Cheann Fhaola

The Arts & Crafts exhibition has again opened for the Summer beside the Tech' in Gort a'Choirce. It features the skills of many of the talented local people and is well worth a visit.

Cuireadh fáilte mhílteanach roimhe an tsagart úr Fr. Cannon nuair a tháinig sé abhaile go Gort a'Choirce ar na mallaibh mar shagart do'n chéad uair agus léigh sé Aifreann i dTeach Phobail. An oíche ina dhiaidh sin cuireadh fáilte mhór eile roimhe i Machaire Rabhartaigh áit a raibh tinteacha lasta agus na buíon cheoil amuigh.

Joe the Rake nearly has the top blown off Falcarrach hill and there are reports that he is either digging for uranium or for gold. Well we always hear it said, "there's gold in them thar' hills."

Fr. Mc Loone has got a Disco going on Sunday nights in the hall in Gort a'Choirce and judging from reports they have been a tremendous success. Sheila, Margaret, Nuala and Máire are very pleased with them anyway. So are the boys.

John Joe Curran is putting a lot of work into training young athletes in the area at the moment. Well done Joe!

Glasgow 67,

A Chara,

Could any reader tell me:-

What Province or Government does Donegal belong to? Does the Radio programme "Looking West" ever go North-West? Is there any highways and Byeways in Donegal? Is it true that Donegal has 13 Summer Gaelic colleges? Does the Minister for the Gaeltacht know this? How many C.I.E. touring buses go north of Sligo?

Mise le Meas,
"Scottish reader."

Litreacha

Ansin, bhí an "Crown and Anchor," An "Gonna Fongo" agus go leor cluichí eile. Ba é an sport a ba mhó a bhíodh ag páistí, na ag cruinniú na "darts" bheaga a scaoilfí as na gunnaí agus ag cruinniú na "targets" a raibh dathanna éagsúla orthu. Is maith is cuimne liom go dtabharadh Johnny briseadh fiuntach fosta-seacht bringin rua ar bhonn she bpingne agus ceithre pingin deag ar bhonn seallinge. Bhíodh Johnny i gcoinaí ag moladh do dhaoine a theacht chuig an Bazaar, agus a theacht go luath, no mar dearfadh sé fein, "we are expecting a lorry load of cyclists from Falcarragh - so come early tomorrow night".

Sa halla féin bhí suíocháin thart leis na ballaí agus muna raibh fonn cearrbhachais ort bhí cead agat suí ansin ag dearcadh thart. Ní raibh solas aibhléise an t-am sin ann ar ndoighe ach lampaí ola no "tilleys" crochta ar na ballaí. Bhí i gcoinaí sort coiste ar an halla a bheadh ar lámh le dealail le lucht trioblóide, rud a bhí annamh. Ins na cluichí uilig bhí duaiseanna le baint agus mór-dhuais gach oíche Dhorchaigh. Níor ba'neadh mórán airgid agus níor caitheadh mórán airgid agus bhí achan nduine lan-t-sásta leis an chaitheamh aimsire. Bhí duais speisialta achan oíche ar thicéad an dorais agus ba duais fiuntach i seo i gcoinaí, mar chlog, ealaine aimsire, soithí tae agus a leitheidí.

Mar a dúirt mé mhairleadh an Bazaar ar feadh coicéise i n-ionaid éagsúla mar Loch an Iúir, Mí na Leice, Anagaire agus Leitir Cátha, rud a d'fhág nach raibh siad ach na cupla míle ó chéile. Ba bhrea an caitheamh aimsire é nuair a bhí caitheamh aimsire tearc. Ach le teacht an ré nua tháinig deireadh leis na Bazaaranna mar ní raibh an freastal orthu. Bhrúigh an doigh úr isteach go tobann agus cuireadh deireadh go deo le morán de na sean-doigheanna. Is boichte muid gan iad, Caitheamh aimsire glan soineanta gan achrainn. Níl fágtha anois le Bazaar Johnny Tom a chur i gcúimhne dúinn ach na cupaí agus na coinnleoirí atá go fóill i dtithe go leor.

Where does Scobie take his Middy Scadán?



Did Sheila enjoy the Disco with Peter & Colm?

MELLY'S BAR
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SUNDAY INDEPENDENT,
 JULY 5, 1981
 MR. JAMES WELLBELOVED, the 543-year-old Labour MP for Erith and Crayford, has become the 14th sitting member of the...

5ú bliain Phobal Scoil Ghaoth Dobhair 1981

Loch An Iúir

Tá corradh agus 300 scoláirí ar an chúrsa Gaeilge anseo i mbliana arís. Is ó'n tuaisceart a mbunús seo agus tá tithe úra ar an liosta i mbliana. Is é Peadar Ó Muiris as Beál Feirste atá mar Uachtarán ar an Choláiste.

Tá Duíon Cheoil na bpáistí ag cleachtú go dian do Chomórtas chraobh Uladh a bheidh ar siúl ar an Omaigh ag deire na míosa. Tá an chéad acu dhul sa chomórtas mar gur ghlac siad an chéad áit i gcomórtas chraobh na contae i roinn na sóisear ar an gClochán Liath níos luaithe i mbliana. Tá buíochas mór ag dul do Shéamus Mac Fhionntaí as Loch an Iúir atá i mbun ceoil agus Séamus Mac Gaotháin as an Dubhchorraí atá i mbun drumadóireachta.

Denis Gerard is the first in Loch an Iúir to have this year's turf crop stacked at home. A lot of people are asking how he got the turf dry but Denis is not giving the secret, this year anyhow! Meanwhile the rest of us are struggling between showers. Still two problems at the crossroads (not the water problem - that one is there to stay), but the phone-box, parts of which are still lying there lonely awaiting the day it will be erected. We were hopeful when we saw the heavy concrete frame arriving, but we are still phoning from Cassie's and Peg's, God bless them for their kindness. The second problem is the simple act of shifting an E.S.B. pole and a P & T pole in order to widen the corner where the Lettercaugh road meets with the main road. It would eliminate a very dangerous and blind corner.

The annual regatta drew a large crowd and in splendid weather we were entertained to the best of skiff-rowing. It would appear that lately the honours are going across the Gweebarra, as Ardara and Tullycleve took the various cups and trophies. At the tug-o-war in the college field afterwards the honours went to Paddy Neily's team with Glenties in 2nd place. Congratulations to Cassie Whicé Eoghain who has just completed her 25th pilgrimage to Knock shrine. She has not missed a year since 1957, mostly travelling with the Gweedore pilgrims. She intends to continue for many years yet.

There is no truth in the rumour that a Ceasan man found gold at the ruin of the old fort at Clasai na gCnamh on that fine Sunday. There wasn't a hope for him as he was well watched by Maria and Mary Frank and he was told he would have to share anything found. When asked later if he had found anything, he said all he got was wet feet and he couldn't share that. "An Bacach".

Dick is R. or B. or P. K. doesn't like the smell of grease or Red F.



At a Mess-Rock outside Dungloe a few years ago! But who is the Alter-boy?



"I eat two eggs every day"

SAM SPUBZ CRISPS

Ar fáil ins na siopaí

HERE'S CRUNCHIN YOU YOU GREAT BIG BEAUTIFUL MOUTHFUL!

SMAILCBHIA TEORANTA

As part of their work for the International Year of the Disabled, the Mental Health Association of Ireland have launched a special project which they hope will encourage and foster a deeper understanding of the problems of people who are mentally ill.

The project is divided into two sections, one aimed at schools and the other at the community at large. This project is being promoted by the 30 branches of MHA I throughout the country, and in this county by branches in Falcarrach, Letterkenny and Bundoran. The culmination of the year's activities will be Mental Health Week from October 13th to 23rd, when, with a week of special events, the results of the projects will be made known and awards made to the entrants of the most creative and interesting.

The schools' project consists of an Action Project, where students are encouraged to help patients in hospitals or hostel residents. This involves documenting information on befriending schemes, improving physical conditions, social sessions and a survey of community involvement.

Entries in the schools' section are open to individuals or groups within second-level schools and there are Junior and Senior categories. Entries must be in by September 25th. Also for schools is the Discovery Project, the aim of which is to provide insights into attitudes and emotions which might be considered important in mental health. This project would take the form of written accounts, audio visual, photography, art work, or anything suitable for display. The project would investigate the causes of stress and methods of prevention.

POSTERS
A schools' poster competition is also being run and the theme is "Helping the Mentally Ill". Colour posters are preferred and they should be on 18 ins. x 14 ins. sheets. Separately attached to each entry should be a slogan of a maximum of ten words on the same theme as the poster. The closing date for entries is September 18th.

The final project in the schools' project is the public speaking competition for senior classes only, with teams comprising of three members. Each team member will be permitted to speak for a maximum of seven minutes on a topic of his/her choice from a list supplied by the nearest Mental Health Association. The marks will be allocated in the following manner: Material 30; Research 25; Preparation and Presentation 15; Delivery 10; Rapport with audience 10; General impression 10.

There are five section in the Community Projects. These include an Action Project with patients along the same lines as the schools' Action Project, a photography competition, short story writing, playlet writing and drama writing.

The photography competition has the theme of "Perspective Mental Illness/Mental Health in our Community." There are categories for black and white and colour prints and prints must be a minimum of 10 ins. x 18 ins. and a maximum of 20 ins. x 16 ins. Photographs should be original and unmounted and the competition is open to amateur photographers only. A maximum of three entries for each class will be accepted from each entrant. The closing date is 26th June.

SHORT STORIES

In the short story writing competition, entries are open to all writers over 18 years of January 1981. Stories may be submitted in Gaelige or in English, and should not be longer than 6,000 words. Each entry should be typewritten on one side only of plain white A4 paper, using at least double spacing and generous margins. Only original and previously unpublished stories will be eligible and must be the work of the entrant and the closing date for receipt of entries is July 17th. Writers must submit work in their own names. The award-winning entrants agree to have their work published in book-form by the MHA I. The awards are inclusive of royalties on the sales of the first edition of the collection.

In the playlet writing section, the theme is the cause of stress in society. The piece should consist of a maximum of 2,000 words or approximately ten minutes duration. Entries should be typewritten on one side only of plain white A4 paper and the competition is open to all writers and the closing date for entries is June 30th. The drama writing section is for full-length plays and if in the opinion of the judges an adequate standard has been reached, the winning play will be acted out by a well-known amateur drama group and staged in the John Player Theatre on Thursday, November 26th, and Friday, November 27th. Entries may be submitted in Gaelige or in English, and must be original and previously unpublished. Entries must be received on or before July 1st.

Entries should be sent to: Mrs. Nan Smullen, Secretary, Falcarrach M.H.A., Béaltaine, Gort a' Choirce.

What's happening between Mary D. & Paul C.

Is Poppa glad because Frances is home?

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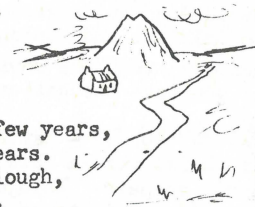
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Gweedore - Twelve years on

Gweedore what's happened this past twelve years?
Return to Laughter, shed your tears.
Gone are happier innocent ways,
Return to prouder carefree days.
Where are the smiling merry faces,
Where are the secret silent places.
Gweedore what's happened this past few years,
Factories, machinery and grinding gears.
Gone forever is the horse and the plough,
The motor-car is your heir from now.
Where are the halls for the Sunday dance,
All I can say is they don't stand a chance.
I'll tell you what's happened these past twelve years,
You've lost your simplicity and tripled your fears.
Twelve years ago, your neighbour you asked of his health,
But not anymore, you ask of his wealth.
With money your God and greed your guide,
You've opened a gap twelve years wide.



Timothy Leary, Glasgow.

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CANCER (June 22 - July 21)

A change of scene is indicated and it could be just the thing to get you out of the doldrums. If an opportunity to travel comes your way, don't hesitate - grab it!

LEO (July 22 - Aug 21)

A situation at work could prove misleading this month. You are advised to get to the root of the problem and bring any differences out into the open.

VIRGO (Aug 22 - Sept 21)

If you know somebody who appears to be charming to you, now is the time to start thinking about romance. But beware of a blue-eyed rival. Lucky day - Sunday.

LIBRA (Sept 22 - Oct 22)

You are in a rather serious mood these days but it's time you took things easy again. It's Summer you know, so go out and enjoy yourself. Lucky colour - Green

SCORPIO (Oct 23 - Nov 21)

Either a friend from the past or a new companion will bring you much support in a coming crises. With their help you can weather the choppy seas and after that it's plain sailing. But it's good to have that friend around!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 22 - Dec 21)

Love is very much on the cards at the moment and there are exciting times ahead. But go easy on the cash - remember to share the bills as well. Lucky dates - 17th and 24th.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22 - Jan 20)

This is a good time to devote a few days to renewing friendships with relatives and neighbours. They might need you now and you might need them later on so you know what to do.

AQUARIUS (Jan 21 Feb 19)

A conversation you overheard at work would be best forgotten about. If you go on thinking about it, it could cloud more important issues. Remember - sticks and stones.....etc, etc.

FISCES (Feb 20 Mar 20)

If you are invited to a party accept the offer for you could meet somebody really interesting. Wear something blue for luck - and keep your fingers crossed. Lucky days 20th and 25th.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr 21)

Avoid loud and aggressive people especially in your social life and concentrate on a quiet life in general. You will reap the rewards towards the end of the month if you have the patience.

TAURUS (Apr 22 - May 21)

If things were a bit too slow for your liking recently, don't despair. Things will soon be swinging and you'll love every minute of it. Hope you'll have enough energy!

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)

There will be changes in your closest relationships and some of them may mean partings. Don't let this get you down as things will definitely work out for the better in the long run.

Eileen won't be hungry anymore - she can eat plenty of Grub.



Meet Kathleen Gallagher who is a telephonist in the Dungloe Post Office exchange.

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FOCUS ON JOSEPH SWEENEY

Joseph Francis Sweeney, better known to his many friends as Joe Beag Joe Mór, returned home from Glasgow over four years ago to Machaire Chlochair. During his time in Glasgow he had been a keen supporter of Glasgow Celtic and also played Gaelic football with St. Brendon's of Clydebank. On coming back to Gweedore he immediately became involved with the Derrybeg Band. A year later the new Derrybeg Band, then numbering 52 won the Burtonport Cup. It was the first of Twelve cups Joe Beag was involved with over the next few years. In November 1977 he became involved with that other Celtic - Gweedore Celtic. It was the beginning of their great cup years which saw them win the I.A.W.S., the Top 4, the premier league and the Ulster Cup in the two seasons.

Looking for a fresh challenge Joe Beag left the Derrybeg Band and took up forces with the Dore Junior Band who went on to win the Burtonport Cup in 1979. In the same year they were 2nd in Letterkenny and 3rd in Bundoran. But last year was a great year for the Band in which they won 4 cups in a row. Not forgetting his football interests Joe saw his Gweedore Celtic win the Anagaire 7's Cup this year followed by the Top 4 Competition. His ambition is to see many more cups coming into the area but win or lose he likes to see a good team performance in any sport. He dislikes bad referees and bad decisions however. This man for all sports would like to meet Muhammad Ali someday and when he has a little spare time on his hands enjoys a good meal of steak and chips while watching a good western or gangster movie. His favourite actors? Glenn Ford and Maureen O'Hara.

The weather is very unpredictable this summer, but one thing is certain, be it rain or sunshine, whenever you see the Dore Band or Gweedore Celtic you'll see the familiar figure of Joe Beag Joe Mór. P.S. He would like a special mention for Nóra Dunlop for all she has done for the Dore Band.

Why couldn't Nuala wear her mini to the disco?

The G. brothers want to get their hands on a certain Rangers fan.



Is beag d'aos óg an lae inniu b'fhéidir a bparóistí na Rosann agus Gaoth Dobhair a sheadh ábalta inse cá bhfuil "Baile Jack" ná Jackstown, bíodh agus go raibh cliú leitheadach ar an bhaile seofadó, de thairbhe an aonaigh a bhíodh ann ar an ló de'n mhí i gcónaí. Bhí spéis fá leith in aonach Jack a'tSamhraidh ar an ló lúil. Ar ndóigh 'sé Baile Jack an seanainm ar Mhín na Leice go díreach mar bhearfaidh Baile Bhrianí ar Dhoire Beaga.

Tá Mín na Leice ar an teorann idir na Rosa agus Gaoth Dobhair agus is ansin a thigeadh na feirmeoirí le na gcuid tréad agus na "Jacks" ó'n Lagán isteach, (B'iadsan a bhaist Jack's Town air) agus ó tharla go raibh sé i n-aice staisiún na traenach i gCroithshlí agus fosta i n-aice an príomh bhóthair idir na Gleantaí agus Cloich Cheann Fhaola bhí níos mó siúl air nó bhí ar aonaigh eile sa chontae. Bhíodh lucht na stáinín ann go fairsing, ag díol a gcuid earraí, éadach agus bróga, iasc agus bia trá, úllaí agus spíonogaí, tubáin agus cléibh. Is iomaí conradh maith a bhí le fáil ann agus leoga go minic is iomaí sin cleamhnas a rinneadh ar an aonach céanna. Sa tráthnóna a thigeadh aos-óg na Rosann agus Gaoth Dobhair amach, go h-áirithe go h-aonach an tSamhraidh (ach sin an t-am a raibh an Samhraidh ina Shamhraidh) agus is ansin a bhíodh an spraoi, an spórt agus an caitheamh aimsire. Ach cad chuige a bhfuil trácht ar Aonach Jack arís ar na mallaibh? (Tá sé sé no seacht déag de bhliana ó cuireadh deireadh leis). Tá, mheas cuid de mhuintir na h-áite gur mhaith an rud an t-aonach a chuir ar a bhonnaí arís, sé sin an chuid sin de a mbeadh an spraoi, an spórt agus an chaitheamh aimsire ag baint leis - blas de'n rud dúchasach a mheascadh leis an rud nua-aimsire. Agus ins an am chéanna aon bhrabach as na h-imeachtaí a chuir i gciste na ndaoine cíothramach, ó tharla gurbh í seo bliain na ndaoine cíothramach. Is é sin a príomh chuspóir atá acu agus fosta caitheamh aimsire a sholáthar do na cuairteoirí agus muintir na h-áite. Ar ndóigh, ní fhéadfadh siad an díol agus an ceannacht eallaigh a bheith acu ach leag siad amach go mbeadh stáiníní ann le na gcuid margaí, na cluichí, an tarraing téide, tógáil an mhéacháin, fear na gcleas agus cailleadh na gcártaí, na ceoltóirí bailéid an fear grinn agus go leor ceoil agus craic de gach seort. Cuirfear tús le Aonach Jack tráthnóna Déardaoin an 16ú agus leanfaidh sí ar aghaidh go Domhnach. Is maith is fiú bheith i láthair agus cuidiú leis an chúis - ciste na ndaoine cíothramach.

Grace Walsh was the first in Burtoport area to have the hay saved. She used a Combine Scissors.



Guess Who is having a Highland Fling?

Ar Mhaithé Leis Na hEasláin

AONACH JACK - MÍN A LEICE

Diardaoin 16ú Iúil

- 6pm - Foscladh.
Paráid Bannaí Cheoil - díol earraí cluichí - raffles -ealaín
- 9pm - Grúpa ceoil "Double Vision" + Sing Song
Cead isteach £2

Dé hAoine 17ú

- 3pm - Díol earraí ceirdíocht, taispeántais ealaín - léamh chardaí, seisiúin cheoil.
- 9pm - "Slieve Foy" + Sing Song.
Cead isteach £2

De Sathairn 18ú


- 2pm - Díol earraí - ceirdíocht - taispeántais ealaín - léamh na lámh.
- 4pm - Rásaí páistí.
- 7pm - Rásaí daoine fásta.
- 9pm - Oíche mhór Ghaelach.
Cead isteach £1.50

De Domhnaigh 19ú

- 4pm - Taispeántais - seisiúin cheoil - fortune telling srl.
- 7pm - Ceol le CLANNAD
Cead isteach £2

PUB SPY BILLY'S GORT A CHOIRCE

The service in Billy's Bar was pleasant and efficient but the place lacked atmosphere - at least during our visit, and it could do with a little background music perhaps. The gantry was well stocked and the decor was very nice but again the toilets disappointed. Although they were reasonably clean there was no hot water, no soap or towel. At the time of our visit, the pint was 70p and spirits cost 66p (those were the days.) There was no heating, but then it's supposed to be Summer anyway.

A good place for passing trade and good for the "local" crack but please, please bring those toilets up to date.
Pint Rating: 




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The present means of regular communication between Gweedore and Derry by land is one cart, which carries half a ton, once a week. In the meantime every effort is being made by local enterprise to avail itself of the shelter provided by the roads between islands and the mainland, and very imperfect harbours, to run small coasting steamers between the Donegal villages and Londonderry, and to develop the trade of a sea-board population by means of the highway of the sea. In Gweedore there is a very small natural harbour formed by the embouchure of the river Claddy, at one side of which the late Lord George Hill built a quay. A bar, covered by only half a foot of water at low tide, renders this little harbour almost practically useless, as only vessels drawing but 10 ft. of water can enter it at high water at spring tides. No coasting or passing steamer will spare the time or run the risk of coming into it, and only occasionally a little steamer is chartered to run in and deliver stores. A mile to the north are the excellent Gola Roads, where vessels can ride safely in deep water and good anchorage under the shelter of a semi-circle of islands. Here in the roads coasting steamers call regularly in the Summer time; but owing to the want of a pier goods have to be shipped and delivered in open fishing boats at considerable cost, and to the preclusion of the transit of weighty goods or of live stock. In the report of the Royal Commission on Irish Public Works, 1888, Gola Roads are spoken of as affording "natural shelter," and it is strongly recommended that a pier should be erected at this point for coasting, trading, and fishing purposes. Ever since 1886, when evidence was given before the Commission on this subject, the crying need of the district for a pier has been urged on the Government, in season and out of season. Without such a pier the local trade of Gweedore is crippled, and in many cases absolutely paralyzed. In carrying out our industrial work in Gweedore, and in building and fitting with engines and machinery a small woolen factory which I have recently erected and opened, the want of a pier at which steamers could call and deliver goods has been cruelly felt. Wool, looms, etc., have been carried for six weeks by the coasting steamer before they could be safely transhipped in open boats, and heavy goods and machinery have often lain for weeks at Derry, and have finally been transported by road at a cost of from 50s. to 60. per ton. If the want of this pier is so much felt in an industry where the determination to succeed finally overcomes all obstacles, and where the motive is solely the desire to help the people, it can perhaps be surmised how the small industries of an agricultural people, which must make profits at once - the egg, poultry, and butter industries for instance - cannot even make a start owing to the want of the means of sea transit. Also, Gweedore and the neighbouring districts are cut off almost entirely by the want of a pier at which goods could be landed from participating in the immense amount of work which is given out from the great shirt-making, underlinen, and sewed-muslin houses of Belfast and Derry, and which I know of my own knowledge would reach them if cheap transit were provided. What we, therefore, ask is that, without any unnecessary delay, the pier so strongly recommended by the Commission on Irish Public Works at Magheragallon, in Gola Roads, should at once be commenced, to give the people employment in the coming crisis, and to give Gweedore the means of developing its increasing local trade.

I have personally brought this subject before the notice of Mr. Balfour and the Treasury, Sir Edward Watkin kindly sent at my request an engineer to Gweedore to survey the site and report on the probable cost of the pier. According to this gentleman's estimate, a substantial commercial pier at Magheragallon would cost about £16,000. We earnestly trust, therefore, that the Government will execute this urgently required piece of public work out of the large funds at their disposal voted to provide the means of transit in the congested districts.

4. Industrial Employment.- The increase of the industries of Gweedore depends mainly upon improved means of transit. In the meantime all and each of us can aid the industrial work going on there by following Swift's advice, and "Dress in manufactures made at home." Homespun, tweeds lace, underlinen, hoisery, are now excellently well made in Gweedore by the workers we have trained, and are sold for them at Donegal-House, 43 Wigmore Street. A not inconsiderable sum is paid weekly through our agency into the village for wages. Our factory, worked entirely by Donegal boys we have taught, is one of the chief hopes of Gweedore. If anybody would aid us in this industrial endeavour to save the people by honest and intelligent work, I would be glad if he would communicate with me.

I most earnestly hope that the cry of "famine" which has been raised will not lead friends to propose ill-considered measures of relief and to proffer eleemosynary help, which is so hurtful to the manliness and independence of a brave people. Work is all the Gweedore people ask for themselves, work is all we ask for them; the work of opening up their country by railways, piers, and harbours and the work of industrial employment. Trusting you will favour me by the insertion of this letter,

I am your obedient servant,
Alice M. Hart (Mrs. Ernest Hart).

P.S.-I wish to add that the advisability of providing cabbage or other seeds at cost price to the people, and of giving them instructions how to treat the land now cumbered by the spoilt potato crop, has been under consideration, and I am informed that white stone turnips would be the best crop to plant in the early spring, but not now. On this subject I shall be glad to receive information or suggestions, as through our technical school and industrial organization in Gweedore it would be easy to disseminate information and to dispose of seeds.

Donegal Industrial Fund, 43 Wigmore St., London W.



Can you name this Celtic team and the year?

If Buck had another pint, there would be no Cope in Anagaire

Newsflash - Beidh John Mc G. 7 Deirdre ag fáil geallta ag tús mí Lúnasa

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Art: From 'arto-s'=stone or bear.
Barra: A pet form of Fionnbhar, patron of the Diocese of Cork, which is a compound of 'fionn' fair, and "barr" meaning head.
Brian: A name made famous by King Brian Bóru.

★ MARY from DUNGLOE ★ 9

PROGRAMME

Sunday, 26th July

- 2.30 p.m.—Community Parade
- 3.15 p.m.—Official Opening
- 3.30 p.m.—Senior Band Competition with major prizes.
- 7.30 p.m.—Traditional and Folk Entertainment on Main St.
- 8.30 p.m.—Bingo in Parochial Hall.
- 10.30 p.m.—Barry Sinclair—Star Hypnotist. "Not since Houdini have audiences been so enthralled as with Mr. Sinclair".

Monday, 27th July

"LA GAELACH"

- Traditional Violin and Accordion, also Tin Whistle and Recorder.
- Instrumental Music, Duets, Ceili Trios, Ceili Bands.
- Aithriseoireacht—Comhra Beirt—Dís póireacht
- Solo and Team Dancing
- Céilí Dancing and Traditional Sets—Solo Singing.
- Oíche Mór Bia agus Damhsa ag an Céilí Mór.

Tuesday, 28th July

- 3.30 p.m.—Childrens' Sports
- 7.00 p.m.—Motorcade of Rosses and Gweedore
- 7.30 p.m.—Traditional and Folk Entertainment on Main St.
- 8.30 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs./Mastermind
- 10.00 p.m.—First Public Introduction of the Marys.
- 11.00 p.m.—Cabaret in Ostan na Rosann featuring The Ribticklers, Europe's best Mime Act, followed by Dance.

Wednesday, 29th July

- 3.30 p.m.—Childrens' Fancy Dress
- 7.00 p.m.—Walking Race (Burtonport—Dungloe).
- 8.00 p.m.—Eating and Drinking Competition on Main St.
- 8.30 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs./Mastermind
- 9.00 p.m.—Novelty Events on Main St.
- 11.00 p.m.—The John Paul Roadshow with the Donegal Heat of the Sunday World All-Ireland Disco Dancing Championship.

Thursday, 30th July

- 3.30 p.m.—Bonny Baby Show
- 7.00 p.m.—Car Treasure Hunt/Childrens' Treasure Hunt
- 8.00 p.m.—Traditional and Folk Entertainment on Main St.
- 9.00 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs./Mastermind
- 11.00 p.m.—Emigrants' Social, featuring "The Girl from Donegal" Margo. Also Annual Waltzing Competition and the Crowning of Glamorous Granny.

Friday, 31st July

- 3.30 p.m.—Little Miss Mary Competition
- 7.30 p.m.—Donkey Derby
- 8.30 p.m.—Traditional and Folk Entertainment on Main St.
- 9.00 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs./Mastermind
- 11.00 p.m.—Tramps and Tarts Ball with top pop band, Pluto. 3 Hours of non-stop music and madness. Prizes for Worst Dressed Person. Dress not essential.

Saturday, 1st August

- "DAY FOR THE DISABLED"—See Posters for details.
- 8.00 p.m.—Traditional and Folk Entertainment on Main St.
- 8.30 p.m.—Finals of Mr. and Mrs./Mastermind.
- 10.00 p.m.—Festival Dinner Dance sponsored by Carrolls.
- 11.00 p.m.—Disco with Top R.T.E. Disc Jockey

Sunday, 2nd August

- 2.30 p.m.—Carnival and Industrial Parade followed by Junior Band Competition.
- 7.30 p.m.—Traditional and Folk Entertainment on Main St.
- 8.30 p.m.—Monster Bingo in Parochial Hall.
- 10.00 p.m.—Crowning Cabaret introduced by Paul Clark of RTE Radio 2. Music by Dermot O'Brien and his Band. Special Guest Appearance by Paul Buckley—Star Ventriloquist.

Monday, 3rd August

- 3.00 p.m.—Meenacress Agricultural Show

Pub Quiz, Darts and Nightly Dancing in the Marquee and Tara.



Dungloe Mary, Christine Connors & Donegal Mary, Linda Ford.

"Crann Úil" - Clannad.

Tá fad-cheirnín ur an Chlannad, "Crann Úil" ar an mheagadh anois le cpla seachtain. Is fada muid ag fanacht leis. Gaithfidh mé a rá nuair a chuala mé an ceirnín ar dtús go raibh mé rud beag amhrasach fa dtaobh de. Duirt dacine nach raibh forbairt ar bith tagtha ar a goid ceoil o chuir siad amach "Clannad in Concert", nach bhfuil an ceirnín chomh maith agus a thioctadh leis a bheith. Duirt fear amháin ar an radio fiú amháin go raibh barraíocht rithim le cuid de na hamhráin, go speisialta "The Last Rose of Summer." Thioctadh leis go bhfuil cuid de na rudaí seo fíor. Ach, indiaidh éisteacht leis go leor uaireanna tá mé den tuairim gur ceirnín iontach maith atá ann. Tá reimse maith d'amhráin agus ceol uirlise air, amhráin i nGaeilge agus i nGearla. Tá an grúpa ábalta iad a léimhseáil go compórdach mar a bhí i gconaí. Déirigh go maith leo an pianó leictreach a thabhairt isteach. Tosnaíonn taobh l le "Ar a ghabhail 'n a' chruain damh," agus tá píosa deas "improvisation" ag deireadh an amhráin. Ansin tig "Tis the Last Rose of Summer," amhrán clúiteach Thomas Moore. Thioctadh leat a rá go bhfuil an rithim anseo cineál trom ceart go leor, ach ní chuireann sé sin isteach air mar sin féin. Ina dhiaidh sin tá "An Cruiscín Lá". Míl mé ábalta a rá cé acu é seo, nó "Bacach Shíle Andaí", nó "An Crann Úil" nó "An Quinnean Duí" is fearr liom. Dá mbeidhinn ag picadh as na h-amhráin a cheolann Máire ar an cheirnín seo deirfínn gur "An Quinnean Duí" is fearr. Breathnaíonn an t-amhrán iontach deacair nuair a éistean tu leis. Ach le cóiríní simplí agus obair mhaith ta an bhua ag an Chlannad arís mar go dtabhaireann siad amach áilleacht iontach an amhráin. Tá amhrán Gearla amháin eile air fosta, "Gathering Mushrooms" atá rud beag cosúil leis an ébhar a bhí acu ar an chéad dá cheirnín. Is é Ciarán Ó Braonáin a cheolann "Bacach Shíle Andaí." Mí cheolann sé mórán de na h-amhráin ach seo an ceann is fearr go fóill. Tá sé thar barr! Tá dhá píosa ceoil uirlise ann, "Flanxty Browne" agus píosa a scríobh siad féin, "Lá Coimhthíoch fán dtuath". Tá an ceann seo cineál mall ar dtús ach picann se suas sa dara páirt. Rinneadh an tairfeadh den cheirnín sa Cheirnín. Ba é Nicky Ryan a léirigh é. Tá an clúdach iontach deas fosta. Ealaíontóir óg as an Eilbhís a rinne é. Ba chóir go n-éireadh go maith le "Crann Úil."

Star Rating ****

* An-olc; ** Olc; *** Measartha **** Maith; ***** Iontach maith.

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A. and H. thinks window painting and hedge cutting should be done on sundays



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When The Festival is over
 And the Marys all away,
 The people out in Meenacross
 Have their own special day.
 They gather round the old school-yard,
 Their faces all aglow,
 To meet dear friends from near and far
 At The Annual Cattle Show.

They meet old friends on holiday
 From lands across the foam;
 Don't be surprised if he's there too,
 His Holiness from Rome.
 They meet Doctor McDermott,
 The Founder, fine and free,
 And maybe meet a hippy too
 Who swam from Innisfree!

There's Michael James and Micky,
 And Dominic Roddy too,
 Chasing sheep, and leaping ditches,
 Smarter far than me or you.
 There's gentle Irish colleens,
 Who never mention Womens' Lib,
 But devoutly pay a visit
 To the chapel near The Crib.

The prizes they are given out,
 For this and that and thon,
 A first for Rosie's rhubarb jam,
 And Nancy's soda scone.
 Andy's cow has won a prize, and he
 Is very pleased at that,
 As he poses for his photograph
 In Fridays "Democrat".

In the mellow of the evening,
 When the gentle night does fall,
 The young ones take to dancing
 In The Social Centre Hall;
 While their fathers in the fading light
 Their work-worn hands do rub,
 In gay anticipation
 Of the pleasures in the Pub.

'Tis there the night goes swiftly on,
 Too short, too short, alas,
 As they sing and tell the stories
 Of old times in the past.
 And the Sergeant, down from Dublin,
 Entertaining with a rime,
 Fays no heed to Patrick's pleading,
 " 'Tis two hours after time!"

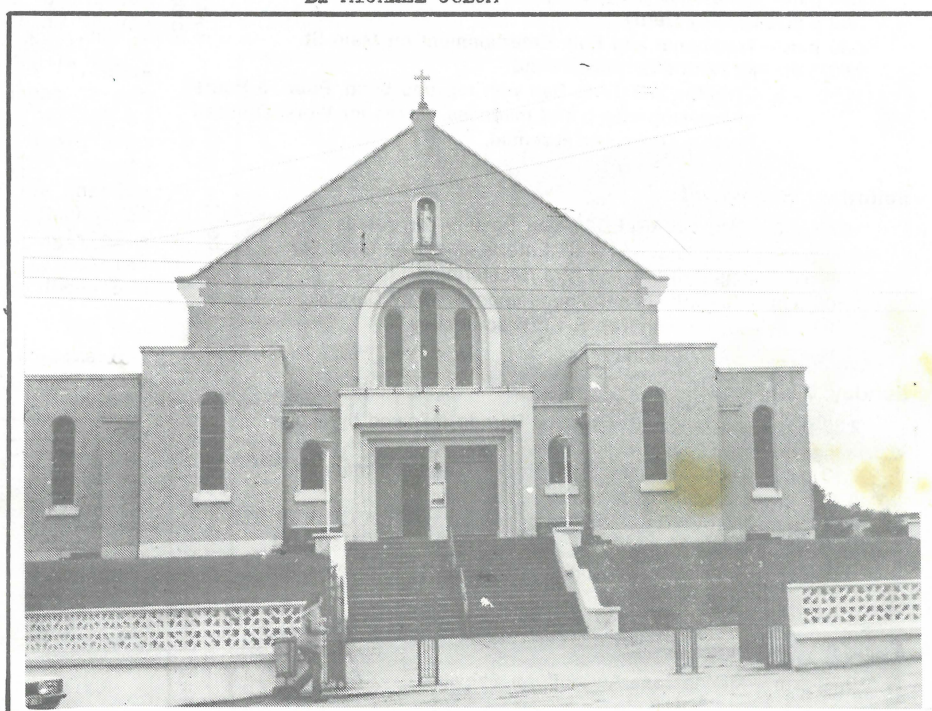
Another day is over now,
 And the people gone away,
 From the wee townland of Meenacross,
 Beside Traighenna Bay.
 So, I'll say Good-bye to you my friends,
 And pray before I go,
 "Please God we'll meet again next year,
 At The Annual Cattle Show."

BY MICHAEL COLUM

WEDDING BOUQUETS
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BURTONPORT 47

Did Seamus C. enjoy the bun?



Teach Fhobail Ghort a Choirce

J. Gallagher

GWEEDORE Celtic

Full Name: James Gallagher
 Birthplace: Edinburgh
 Height: 5' 11"
 Weight: 12 st.
 Position: Midfield
 Previous club: Gweedore Guilds
 Married: Yes, to Mary
 Favourite player: Kenny Dalglish
 Favourite other team: Foreland Dynamo's
 Most difficult opponents: Fanad United team.
 Most memorable matches: V Clonleigh in Top 4 Q/Final in 79/80.

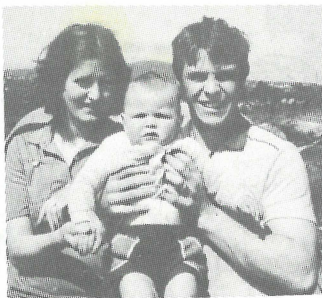
Biggest thrill: Scoring goals
 Biggest disappointment: Pencil-happy referee's
 Best place visited: The Highlands of Scotland
 Favourite food: Roast Duck.
 Miscellaneous likes: Winning
 Miscellaneous dislikes: Losing
 Favourite T.V. shows: Sports programmes
 Favourite singers: Joseph Sweeney, Rod Stewart
 Favourite actors/actresses: Charles Bronson
 Best friends: I have many.
 Biggest influence on career: Colm Mc Bride, Charles Cullen.

Biggest drag in Soccer: Bad Losers
 Honours: F.A.I. 'Junior Challenge' Runners-Up 1980/81 medal.

Personal ambition: To father a football team (7 a side!)

Football ambitions: Premier League!
 Which person in the world would you most like to meet? Brigitte Bardot.

Signature: *James Gallagher*



Which Luinneach girl was recently attacked by savages and tied to a telegraph pole? Clue: she was born 31 May, 1963.

Pub Quiz

1. Who was asked for the head of John the Baptist?
2. Which jockey was the first to win the English Derby three years running?

Freagraí ar an mhí s'chugainn.



The answers to last month's quiz

1. Southpaws stand with right arm and right foot advanced.
2. The kitten has a cat as a mother.

WARNING

Boys, if your girlfriend's second toe is longer than her first you could be in trouble because your future wife will be very bossy. So before you buy that ring you would be well advised to have a look at her toes. Just a word of advice.



Domenick and Joseph O'Toole from Carraic an tFeasain are twins. They are five years old, but which one is Domenick and which is Joseph - well, your guess is as good as mine.

Colin B. is a fantastic swimmer. He just can't get in into the water fast enough.

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Next door we do a Big Take Away service and if you want to spend an hour, visit our Amusement Arcade...we have machines to suit all ages.

Bus tours can be catered for at short notice



Prop.: Eamonn Duffy

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SPORTS QUIZ

1. Who will Limerick Utd. meet in European football next season?
2. Name a G.A.A. player who plays Gaelic and Hurling at county level?
3. Who won the women's singles at Wimbledon?
4. Who won this year's Donegal International Rally?
5. Who owns Shergar?

Answers on a postcard or on the back of an envelope to "Guth 7 Tuairim," Doire Beaga. Tá £3 le baint. Last month's winner: Sinéad Flanagan, Dún Lúiche.

focus on

O. Mc BRIDE

Cloich Cheann Fhaola

Full Name: Owen Mc Bride
 Birthplace: Ballintemple, Falcarragh
 Height: 5' 9"
 Weight: 12 st.
 Position: Centre half-back
 Previous clubs: Mulroy Gaels, Glasgow
 Married: Yes, with 4 sons
 Favourite player: Eoin Liston
 Favourite other team: Kerry
 Most difficult opponents: Many
 Most memorable matches: Intermediate



Championship Final 1980
 Biggest thrill: Getting through to the above Final.
 Biggest disappointment: Losing the Final by one point.

Best place visited: Spain
 Favourite food: Fillet steak
 Miscellaneous likes: Golf and pool
 Miscellaneous dislikes: Ignorant people
 Favourite T.V. shows: Most sports programmes
 Favourite singers: Charlie Pride, Hank Locklin
 Favourite actors/actresses: Jack Nicholson, Elizabeth Taylor

Best friends: Many
 Biggest drag in football: Players who don't give 100%

Honours: Many
 Personal ambitions: To be happy
 Football ambitions: To play for Donegal
 Which person in the world would you most like to meet? Pope John Paul

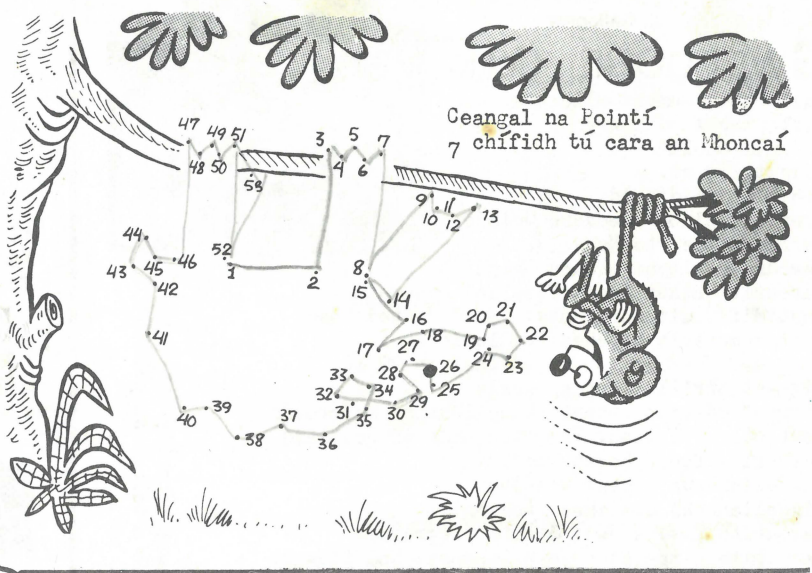
Signature

Owen Mc Bride

You'll never see one without the other(s) Column.

Thomas C. & Ciaran H. & Cormac B.; Fatsy K. & Brídín B.; Maureen McG. & Máire C.; Olive B. & Sheila G.; Owenie H. & Pat D.; Mary H. & Ann McG. & Maureen O'D.; Marie McB. & Kim B. & Moira G.; "The Twins"

Tina got an early morning swimming lesson in Longshannure.



Geangal na Pointí
7 chifidh tú cara an Mhoncaí

Under 10 Painting Competition

Tá pencilcase, pinn daite agus crayons le baint.
Last month's winner: Martina Ní Fhearraigh, Bun a' Leaca.

Aim.....

Seoladh.....

Aois.....

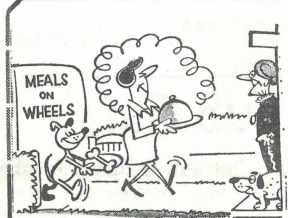
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"Sit down a minute Margaret 'till we get our picture taken for "Guth 7 Tuairim".



"You're spoiling that dog, Joe.



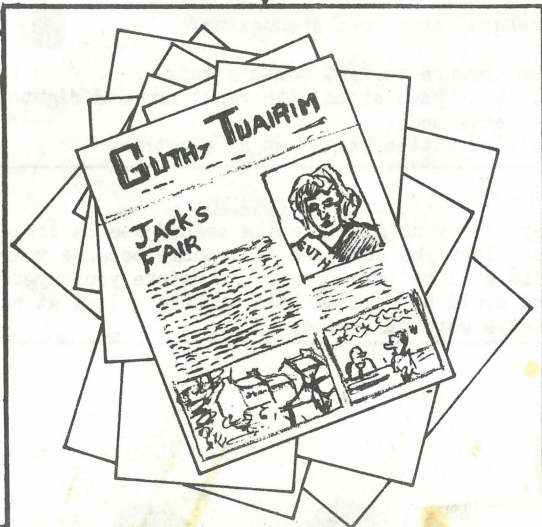
Comórtas

1. What did the ancient Egyptians use as an early form of paper?
2. Name the two brothers who made the first successful flight in an aeroplane?
3. Where is Red Square?
4. The King of Iran was known by what title?
5. How did the Titanic sink?

Answers on a postcard or on the back of an envelope to "Guth 7 Tuairim", Doire Beaga. Tá £2 le baint.
Last month's winner: Nóra Bean Mhic Suibhne, 44 Árdán Naomh Peadair, An Clochán Liath.

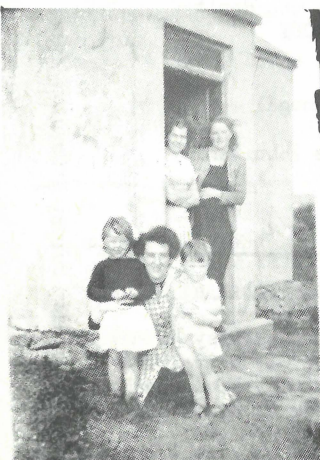


Guess Who?
Clues:
Records
Telegraph Poles



Ca mhéad "Guth 7 Tuairim" anseo ?

SPOT THE DIFFERENCE 8



Doire na Mainsear i 1950

