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Most Holy Father



The
resident, Community,
Lay Staff, Students

past and present, and Benefactors of
St. Mary's College, Rathmines, Dublin -

humbly prostrate at the feet of Your Holiness, beg
the Apostolic Benediction -

Humis Devotissimis benigne acceperis precibus
Ex Archiep. Valicenis die 12 Maii 1954

Archiep. Adamus

EDITORIAL

OF POPE PIUS XII, as of the *Curé d'Ars*, it could be said truly that "he never listened to the voice of his own fatigue." He died on October 9th worn out with labours, and the world mourned the passing of a father and a guide. The whole school assisted at the Solemn Requiem Mass in the College chapel on October 10th. Organized games were suspended over the week-end, and on October 16th, the day of the solemn obsequies of Our Holy Father, the College was closed as a mark of respect.

Mourning yielded place to joy on the evening of October 28th when over the Vatican Radio we heard the voice of the Cardinal Deacon announce: *Habemus Papam!* And then we knelt to receive the first blessing *Urbi et Orbi* of Pope John XXIII. With the Church we pray: *Dominus conservet eum, et vivificet eum, et beatum faciat eum in terra, et non tradat eum in animam inimicorum ejus.*

We are pleased and privileged to have the Blessing of Our Holy Father as the frontispiece of this year's College Annual

On October 28th., by a very happy coincidence the day of Our Holy Father's election as Pope, Fr. Richard Harnett, C.S.Sp., an old and sincere friend of St. Mary's, celebrated the Golden Jubilee of his ordination to the priesthood. We offer him our warmest congratulations. Fr. Harnett's association with St. Mary's goes back many years. After his ordination at Chevilly in France on October 28th, 1908 he was appointed to the teaching staff of St. Mary's, a position he held for three years. There followed a period of pastoral work in England and mission work in America and then, in 1925, Fr. Harnett found himself back in St. Mary's as Fr. Provincial of the Irish Province of the Holy Ghost Fathers. The re-opening of St. Mary's as a day-school the following year Fr. Harnett regards as one of the most important and one of the happiest acts of his administration. From 1927 to 1934 he was Superior of the College, and until 1939 he continued to reside in St. Mary's. To-day as National Director of the Holy Childhood he can watch from his Office window in Rathmines Road the boys of St. Mary's at play. His interest in them has never flagged, his affection for them has never grown cold. We rejoice with our Jubilarian and we join with him in giving thanks to God for the great graces he has received from Him in his priesthood. It is our fervent prayer that God may grant him many more years of fruitful ministry.

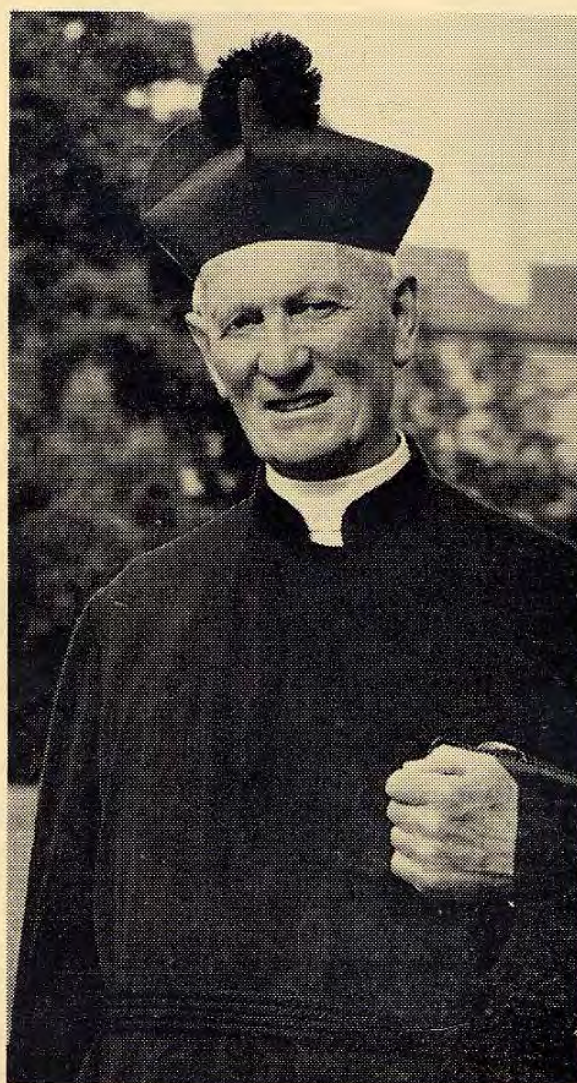
After six years of very generous and successful service on the teaching staff of St. Mary's, Fr. S. Moore has joined the staff of the Holy Ghost College in far-away Mauritius, an island in the Indian Ocean. We wish him every blessing in his new appointment and we thank him for all the good work he accomplished in St. Mary's. Others to leave us were Frs. Campbell, Cronin, and Leonard for Rockwell College, and Fr. W. McKenna for the Holy Ghost Missionary College, Kimmage. To each of them, our best wishes and our grateful thanks.

We welcome to St. Mary's Fr. R. Kissane, former Superior and Dean of Studies of the Holy Ghost College, Mauritius; Fr. A. O'Carroll from Fribourg, Switzerland; and Fr. J. Hurley from Rome. We hope they will be happy in St. Mary's and that we shall have them with us for many years.

The news of the death of Seamus Uas. O'Maoileoin on March 8th came as a shock to his pupils and his colleagues. He had been teaching up to a few days before his death and his illness was sudden and unexpected. He joined the teaching staff of St. Mary's College in September, 1955 and soon

his gentle manner and jovial disposition had endeared him to everybody. He was a deeply religious man in a quiet and unobtrusive way. His school day began and ended with a visit to the Blessed Sacrament in the College chapel. Class commenced and closed with a prayer. His teaching was marked with a sincere love for children, great patience in dealing with them, and a positive approach to their education. *Mol an óige agus tiocfaidh sí* was a phrase often on his lips, and he practised it. His love for the Irish language was well known to all. He taught it as a living tongue and as a teacher this was his forte. We miss his cheerful presence from our halls. To his family we extend our sincere sympathy. Go dtuga Dia suaimhneas síoraí dá anam !

We wish to thank all who helped in any way in the production of this year's St. Mary's College Annual. We are grateful to those who contributed articles, supplied photographs and in different ways assisted the Editor in his task. We thank especially Fr. O'Carroll and Fr. Lord for their useful camera work, Mr. Burgess of Lafayette's who took most of the group photographs, Mr. Egan of Irish Photo Engraving Co. our blockmakers, and Mr. O'Grady and the staff of John English & Co., Ltd., our printers.



V. REV. FR. R. A. HARNETT, C.S.SP.

IN THE WAKE OF MOBY DICK

by

JAMES R. GRAHAM

B. Sc., Dip. Chem. Tech.



The Author enjoying Antarctic sunshine

AS A BOY I loved to read books on travel, books that told of such out of the way places as the Kerguelen Islands and other distant lands. Often I read these books over and over again, and names that were strange to Irish ears—Bellinghausen, Barends, Bougainville—gave me a longing to see these far away places, to visit these far off shores. Stories told by returning missionaries awakened in me a thirst to meet people of other nationalities, and many a Wednesday afternoon two St. Mary's boys might be seen cycling along the Dublin quays watching the foreign ships and listening to the unfamiliar languages of the foreign sailors.

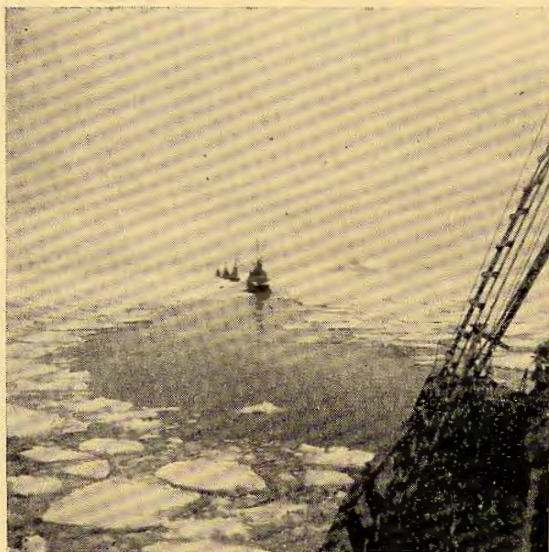
Five years ago I decided to take a job as an industrial chemist on a whaling factory ship. My dream had come true. My friends

were amazed, for to many people whaling seems a most unusual occupation. Yet its products are used in such familiar commodities as margarine, altar candles, and lip-stick.

One fine October morning saw me on the deck of the *F. S. Balaena* en route for the Antarctic—a place that has seen no tourists as yet! Sailing down the fjord with us from Tonsberg, Norway, were the catcher boats—ten of them in all. Fond mothers held last-minute conversations over the radio-telephone with their sons of fifteen who were going away for the first time. These fisher-boys want very much to show that they can stand on their own feet, and most of them are embarrassed at receiving so much advice over the air. Most Norwegian merchant marine officers start off at the same age as cabin-boys, and if they have the ability they get on in their profession.

Balaena was 21,000 tons, had a draught of 36 ft. and carried about 16,000 tons of oil. It took me two weeks to find my way around the ship. Along with me were 450 Norwegians, 30 British and 20 Irish. Among the Norwegians everybody seemed to be related to everybody else; not very surprising when you remember that about 60 per cent of Tonsberg men are at sea. We were in fact a floating village with our own band, cinema shows, chess championships and athletics.

Soon the brightly painted houses of Tonsberg were left behind and we were sailing past the white cliffs of Dover and across a very calm Bay of Biscay. We were into November as we passed Teneriffe and I remembered it was my birthday. To my amazement the other chemists discovered my secret from the office and the occasion was celebrated with a monster party on board. Tropical days with their flying fish and tropical nights with their shooting stars enthralled me. But it wasn't all play, by any means. Preparations had to be made for the gruelling months ahead, the major



"The ice was here, the ice was there,
The ice was all around"—

operation being the laying down of a complete temporary deck.

Three weeks after leaving Norway we arrived in Cape Town. Here we had thirty-six hours which allowed us to see something of the city and its beautiful surroundings, and to post our Christmas mail and collect whatever letters awaited us—the last we would receive for the next four months. Nearly everybody decided to have one tip-top meal ashore. Norwegian food is good, but you soon get tired of frozen fish however cleverly disguised—fish smoked, fish pickled, fish salted or fish preserved in special soda. As a matter of fact, the national dish on Christmas Eve was fish preserved in soda. One Norwegian remarked that it was their national penance! With what envious eyes they watched our table as we worked our way through the traditional Christmas fare of turkey, ham, plum-pudding, and all that goes to make a first-class Christmas dinner.

After our brief visit we sallied forth from False Bay into the teeth of a strong "South-Easter." *Balaena* looked for all the world like a mother hen with her chickens—the ten catchers—spread around her. Indeed, the Germans call the whale factory ship a *Mutter-schiff*, whereas the Norwegians being more prosaic think of it in terms of the kitchen and refer to the floating cookery. The factory equipment is in fact only a large scale cooking plant. On we sailed through the "Roaring Forties" while the

ship creaked and groaned with the pounding of the billows. And what billows they were! Many of them more than forty feet high.

Five days after we had left the Cape behind us the first whale was brought up on deck. It was a sperm whale and had thirty-six teeth, each tooth as big as a cow's horn. The stench was awful, but that ugly, smelly piece of flesh was worth £1,000. The cry "*Fast-fisk!*" from a "catcher" into the telephone announces a "kill." The dead whale is delivered to the factory ship, hauled up the slip-way onto the deck above the factory, and there it is separated into blubber, meat, and bones—the different parts disappearing through openings in the deck into the cookers below. While the whale is being cut up, the 500 ft. deck is covered to a depth of inches in blood, and there have been instances of deck-workers slipping and almost following the whale into the cooking boilers!

After the trials of the "Forties" the Antarctic weather was wonderful. The days were long and sunny, and the bracing air made one feel it was good to be alive. What a thrill I felt at the sight of my first iceberg! Bergs of all shapes and sizes floated on the calm sea. Now they resembled gigantic ice-cream cones, now huge upturned tables or castles on the Rhine. Sometimes the angle of the great white cliffs produced a prismatic effect, and once I saw the lower portion of an iceberg coloured pink, while the upper part was yellow. Now and then a nonchalant penguin swam past, and again a curious seal would bark as if wondering what on the sea we were. But life was not idyllic, for all the time on deck a clanking, banging, bumping noise went on.

In January the season for hunting the baleen whale opens. This great mammal is the length of a railway carriage and is twice its weight. The backbone is about three feet in diameter and requires steam saws to cut it up. The meat of a single whale equals in weight the meat of a hundred cattle. From it we get edible oil, meat meal for animal feeding stuffs, meat extracts for flavouring soups and frozen meat for dog food. The value of these products from one whale is about £1,500. This whale, a big inoffensive animal, eats only plankton. It is his misfortune that he is so valuable, for there is every likelihood that in a few years he will be hunted to extinction.

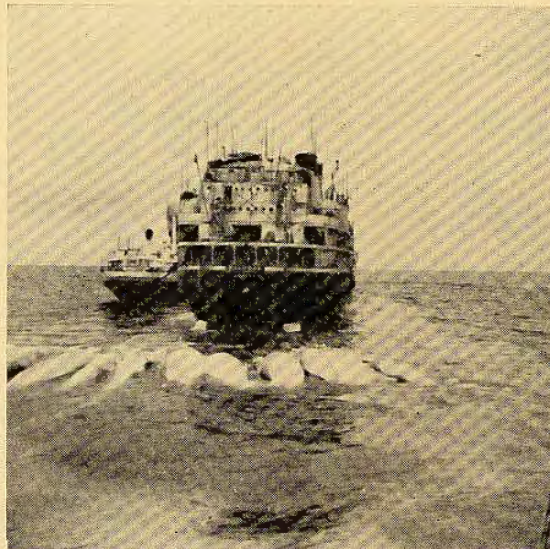
The men on the factory ship had worked twelve hours a day for seven days a week

continuously for three months. They were glad and ready for a rest when the season ended in mid-March. For the last two weeks the weather was bad and gales were frequent. The catchers had lost their paint and *Balaena* herself looked decidedly grubby. In the laboratory we began dismantling apparatus and writing our reports, while above, the temporary deck was broken up and thrown overboard. At last we could get the smell of food again unmixed with the smell of whale. And best of all, we were on our way home.

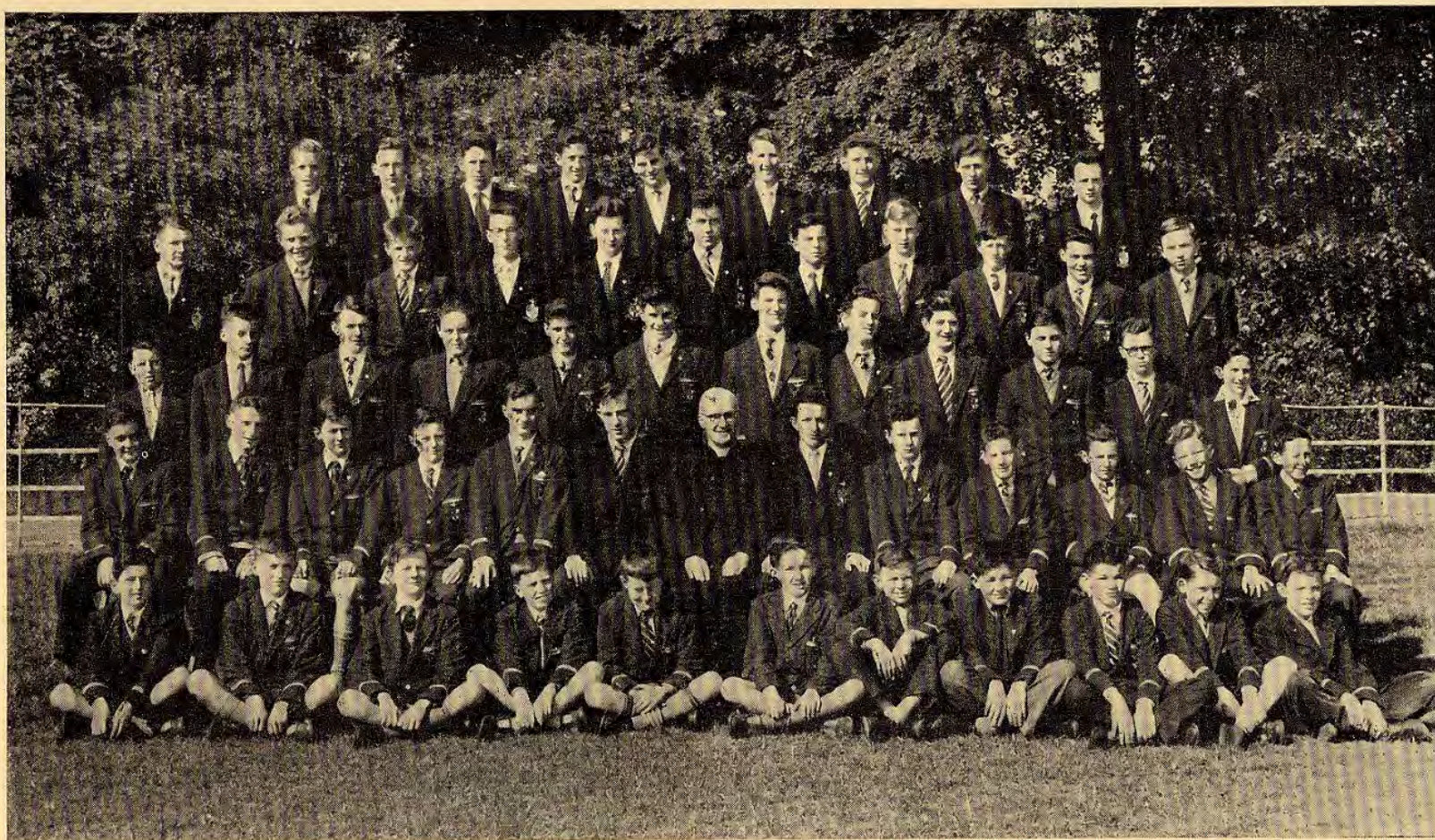
Shortly after St. Patrick's Day we arrived back in Table Bay. *Balaena's* melodious siren sent out a triumphant blast that echoed back from the rocks of Table

Mountain. Cape Town heard us, and when we tied up, the taxis were waiting on the quayside to take the excited crew on a spending spree. Gallons of fresh milk were drunk—nectar to men who had not tasted fresh milk for more than four long months.

Three weeks later Liverpool hove in sight—just fifty minutes away by air from Dublin and home! And it was good to be home again. Every place has its drawbacks, and the Antarctic is no exception. One great advantage it has over Europe, however—germs cannot live in ice. Some day perhaps tourists from Europe and America will flock to Antarctica seeking a cure for the common cold!



Dead whales ready to be hauled aboard the
factory ship *Balaena*



SENIOR SCHOOL PRIZE WINNERS

(Lafayette)

Front row : P. Doddy, D. Coveney, P. Davis, H. Keogh, K. Murphy, T. Sadlier, B. Bohill, F. Nagle, W. Cooper, P. Forde, B. Keating.

Seated : C. Montague, M. Hardy, B. Coleman, J. O'Conner, G. O'Grady, K. Byrne, Rev. W. O'Connor, C.S.Sp., Dean of Studies, M. Cullen
D. Elliott, G. Costello, B. Massy, N. Kearns, A. Earley.

Third row : T. McAuley, J. Lee, D. O'Sullivan, M. Glyan, E. Dunne, F. Dowling, J. Elliott, M. Costello, S. Cotter, N. Somers, P. Corrigan,
J. Doddy.

Fourth row : P. Banahan, G. Fanning, W. Byrne, F. Brady, H. Mulcahy, M. Somers, R. Murphy, J. Sheehan, S. Molloy, D. Cooper,
N. Connolly.

Back row : J. Jerrold, C. Hooper, P. Kavanagh, J. Murray, P. Harte, F. Brady, P. Keogh, S. Hutton, E. Coyle.

SENIOR SCHOOL PRIZE WINNERS

SPECIAL AWARDS :

St. Mary's College Union Gold Medals for General Excellence in Studies :

Year VI	...	Michael J. Cullen
Year IV	...	William G. Byrne

Good Conduct Gold Medal (*Father Tom Farrell Memorial*) :

Kevin Byrne

Religious Knowledge Gold Medal (*Father Ernest Farrell Memorial*) :

Jan Jerrold

Senior Honours List Medal : Francis Brady

Special Medal for nine years' unbroken attendance :

James Murray

BOOK PRIZES :

Honours List :

Year IV	...	William G. Byrne
Year III	...	David O'Sullivan
Year II	...	Patrick Davis
Year I	...	Barry Massey
"	...	Michael Forde

Religious Knowledge :

Year VI	...	Anthony Conal Hooper
Year V	...	Michael Somers
Year IV	...	Michael Hardy
"	...	Edward Dunne
Year III	...	Noel Somers
"	...	David O'Sullivan
Year II	...	Joseph O'Connor
"	...	Daniel Coveney
Year I	...	Paul Doddy
"	...	Michael Glynn

Irish :

Year VI	...	Seán Hutton
"	...	Francis Brady
Year V	...	Michael Somers
"	...	Fergus Brady
Year IV	...	Michael Hardy
"	...	Austin Crosby
Year III	...	Anthony Earley
"	...	Padraig Corrigan
Year II	...	Joseph O'Connor
"	...	Francis Nagle
Year I	...	Kieran Murphy
"	...	Hugh Keogh

General Merit :

Year VI	...	Peter Kavanagh, Peadar Keogh
"	...	James Murray, Eugene Coyle
Year V	...	Patrick Banahan, Robert Murphy,
"	...	Patrick Harte, Thomas Murphy, Hugh Mulcahy
Year IV	...	James Lee, Brian Cotter, Gerry Fanning,
"	...	James Elliott, Francis Dowling
Year III	...	Michael Costello, Niall Connolly, John Doddy,
"	...	Desmond Elliott, Shane Molloy, Donal Cooper
Year II	...	Brian Bohill, Gerard Montague, Joseph Sheehan,
"	...	Brian Coleman, William Cooper, Gabriel O'Grady
Year I	...	Barry Keating, Gerald Costello, Nicholas Kearns,
"	...	Thomas McAuley, Gabriel Palmer, Terence Sadlier



Mr. C. Wilson presenting James Murray with a special award for over nine years unbroken attendance at school

JUNIOR SCHOOL PRIZE WINNERS

General Excellence :

Alan Jerrold

Junior Five (Two classes)

David Liddy
Gerard Moloney
John Pyne
Philip Martin
Vincent O'Meara

Catechism Medal
Honours List Medal
First Place
Second Place
Third Place

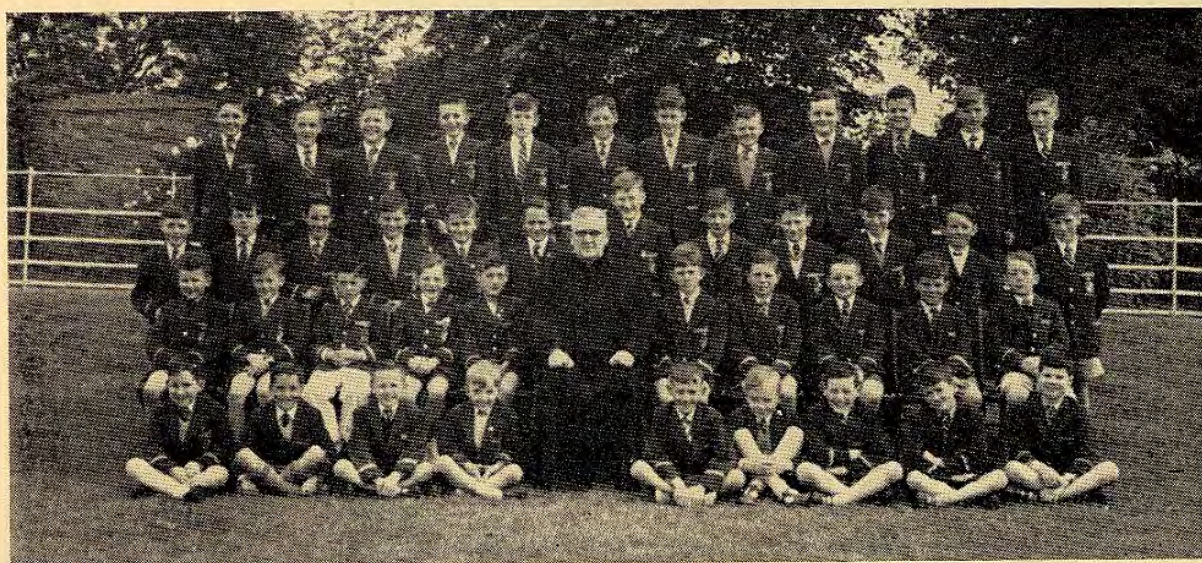
Kevin Martin
James Bracken
Thomas McCormick
Aidan Coleman
Paul Sheeran

Junior Four (Two classes)

Peter Caffrey
Desmond Cahill
James Conheady
Thomas Doddy
Gregory Murphy

Catechism Prize
Honours List Prize
First Place
Second Place
Third Place

John Dardis
Anthony Hughes
Timothy Murphy
Paul Anderson
Ronold Fair



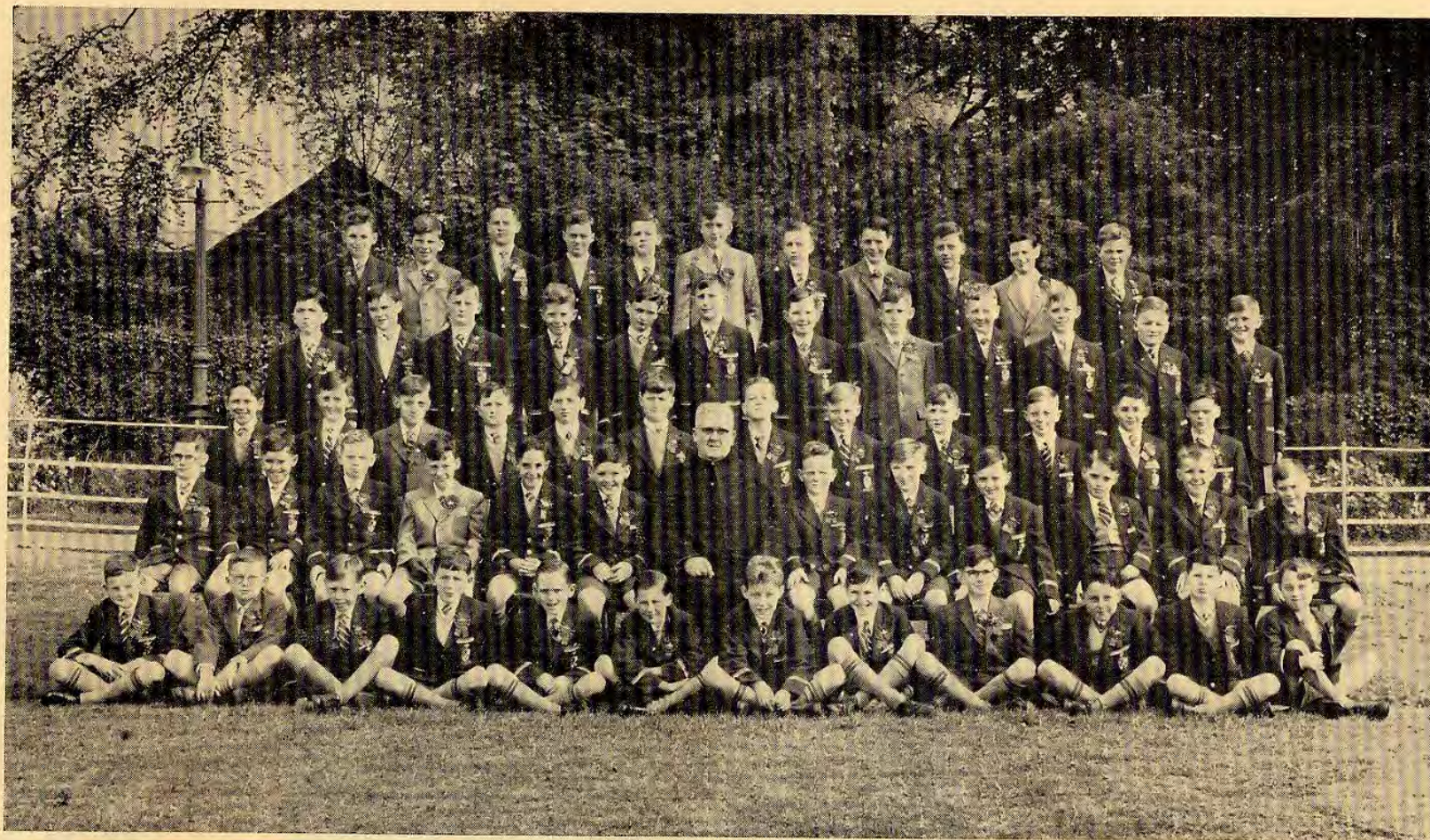
JUNIOR SCHOOL PRIZE WINNERS

Front row : F. Curran, F. Conheady, B. Massey, M. Butler, J. Keogh, F. Hanratty, J. Kelly, G. Madden, G. Murphy.

Seated : G. Byrne, J. Fanagan, C. O'Donnell, C. Noonan, J. Fearon, Fr. O'Brien, C.S.Sp., A. Bourke, F. Higgins, P. Sullivan, T. Moylan, R. Foley.

Third row : B. McKenna, M. Quinlan, R. Fair, T. Doddy, P. Martin, J. Conheady, D. Liddy, A. Jerrold, P. Sheeran, J. Pyne, J. Bulter, T. Hughes.

Back row : K. Martin, D. Sadlier, R. Butler, J. Bracken, D. Cahill, T. McCormick, P. Bourke, T. Murphy, V. O'Meara, A. Coleman, G. Moloney, P. Anderson.



JUNIOR SCHOOL CONFIRMATION GROUP

Lafayette

Front row : C. Lindsay, D. Walshe, J. Carroll, J. Meade, J. Clonheady, M. Whyte, R. Bailey, J. Maguire, C. O'Sullivan, V. Lynch, G. Murphy, R. Coghlan.

Seated : P. Caffrey, T. Doddy, M. O'Connor, R. Nash, R. Fair, G. Gilseman, P. Clerkin, T. Hughes, C. Jones, F. O'Connor, R. O'Callaghan, J. Connolly.

Third row : H. R. Murphy, J. Westby, D. Corrigan, D. Coleman, T. O'Brien, D. Lee, K. Jones, B. O'Connor, J. Sinnott, J. Fitzgerald, J. Naughton, P. O'Connell

Fourth row: D. Duffy, R. Nash, S. Hodgins, D. O'Loughlin, G. Sharvin, B. Godfrey, J. Dardis, D. Cahill, A. Diskin, J. Greene, H. O'Brien, G. Sadlier.

Back row : V. Farrell, F. O'Rourke, B. Hooper, D. Byrne, A. White, L. Peter, P. Anderson, R. Foley, D. O'Brien, N. O'Shea, A. Cass.

JUNIOR SCHOOL PRIZE WINNERS

Junior Three (Two classes)

Donal Sadlier
Frederick Murphy
Anthony Higgins
Terence Moylan
Robert Butler

Catechism Prize
Honours List Prize
First Place
Second Place
Third Place

Philip Bourke
Fergus Conheady
John Butler
Paul Sullivan
Michael Quinlan

Junior Two (Two classes)

Joseph Keogh
John Fearon
Francis Curran
Christopher Noonan
Gerard Byrne

Catechism Prize
Honours List Prize
First Place
Second Place
Third Place

Martin Butler
Brian Massey
John Fanagan
Bartolomew McKenna
Ciaran O'Donnell

Junior One

Catechism Prize
Honours List Prize
First Place
Second Place
Third Place

Robert Foley
James Kelly
Francis Hanratty
Annraidh Bourke
Gerard Madden

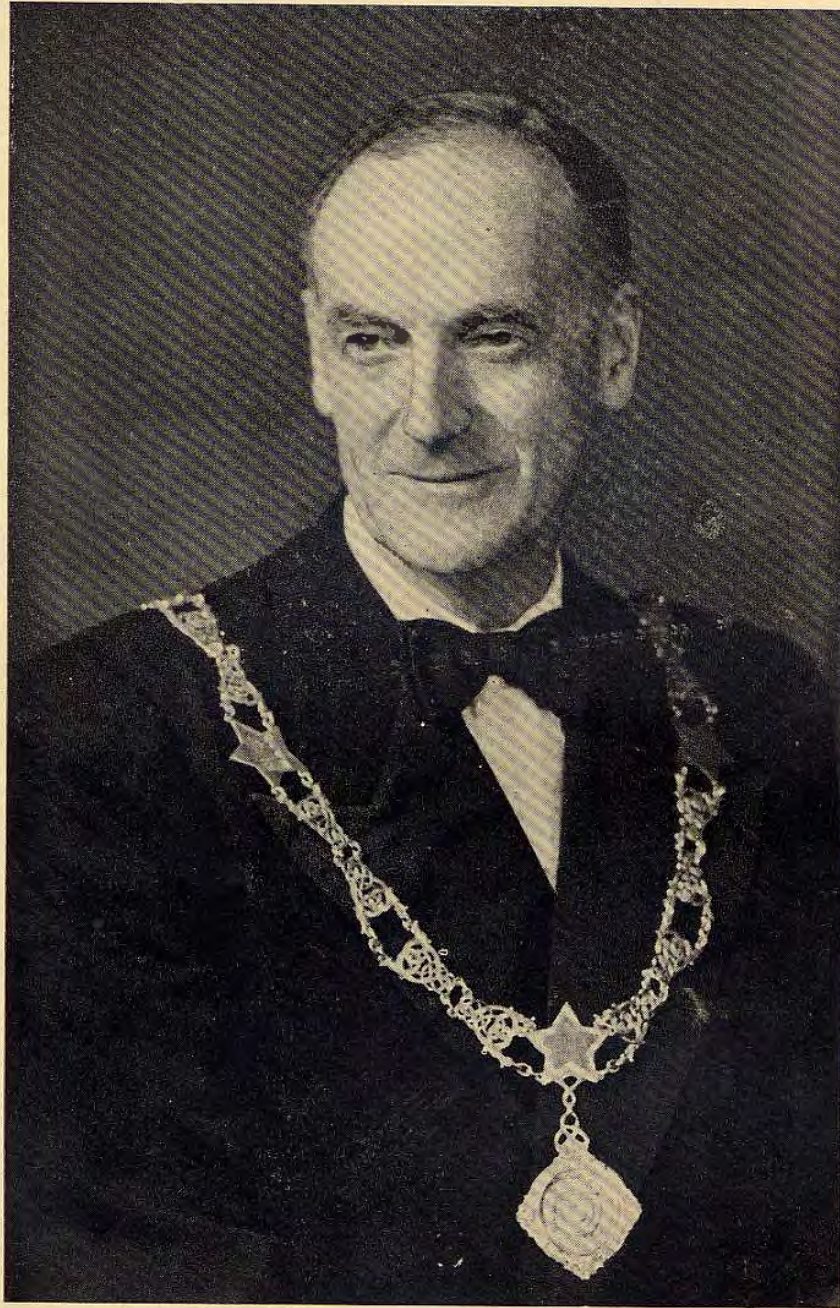
JUNIOR SCHOOL PRIZE DAY



Courtesy

Irish Independent

V. Rev. Fr. President congratulates Alan Jerrold,
winner of Medal for General Excellence



Lafayette

Mr. Patrick Tierney, President St. Mary's College Past Pupils' Union

PAST PUPILS' UNION

THE Annual General Meeting of the Union was held in St. Mary's College on 9th September, 1958. The following Officers and Committee were elected :

President : Patrick J. Tierney
Vice-President : Antony J. Dudley
Hon. Secretary : Thomas B. Kearns
Hon-Treasurer : Timothy W. Brooder

Members of the Committee :

Very Rev. M. Kennedy, C.S.Sp., Rev. W. Kennedy, C.S.Sp., Messrs. John Bowden, Desmond Dempsey, Raymond Joyce, Lauri Plunkett, Niall Reddy, Dermot P. Smyth, Charles T. Wilson, Michael O'Grady. Mr. Brian Whelan was co-opted to the Committee during the year.

Our efforts in the past year have been for the most part concentrated on getting our younger members, particularly those just leaving school, interested in the different activities of the Union and its affiliated bodies. We are glad to record that we have met with success, due in no small measure to the encouragement and leadership of our Union President, Mr. Patrick Tierney. We thank him most sincerely.

The Union—Rugby Club Dance was held in the Shelbourne Hotel on Friday, 17th October, 1958. This was our first combined effort and the attendance of close on 400 was a tribute to the energy and enthusiasm of a very capable and hard working Dance Committee.

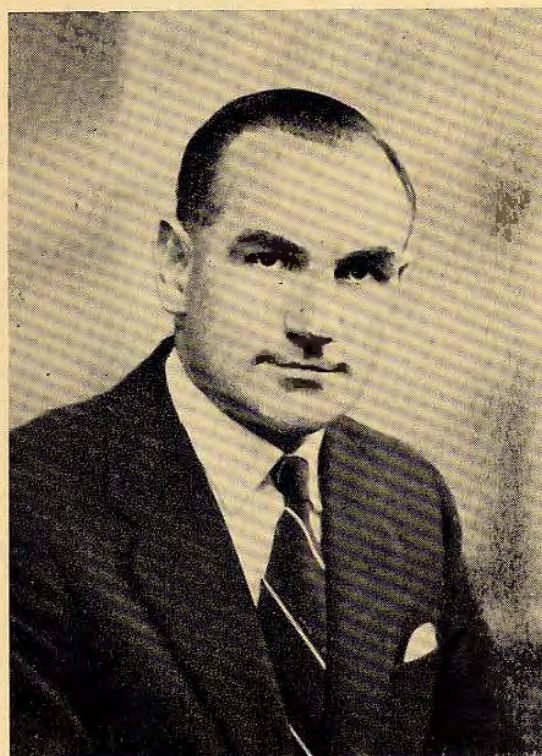
The Annual Mass for the deceased members of the Union was celebrated in the College Chapel on Sunday, 2nd November.

Well over a hundred members and guests attended the Annual Dinner in the Dolphin Hotel on Wednesday, 3rd December. The President, Mr. Patrick Tierney, in proposing the toast of the College said that in this country we were blessed with "an army of educationalists of whom we can be justly

proud." St. Mary's, he said, stood in the front rank of the teaching colleges where the minds of the young were developed according to the Christian concept of education. Referring to the duties of parents, Mr. Tierney stated that there was a tendency to skimp home education and to allow children to develop according to their own devices. This was a false concept of parental responsibility and was the cause of much juvenile delinquency. "Spare the rod and spoil the child may be an outmoded proverb," said Mr. Tierney, "but there must be some control of children."

The Annual Turkey Drive was held in the College, by kind permission of the Rev. President, on Sunday, 14th December. There were ninety-six tables as compared with fifty-six last year—an increase which reflects great credit on the energetic Committee who also got together a most attractive array of prizes.

The attendance at the Annual Week-End Retreat which was held in St. Doulough's



MR. THOMAS B. KEARNS, B.E.

Hon. Secretary, St. Mary's College Union

Retreat House, Raheny 18th—19th April was disappointing. It is to be hoped that the efforts of the Retreat Organizers will meet with more success next year.

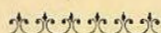
The Past relay team was beaten by the Present at the College Sports held in Kenilworth Square on June 7th, 1959. Well, there is always next year!

We congratulate one of our most active and most loyal Union members, Dermot P. Smyth, who was awarded the Silver Medal of the Royal Institute of Architects

of Ireland for work of outstanding merit in housing.

We wish to thank the Very Rev. President, Dr. Michael Kennedy, C.S.Sp., for the kindness and hospitality which he has shown to the officers and members of the Union on every possible occasion. The bond of friendship which exists between the College Authorities and our Past Pupils ranks second to none.

THOMAS B. KEARNS
Hon. Secretary



UNION GOLFING SOCIETY

Three very enjoyable outings were held during the year, and teams were entered for the Union of Irish Schools Cup and the Lorcán Sherlock Cup competitions.

The Captain's (Mr. Tim Brooder) Prize was played for at the Grange in June, 1958, and was won by Mr. Joe Leavy with a two up.

The Union Cup was played for at Greystones in September and attracted a record entry of thirty competitors. This trophy was won by Fr. Seagrave who came all the way from Africa to take the prize from the local sharks. Fr. Seagrave's marker, Paddy Fearon, reports that St. Anthony must have had a hand in the result, as Fr. Seagrave's ball, though frequently in "the rough" and in most awful clumps of bushes, was always sitting up prettily when they found it, just asking for another clout.

An innovation this year was the Turkey Competition held at the Curragh in December. This was played over nine holes and was won by Brendan Lynch. It is to be hoped that in the coming year we shall see more of the younger members taking part in the outings which are always enjoyable.

BRENDAN LYNCH
Hon. Secretary

AN CUMANN LITEARTHA

TIONÓLADH ceithre chruinniú i mbliana agus cé go raibh saghas eagla ar gach aoinne ar dtús d'éiríomar níos taithiúlaí agus ag deireadh na bliana bhí diospóireacht an-mhaith againn ar fad. Toghadh rún a bheadh oiriúnach do scoláirí i gcónaí. Tar éis na cainteoirí seasta bhí seans ag cách labhairt.

B'iad seo leanas na hoifigigh i mbliana :

Uachtarán : Seán Hutton

Rúnaí : Diarmuid Ó Dochartaigh

Coiste : Aindrias MacDomhnaill, Pádraig Ó Beannacháin, Deaglán Mac Giolla Seanáin.

Chruinnigh an Cumann don chéad uair Dé Sathairn 27 : 9 : 1958. Sé an rún a bhí againn ná '*Go mba cheart d'Eirinn a cuid scannán féin agus a teilifís féin a bheith aici*'. Labhair Mícheál Ó Cóilín, Diarmuid Ó Dochartaigh, Aindrias Mac Domhnaill, Aodh Ó Maolchatha ar thaobh, agus Seán Hutton, Pádraig Ó Beannacháin, Mícheál Mac Samhráin, Proinsias Hardiman i gcoinne. Theip ar an rún.

Ar 17 : 10 : 1958 bhí de rún againn : '*Go mba cheart d'Eirinn deachtóir a bheith aici*.' B'iad an cainteoirí seasta ná : Deaglán Mac Giolla Seanáin, Pól Mac Dáibhíd, Liam Ó Broin, Seán de Brún ar thaobh ; agus

i gcoinne : Peadar Mac Eochaigh, Daithí Mac Siúrtáin. Labhair freisin an tAthair U. Ó Cinnéide agus an tAthair S. O Muirthile. Bhí argóintí ar thaobh agus ar thaobh eile. Ar aon chuma bhí diospóireacht bhreá bhríomhar againn agus bhíomar sásta léi. Theip ar an rún.

Bhí an tríú cruinniú againn 28 : 2 : 1959 fán rún : '*Go bhfuil an Laidin níos tábhachtaí ná na Eolaíocht*.' Theip ar an rún.

Ar Marta 14 bhí an chruinniú dheireannach againn, an ceann ab fhearr. Chuir an slua mór suim sa rún—an rún chéanna. B'iad na cainteoirí seasta ná : Pádraig Ó Beannacháin, Aindrias Mac Domhnaill, Roderic O Murchadha, Diarmuid Ó Dochartaigh, Deaglán Mac Giolla Seanáin, agus Mícheál Mac Samhráin. Bhí blas breá cainte ar chách an oíche seo. Labhair mórán ón úrlár freisin. Theid ar an rún arís.

Táimid buíoch san Choiste don Athair Ó Fiaich a bhí mar chathaoirleach againn agus dos na hAithreacha a fhreastail ar na diospóireachtaí. Fé dheireadh táimid buíoch dos na buachaillí a tháinig agus a labhair.

DIARMUID Ó DOCHARTAIGH

Rúnaí

2/6/1959

FICHEALL

I rith na bliana 1958-1959 chláraigh ár dhá bhfoireann mar is gná i gComortas Fichille na Meánscoil i Laighin. Seisear a bhí ar gach foireann acu, mar atá, Deaglán Downer (caiptín na sinsear), Seán Loughrey, Eoin Hussey, Daithí Mac Siúrtáin, Pádraig Ó Beannacháin, Mícheál Mac Samhráin, Eoin O Dúdaí (caiptín an sóisear), Domhnall Bláir, Cóilín Hainbach, Mícheál Coistealbh, Barra O Súilleabháin, Daithí O Súilleabháin.

D'imríomar i gcoinne Scoil O Conaill, Coláiste Belvedere, Rae an Iarthair, Coláiste Mhuire, Sráid Singe, Baile na Manach, Dún Laoghaire, Coláiste Tír an Iubair, Coláiste Stratford. De dheasca an tslaghdáin a bhuaill sinn i lár an chéad téarma ní raibh lán-fhoireann ag furmhór na scoileanna dos na cluichí go léir. Chruthaigh ár n-imirtheoirí go maith.

Seachas na comortaisí idir-scoileanna ritheadh comortaisí san choláiste féin. Cé gur bhuaigh buachaillí an fhoirinn oifigiúla go héasca (is de bharr a bhfeabhas sna cluichí seo a tognadh iad) bhain mórán eile taitneamh astu, go bhfiú na *dilettantes* nach raibh de spéis acu san bhficheall ach cartheamb aimsire i gcóir lae fhlich.



LOURDES PILGRIM GROUP

- Front row :* P. Berry, B. Coleman, P. Corrigan, L. Cassidy, P. Vaughan, J. Kinahan, M. Kinahan.
- Second row :* S. Molloy, R. Cusack, D. O'Sullivan, D. O'Meara, M. Costelloe, B. Lea, J. Fanning N. Groome, B. Evers.
- Third row :* Fr W. O'Connor, C.S.Sp., R. Murphy, S. O'Connell, N. Flavin, S. Loughrey, D. Burke, A. Costelloe, E. Bills, Fr. F. Barry, C.S.Sp.
- Fourth row :* D. Mooney, E. McHenry, B. O'Connell, O. Kelly, E. O'Neill, L. Birkett, J. Hussey.
- Back row :* D. O'Doherty, J. Kenny, N. Kennedy, S. Lynch, P. Kinahan, M. Hogan.

PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 1958

by

SEAN O'CONNELL

Fifth Year

IT IS almost a year since our Pilgrimage to Lourdes, but every city and port we passed through and every incident that occurred is as clear in my memory as it was on the day we returned. I remember the crossing from the North Wall to Liverpool during which hardly anyone slept a wink from excitement, and our arrival in London after a delightful coach tour through some of the most beautiful and historic towns in England—Chester, Stratford-on-Avon, Oxford, to mention but a few of them. I recall the exciting sea trip from Newhaven to Dieppe, and the interesting train journey across Northern France, and then our first sight of the Eiffel Tower and Paris! How we enjoyed our first French meal in that little restaurant not far from the Gare St. Lazare. But clearest of all in my memory are those five wonderful days in Lourdes itself.

We arrived there, I remember, at about 6.30 in the morning after the longest rail journey I had ever experienced. We had left Paris at 9.00 o'clock the previous night and had journeyed through the French countryside at speeds approaching 80 m.p.h. When we awoke from a fitful sleep, the scenery had changed from undulating pasturage to thickly wooded slopes and swift-flowing streams, and in the distance the higher peaks of the Pyrenees stood out snow-capped against the morning sky.

We had our first view of Massabielle from the train as we passed on the opposite side of the beautiful river Gave, and even at that early hour people could be seen kneeling in the shadow of the towering Basilica. Some seconds later we were in Lourdes itself and we went immediately to our hotel in the *rue de la Grotto* where we had breakfast—an enormous cup of coffee, fresh rolls and butter. Soon we were exploring the town, gazing in amazement and not a little disappointment at the multitude of stalls and shops displaying their colorful wares, souvenirs of all kinds—religious

and otherwise. They seemed to cover every street in Lourdes, and each one appeared to be almost an exact replica of its neighbour.

It was when we went down to the Grotto that we realised why people come here from all corners of the world. I shall not attempt to describe the atmosphere that pervades this place where Our Lady appeared one hundred years ago. I can only repeat the words of everyone who has been to Lourdes: "You feel that Our Lady is there." That night we walked in the torchlight procession. It too almost defies description—a moving mass of tiny pinpoints of light, thousands of fervent voices chanting the Ave Maria—truly an inspiring experience.

Altogether we spend five memorable days in Lourdes during which we took part in all the devotions—Masses, processions, frequent visits to the Grotto—and mingled with pilgrims from many lands who brought home to us strikingly the Universality of the Catholic Church. And we went on two excursions, one to Gavarnie, a little town in the Pyrenees set amid some of the loveliest scenery in the world, and the second to the subterranean caves at Betharram—a most impressive experience.

On the evening of the fifth day we paid our last visit to the Grotto and when we had packed our bags we said a regretful good-bye to Lourdes and set out on the long fatiguing train journey for Paris. We arrived early next morning, assisted at Mass in *Rue du Bac*—another shrine favoured by Our Lady in her apparition to St. Catherine Labouré—and after breakfast we visited some of the famous churches of Paris. In the afternoon we went on a coach-tour of the city taking in the Arc de Triomphe, Les Invalides, Notre Dame Cathedral, the Sorbonne, the Opera, the Louvre, the Place de la Concorde, and many of the other famous sights and monuments of the beautiful capital city of France.

Next day we took the train for Dieppe whence we travelled to London. Here we spent a night before setting out on the last lap of our journey home. The coach-tour from London to Liverpool took in the old Roman town of St. Albans and the little town of Lichfield where we visited the beautiful pre-Reformation Cathedral. We all

slept soundly between Liverpool and Dublin, and when I awoke the grey light was streaming through the open port-hole. Yawning, I went on deck and discovered that we were already in sight of the harbour of Dublin. Yes, I reflected sleepily, it was a thrilling tour, but it is good to be home.

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Missionary Annals

Cardinal Montini distributes Holy Communion to the sick

Marriages

Our sincere congratulations and good wishes to the following Past Pupils who were married during the year June 1958—May 1959 :

HARRY ARDIFF to Miss Maeve Browne
 KEVIN BATT to Miss Stephanie Kenna
 JOHN BOWDEN to Miss Kitty Purcell
 TIMOTHY BROODER to Miss Kathleen Doyle
 THOMAS BROWNE to Miss Patricia Molloy
 FREDERICK COGLEY to Miss Madeleine White
 NICHOLAS CORRIGAN to Miss Barbara Pomroy-Colley
 LEO FITZSIMON to Miss Dympna Stokes
 LEO GIBNEY to Miss Kathleen Kiernan
 TIMOTHY HARRINGTON to Miss Marion Power
 JACK HENNESSY to Miss Mary Lowry
 JUNIUS HORNE to Miss Patricia Cassidy
 PAT MCCARTHY to Miss Jeannette Naughton
 JOHN McLOUGHLIN to Miss Anna McGovern
 EDWARD MOONEY to Miss Patricia McKeown
 BRIAN O'NEILL to Miss Eileen O'Neill
 KERRY O'ROURKE to Miss Philomena Dillon
 GERALD REYNOLDS to Miss Anna Mays
 TERRY GIBNEY to Miss Alice Campbell



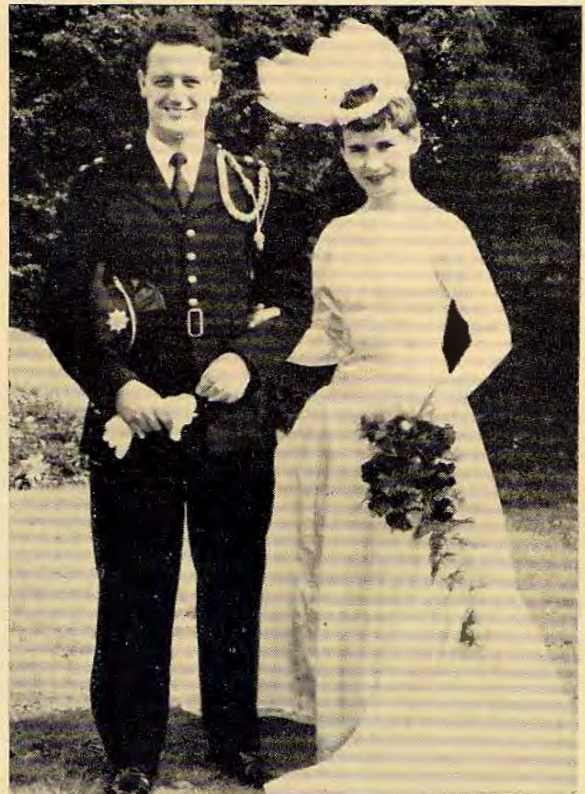
MR. AND MRS. PAT MCCARTHY



MR. AND MRS. BRIAN O'NEILL



MR. AND MRS. GERRY REYNOLDS



LT. AND MRS. TIM HARRINGTON



MR. AND MRS. NICK CORRIGAN



MR. AND MRS. JOHN BOWDEN



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MR. AND MRS. LEO GIBNEY



MR. AND MRS. HARRY ARDIFF



MR. AND MRS. KERRY O'ROURKE



MR. AND MRS. FRED COGLEY



MR. AND MRS. LEO FITZSIMON



Lafayette

SIXTH YEAR

Seated : C. Mangan, M. McGlade, A. Kelly, P. Rossi, Mr. B. Kelly, C.S.Sp., Rev. F. Barry, C.S.Sp., Rev. W. O'Connor, C.S.Sp., Mr. M. Nagle, P. Cullen, M. Cullen, B. O'Sullivan, E. Veale, C. Hooper.

Second row : F. Hardiman, L. Birkett, R. Nolan, T. Maher, D. Curtis, N. Kennedy, B. Quinn, L. Heagney, B. Corrigan, K. Byrne, P. Beare, J. Jerrold.

Third row : P. Kinahan, M. Jones, E. McMahon, H. Roche, B. Murphy, L. Roche, J. Keating, M. Hogan, P. Kavanagh, E. Quin, J. Browne, J. Sheerin.

Back row : D. Neary, J. Kenny, S. Lynch, J. Murray, F. O'Donovan, F. Brady, R. Murphy, P. Keogh, S. Hutton, E. Coyle.

PUBLIC EXAMINATION RESULTS 1958

LEAVING CERTIFICATE

Cronin, Terence	<i>Honours :</i> French, Physics. <i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, Chemistry.
Daly, Geoffrey	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Commerce.
Davey, Peter	<i>Honours :</i> English, French, Geography. <i>Pass :</i> Irish, Mathematics, Latin, Drawing.
Demery, Patrick	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, History, Geography, Commerce.
Doran, Maurice	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, History, Geography, Commerce.
Gogan, Niall	<i>Honours :</i> English, Chemistry, Commerce. <i>Pass :</i> Irish, Mathematics, Latin, Physics.
Joyce, Raymond	<i>Honours :</i> French. <i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, Chemistry, Drawing.
Kelly, James	<i>Honours :</i> English. <i>Pass :</i> Irish, Mathematics, Latin, French, Geography, Drawing.
Lynch, Patrick	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, History, Geography, Drawing.
McCarthy, Maurice	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, Chemistry.
McLaughlin, Brian	<i>Honours :</i> Chemistry.
Montague, Christopher	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, French, History, Geography.
Mullan, Donal	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Geography, Commerce, Drawing.
O'Carroll, Liam	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, French, Geography, Chemistry, Drawing.
O'Connell, Brian	<i>Honours :</i> Geography, Drawing. <i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Latin, French, History.
O'Flaherty, Michael	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, French, Geography, Physics.
O'Flynn, Diarmuid	<i>Honours :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, French, Physics, Chemistry.
O'Grady, Michael	<i>Honours :</i> English, French, Geography. <i>Pass :</i> Irish, Mathematics, Latin, History, Drawing.
Reynolds, Stephen	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, History, Geography, Commerce, Drawing.
Sadlier, Joseph	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Commerce.
Sheerin, Brian	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, French, Chemistry, Geography.
Shiel, Anthony	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Drawing.
Smyth, John	<i>Honours :</i> Physics. <i>Pass :</i> Irish, Mathematics, Chemistry, Commerce.
Teehan, Richard	<i>Pass :</i> Irish, English, History, Geography, Commerce, Drawing.



FIFTH YEAR

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- Seated :* J. Hussey, D. Ryan, D. Fair, Mr. P. McCabe, Rev. P. Murray, C.S.Sp., Rev. W. Kennedy, C.S.Sp., Mr. M. Nagle, R. Murphy, D. Gilsenan, R. Cusack, P. Davey.
- Second row :* D. Jordan, F. Brady, K. Uhlemann, A. McDonnell, E. Rafter, S. Loughrey, M. Traynor, S. Hardiman, S. O'Connell, P. Banahan.
- Third row :* D. Mooney, B. Lea, A. O'Connell, H. Mulcahy, R. McGregor, D. O'Doherty, P. O'Shea, V. Walshe, D. Burke.
- Back row :* N. Greene, P. Robinson, L. Hardy, H. Cassidy, R. Carvill, P. Harte, J. McMahon, K. McGuinness, M. Somers.

INTERMEDIATE CERTIFICATE

Banahan, Patrick	<i>Honours :</i>	Irish, English, Latin, French, History and Geography, Science.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Mathematics.
Brady, Fergus	<i>Honours :</i>	English, History and Geography, Science ;
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Latin, French, Mathematics.
Burke, Dermot	<i>Honours :</i>	History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics.
Byrne, William	<i>Honours :</i>	English, Mathematics, Latin, History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, French, Drawing.
Garvill, Robert	<i>Honours :</i>	Mathematics, Latin, French, Science.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, History and Geography.
Cassidy, Hugh	<i>Honours :</i>	History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Science.
Cotter, Brian	<i>Honours :</i>	History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, French, Science.
Cusack, Richard	<i>Honours :</i>	English, Latin, French, History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Mathematics, Science.
Davey, Paul	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Latin, French, History and Geography.
Doyle, Hilary	<i>Honours :</i>	History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, Drawing.
Fair, David	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Drawing.
Fanning, Gerald	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, French, History and Geography.
Flanagan, Norman	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, Science.
Gilsenan, Declan	<i>Honours :</i>	English, Mathematics, Latin, French, History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Science.
Hardy, Liam	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, French, History and Geography, Drawing.
Harte, Patrick	<i>Honours :</i>	English, Mathematics, Latin, French, History and Geography, Drawing.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish.
Hooper, Michael	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, History and Geography.
Hussey, John	<i>Honours :</i>	Mathematics, French, Science.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Latin, History and Geography.
Jordan, David	<i>Honours :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, French, History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Drawing.
Keenan, Michael	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, History and Geography, Drawing.
Kennedy, Patrick	<i>Honours :</i>	History and Geography, Science.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics.
Kenny, David	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, History and Geography, Drawing.
Lea, Brian	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, History and Geography, Science.
Lee, James	<i>Honours :</i>	English, Latin, French.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Mathematics, History and Geography, Drawing.
Loughrey, Sean	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, French, History and Geography, Science.
McCarron, David,	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, History and Geography, Science.
McDonnell, Andrew	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, History and Geography, Science.
McGregor, Roy	<i>Honours :</i>	English, History and Geography, Science.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Mathematics, Latin.



FOURTH YEAR

Lafayette

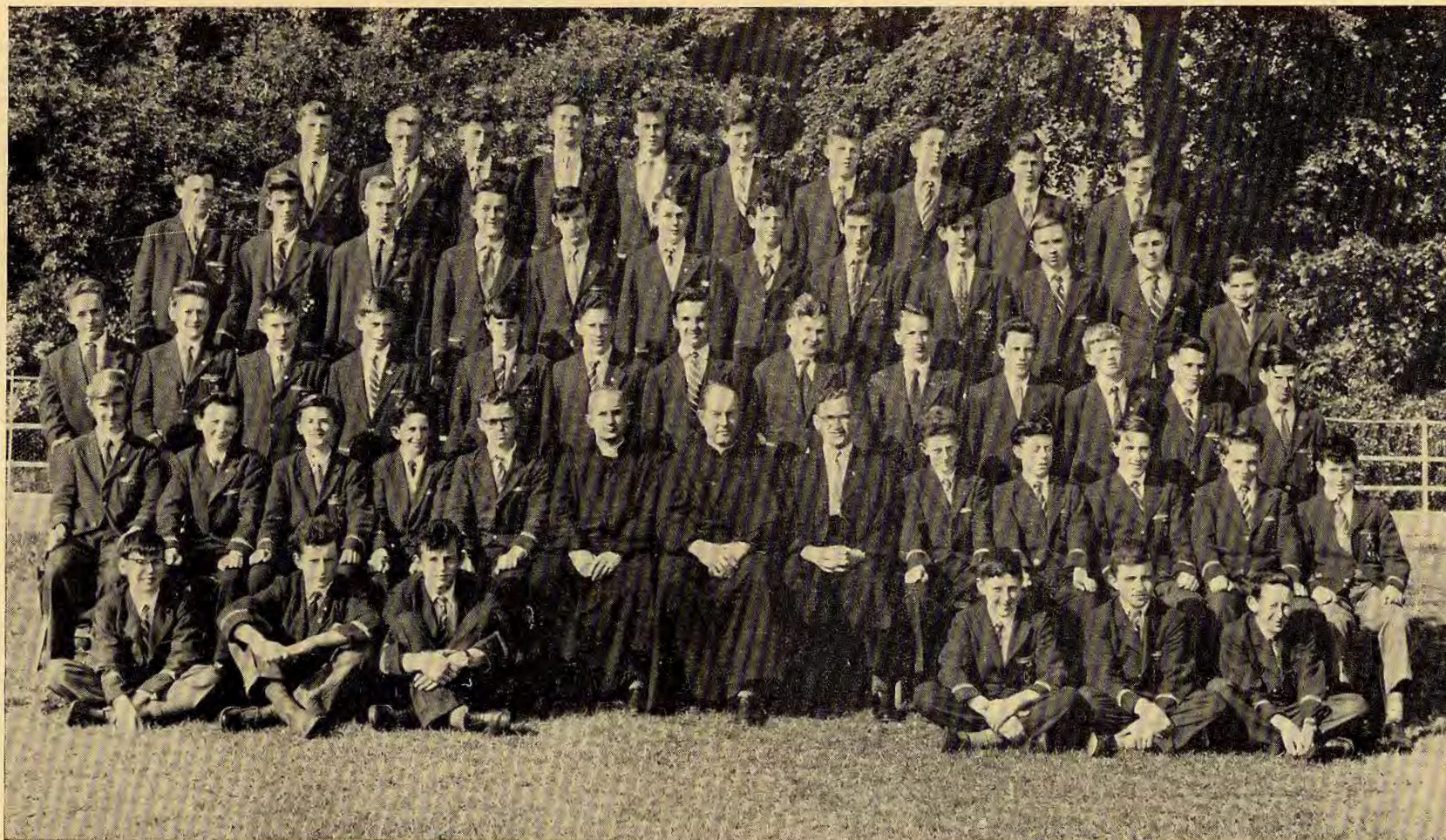
Seated : F. Maguire, I. Hutton, M. Hardy, A. Bannon, D. Ronaldson, Mr. A. Barrett, Rev. A. O'Carroll, C. S. Sp., Mr. V. O'Grady, C.S.Sp. J. Walsh, H. Doyle, O. Crilly, P. Keogh, B. O'Donovan.

Second row : W. Esdale, J. Lee, M. Hooper, P. Bourke, T. Burke, D. Kirby, F. Dowling, J. MacDwyer, K. Masson, C. Doyle, D. Nagle, M. Hoey, F. Daly, G. Stack.

Third row : E. Egan, E. Fitzgerald, G. Fanning, J. Bohan, D. Blair, N. Flanagan, B. Cotter, T. Foran, R. Mahon, B. Moloney, J. Norton, C. Bailey.

Back row : W. Byrne, D. Bradshaw, E. Fitzgerald, J. Elliott, D. Rossi, E. Cuddihy, T. Murphy, D. O'Meara, E. Dunne, E. Mill-Arden, B. Williams.

McGuinness, Kevin	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, History and Geography, Science.
McMahon, Heber	<i>Honours :</i>	English, Mathematics.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Latin, French, History and Geography, Drawing.
Mooney, Desmond	<i>Honours :</i>	English,
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Latin, History and Geography, Drawing.
Mulcahy, Hugh	<i>Honours :</i>	Manual Instruction.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, History and Geography, Drawing.
Murphy, Robert	<i>Honours :</i>	Irish, English, French, Science.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Latin, Mathematics, History and Geography.
Murphy, Terence	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, History and Geography.
Murphy, Thomas	<i>Honours :</i>	English.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Mathematics, French, History and Geography.
O'Carroll, Anthony	<i>Honours :</i>	Latin.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, French, History and Geography, Drawing.
O'Connell, Aidan	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, History and Geography, Drawing.
O'Connell, John	<i>Honours :</i>	English,
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Mathematics, French, History and Geography, Science.
O'Connor, Daniel	<i>Honours :</i>	English, Latin, History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Mathematics, French, Science.
O'Doherty, Diarmuid	<i>Honours :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, French, History and Geography, Science.
O'Meara, Desmond	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, French, History and Geography, Science.
O'Shea, Patrick	<i>Honours :</i>	Mathematics.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Latin, French, History and Geography, Drawing.
Rafter, Edward	<i>Honours :</i>	English, Mathematics, French, History and Geography, Science.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Latin
Robinson, Patrick	<i>Honours :</i>	History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Drawing.
Ronaldson, David	<i>Honours :</i>	Latin, History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, French, Drawing.
Rossi, David	<i>Honours :</i>	Latin, History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, French, Science.
Sheerin, Patrick	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, History and Geography, Drawing.
Somers, Michael	<i>Honours :</i>	Irish, English, Mathematics, Latin, French, History and Geography, Science.
Walsh, Vincent	<i>Honours :</i>	English, History and Geography.
	<i>Pass :</i>	Irish, Mathematics, Latin, French, Drawing.



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THIRD YEAR

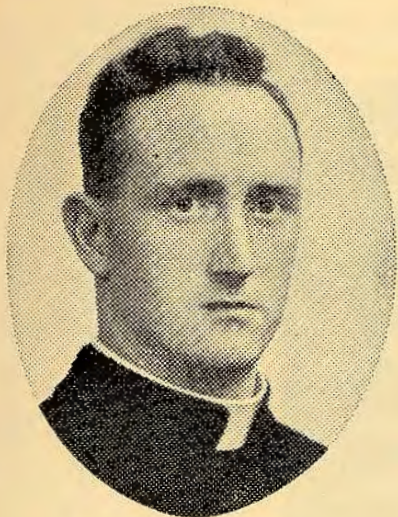
Front row : K. McDonagh, D. Elliott, N. Toner, B. Kelly, J. McCarthy, A. Earley.

Seated : A. Cassidy, B. Fanning, J. Cahill, J. Doddy, P. Corrigan, Mr. V. O'Grady, C.S.Sp., Rev. M. Maiben, C.S.Sp., Mr. P. McMurrough, P. Keenan, G. Savage, H. Gaffney, B. Williams, P. Byrne.

Third row : C. Blair, C. Duncan, A. Price, N. Groom, S. Molloy, B. Moran, G. Fleming, P. Quin, A. Costello, J. Henderson, E. Mullan, D. Cooper, M. Lane.

Fourth row : J. O'Halloran, E. White, B. Murphy, W. Reidy, D. O'Sullivan, J. McCormick, H. McGowan, W. Cronin, N. Connolly, N. Somers, T. Rafter.

Back row : D. Ryan, A. Hickie, D. Byrne, P. Best, D. Hickie, E. Swendell, W. Sheppard, M. Costello, S. Murphy, P. Donovan,



THE AUTHOR

Fr. Cyril was a welcome visitor to St. Mary's during his holiday at home. We congratulate him on his work in Pugu and wish him every blessing.

MANY people have asked me since I came home on leave what school life is like in Africa. It is not the kind of question one can answer on the spur of the moment or in a few sentences. In this article I have tried to give some aspects of life in the College where I have had the privilege of working since 1953.

St. Francis' College is situated at a place called Pugu which is about twelve miles from Dar es Salaam, the capital of Tanganyika. The College belongs to the eighteen Bishops of the Territory and the best boys from their dioceses are chosen by public examination to come to Pugu and study for six years. There are more than a hundred tribes in the country, and so you can understand that there are representatives of many tribes in the school. Each tribe has its own tribal language, and most tribes also speak Kiswahili, which is the *lingua franca* of East Africa. In view of the fact that all the public examinations are conducted entirely in English, the boys in the College are obliged to speak English at all times, whether they are in class, or recreation or doing manual work.

On the whole the boys are older than boys in a Secondary School in Europe. They have long distances to travel to school when they are young and their parents will not allow

AT SCHOOL IN TANGANYIKA

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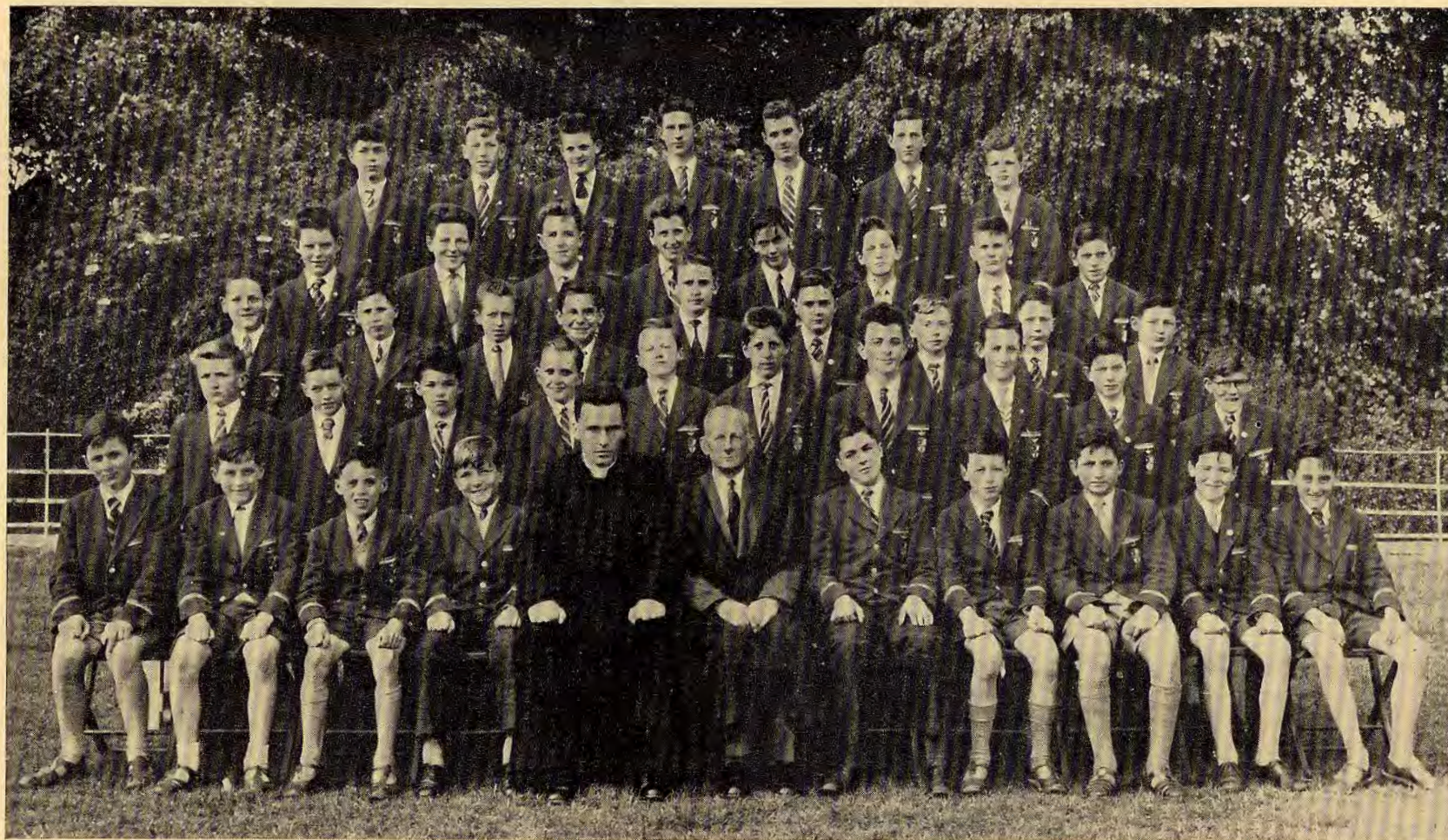
FR. CYRIL BYRNE, C.S.Sp.

them away from home until they are able to take care of themselves. However, with the growth in the number of schools the age of boys entering Secondary School is gradually getting lower. At present the youngest would be between fifteen and sixteen. The Senior Class is composed of young men of twenty-one and twenty-two.

In Form IV the boys sit for the Cambridge School Certificate examination—roughly equivalent to the Matriculation examination in Ireland. In Form VI they sit for the Higher School Certificate which corresponds to the First Year University examination here. If they do well in this examination they are eligible for Government Scholarships to Makerere College in Kampala, Uganda, which is a constituent College of London University. There they can take degrees in Arts, Science, Agriculture and Medicine. There are over seventy St. Francis' College boys reading various courses at the University at present.

Now a word about the daily routine at the College. The boys rise at 6.0 a.m. every morning. Prayers in the Chapel and Holy Mass follow at 6.15 a.m. Morning study follows Mass, and breakfast is at 7.30 a.m. The dormitories must be tidied and beds made up before class, which begins at 8.0 a.m. There is a short break of fifteen minutes at 10.15 a.m. and then class continues until 1.0 p.m. when there is a long break for lunch. Recreation is not taken at this time of the day because it is much too warm for any kind of exercise. The boys usually spend their free time after lunch reading, taking a siesta, or just sitting around out of the sun talking in groups. Meetings of various school societies are held at this time, viz. Legion of Mary, Geographical, Historical, Biological, Sociological Societies, Art School, Drama Group, etc.

Afternoon classes begin at 2.30 p.m. and continue until 4.0 p.m. when the whole



SECOND YEAR

Lafayette

Seated : B. Coleman, D. Coveney, J. Boland, C. Hainbach, Mr. B. O'Brien, C.S.Sp., Mr. A. Barrett, N. Keane, D. Collison, P. Cusack, P. Berry, N. Burke.

Second row : P. McLoughlin, U. Fitzgerald, W. Cooper, F. Mooney, J. O'Connor, B. Evers, K. Dunphy, P. O'Reilly, J. McGetrick, D. Joyce.

Third row : J. O'Hagan, L. Farrell, J. Costello, B. Sharpe, G. Mangan, G. Montague, R. Harrington, A. Cogan, F. Nagle.

Fourth row : M. Leahy, J. Glynn, D. Moloney, A. Murray, N. Carty, R. Brennan, A. Vaughan, B. Glynn.

Back row : K. Corrigan, E. Bills, B. Heagney, D. Hooper, M. Byrne, D. Kenny, C. Walsh.

school turns out for thirty minutes manual work. Apart from the cooks, there are no paid servants in the College and all the work of washing and sweeping the building and keeping the grounds clean and the grass cut is done by the boys themselves. I need not tell you that this half hour is not a very popular one in the school, but it is a most important one from the point of view of character training. It gives the boys a certain pride in the appearance of the school and it inculcates habits of tidiness which will be very important for them when they set up their own homes later on.

Games are played from 4.30 p.m. until 6.0 p.m. Rugby is not played owing to the condition of the ground, which for most of the year is as hard as concrete. Soccer is the most popular of all the school games and the standard is very high. It is true that the boys play football in their bare feet but believe me they can kick a ball just as hard as a person wearing football boots. They are much more agile without boots and they have wonderful ball control, their toes being almost as dexterous as our fingers. The tempo of their game is fantastic at times and very few Europeans can play with them simply because they cannot stand the pace. Volley-ball is also played, but next to soccer in popularity comes Basket-ball, and in this game the Africans excel. As some of the tribes are extremely tall, it is not difficult to have a school team of six-footers. The Africans are very keen on athletics also, and in the College they are trained in all branches for five or six months every year.

The cup for the Inter-School Athletic competition has been held by St. Francis' College for the past three years, and I cannot see any school taking it away for many years to come. Two of our boys were awarded international honours when they were chosen to represent their country in the Inter-Territorial Sports in Nairobi.

The College boasts of two first class Senior Scout Troops, each with an African teacher as Scoutmaster. It is not easy for the boys to go camping during holiday time as their homes are scattered all over the Territory—some of them live almost 700 miles away from school. However, week-end camps are arranged for them during the school year. African boys take to scouting like ducks to water, and every year five or six boys are awarded the Queen's Scout Badge, the highest award in Baden Powell scouting.

How would you like to see a full production of *Macbeth* or *Julius Caesar* with an all-African cast? I can assure you that these boys can give a performance that compares favourably with any School Dramatic Society in Europe. Light opera has also been produced with remarkable success.

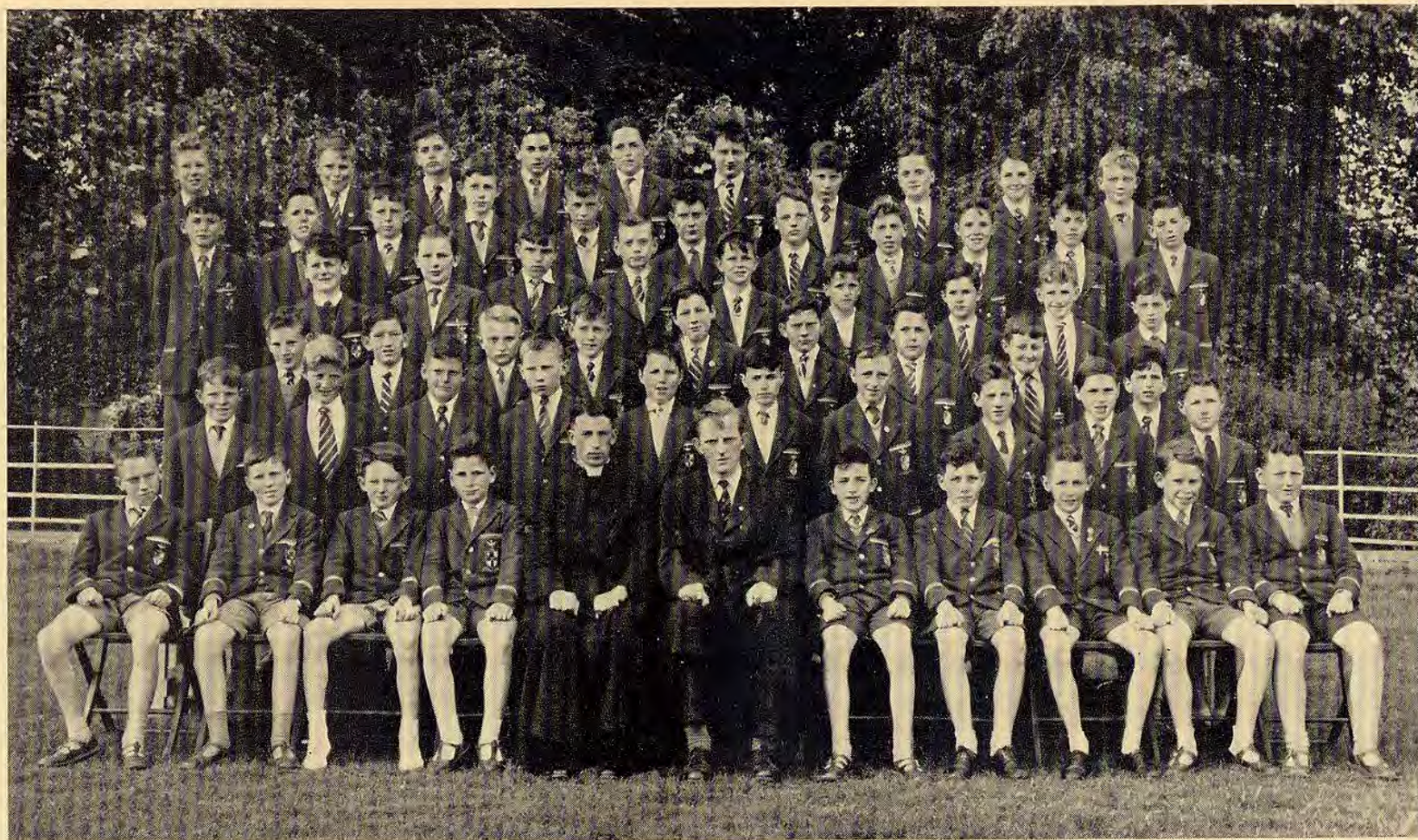
The boys are seen at their best however, on the occasion of a School Concert. They produce all the items themselves and all the Father in charge has to do is type the programme and keep an eye on the stage lighting. One boy gets an idea for a play and he gathers around him a group of his pals, usually fellow-tribesmen. He tells them the plot and indicates what part each one is to play. They chime in with objections and improvements and an animated discussion takes place until such time as all are agreed what is to happen on the stage, and so the play is ready. Props are a bare minimum and scenery is left to the imagination. What any character is going to say is left to himself and nobody knows what it is going to be until the actual performance. The result is often remarkable and not infrequently extremely amusing.

The college is divided into five Houses, each with a Father as House Master. There are approximately sixty boys in each House and one of these is called the House Prefect. He, together with the dormitory prefects, forms the House Baraza, which is a kind of court, meeting once a week and responsible for house discipline for minor punishments. In this way the boys are trained in leadership and in respect for authority. Normally African boys take their work so seriously that they can be left on their own during study, but you can hardly blame boys for making a bit of a row if a snake drops in some evening for company and gets tangled up in somebody's legs!

The students in St. Francis' College are a happy crowd of young men and they love to come back and visit their *Alma Mater*. A Past Pupils' Union Day helps to keep them in contact with each other. The School Annual is a link between Past and Present.

Let any of my readers who finds himself at some future date in East Africa, come and see St. Francis' College for himself.

He will be sure of a great welcome, as two members of the staff are themselves past students of St. Mary's, Rathmines, and St. Mary's men are renowned for the close ties that bind them to one another and to their *Alma Mater*.



FIRST YEAR

- Seated :* L. Hefferon, H. Keogh, D. Sullivan, J. McGlade, Mr. J. Fitzpatrick, C.S.Sp., Mr. E. Ellis, B. Strahan, T. Brown, B. Massey, M. Forde, B. O'Sullivan.
- Second row :* B. Swift, K. Mullan, G. Palmer, J. Carroll, T. McAwley, G. Sexton, J. McDonagh, M. O'Brien, D. Balfe, A. Naughton.
- Third row :* G. Costello, T. Sadlier, A. Gilsenan, D. Gaffney, D. Dorgan, P. Lyons, B. Smyth, K. Murphy, P. Doddy.
- Fourth row :* F. Hickey, J. Freely, R. Power, B. Hogan, D. Bloomer, A. Taylor, C. Burke, M. Quinn, F. Smith.
- Fifth row :* J. Horgan, B. Lynch, D. Fitzgerald, D. O'Brien, A. Greene, G. Gargan, J. McDowell, A. Pringle, B. Keating, H. Mulligan, E. O'Doherty
- Back row :* N. Kearns, D. Power, D. Byrne, A. Caffrey, M. Glynn, L. Hodgins, N. Woodcock, N. Coleman, P. Walshe, J. Fanning.

BUILDING FUND ACTIVITIES



MR. CHARLIE WILSON *Lafayette*

President Building Fund Committee

As one of Dublin's busiest and most successful young business men, Charlie has little free time on his hands, yet no member of the Committee is more generous of his time or his services.

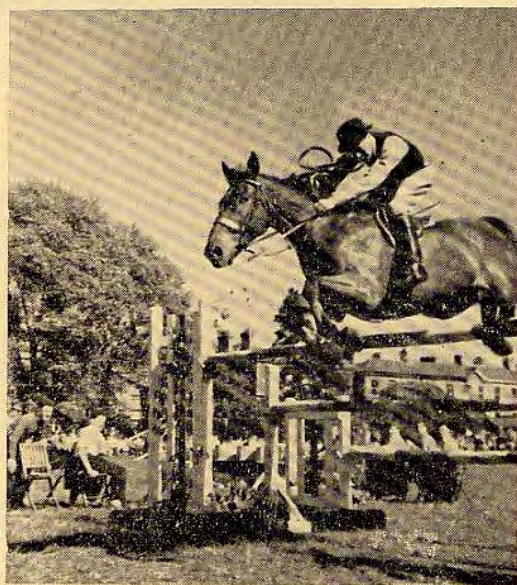
ABOUT six years ago a group of Parents and Past Pupils of St. Mary's College came together to launch a fund-raising drive to meet the cost of the New Chapel and College Extension. It is gratifying to record that the majority of those who attended that first meeting still work for the Building Fund with undiminished enthusiasm and generosity.

The Sale of Work held in the Mansion House, 20th—22nd November, was most successful, thanks to the tireless efforts of the ladies who "manned" the stalls and furnished them artistically with an extraordinary variety of wares; to the gentlemen who erected them and helped in countless ways; and to those who organized concerts, card drives, and film shows to provide the wherewithal to purchase the materials and commodities for the stalls.

The Spring Fashion Display held in the Gresham Hotel later in the year was very well attended and proved to be one of the most popular and successful of its kind. To

Mrs. Naughton the organiser and to the Miriam Woodbyrne Mannequin Agency and the firms who participated in the Display, we offer our most grateful thanks.

The Samacora Gymkhana has established itself firmly in the hearts of all who own horses, ride horses, or just like to look at horses moving gracefully over the sticks. The scene in Kenilworth Square on Sunday, 28th May was one to delight the heart of any horse-lover. The setting was ideal; the course was a credit to the Gentlemen's Committee who had worked so hard laying it out and preparing the fences and obstacles; the weather was just perfect; and the larger-than-ever attendance was highly appreciative of a most satisfying afternoon's entertainment. And well they might be appreciative, for they were privileged to witness the cream of Ireland's riders and jumpers in action in conditions that were nothing short of ideal. Miss Iris Kellet was there, and Miss Penny Moreton—horsewomen of international fame, both. And there, too, were such well-known riders as E. Hume-Dudgeon, L. Fitzpatrick, J. Wade, D. A. Ryan, Seamus Hayes, to mention but a few. What a thrill it was to see the horses and ponies clear the obstacles gracefully as a bird! Hi Society, Go Lightly, Sea Lion, Rolling Stone, Dundrum, Ballingaddy, Dark Tan—beautiful, sensitive animals that moved as if conscious of the admiration they excited and the applause that they earned. Yes, it was a gymkhana that will long be remembered.



Capt. E. Hume-Dudgeon lifts *Go Lightly* over an obstacle at Kenilworth.

The Only Way

A Dramatic Adaptation of *A Tale of Two Cities*

THIS is often referred to as Sir John Martin Harvey's play. In actual fact however, the adaptation of Dickens' novel was in the main, the work of a Limerick Protestant Canon—the Reverend Mr. Langbridge. There are few of the older generation who have not seen "The Only Way" just as there are few of the present generation

the Marseillaise—which was the Revolution, we felt that we had kept company with the foremost giants of the British theatre and that we had achieved something great. In this play Syndey Carton must be excellent. David Jordan surpassed himself in his portrayal of the part. His acting will remain one of the unforgettable performances



Lucy Manette (Peter Cox), Sydney Carton (David Jordan) Mimi (Neal Keane)

who have not seen the film version of "A Tale of Two Cities." One thing is certain however, namely, that when the latter will be only a memory the stage version will continue to live and to move audiences as it did during the five thousand performances of Sir Martin Harvey himself. It was with some trepidation that we took up the staging of this theatrical masterpiece of the French Revolution in a Prologue and four acts! Yet having tried it and piloted thirty-five characters and more, through the blood, romance, drama, the guns, swords and drums, the tribunals, the guillotine and the shout of

of the St. Mary's stage. He was seconded by an admirable cast who threw themselves into their parts and worked effectively to produce a pleasing pattern. For let it not be forgotten that every part, every detail in a play counts. Let any minor part be poorly done and the whole artistic pattern is marred, just as a tiny speck of paint on the eye of the Mona Lisa would ruin forever in a ridiculous squint the enigma of that look. Again a play is a fluid work of art—if the term may be used. There are so many factors that may change the pattern on a particular night—the condition of the actors,

the reactions of the audiences, the correct timing and lighting and a thousand and one details which keep one on edge until the final curtain goes down. To judge by the effect upon the audience it can be safely said that the message of "The Only Way" was 'got across' with great intensity of feeling. The names of the chief characters naturally come to mind—Terence Murphy as Lorry, Neal Keane as Mimi, Liam Birkett as Dr. Manette, Sean Loughrey as Ernest Defarge

and the rest. I liked the mob scenes (a convincing crowd scene is one of the difficulties on a stage); Andrew McDonnell was a successful (if that is the word) virago of a vengeance; and where did Sean O'Connell get his toothless mouth as the Old Citizeness? Lastly there was the team of backstage men led by Michael Cullen who saw to it that props were where they should be, and that the eleven stage changes were effected with slick efficiency.

F.B.

Dramatis Personae

(In order of appearance)



PROLOGUE

JEAN DEFARGE	...	...	...	...	...	JOHN HUSSEY
"THE VOICE"	...	...	...	...	...	NIGEL SWAN
MARQUIS DE ST. EVREMONDE	...	...	...	...	...	JOHN KEATING
VICOMTE DE ST. EVREMONDE	...	...	...	...	...	ROBERT CARVILL
PEASANT	PAUL DAVEY
DR. MANETTE	LIAM BIRKETT
HENCHMEN	E. RAFTER & R. MCGREGOR

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SYDNEY CARTON	DAVID JORDAN
MR. STRYVER (<i>A Lawyer</i>)	LIAM HARDY
MIMI (<i>A Waif of Paris</i>)	NEAL KEANE
CHARLES DARNEY	...	...	...	...	...	JEREMY SWAN
ERNEST DEFARGE	...	...	...	...	...	SEAN LOUGHREY
LUCIE MANETTE	...	...	...	...	...	PETER COX
MR. LORRY (<i>of Telson's Bank</i>)	...	...	...	...	...	TERENCE MURPHY
PRESIDENT OF TRIBUNAL	...	...	...	...	...	OLIVER KELLY
FIRST CITIZEN	...	...	...	...	...	BARRY O'SULLIVAN
SECOND CITIZEN	...	...	...	...	...	DESMOND MOONEY
PROSECUTOR	...	...	...	...	...	CYRIL DOYLE
THE VENGEANCE	...	...	...	...	...	ANDREW McDONNELL
OLD CITIZENESS	...	...	...	...	...	SEAN O'CONNELL
TRIBUNAL	...	...	...	...	...	ROBERT CARVILL & PATRICK HARTE
GABELLE (<i>Servant to Evremonde</i>)	...	...	...	...	...	DAVID FAIR
CITIZENS	...	...	...	...	...	J. HUSSEY, M. TRAYNOR, V. WALSH
CITIZENESSES	...	...	...	...	...	H. DAVEY & N. SWAN
SOLDIERS	...	...	...	...	...	R. MCGREGOR, P. ROBINSON, H. CASSIDY
JAILER	...	...	...	...	...	D. GILSENAN
BARBAD (<i>Jailer</i>)	...	...	...	...	...	E. RAFTER
MARQUIS DE BOULAINVILLIERS	...	...	...	...	...	HEBER McMAHON
COMTE DE FAUCHET	...	...	...	...	...	NIAL KENNEDY
MARQUIS DE MAURY	...	...	...	...	...	OSWALD CRILLY
OLD COUNTESS	...	...	...	...	...	AIDEN O'CONNELL
LADY-IN-WAITING	...	...	...	...	...	E. MILL-ARDEN
MARQUIS	...	...	...	...	...	H. MULCAHY, P. BANAHAN, P. GREEN, M. KEENAN

OUR PAST STUDENTS



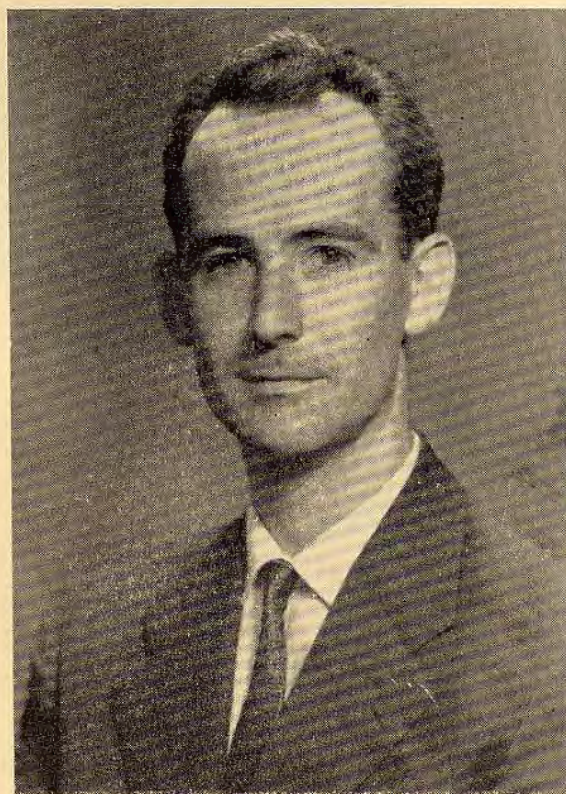
HIS EXCELLENCY DR. T. J. KIERNAN

WE congratulate his Excellency Dr. T. J. Kiernan (1904-'15) Irish Ambassador at Ottawa, Canada, on his absorbing monograph on the late Pope Pius XII. As Irish Minister to the Holy See during the war years Dr. Kiernan had a unique opportunity of viewing objectively the whole complex situation in Rome. His close personal contact and friendship with the Holy Father gave him a knowledge of Pope Pius XII invaluable to any would-be biographer. For this, if for no other reason, his work must rank as an important addition to the evergrowing bibliography of our late Holy Father.

We learned with pleasure of CHARLIE DILLON'S (1924-'43) appointment to the Professorship of Electrical Engineering in University College Cork. Charlie rounded off a distinguished Secondary course in St. Mary's by winning a University Entrance Scholarship in Modern Languages in 1943. In 1947 he took his degree in Engineering securing **First Hons.** and **First Place** in his year, with a Bursary in Engineering. From 1947 to 1948 he worked with Prof. Morrissey

in the Electrical Engineering Dept. in U.C.D. For the next two years, 1948-'50, he was employed by Escher Wyss of Zurich where he worked on the development of industrial gas turbines and attended post-graduate courses at the Federal Technical High School, Zurich. He returned to U.C.D. in 1950, obtaining his M.E. in September of that year for a thesis on heat transfer. He was appointed Assistant Lecturer in Mechanical Engineering under Prof. Hogan. In 1951 he took up employment at ASEA, Ludvika, Sweden, working in the high-voltage rectifier department of that firm until his appointment to U.C.C. this year. Charlie is happily married and has three children. To himself and his family we say "Welcome home, and sincere congratulations!"

Another distinguished Past Student to capture the headlines during the year is NEIL DOWNES (1941-'52). We congratulate him on being awarded the Arts Council's first scholarship in architecture. He intends to travel in Europe studying the development of modern architecture. Neil graduated



Professor CHARLES DILLON *Lafayette*

PRESENTATION AT ARUS AN UACHTARAIN

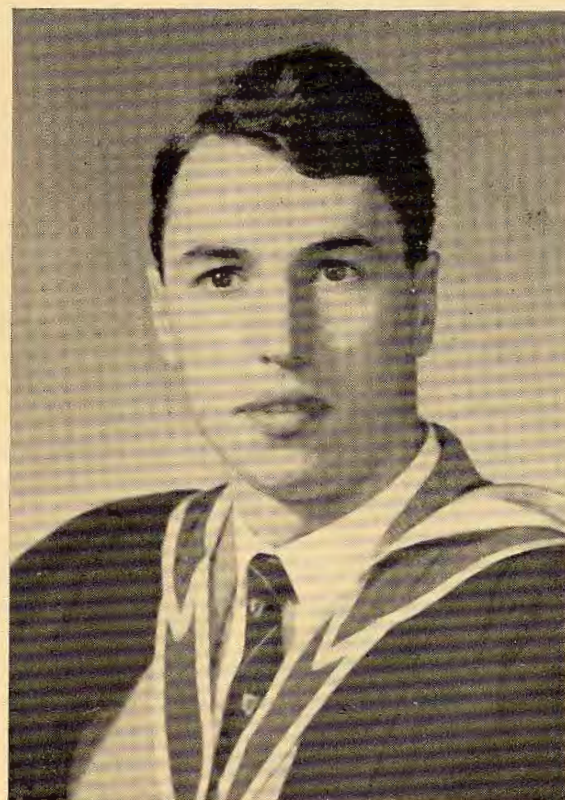


Courtesy

Irish Press

President O'Kelly presenting the R.I.A.I. Silver Medal to Mr. Dermot Smyth, B. Arch., M.R.I.A.I. for outstanding merit in Housing Design (St. Bridget's Park Housing Scheme, Cornelscourt).

in architecture at U.C.D. in 1957, obtaining **First Place** and **First Hons.** and winning an exhibition. During his architectural studies he secured honours and a scholarship each year, with first place and prize in each year's studio work. In 1956 he was awarded the Rome Studentship by the Royal Institute of the Architects of Ireland in association with the Royal Institute of British Architects. In the same year he won the Kerner Greenwood Prize for measured drawings of Cormac's Chapel, Cashel. These drawings were presented by U.C.D. to the National Library as an historical record. We are glad to hear from Neil that he has kept up his interest in Drama and Music. Recently he won the Campbell Cup at the Belfast Musical Festival for senior solo violin. In Belfast, where he is at present employed as an architect, he plays in the Studio Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Dr. Havelock Nelson. In 1950 he won a gold medal for Shakespearian acting at the Fr. Mathew Feis. He was a most enthusiastic member of our Verse-speaking choirs and drama groups. We wish him every success in the career he has chosen and in which he has already acquitted himself with such distinction.



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NEIL DOWNES, B. ARCH.

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Courtesy

RAYMOND JOYCE

Irish Press

Congratulations to BRIAN WHELAN (1949-'51) on obtaining **First Place** in the final examination of The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Ireland and on being awarded the "Arthur H. Muir" Memorial Prize. Brian is an active member of the Legion of Mary, in fact he is President of the Praesidium of Our Lady Most Powerful which engages in visitation of the sick and youth work.

Another active Legionary of Mary, RAYMOND JOYCE (1941-'51), is to be congratulated on his successes at the Feis Ceoil this year. He obtained the gold medal for **First Place** in the Bass Solo competition and followed up this achievement a couple of days later by winning the Rathmines and Rathgar Musical Society Cup for Solo from Light Opera. Well done, Raymond! Another honour of a different kind came Raymond's way when he was chosen by his Company, American Express, to act as courier on a three months' Mediterranean cruise sailing from New York. This brought him to Madeira, Spain, Casa Blanca, Egypt, the Holy Land, Greece, Italy—including Naples and Rome, where he came upon Brian Gogan taking the air in the Borghese Gardens. Who was

surprised to see whom?—Spain, Portugal and home for Easter. Raymond brings pilgrim groups to Lourdes and Fatima from time to time—surely a joyful task for a Legionary of Mary!

Nuclear Physics Research is JIM BYRNE'S (1943-'51) present occupation. Having completed his year at Ann Arbor University, Michigan, U.S. which he had attended on a Travelling Scholarship from U.C.D., Jim was awarded an Imperial Chemicals Industry Fellowship and is now studying under Prof. Feather, at Edinburgh University. We shall be hearing more about Jim in a year or two. In the meantime, we wish him every success.

On a Friday afternoon back in 1934 DERMOT SULLIVAN (1927-'34) left St. Mary's and started work the following day as a junior clerk in the Publicity Department of Universal Pictures, which Company was taken over by the Rank Organization in 1936. Dermot went through the various Departments in the Company and in 1944 became Office Manager and was promoted Senior Sales Representative in 1949. On the

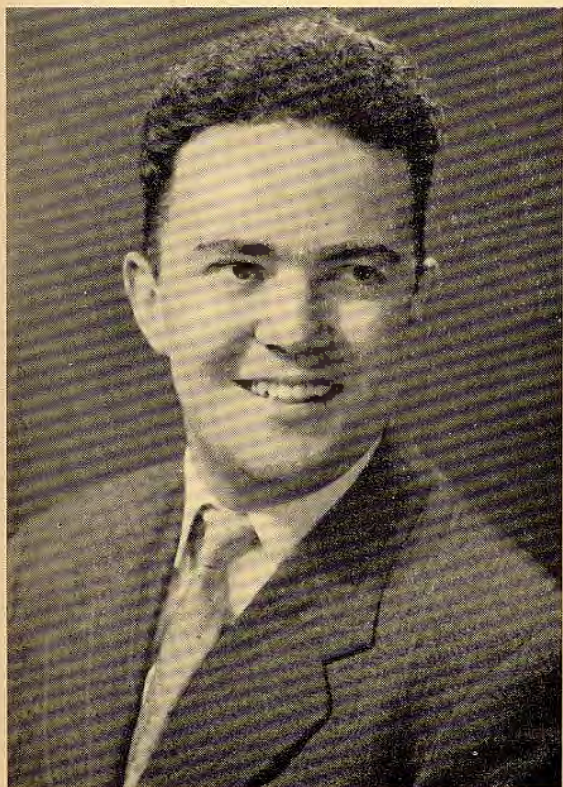


JIM BYRNE, M. Sc.

Lafayette

retirement of the Manager in May, 1959, he was appointed Branch Manager for the Republic of Ireland for the Rank Film Distributors Ltd. This appointment, by a happy coincidence, occurred in his 25th Anniversary with the Company. The occasion was marked by the presentation of a Silver Casket and a Certificate of long service by the General Manager on behalf of the Company. Dermot is Hon. Secretary of the Irish Cinematograph Trade Benevolent Fund. In 1944 he married Miss Sheila Callanan and they have three children—a girl and two boys, David and Paul, who are following their father's footsteps in St. Mary's. Congratulations, Dermot, on your appointment as Branch Manager and on the completion of so many years of faithful service.

Other outstanding achievements of the year were MICHAEL CORCORAN'S (1940-'50) **First Place** in the Chartered Institute of Secretaries Intermediate Examination with the "J. F. Clark" Prize for the best paper in General Principles of Law, and DON PURCELL'S (1946-'56) **First Place** in the First Examination of the Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors. Michael



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MICHAEL CORCORAN, B.A., B. COMM.



MR. DERMOT L. SULLIVAN

entered the Office of Public Works in 1950 as an Executive Officer and by attending night lectures he has obtained the Dip. in Public Administration as well as the B.Comm. and B.A. degrees. To both these Past Students we offer our warm congratulations.

A very interesting photo to catch the Editorial Eye recently was that of JIM DOOLAN (1937-'47) being congratulated by Senator John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts on his graduation as Master in Business Administration at Harvard University. Jim graduated from U.C.G. and qualified as a chartered accountant in 1954. He resigned from Burnhouse Ltd., to follow a two-year course in business methods at Harvard and write a thesis on the World Bank. Congratulations, Jim!

It was a sore disappointment to SYLVESTER O'FARRELL (1942-'45) when ill health forced him to give up studying for his B. Sc. degree at U.C.D. Later he became a clinical photographer at St. Lawrence's Hospital, Dublin, and remained there until he got an offer of a position in St. Mary's University, Halifax, Nova Scotia. There he managed not only to teach but to

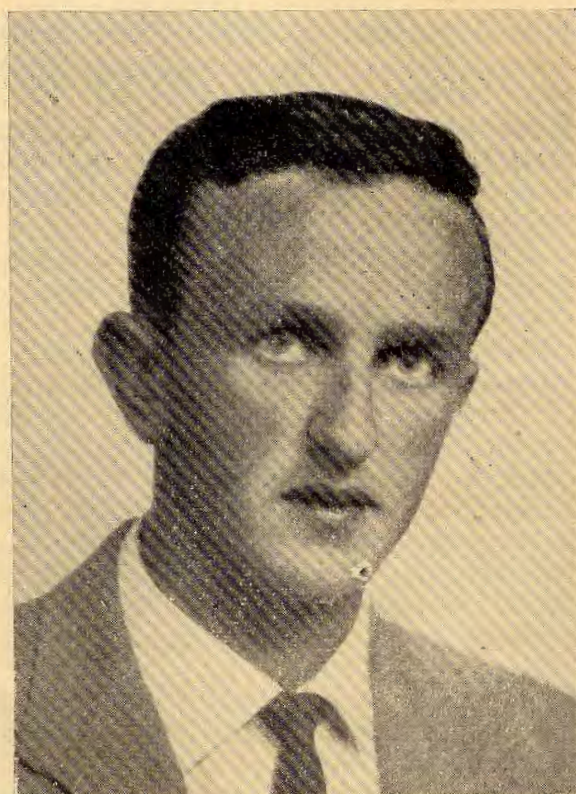
study again for an Honours Science Degree. This year he graduated *summa cum laude* and with a gold medal "for the most distinguished work in science" for his year in the University. He has been offered and has accepted a Fellowship at the University of Ottawa, where he will study for his Ph. D. Our very sincere congratulations, Sylvester. We were delighted to hear of your outstanding success.

Among the many Past Students who obtained **First Place** in various examinations during the year we note DESMOND JOYCE (1941-'51). Congratulations, Desmond, on your brilliant success in the examinations of the Institute of Bankers in Ireland—**First Place** in Diploma in Foreign Exchange, and **First Place** in French. Desmond is another active member of the Legion of Mary.

PHIL BRADY (1941-'50) is now a qualified pharmaceutical chemist (M.P.S.I.) and brothers DESMOND and GERARD (1944-'53, 1944-'54) are both ophthalmic



SYLVESTER O'FARRELL, M.Sc.

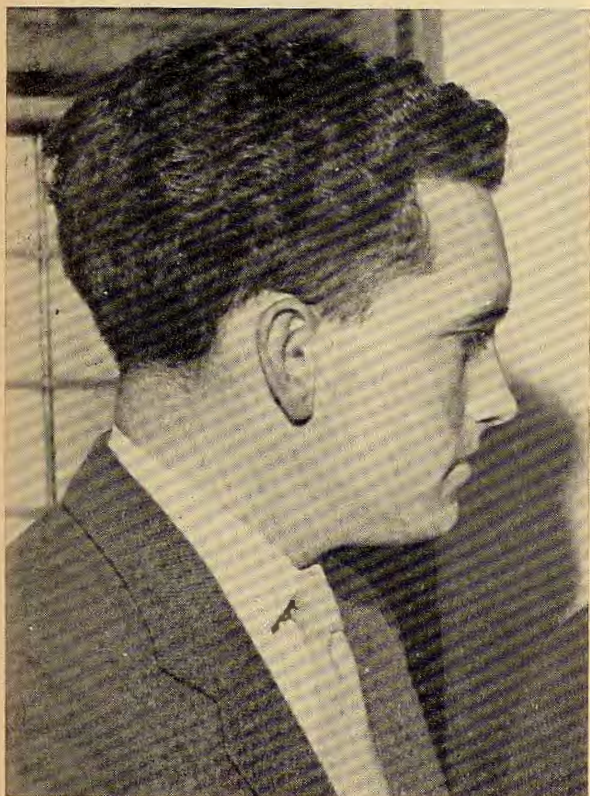


DON PURCELL

opticians (A.O.O.I.). COLM, their eldest brother, is in medical practice for some years past, and is a staunch follower of the St. Mary's College R.F.C. He is occasionally called upon to act as medical adviser, and he is always ready and generous with his services. Our sincere congratulations to the Brady brothers.

We offer our congratulations to DERRY HUSSEY (1944-'52) and TIM KELLY (1943-'53) who qualified as Chartered Accountants during the year. Derry, one of the famous twins, took his B. Comm. degree from U.C.D. in 1955. With his brother Brian he plays for St. Mary's College R.F.C. and was on the Leinster Senior Cup winning side in 1958. He has recently joined the Irish Dunlop Company Ltd., as a trainee executive.

Tim Kelly is a very active member of the Legion of Mary and may be seen any Saturday out at Fairview, playing football with members of the Boys Club. He is generous with his time and his energy in the work of the Club.



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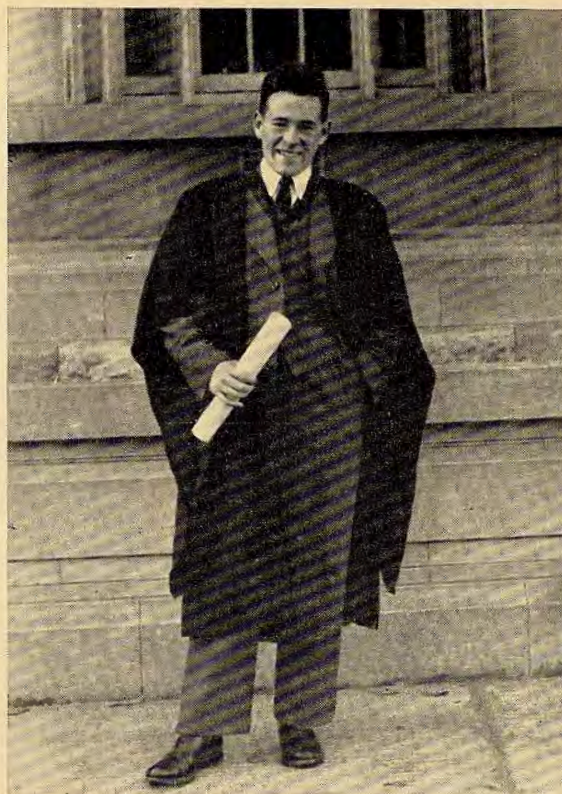
CONAL GOGAN

Irish Press

Congratulations to BARTOLOMEW FITZSIMON (1937-'47) the hardworking, energetic Hon. Secretary of the St. Mary's College Rugby Football Club, on obtaining his B.L. degree and being called to the Bar. When we say that Bart. is in the Jimmy Ganter tradition in his self-sacrificing devotion to the Club we are merely paying him a tribute that is truly well deserved.

In the news lately we noted CONAL GOGAN (1938-'46) brother of Fr. Cothraighe Gogan, C.S.Sp. and Brian Gogan, C.S.Sp. Conal is chairman of the recently-formed committee for the Cancer Research Fund of Ireland. Though he is quite a young man, he is already a highly successful business man and is an active member of the Management Institute. He is married and has four children.

Early in the New Year FR. GERRY TANNAM, C.S.Sp. and FR. TONY GEOGHEGAN, C.S.Sp. left Dublin for their respective Missions, Fr. Tannam to join the teaching staff of St. Francis College, Pugu, Tanganyika; and Fr. Geoghegan to work in Gambia, B.W. Africa. We wish them every blessing and a bountiful harvest of souls in the great African mission field.

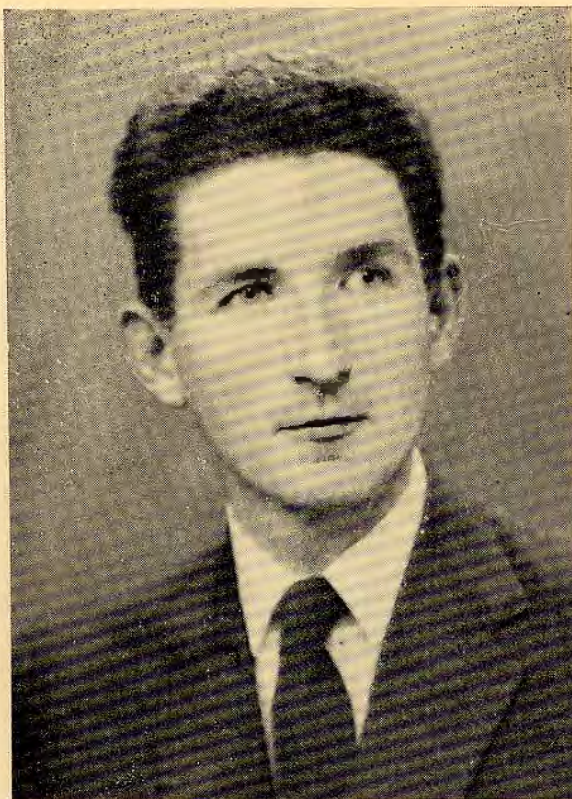


DERRY HUSSEY B. COMM., A.C.A.



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BART. FITZSIMON, B.L.

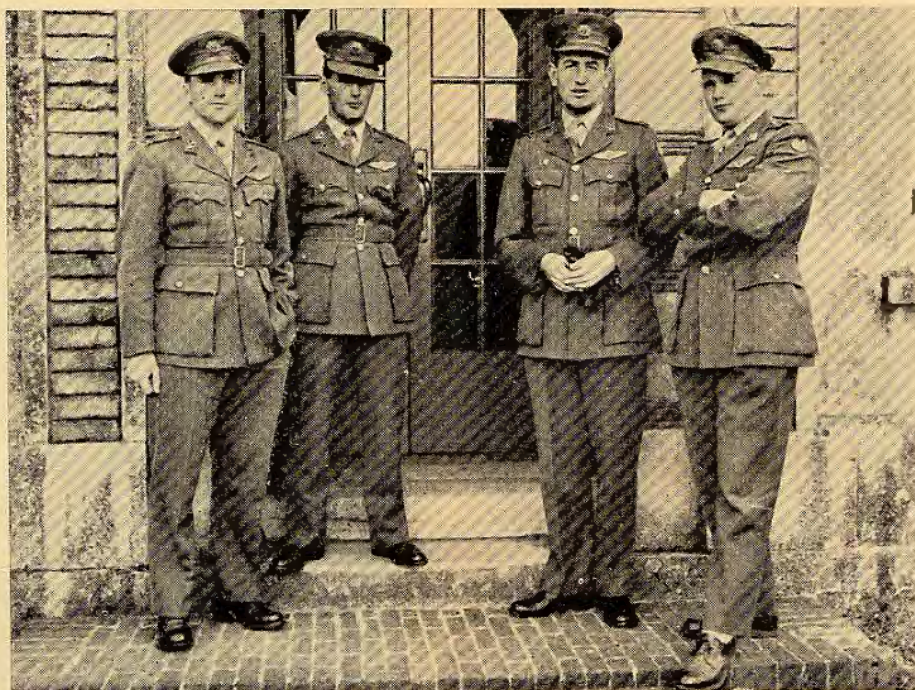


TIM KELLY, B. COMM., A.C.A.



FERGUS COUSINS, M.V.B.

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A RECORD ? There are five St. Mary's past pupils in the Irish Air Corps
(A. Sheil was unavoidably absent when this photo was taken.)

From left to right : Lt. J. Lee, Lt. P. Moran, Lt. M. Horgan, Lt. J. Bagnall

OUR PAST STUDENTS IN U.C.D.

St. Mary's is well represented on the Staff at U.C.D. MICHAEL McCORMAC (1934-'44) has been lecturing in Economics for some years past. We congratulate him on his wonderful recovery from his recent serious illness. DAVID JUDGE (1939-'49) is lecturing in Maths-Physics and plays a useful game of golf by way of relaxation. Fresh from the Sorbonne, Paris, COLM CAFFREY (1943-'52) is Assistant Lecturer in French. We expect to hear more of these talented Past Students in the not too-distant future.

Our Past Students figured prominently in the lists of degrees and distinctions published during the year. To each of them we offer our sincere congratulations and good wishes.

PATRICK J. LOUGHREY (1945-'51) was awarded the Ph. D. Degree, a remarkable achievement for a young man of twenty-five. He is this year's President of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

JIM ROCHE (1943-'53) secured **First Place** and **First Class Hons.** in the final examination in Dentistry—a distinction very rarely achieved. Jim is at present working in England and hopes to continue his studies. His hobbies, by the way, are skiing, classical music and reading.

PETER THORNTON (1944-'53) obtained the B. Sc. Degree with **First Place** and **First Class Hons.** He was awarded the Hugh Ryan Gold Medal and a Scholarship worth £250 to encourage him to study for the Ph. D. Degree. We expect to hear more of Peter before that scholarship is exhausted. Rugby football is his chief relaxation. But Peter never relaxes when he is playing!

JAMES SHEEHAN (1948-'56) has already made a name for himself in the faculty of Medicine. Last year he obtained **First Place, First Class Hons.** and a Prize in First Year Medical examination. This year he has



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DR. PATRICK LOUGHREY

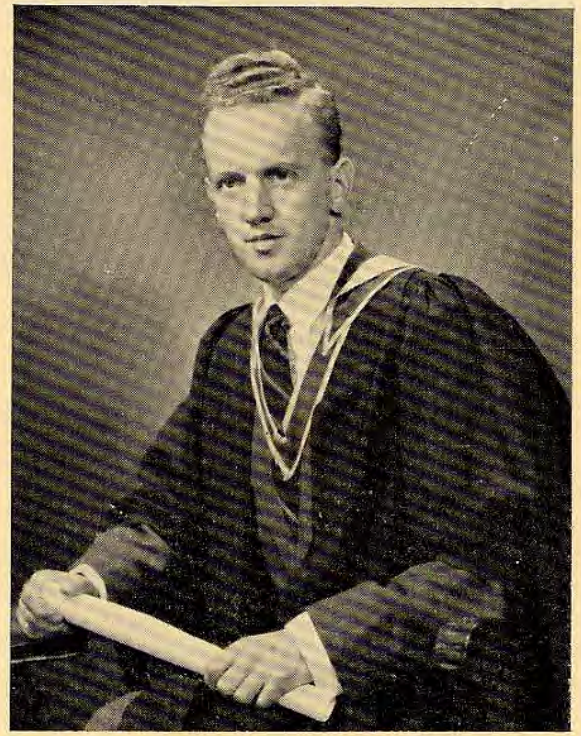
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OUTSTANDING "FIRSTS" OF 1958-'59



JAMES ROCHE, B.D.S. *Lafayette*

First place and 1st Class Honours Final Examination in Dentistry (U.C.D)



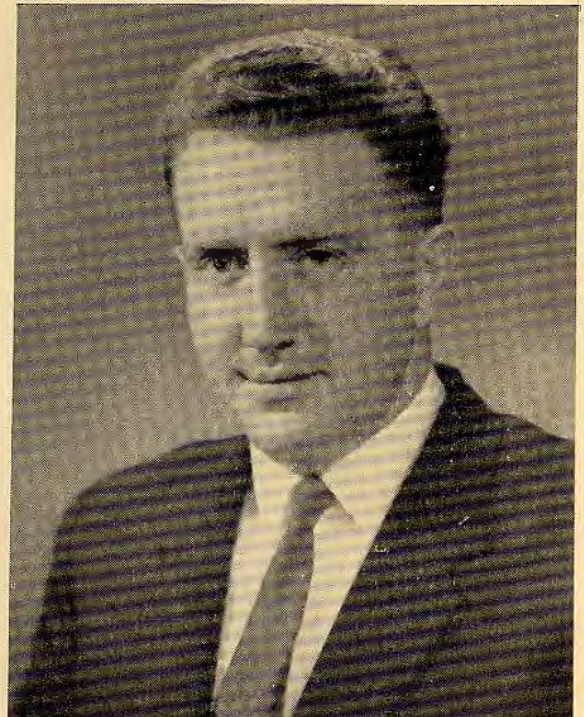
PETER THORNTON, B.Sc.

First place B.Sc. examination (U.C.D.)
Hugh Ryan Gold Medal and Scholarship



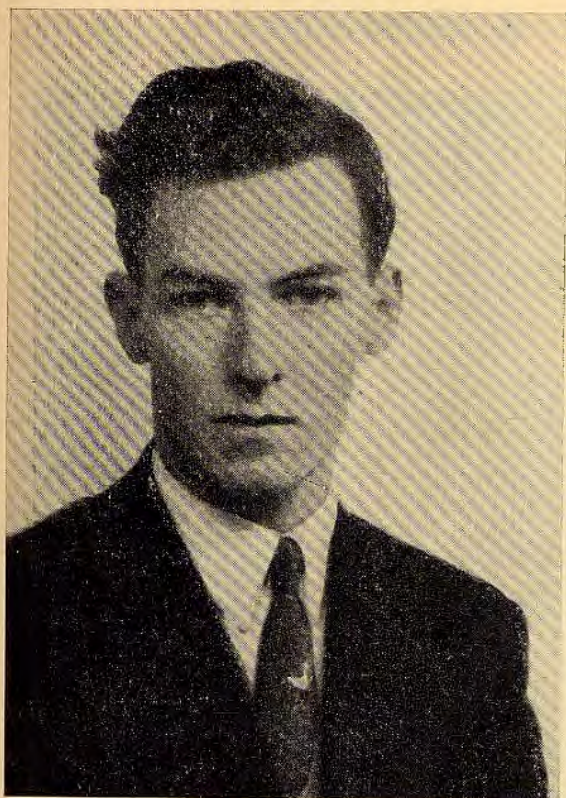
DESMOND JOYCE *Lafayette*

First place in Diploma in Foreign Exchange and
First place in French—Institute of Bankers in
Ireland examination



BRIAN WHELAN, B. COMM., A.C.A. *Lafayette*

First place in Final examination of Institute of
Chartered Accountants of Ireland. "Arthur H.
Muir" Memorial Prize



JAMES SHEEHAN

given a "repeat" performance—**First Place, First Class Hons.** in Second Year Medical examination. In addition he has been awarded the Dr. Henry Hutchinson Stewart Medical Scholarship (Physiology).

GUS DENNIS and PATRICK WALSH are also "medicals" of distinction, Gus having being awarded the Gold Medal for Clinical Medicine and Surgery, and Patrick secured Hons. in the Third Year Medical examination.

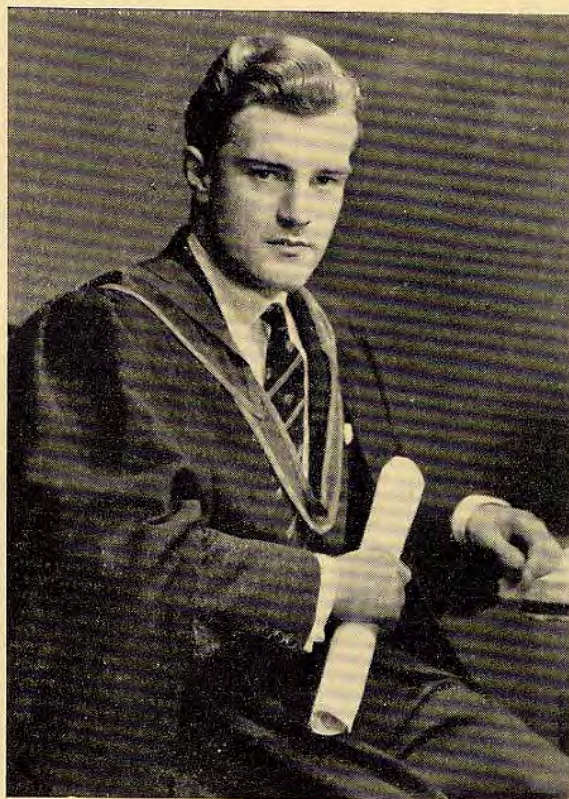
DESMOND M. WHITE (1944-'54) obtained Hons. in the B. Comm. degree. He is now studying Chartered Accountancy and Cost Accountancy as an Articled Clerk. His hobbies? Scouting, and Music, of course.

PADDY DOOLAN (1942-'49), TOM O'CONNELL (1943-'51), KIERAN KEENAN (1943-'54), ENDA HESSION (1950-'54) and BRIAN HUSSEY (1944-'52)—the other twin!—obtained the B.E. Degree. Paddy Doolan is now in America; Tom O'Connell has secured a good position in

England; Enda Hession is following a two-year Graduate Apprenticeship with the English Electric Company in Stafford; Kieran Keenan has made a splendid recovery, we are happy to say, from his recent illness; Brian Hussey has joined the Industrial Equipment Company of Ireland, Ltd. While in U.C.D. he was a member of the S.R.C., Captain of the College Chess Club, Technical Director of the College Drama Society. In addition, he held the University and Inter University Sprint Championships, was awarded his Blue and was a member of the St. Mary's College R.F.C. Cup-winning side in 1958. Quite a record!

FERGUS COUSINS (1943-'53) obtained his M.V.B. Degree and is practising in Co. Carlow. Veterinary Medicine is a profession that is becoming more popular with St. Mary's students in recent years.

DAVID RUTHERFORD (1946-'56) obtained Honours in his Third Engineering (Electrical) examination and is upholding the great St. Mary's tradition in the Engineering Faculty in College.

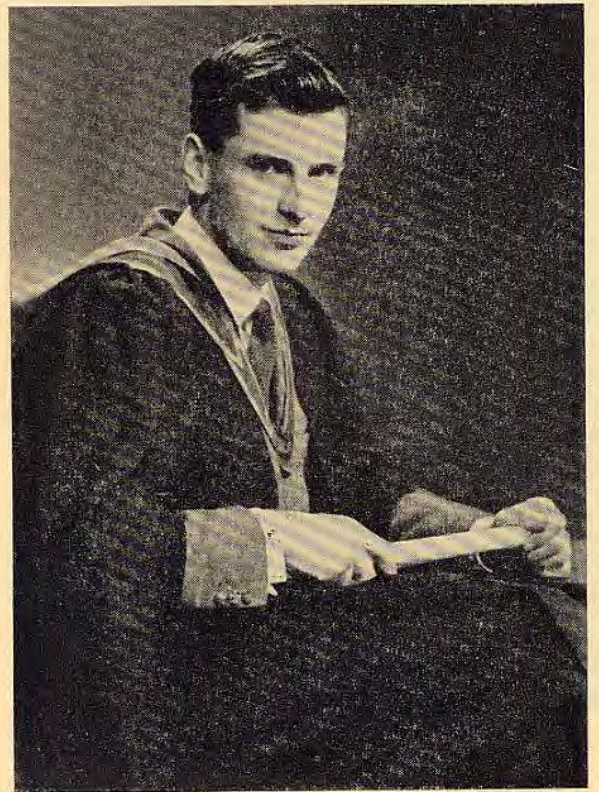


DESMOND WHITE, B. COMM.

INTRODUCING THE ENGINEERS



KIERAN KEENAN, B.E.



ENDA HESSION, B.E.



BRIAN HUSSEY, B.E.



TOM O'CONNELL, B.E.

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Obituary

Robert Dwyer Joyce was one of the earliest and most distinguished of our Past Students. To his daughter and sons we offer our sincere sympathy. We thank Dr. Freeman and the Editor of The Irish Journal of Medical Science, Mr. W. Doolin, M. Ch., F.R.C.S.I., for permission to reproduce this excellent article.

ROBERT DWYER JOYCE
M. Ch., F.R.C.S.I.

ROBERT Dwyer Joyce died in Dublin on 19th January, 1959, in his 85th year. He had been ill for one day only. He was a son of Patrick Weston Joyce, M.A., LL.D., M.R.I.A., who was a commissioner for the publication of Ancient Irish documents and a well known historian and authority on Irish place-names.

He studied medicine at the old Catholic University Medical School in Celia Street and took the London Conjoint Diploma in 1896. He had a distinguished undergraduate career, winning amongst other distinctions the Chancellor's Gold Medal in 1895.

Having served as House Physician to the Mater Misericordiae Hospital, he then proceeded to the Continent for postgraduate study. He was Assistant in the Clinic of Fuchs in Vienna, and a year later held a similar post with Schwabe in Berlin. He remained on terms of close friendship with Fuchs for the remainder of the latter's life.

On returning to Dublin he was admitted F.R.C.S.I., and was appointed to the staff of the Richmond Hospital. At the Richmond he was both ophthalmic and aural surgeon, a combination of specialities then common enough, but which appears incomprehensible to the modern mind. He was probably one of the last of a small group of surgeons who operated on a cataract and a mastoid on the same day.

In 1917 he was appointed ophthalmic surgeon to the Mater Misericordiae Hospital



THE LATE PROFESSOR DWYER JOYCE

and afterwards devoted himself exclusively to this speciality.

His professional record was outstanding. He was contributor to MacNaughton-Jones' *Diseases of the Ear* (1902) and was responsible for work on the anatomy of the facial nerve which he produced at an International Otological Congress at the same period.

He became Professor of Ophthalmology in University College, Dublin, in 1935, and in 1941 the National University of Ireland conferred on him the degree of M. Ch. He was elected a member of the Ophthalmological Society of the United Kingdom in 1901, and was later President of the Irish Association. On his retirement from the University Chair, he continued his hospital work until 1951, and his private practice until a couple of years ago.

This might be the record of any successful practitioner in his specialities, but Bob

Joyce was much more than merely a successful surgeon. In his early life on the Continent he had become interested in mountaineering and was a member of both the French and Swiss Alpine Clubs, probably the only Irishman to hold this distinction. He took part in many notable climbs and ascended Mont Blanc, the Matterhorn and Jungfrau when conditions were not as easy nor as well organized as they are now. Photography, then in its early stages, interested him as a means of recording the mountain scene. Railways, engines and trains were also part of his unusual interests.

He continued active mountaineering until well into his fifties and after the second World War replaced it by walking tours in France, where he delighted to explore river banks and canal towpaths.

At home he walked in the Dublin and Wicklow hills, often in the very early morning, returning home on workmen's trams to change, bathe and begin his day's work usually before his bed-fast colleagues had begun theirs. In the last few years he found long walking too much for him and then took to a bicycle on which he explored again the surrounding counties. Within a few days of his death he undertook a four mile walk to Milltown and along the abandoned Harcourt St. railway line to see how it had fared after a fortnight's disuse.

Joyce was a man of profound religious feeling, which coloured all his life and actions. He had many interests and much knowledge of little known things. He loved to record the unusual, the eccentric and the quaint; whether in persons or in things, always with kindness and never with malice, but he was essentially a quiet and retiring person whose chief endeavour was not to bore and never to cause trouble. On this account those who knew him slightly never suspected what depths were in him, but these same traits, such a contrast to his active mind and body, endeared him to his friends who will long cherish his memory.

He is survived by a married daughter and two sons who have followed him into the

medical profession. One is in practice in England and the other is a consultant ophthalmologist in Dublin. To them we extend our sympathy.

E. T. FREEMAN



The late GERALD KILDUFF

We learned with regret of the death of J. Gerald Kilduff, brother of Mr. Eddie Kilduff, member of St. Mary's Past Pupils' Union. Gerald was a student of St. Mary's College from 1909 to 1915. In 1919 he went to the Argentine where he became a very successful and popular businessman. He was made Director of a large exporting firm in Rosario in 1937. In 1948 he paid his first visit home to his native Dublin, and seven years later he retired from business and returned to Ireland. To his family and friends we offer our deepest sympathy. May he rest in peace.

AN INNOCENT ABROAD

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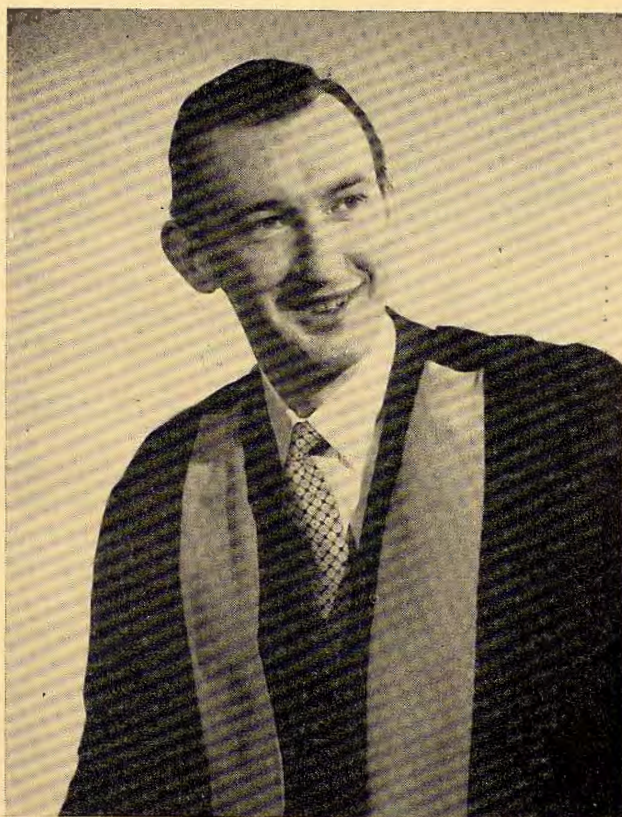
GEARÓID LYNCH,
F.R.C.S.I.

LITTLE did I know what I was letting myself in for when I accepted the challenge. It was at a Legion of Mary meeting just a week or two before my departure to take up hospital work in the United States. When a member reported that he had started a Praesidium of the Legion during his holidays in England, the President looked at me with a gleam in his eye and said, just as cool as you please: "Well, what about it? Think you could do anything like that in the States?" And that is how it came about that I arrived at my hospital in Buffalo, N.Y., loaded with literature and Handbooks and ready to Legionize the whole continent.

As soon as I had settled in to hospital routine I wrote to the bishop, enclosing a letter of introduction from Concilium. No doubt he would be anxious to meet this latest apostle from Ireland so ready to solve all his problems! But three weeks were to pass before I heard from his Lordship. The Auxiliary Bishop 'phoned me one afternoon to say that the Bishop would see me next day.

My interview was in the nature of an anti-climax. His Lordship seemed to know quite as much about his diocese as I did! He looked me over quizzically for a minute or two as though puzzled as to how I came to be admitted in the first place. Then he proceeded to tell me all about the Legion of Mary and the problems that would have to be overcome in starting it in Buffalo. What did I know of Spanish? Polish? Italian? Hungarian? Did I have literature available in these languages? When the interview ended, I felt somewhat deflated and not so sure of my next move. At the Bishop's suggestion I called on the local organizer of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, a kindly parish priest of good Irish extraction, and as a result of this meeting I addressed the diocesan meeting of the Society some time later. It was agreed that Mgr. McMahon, Diocesan Director, would start the first Praesidium of the Legion in his parish.

Meantime, I had gone over to the next diocese, Rochester, N.Y., to enlist the support



THE AUTHOR—DR. LYNCH

Obtained his F.R.C.S.I. in February. He is the youngest holder of a R.C.S.I. Fellowship in Ireland. We congratulate him most heartily.

of the local Legion Curia for my project. This brought home to me another difficulty—distance! Each month I had to drive over 70 miles to my Curia meeting in Rochester, and for over four months of the winter we were continuously snowed up. Some groups in this area had to travel up to 130 miles to their meeting over mountains which in winter were quite impassible.

My link with the Rochester Curia kept me in regular touch with the Legion, a good thing, indeed, but it led to experiences which for me at the time were ordeals to be endured rather than honours to be enjoyed. When the Legion was invited to the local seminary to give a "pep" talk to the seminarians, I was picked for the job. And so I found myself facing more than 250 priests and clerical students and telling them how to spread the faith! All Americans, even seminarians, seem to have a soft spot in their hearts for the Irish accent and as soon as I began to speak I had the reassuring feeling that my audience was with me. Nevertheless, when I sat down I said to myself:

Never again, Lynch; never again! Little did I know. A couple of months later I was addressing the Buffalo Diocesan Seminary at Niagara Falls, N.Y. When I had finished my talk I asked if anyone wanted to put any questions. Yes, I was as innocent as that! The next half-hour was one of the most unpleasant I ever hope to spend, and what a relief it was when the Rector blew the whistle (metaphorically, of course!) for full time.

Eight months after my arrival in Buffalo our first Praesidium meeting was held in Mgr. McMahon's parish. Under his fatherly care this group soon became solidly established and it was not yet two months at work when the legionaries could report the return of a lapsed Catholic to the Faith. This was just what was needed to prove the worth of the Legion in a parish. A second Praesidium was started in the southern suburbs in a heavy steel industry area. This was a Puerto Rican group and Spanish speaking. I directed the first meeting through

the medium of an interpreter.

With each passing week we got permission to start the Legion in more and more parishes, but the actual opening of Praesidia was a much slower process. Yet in less than nine months four Praesidia were firmly established in the diocese and it was decided to set up a Curia. The first meeting of the Buffalo Curia took place in June, 1956 with four Praesidia represented. Last week I had a letter from one of the Buffalo Legionaries in which he enclosed the programme of the third Acies meeting held on Sunday April 5th, 1959. Twenty-five Praesidia were represented! The rapid growth of the organization is surely a sign of a great future ahead. I certainly hope so, for the need for Catholic Action is pressing.

Before leaving the U.S. in August, 1956 I had the honour of addressing the New York regional Senatus who had helped me so much in Buffalo. Here Fate administered the most unkindest kick of all—the microphones were out of order!

GASOGA

SEPTEMBER 13, 1958: Back again in the Den for more scouting. Talk is still about our summer camp. Our seventeenth annual one was to Kidderminster, England, from June 27 to July 13 under Scoutmaster Brendan Corcoran and chaplain Fr. Fay. The weather was great and we even got sunburned. A day's outing to Stratford-on-Avon will be remembered, and our invasion of the Birmingham Scout Rally was one of camp's highlights. The inter-patrol camp competition was won by a new patrol: the Wolves, under P/L Barry O'Donovan.

Things got under way in September when fourteen scouts left the troop and formed a new senior troop. We got in twenty new members from the Macaoimh and from the College. New P/L's were elected: Michael Hooper (Eagles), Peter Cox (Panthers), Denis Kirby (Stags), David Bradshaw (Curlers), Billy Byrne (Wolves), Eamonn Mullan (Lions). Another big change was the going of S/M Brendan Corcoran to become S/M of the senior troop. The new S/M is Louis McMullan. We have two new A/S/Ms in Michael McGlade and Pat Kinahan.

Before Christmas, hikes were frequent and tests were done every Saturday night. We held our Annual Concert on Saturday and Sunday, January 17 and 18. It was a great success.

We entered for the table-tennis competition but were beaten in the semi-finals. In the swimming gala the Under-15 squadron race was won by the 7th and we won four novelty events (out of six).

There was no Easter camp this year because of the weather, but patrols went on hikes during the Easter holidays.

The troop went on Whit Camp to Larch Hill in conjunction with the South City Camp under Commissioner Freddie Moisselle to whom the 7th Dublin owes so much this year. The patrols of each of the eight troops in our area were judged on their camping standards and out of twenty-four patrols the 7th won 1st, 4th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th places. We also won the first stage of the Melvyn Trophy competition and now go forward to the second round and we hope to become the best troop in Ireland. It sounds big but the 7th can do it.

Preparations for summer camp 1959 are under way. We are going to Auchengillan in Scotland, D. V. and we hope that it will be as good as the last one with lots and lots of lovely sun.

LOUIS McMULLAN
Scoutmaster

MACAOIMH

THE most notable feature of the Macaoimheacht year 1958-1959 was the striking increase in numbers. The number of Cubs, now standing at 28, is far in excess of previous years and indeed as regards accommodation is beginning to present a problem.

The other outstanding item of the year just passed was the ever popular Annual Camp which was held in Rush in June 1958. It is interesting to note that the 7th Dublin are still the only Irish Unit with Cub Camp on its programme, and its success is a tribute to the wide experience and foresight of its originator, former Cub Master Reg. Redmond.

Two other outings, one to the Zoo and the other to Larch Hill at Whit, completed the outdoor activities of yet another successful year. Under the Cinn Seisir Billy Hooper, John Butler, Gerald Sharvin, and Derry Smyth, the Sunday morning meetings have always been active.

FRANK MONTAGUE

DESMOND M. WHITE



Lafayette

The College Troop of Boy Scouts with their Chaplain, Fr. M. Fay, C.S.Sp.

St. Mary's College R.F.C.

THE 1958-'59 season opened with St. Mary's in the proud position of holders of the Leinster Cup. Improvements to the grounds and pavilion had been carried out over the summer months and the season opened on a note of enthusiastic optimism.

Although the 1st. Fifteen captained by Ned Carmody fell victims to the topsyturvydom of Cup rugby and were beaten in their first Cup match by Old Wesley, the season on the whole was quite satisfactory and the record reads well: Played 20 matches; won 10; drew 4; lost 6.

The 2nd Fifteen brought two seven-a-side trophies to the Club, one from the C.Y.M.S. competition, the other from North Kildare. In both these tournaments they won universal admiration for their determined play. Their triumphs were well deserved for they had been playing fine football all the year. They were second to Terenure in their section of the League, and they fought well in the Cup before being beaten by Greystones in a replay. Their success was due to the exceptional ability of some of the players and to the energetic approach of their captain, Frank Montague, and trainer Benny Lynch.

The 3rd Fifteen were fired with great team spirit, and they finished well up in the League. In the Cup they reached the quarter final and were barely beaten by Blackrock, the eventual winners.

The 3rd A Fifteen was one of the best ever to represent the Club and they were extremely unlucky to be beaten in the 3rd round of the Cup in very difficult playing conditions.

Much of the credit for the success of the 3rd and 3rd A Fifteens must go to their captains, Bill Gray and Paddy Drennan, and to their trainers, Vincent McGovern and Jack Sheerin who were noted for their drive and enlightened ideas.

The congratulations and good wishes of the Club go to Ken Wall and his bride, Miss Nula Quinlan, who were married on 11th July. Ken played a notable part in the Cup victory of 1958. To himself and Nula we wish every blessing and happiness.

The very sincere thanks of the Club is due to our Patron, V. Revd. Dr. M. Kennedy, President of the College, for his gracious kindness in putting the College grounds at our disposal for a Carnival organized to help to reduce the big debt on the Club pavilion and playing fields. The Carnival was an outstanding success due in large measure to the most efficient Ladies Committee who worked so hard in preparation for the Carnival and all during the fortnight it was in progress. We thank them most sincerely.

At the Annual General Meeting the following officers were elected for the 1959-'60 season:

<i>President :</i>	...	Colonel N. Corrigan
<i>Captain 1st XV :</i>	...	Sean Cooke
<i>Vice-Captain :</i>	...	Jack Bagnall
<i>Captain 2nd XV :</i>	...	Joe Fanagan
<i>Vice-Captain :</i>	...	Bob Downes
<i>Captain 3rd XV :</i>	...	Bill Gray
<i>Vice-Captain :</i>	...	Peter Thornton

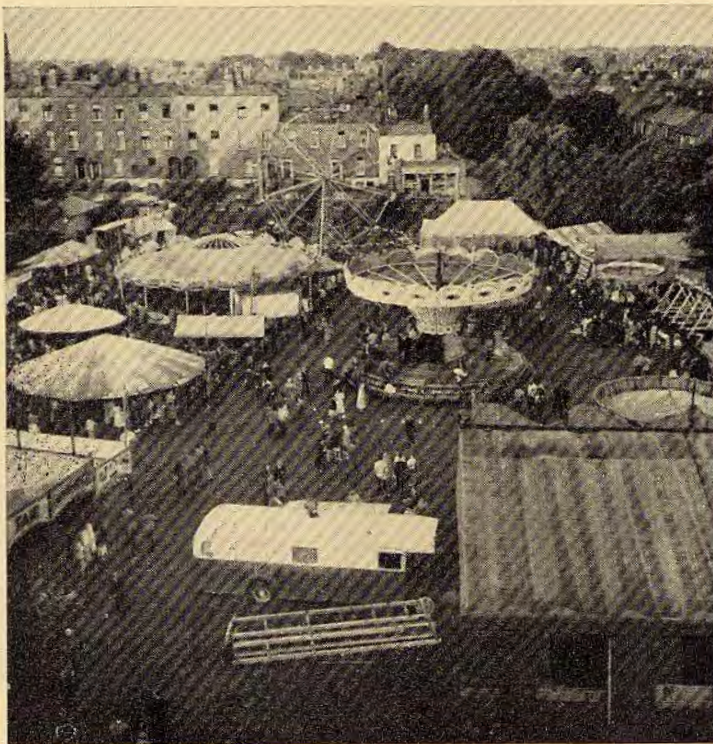
Bartolomew Fitzsimon
Hon. Secretary

SEVEN-ASIDE CUP WINNERS



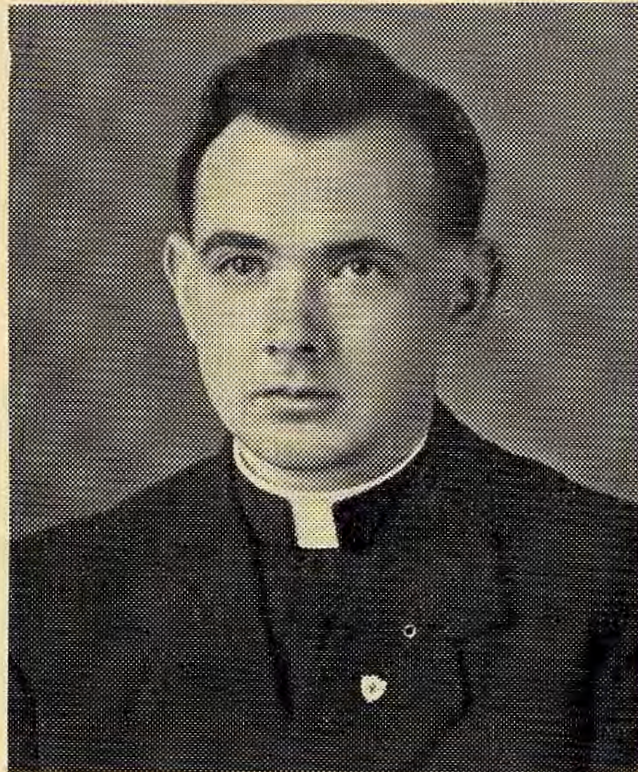
Seated : J. Kelly, F. Montague, H. Byrne.

Standing : C. O'Kelly, K. Wall, N. Kenny, J. Carville, W. Murray.



THE CARNIVAL—All the fun of the fair !

PAST STUDENTS RECENTLY ORDAINED



FR. HUGH O'REILLY, C.S.SP.

Ordained July, 1958. Fr. Hugh sails for his mission in East Africa in October. We wish him every blessing.



FR. BRIAN O'ROURKE, C.S.SP.

Ordained July, 1959, in Fribourg, Switzerland.



FR. COLUM MURRAY, C.S.SP.

Ordained July, 1959 in Dublin. Said his First Mass in St. Mary's College.

Courtesy—Missionary Annals

RUGBY

SENIOR RUGBY

WITH P. Rossi as Captain and P. Cullen as Vice-Captain the task of building a team around the six players left from last year was taken up with determination. By the time we were due to play our Cup matches a useful side was playing very good football. High-light of the season was our visit to London, which, although disappointing from the point of view of football—frost prevented us from fulfilling any of our engagements—was educationally and socially quite a success. To our hosts, St. Joseph's Academy, Blackheath, we say a very sincere Thank You for making our stay in London so enjoyable.

CUP MATCHES

ST. MARY'S 6. ROSCREA 6.

Two magnificent penalty goals by S. Kilcawley enabled Roscrea to hold St. Mary's to a thrilling draw at Clonskea. The Dublin boys, however, were the better side but were up against a tenacious defence. An opportunist try by Kavanagh put St. Mary's in the lead after five minutes, and a long range penalty goal by Brown gave them a 6-0 margin at half time. Kilcawley's two kicks brought Roscrea back into the game early in the second half and in an exciting finish St. Mary's were mostly on the attack.

Irish Times

SENIOR CUP TEAM



Lafayette

Seated : B. Cotter, M. Hogan, C. Madigan, P. Rossi (Capt.), P. Cullen, R. Nolan, E. McMahon.

Standing : D. Curtis, L. Roche, B. Corrigan, S. Lynch, J. Browne, M. Jones, P. Kavanagh, D. Burke.

ST. MARY'S 6. ROSCREA 3.

St. Mary's qualified for the second quarter final of the Senior Schools Cup when they beat Roscrea by two tries to a penalty goal. St. Mary's took the lead in the 30th minute when following a scrum near the Roscrea posts, Cotter went over for an unconverted try. Cotter scored his second try in the 23rd minute of the second half to put St. Mary's further ahead. Kilcawley kicked a penalty goal for Roscrea.

Irish Independent

ST. MARY'S 0. CLONGOWES 0.

Clongowes and St. Mary's played a scoreless draw at Donnybrook in a game that was not particularly brilliant but had its compensations in the closing stages when Clongowes tried everything to register a winning score. The forward exchanges were fought out with plenty of enthusiasm and on little amount of skill. In the loose, St. Mary's worked like demons and none was more

prominent than Rossi who got support from Roche and Curtis.

Whatever the shortcomings the St. Mary's backline had in attack they displayed sterling qualities in defence with every man pulling his weight to the last ounce.

Irish Press

ST. MARY'S 0. CLONGOWES 8.

Held to a scoreless draw last Friday Clongowes advanced to the semi-final when their heavy pack outplayed the light St. Mary's boys. Hard as the St. Mary's forwards tried they could not stop Kos from continually getting the ball away to scrum-half Regan who swept out a series of fine passes to his backs.

After 25 minutes a knock on by the losers right wing enabled Murray to give Brady his chance to cross for a try. Just before half-time right wing Lane scored at the corner.

Irish Press

JUNIOR CUP TEAM



Lafayette

Seated : B. Moran, M. Hooper, B. Fanning, L. Sheppard (Capt.), A. Hickie, S. Molloy, K. Corrigan.
Standing : D. O'Sullivan, E. Dunne, M. Byrne, D. Rossi, D. Hooper, W. Byrne, F. Maguire,
E. Mullan, Inset A. Costello

SECOND SENIOR RUGBY FIFTEEN

Big numbers turned out for the practices early in September, and from the beginning there was keen competition for places. So great in fact was the attendance that this year a Third Senior XV was formed and they played four matches. The Second XV won five of their twelve matches and at all times were able to provide stiff opposition for the S.C.T., even defeating them on one occasion. In the course of the year four Second Senior players were promoted to the ranks of the S.C.T. and represented the College in the Cup matches. A notable feature of the season was the liveliness of the training sessions. Kevin Byrne, our captain, proved himself an energetic coach with no lack of initiative—in fact a Dean of Discipline's dream captain! And that's saying a lot.

JUNIOR RUGBY

We did not look a particularly impressive side when we turned out for the first time in September, but we reached the Cup final and were beaten by Blackrock College only after a tense struggle. Of the fifteen matches played during the season we lost only one; one was drawn, and in the rest we were victorious. There was a good spirit in the team and practice was taken seriously, even during the Christmas vacation. By the time the Cup series opened we were a fit team. We had a very successful season due in no small measure to the leadership of our Captain, Liam Sheppard. He was our "Player of the Year." Tony Hickie's superb kicking and fearless tackling have already marked him out as a most promising fullback.

CUP MATCHES

ST. MARY'S 9. C.U.S. 8

We had a dour struggle to beat C.U.S. on a raw and gusty day when it was "anybody's game." Despite the absence of Michael Hooper as hooker we managed to get a few balls from the scrums, just enough to enable us to win by 9 points to 8.

ST. MARY'S 8. ST. COLUMBA'S 3

In this match we had two new wings, David Hooper and Kevin Corrigan, both promoted from the Under 14 team. Kevin scored twice against his opposite number

from Singapore, a really fine wing-three-quarter. It was an exciting match.

ST. MARY'S 0. BELVEDERE 0.

This was the semi-final, and we were against Belvedere, a team with a great Cup tradition. A keenly-fought match resulted in a draw. A penalty in front of the Belvedere posts gave us our chance of victory but it was missed. Even an easy kick becomes difficult when so much depends on it.

ST. MARY'S 6. BELVEDERE 5

Belvedere scored first in the re-play and we were five points down when the half-time whistle went. In the second half Tony Hickie landed a fine penalty goal, and shortly before the end David Hooper took his pass on the run and with only inches to spare from the touch-line, cut for the corner flag. He side-stepped several would-be tackles and crossed for a dream try which put us into the Final.

ST. MARY'S 0

BLACKROCK COLLEGE 8

To reach the Final is the next best thing to winning it. This was an exciting match of keen open play. We found ourselves defending for the greater part of the match due to the tactical error of the centres lying far too deep. Our tackling was excellent. Blackrock shone in quick and varied passing movements. Their try was a brilliant one and they made no mistake about the convert. A drop-goal by J. Dillon left them worthy Cup winners of 1959.

UNDER 14 RUGBY FIFTEEN

This season will be remembered for the do-or-die spirit of the forwards in their tussles with such heavy packs as Blackrock College and Clongowes Wood and the splendid running of the backline which gave us victory against Belvedere and Terenure. Brian Evers, the Captain, struck up a successful partnership with John Kinahan and they were a fine pair of halves. The strong running and hard tackling of Kevin Corrigan earned him a well deserved place on the Junior Cup team. The forwards played together as one man and promise to be quite a formidable pack in the near future. Perhaps this is the team to bring the Junior Cup back to Rathmines next year.

UNDER THIRTEENS RUGBY

It wasn't the best of years and it wasn't the worst of years for the Under Thirteens. We came through a very heavy fixture list with a reasonably good record—played 24 matches; won 13; drew 2; lost 9; 234 points for, and 134 against. But we failed to retain the Provincial Cup. Willow Park were worthy winners of the competition which was somewhat spoiled this year by our old enemy, the 'flu. Our Captain, David Hooper, won his place on the J.C.T. and his wonderful score in Donnybrook against Belvedere will long be remembered.

HOUSE RUGBY LEAGUES SENIOR HOUSE

When the House teams were published early in September there was considerable lifting of eyebrows and murmurs of: "Fancy me in togs!" Boots that had for many a day

done nothing but produce penicillin were scraped of their verdant fungus and forms and figures that would make Euclid do somersaults in his grave were shoehorned into regalia reminiscent of Picasso. Muscles and joints long grown stiff from idleness were roused from their lethargy and the "fancy-mes" appeared on the field. The Senior Leagues were on!

Grosvenor captained by Michael Cullen won the medals, but the House trophy was won by Rathgar who defeated Cullenswood by the narrow margin of 13 points to 10. Congratulations to captains one and all, and to the newcomers who added a dash of poetry to a series that might otherwise have been very prosaic indeed.

INTERMEDIATE RUGBY LEAGUE

Two rounds were played in this league between September and March, each team playing at least eight matches. At the end of

UNDER THIRTEEN CUP TEAM



Photo :

Lafayette

Seated : J. Fanning, B. Bohill, P. McLoughlin, D. Hooper (Capt.), J. Kinahan, E. O'Doherty, P. McInerney.
Standing : B. Glynn, N. Coleman, D. Byrne, M. Glynn, A. Caffrey, J. O'Hagan, B. Smyth, G. Moloney.

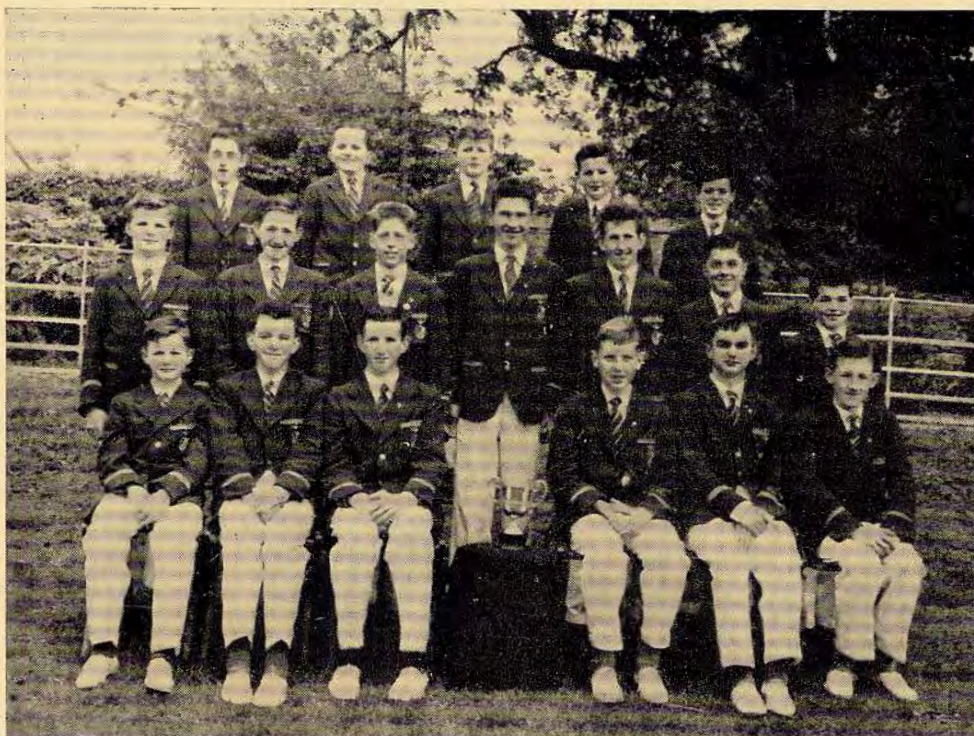
the first round Cullenswood captained by Ross Mahon, and Kenilworth under Cyril Doyle headed the league table. Hard on their heels came Rathgar under Brian Williams and Leinster under Barry O'Donovan. Competition was keen as round two opened. Greater numbers turned out and matches were hard-fought. Cullenswood emerged worthy winners with 12 points, closely followed by Kenilworth with 10 points. Rathgar, however, won the Intermediate Cup. The medals were presented by the Very Reverend President on March 23rd. The captains must be praised for the manner in which they kept their teams together and inspired them to give of their best in a keenly-fought contest.

JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE

The Junior League, despite very bad weather and an epidemic of 'flu, proved to be a very successful and exciting competition. The standard of play was good and each league point was keenly disputed. Early in the second round Rathgar, captained by D. Coveney, took a clear lead and eventually emerged deserving winners. Cullenswood led by G. Montague were worthy runners-up. D. Coveney played a captain's part in seeing to it that his men turned out regularly for their fixtures and he instilled something of his own enthusiasm into his team who were indeed deserving medal winners. The House Cup went to Rathgar also.



VERSE-SPEAKING CHOIR



WINNERS OF INTERMEDIATE CUP, FR. MATHEW FEIS 1959

Seated : P. Davis, K. Dunphy, D. Kenny, E. Bills, G. O'Grady, P. O'Reilly
Second row : C. Walshe, R. O'Neill, B. Evers, D. Hooper, A. Murray, N. Keane, W. Cooper.
Back row : N. Burke, F. Mooney, P. Norton, F. Nagle, P. Berry.

JUNIOR SCHOOL RUGBY



THE HOPE OF THE FUTURE

UNDER NINES

THIS team is one of our brightest hopes for the future. Not a single defeat was suffered during the season. Matches were played against such doughty opponents as Terenure College, Belvedere, and Willow Park and the scores registered, reflect the do-or-die spirit that animated the side. Mention must be made of J. Moloney, one of the highest scorers of the season. His keenness earned him a place on the Under Tens school team, Mention must be made also of P. Hooper, the captain; K. Kinahan who proved himself to be a capable place-kicker; and T. Lyons who made a very sound full-back. We hope that the Under Nines will uphold their unbeaten record in the coming season.

UNDER TENS

THE Under Tens played ten games during the season, winning six, drawing two and

losing two. 106 points were scored "for" to 36 points "against." The strength of the team lay in a hard-working set of forwards among whom J. Greene and D. Smith were outstanding. T. Doddy provided a good service from the base of the scrum and F. Conheady at out-half showed himself an intelligent footballer. However, in H. Murphy at right-centre we found a real match-winner. Given half an opening, he showed what speed and a quick eye can do. Matches were played against Willow Park, Belvedere, Terenure, St. Michael's, and De La Salle.

UNDER ELEVENS

LED by T. McCormick, who proved himself worthy of a place on the Under Thirteen team, this year's Under Elevens had a season of mixed fortunes. Matches were played against Terenure College, High School, Willow Park, and Belvedere. In these

encounters G. O'Hagan and H. Murphy in the centre and J. Flynn at full-back were outstanding. This is a promising side and should give a good account of itself next year.

LEAGUE COMPETITIONS

UNDER ELEVEN AND TWELVE LEAGUE

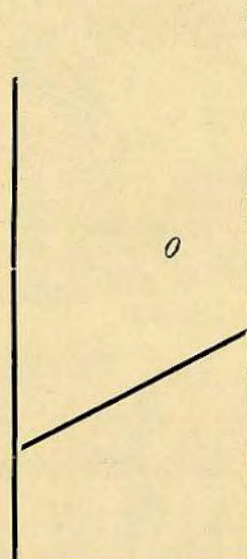
THE League Competition this year provided plenty of excitement. Six teams took part, and each match was played with great determination and tremendous enthusiasm. Some closely fought encounters preceded the Final, which was contested by "France," captained by Gerry Moloney, and "Wales" led by Paul McInerney. The teams were very evenly matched and at half-time neither side had scored. Midway through the second half Gerry Moloney crossed for a try for "France" and Lezlo Peter added

the extra points. The final score "French" 5 points, "Wales" nil.

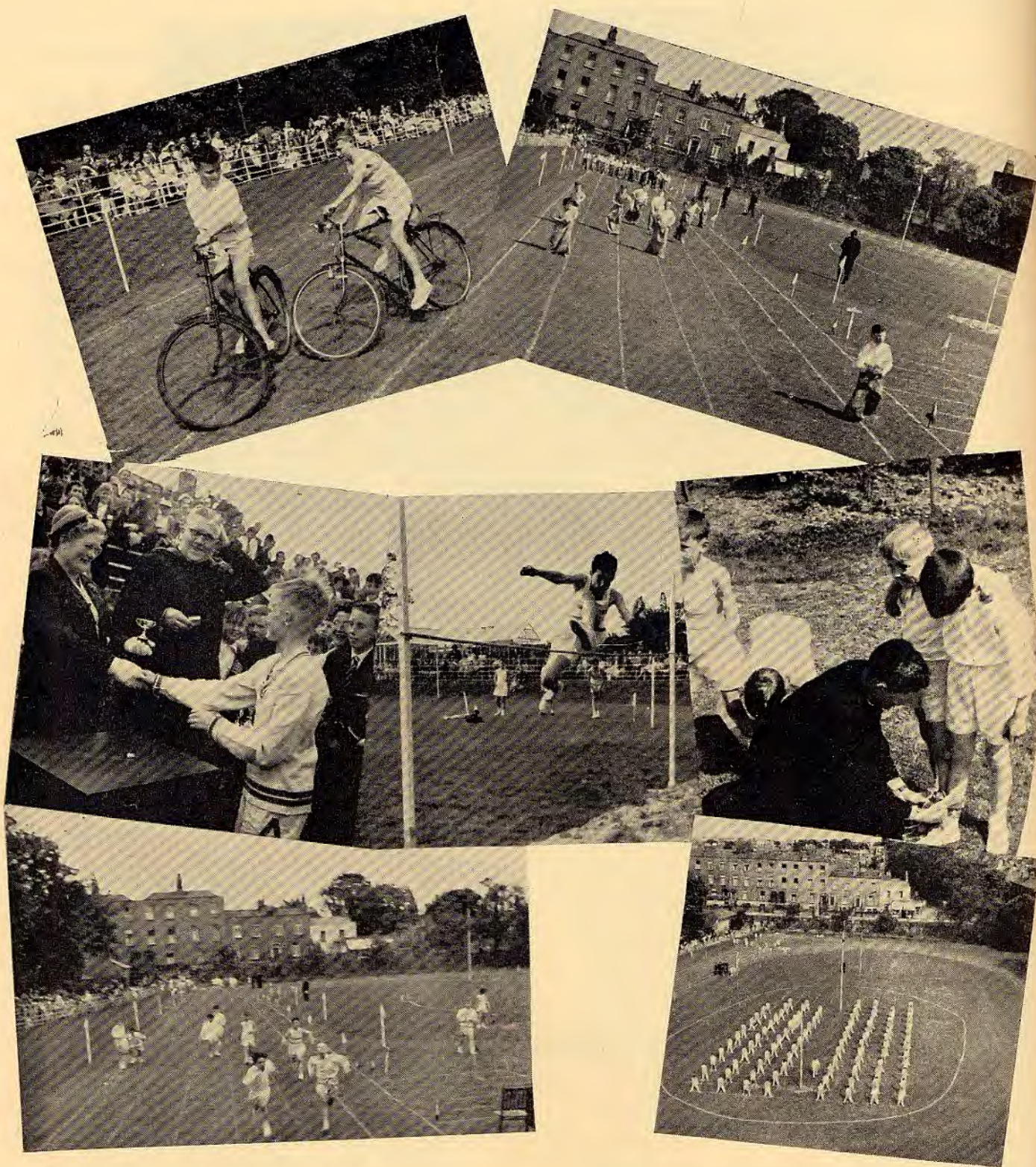
UNDER NINE AND TEN LEAGUE

THE 1959 Season ended with St. Kevin's (Capt. Kevin Byrne) defeating St. Augustine's (Capt. Fergus Conyeady) in the League Final by 27 points to nil. The score hardly represents the closeness of the struggle. A fine performance by John Moloney who scored 18 points sealed the fate of St. Augustine's.

The captains of the teams taking part in the competition are to be congratulated on the manner in which they carried out their duties, seeing that their players were regular and punctual in getting on the field for the matches. Whatever is lacking in skill or technique in this competition is more than made up for by the excitement and the wholehearted efforts of the competitors.



JUNIOR SCHOOL SPORTS



JUNIOR SCHOOL SPORTS DAY HIGHLIGHTS, SUMMER 1959

SENIOR CUP TEAM RUGBY TOUR

The rugby tour that wasn't! Well, not rugby—the weather saw to that. But tour—yes, and every minute of it enjoyable. It was good news to hear that St. Joseph's Academy, Blackheath, had invited us to play them on their home ground in London. It was a trip not to be missed. Practices were hard and keen and well attended. Pocket-money was begged, borrowed and **saved**. Friday, January 19th saw the selected seventeen assembled at the North Wall where, after press interviews and flash-bulbs and "what were our plans for the future," etc. we bounded up the gangway. We were aboard at last. But not all of us—Maurice Hogan was missing! Consternation filled us as the minutes ticked by and still no Maurice appeared. Then, just as the gangway

was about to go up, our flying wing got over the line in a last minute do-or-die effort that earned him a cheer.

Sleep was fitful for all of us what with the salt in our nostrils, the spray in our hair and the noise of the engines in our ears. We arrived in Liverpool to be greeted by the cold, frosty morning air. After Holy Mass in the Pro-Cathedral we went down to Lime Street Station for breakfast. Our coach stood outside the restaurant window with "Rev. Barry's Party" written up for all Liverpool to see.

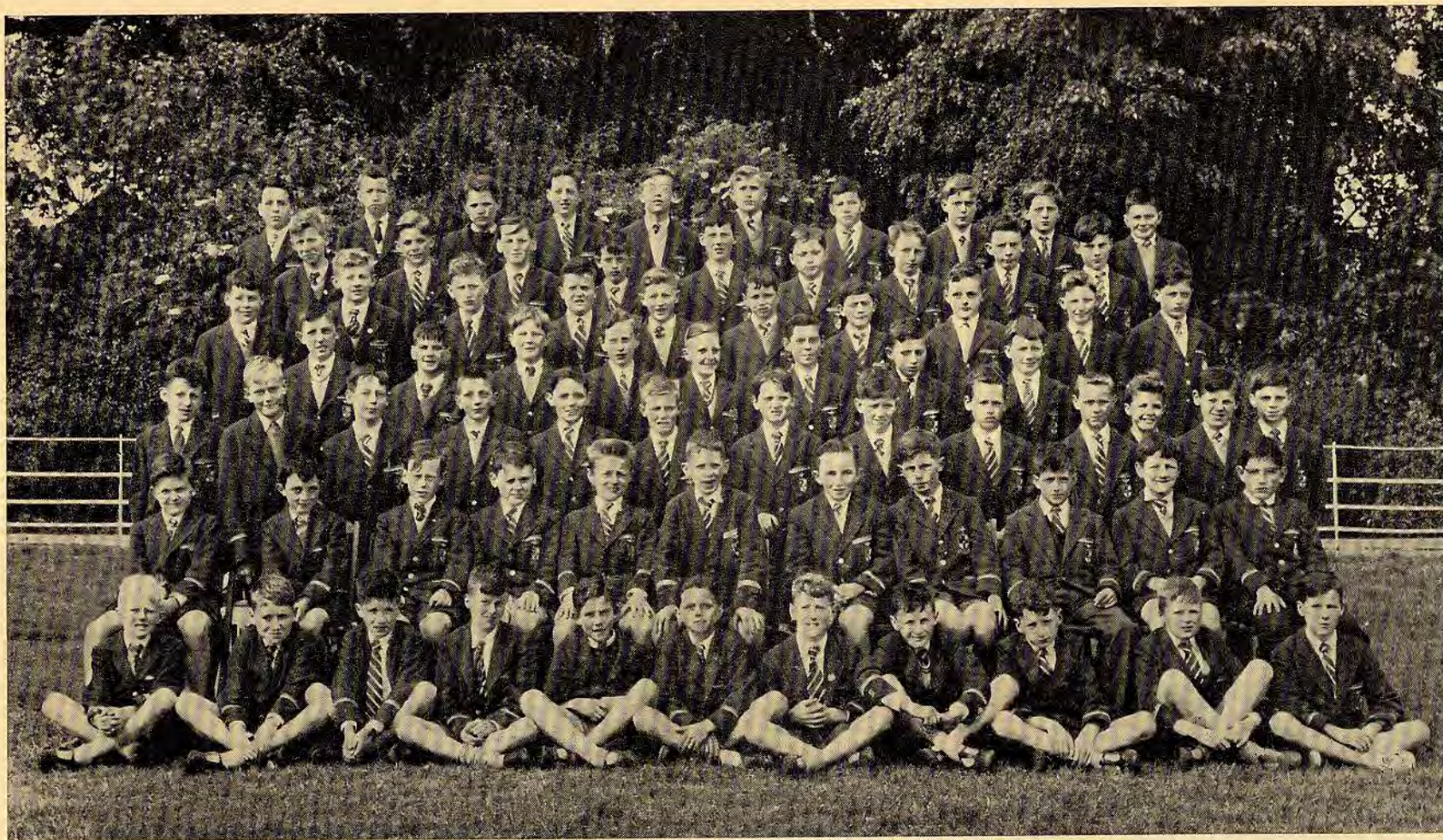
Before our departure for London we made a brief tour of the city visiting the magnificent Protestant cathedral, a huge Gothic structure in new red sandstone. It was begun in 1906 and is not yet completed. A notable feature



Courtesy

WESTMINSTER ABBEY

The Cross



JUNIOR V

Lafayette

Front row : D. Harrington, P. Berry, D. Caffrey, A. O'Donoghue, B. O'Meara, J. Joos, B. O'Toole, P. Sheeran, P. Flannagan, B. Lyons, C. Clancy.

Seated : P. Martin, D. Ryan, D. Wilson, J. Sadlier, V. Nagle, M. Hefferon, P. Rafter, D. Byrne, A. Jerrold, O. Duncan, B. Horgan.

Third row : A. Tyrrell, V. Price, T. McCormick, J. Bracken, K. Martin, J. Kinahan, R. Corcoran, J. Pyne, C. Toner, S. O'Neill, A. Keane, G. O'Hagan, T. Moylan.

Fourth row : P. McCrann, R. Dunne, R. Kearns, P. Costello, R. Gallagher, M. O'Toole, P. Blackbyrne, P. Wilson.

Fifth row : G. Williams, J. Kenny, D. Liddy, A. Coleman, S. Finlay, F. O'Donovan, A. Westby, V. O'Meara, F. O'Reilly, D. Keogh.

Sixth row : E. Farrell, G. Moloney, B. McArdle, B. Geraghty, B. O'Brien, L. Redmond, F. Uhlemann, S. McNamara, D. Shanley.

Back row : A. Del Rio, J. O'Hara, I. Murphy, J. Kelly, D. Mulligan, L. Peter, P. McInerney, P. Donnelly, J. Flynn, A. Andrevcetti.

of the beautiful interior are the lancet windows which are the highest in England. But the motifs! The buccaneer Drake playing bowls while waiting for the Armada is surely not a subject for venerable stained glass. In the Catholic cathedral we noted the progress made since it was begun in 1934 and we were interested in the striking Byzantine style of the building.

The journey under the Mersey through two miles of steel roaded tunnel filled us with wonder. Then on to Chester where we stopped to visit the old Roman walls, the twelfth century cathedral, and to wriggle our way in and around the old oaken arcades and (let it be told in a whisper) to drink lemonade in Woolworth's—surely a profanity in this Castra (Chester) where all the centuries of British history meet!

Our coach sped on through the lovely English countryside covered in a mantle of glistening snow scintillating in the brilliant sunshine. We were travelling on an endless Christmas card. A stop at a wayside inn for coffee, and then we pulled into Stratford-on-Avon for lunch. Of course a visit to Shakespeare's house was a must. We were now in the very heart of England and making for Oxford. We passed near Banbury Cross, the House that Jack Built, the Old Crooked House and silent tears were shed as great prop-forwards recalled the misspent days of their childhood! The evening drew on and the sun slowly sinking gave us a kaleidoscope of colours across the snow-covered fields for miles, making even the most sluggish of us sit up and take notice. We reached London at 7.30 p.m. and after an evening coach tour through the city we arrived at St. Joseph's and were given a royal welcome by the De La Salle Brothers and their boys.

Our first match against St. Joseph's was arranged for the following day, Sunday. Alas! the sudden frost which had set in on the previous Friday made play impossible, to the disappointment of thirty eager boys and about five hundred would-be spectators.

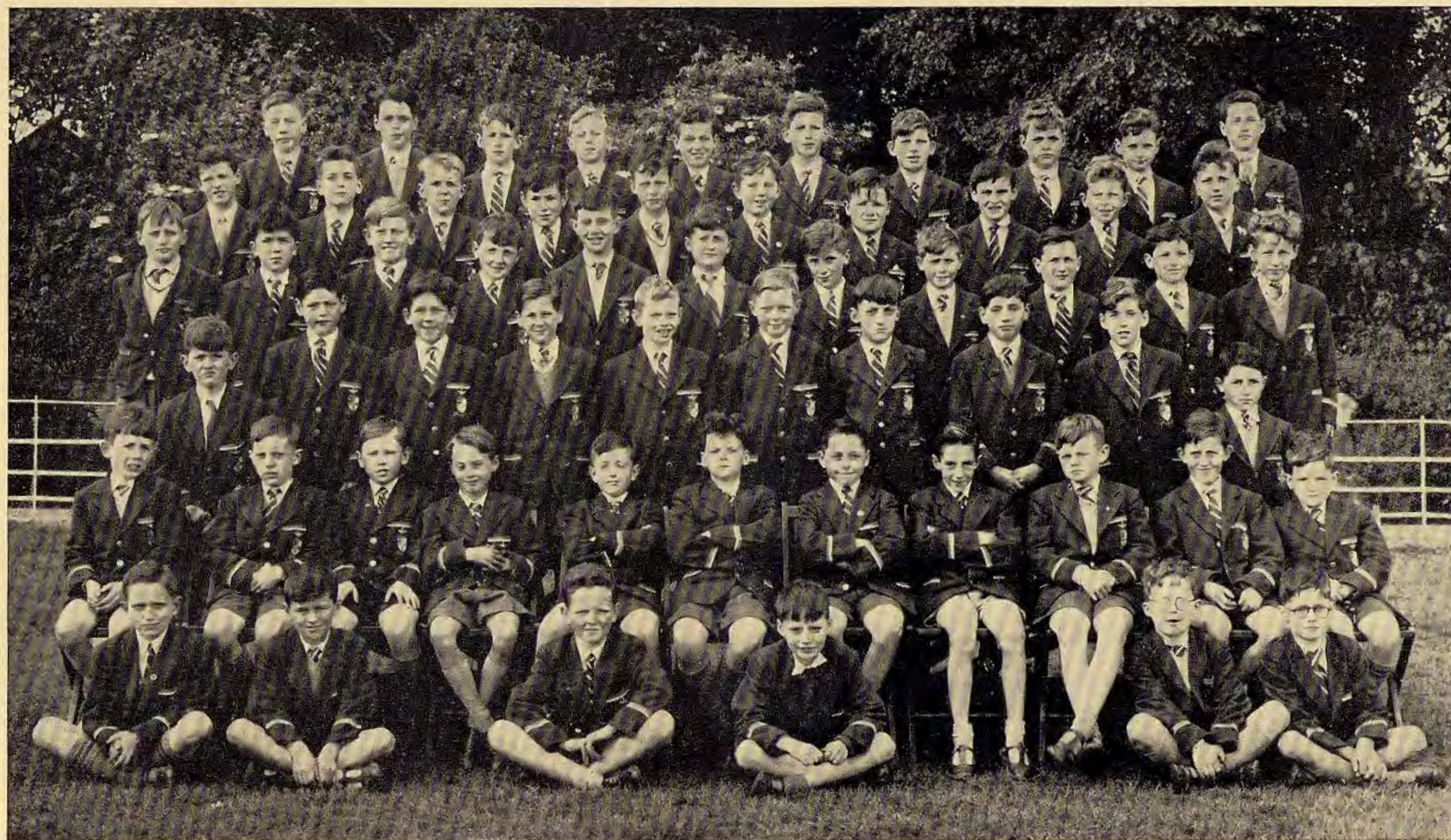
On Monday, 12th. despite gallant efforts by the groundsman, the pitch was still unplayable so we set out for an educational tour of the city. In the course of the morning we visited the Victoria and Albert Museum, and the Geological and Science Museums in South Kensington. We had lunch in the Victoria Restaurant and then went off to visit the Tower of London. No Gilbertian fantasy this time. We were talking to a real

live Beefeater who gave us a close-up panorama of British history carved through centuries in every stone of William the Conqueror's fort. The names of royal lines—Norman, Plantagenet, Tudor, Stewart—, of commoners and nobles, of saints and reprobates, of loyalists and traitors seemed to beckon to us at every turn in the most tragic of English Keeps. We left the Tower and went to review history of a different kind at Madame Toussaud's.

General Frost was still in command on Tuesday 13th but there was yet much of interest to be seen in London and so we had another enjoyable day in the city. We visited the magnificent cathedral of Westminster, a great pile in the Byzantine manner worthy of the Faith that will again, we pray, be England's true greatness. From the Cathedral we went to the Abbey, and here our hearts sank as we surveyed the bedlam of statuary gargoyles which heresy has spewed into every corner of this most perfect of Catholic England's early Gothic. The descendants of the iconoclastic reformers have taken riotous if unconscious revenge on their forebears who deprived them of the cult of the saints and ousted the holy images from their niches. It would be interesting to hear a random dissertation on the religious beliefs of all the atheists, deists, and theists, of the free-thinkers, free-masons, agnostics and pantheists who lie in Poet's Corner, not to speak of the ragtag and bobtail whose remains profane the Abbey of St. Peter in Westminster. For all that, it is still profoundly and majestically "Catholic."

The British Museum which we visited next opened up endless avenues of historical interest for us.

Wednesday 14th proved to be the highlight of the tour. We could not play our match against Sidcup Grammar School due again to the condition of the ground. Through the courtesy of Mr. Mellish M.P. we were taken on a visit to the Houses of Parliament. Both Houses were in recess, but Mr. Mellish was our "Open Sesame." Besides giving us many interesting details concerning the Lords and the Commons, he told us of some of his experiences as a Labour Party Front Bencher and he even allowed us in on tiptoe to a session of the Lords Chief Justice in the very act of framing a new British law. But who spoiled everything by whispering at the back: "And where is the H.P. sauce factory?"



JUNIOR IV

Lafayette

Front row : J. Conheady, T. Doddy, P. Clerkin, F. O'Connor, D. Walshe, P. Gaffrey.

Seated : J. Meade, J. Fitzgerald, J. Carroll, R. Coghlan, C. Jones, P. O'Connell, V. Lynch, R. Fair, T. Murphy, J. Westby, C. Lindsay.

Third row : G. Sadlier, J. Gilsenan, H. R. Murphy, M. Whyte, M. O'Connor, B. O'Connor, D. Corrigan, T. O'Brien, J. Jordan, J. Naughten.

Fourth row : S. Hodgins, D. Duffy, R. Deasy, J. Sinnott, B. Godfrey, D. Lee, T. Hughes, J. Connolly, D. Coleman, C. O'Sullivan, R. Bailey.

Fifth row : N. O'Shea, K. Jone, R. O'Callaghan, J. Maguire, R. Nash, J. Dardis, H. O'Brien, J. Finan, D. O'Louthlin, D. O'Brien.

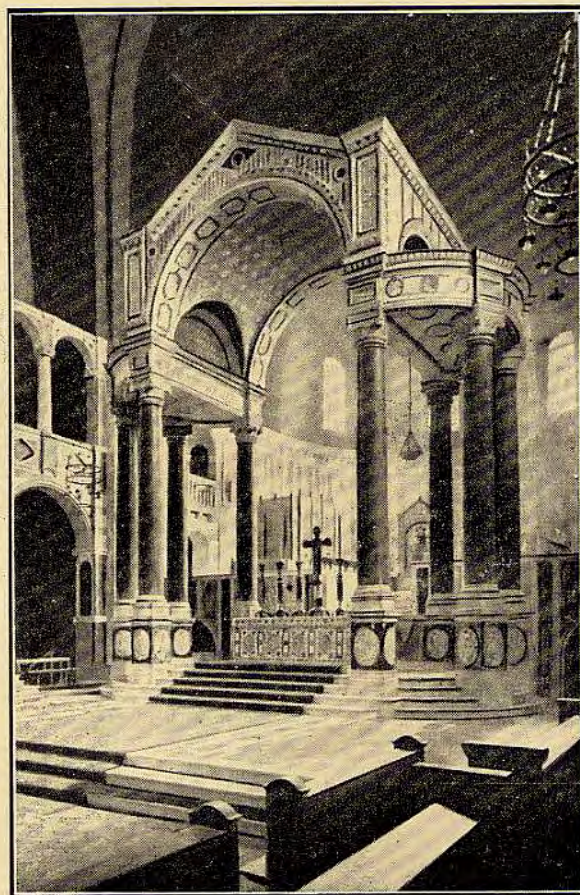
Back row : P. Anderson, R. Foley, D. Cahill, J. Greene, V. Farrell, A. White, F. O'Rourke, A. Cass, G. Sharvin, B. Hooper.

Lest the reader should get a false impression and think that every day we spent in London was occupied in visiting museums and places of historical interest, let me hasten to inform him that the afternoons and evenings were spent in well, let us say they were spent !

Thursday 15th. was our day of departure. The St. Joseph's boys crowding into school at 9.00 a.m. reminded us of the end of the vacation. It was farewell at last. And so, into our coach again and a quick morning tour of London before emerging onto the old Roman road which runs straight as a die to St. Alban's. We visited the famous cathedral there and walked the walls of the old Roman town of Verulamium. We threw a glance at the oldest inhabited inn of England, "The Fighting Cocks," and moved on our way to Lichfield. Here we had lunch, saw Samuel Johnson's birthplace and the tiny school he attended and had our photos taken before the wonderful Gothic cathedral. Evening was closing in as we headed for

Warrington and Liverpool and with the descending fog visibility became gradually poorer. We had almost reached Lime Street Station (two and a half miles off) when we were caught in a pea-soup fog. It was impossible for the coach to move an inch without danger. But two teddy-boys came to our rescue ! We can never sufficiently thank these two lads who walked in front of the coach (and backwards at that) and directed the driver for two and a half miles right to the entrance to the station ! We were unable to catch the B. & I. boat but we transferred to the mail-train bound for Holyhead and, fortified with potatoe crisps and ham sandwiches, we were soon on the very last lap of our journey home. We changed at Chester but this time—1.30 a.m.—we had no eye for artistic beauty. At last we were aboard the Hibernia and a few hours took us into the clear blue skies of Dun Laoghaire and Dublin. We were home.

THE MAN IN BLACK.



Courtesy

THE HIGH ALTAR

The Cross

Westminster Cathedral



JUNIOR III

Lafayette

- Seated :* T. Pyne, D. Veale, T. Hefferon, B. O'Meara, L. O'Brien, P. Sullivan, S. Cunningham, F. Conheady, P. Hooper, B. McGlade.
- Second row :* P. Bourke, D. Greene, T. Moylan, A. Mullaney, P. Forde, J. Butler, D. Howlin, K. Geraghty, W. Sadlier, D. O'Neill, B. Somers.
- Third row :* R. Coffey, F. Deveraux, P. Hanratty, K. Byrne, F. Murphy, M. Walshe, C. Cassidy, R. Bagnall, B. Corrigan, R. Boyd, D. McSorley.
- Fourth row :* S. Keeley, G. Charleton, T. Manahan, J. McGettrick, T. Higgins, A. Davey, J. Moloney, P. O'Dwyer, D. Byrne, D. Hogan.
- Back row :* R. Butler, J. Bloomer, P. Keogh, G. Groome, J. Giltrap, R. Teehan, D. Bacon, D. Sadlier, M. Quinlan, D. Smyth.

SENIOR BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Twelve teams took part in this league which is confined to members of Fifth and Sixth years. After an interesting and closely-fought competition the teams of Fergus Brady and Dermot Burke emerged as the winners of their respective sections and opposed each other in the final. Contrary to all expectations Dermot Burke's team deservedly won the competition by 18 to 11.

The team to represent the College in the Dublin Schools' Basketball League was selected from those taking part in the House League. Places were eagerly sought after and our easy victories over Blackrock College and Monkstown C.B.C. were due in large

measure to the efforts of Brendan Murphy and Liam Birkett in organising practices regularly. In fact we eventually won our section of the League, but we were defeated by St. Paul's in the final 32 to 15. In the Leinster Schools' Championship (a knock-out competition) we were leading the excellent St. Paul's team for two thirds of the game, but they won 32 to 12, and eventually they won the Championship. Brendan Murphy's shooting was superb and won him a place on the Leinster team. In all we played 11 matches; won 8. Points for: 270. Points against: 185. A very satisfactory season.

BASKET-BALL TEAM



Seated : E. Veale, L. Birkett, B. Murphy, P. Keogh, L. Roche.

Standing : T. Maher, P. Brady, J. Browne, D. O'Doherty.

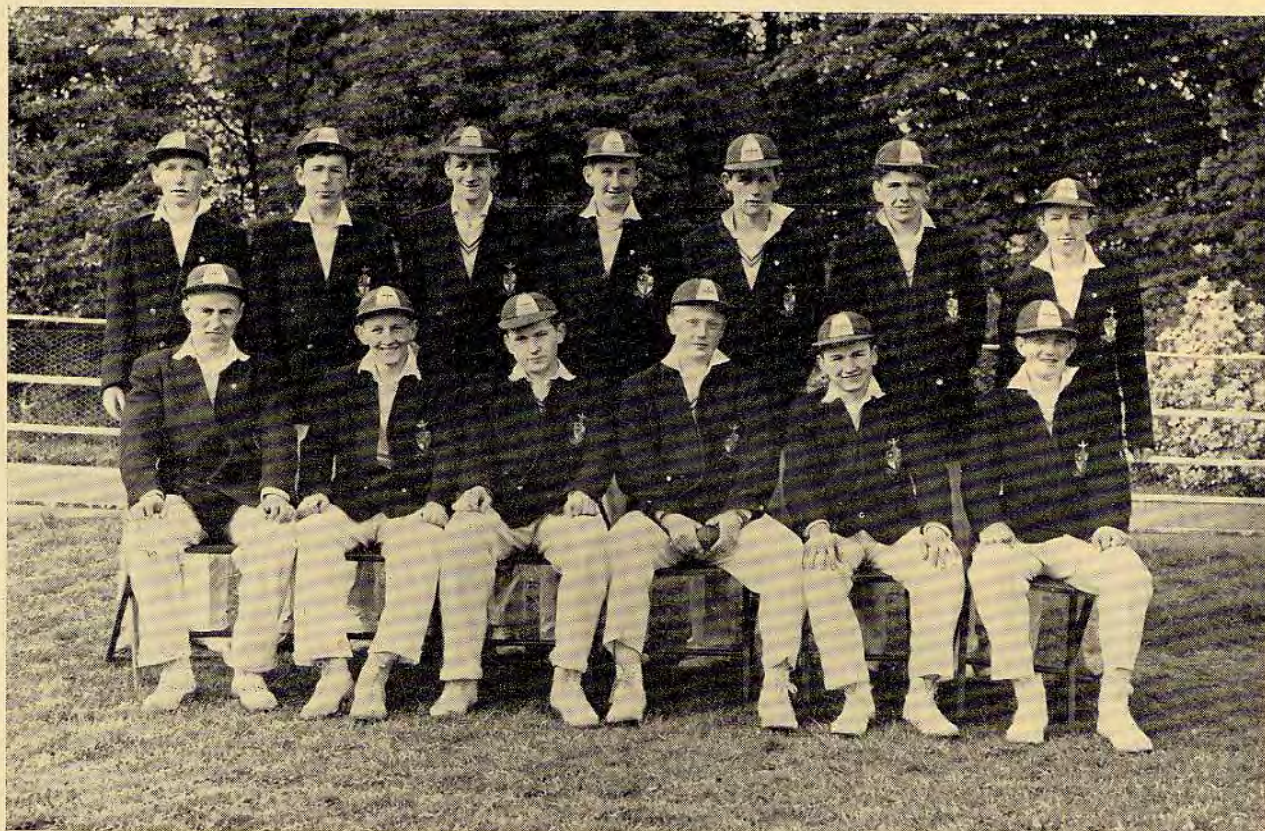
Lafayette

CRICKET

SENIOR CRICKET XI

WE resolved, come what might, to enjoy our cricket this season, to forget such things as Cup "nerves" and to play the game well. With this care-free attitude we had a most successful and really enjoyable series of matches. Pat Cullen was elected Captain and Michael

In all for the season we won ten of our matches and were defeated in four. We had pleasant trips to Clongowes and to Glenstal, losing against the former and defeating the latter. Our matches against Phoenix, Clontarf and the Leprechauns were hard-fought and gave us useful experience for our Cup-match encounters.



SENIOR CRICKET XI

Lafayette

Seated : P. Beare, E. Fitzgerald, E. Rafter, P. Cullen (Capt.), P. Banahan, B. Cotter.

Standing : C. Hooper, P. Kavanagh, M. Jones, J. Murray, B. Corrigan, R. McGregor, M. Cullen.

Cullen Vice-Captain, seasoned players both. Practices were taken seriously and soon a great improvement was noticeable in stroke-play and in the bowling. Our first match was played on April 13th with rain-clouds hovering overhead. Our opponents, a West Indian student XI, had Test cricketer Frank Worrell as guest-player. It was a light-hearted affair enjoyed by everybody. Maybe this light-hearted approach of the West Indians is just what is lacking in the sluggish cricket of the home countries.

CUP MATCHES

Our first Cup match was against C.U.S. who had a devastating bowler in Frank Furlong. However, we survived to win by one wicket.

Blackrock College was our next obstacle and we may say that everything went right for us and wrong for them—it was "one of those days," as people sometimes philosophically say. With another victory to our credit we approached the Final against Belvedere with light hearts. This proved to

be a match full of shocks—first for Belvedere and then for ourselves. In the first innings seven Belvedere batsmen were back in the pavilion with hardly twenty runs on the board ! But we could make only 66 runs in reply to their 77. Our bowling wilted sadly in the second innings and Belvedere went on to make the fine score of 210 runs while we registered only 79. Our congratulations to Belvedere, worthy Cup winners of 1959.

P. Cullen and E. Rafter were selected to play for Leinster against Ulster and they gave a good account of themselves in this match which was drawn.

Last match of the season was against Phoenix. It was played in Kenilworth and ended in an exciting tie—153 runs each !

SECOND SENIOR CRICKET XI

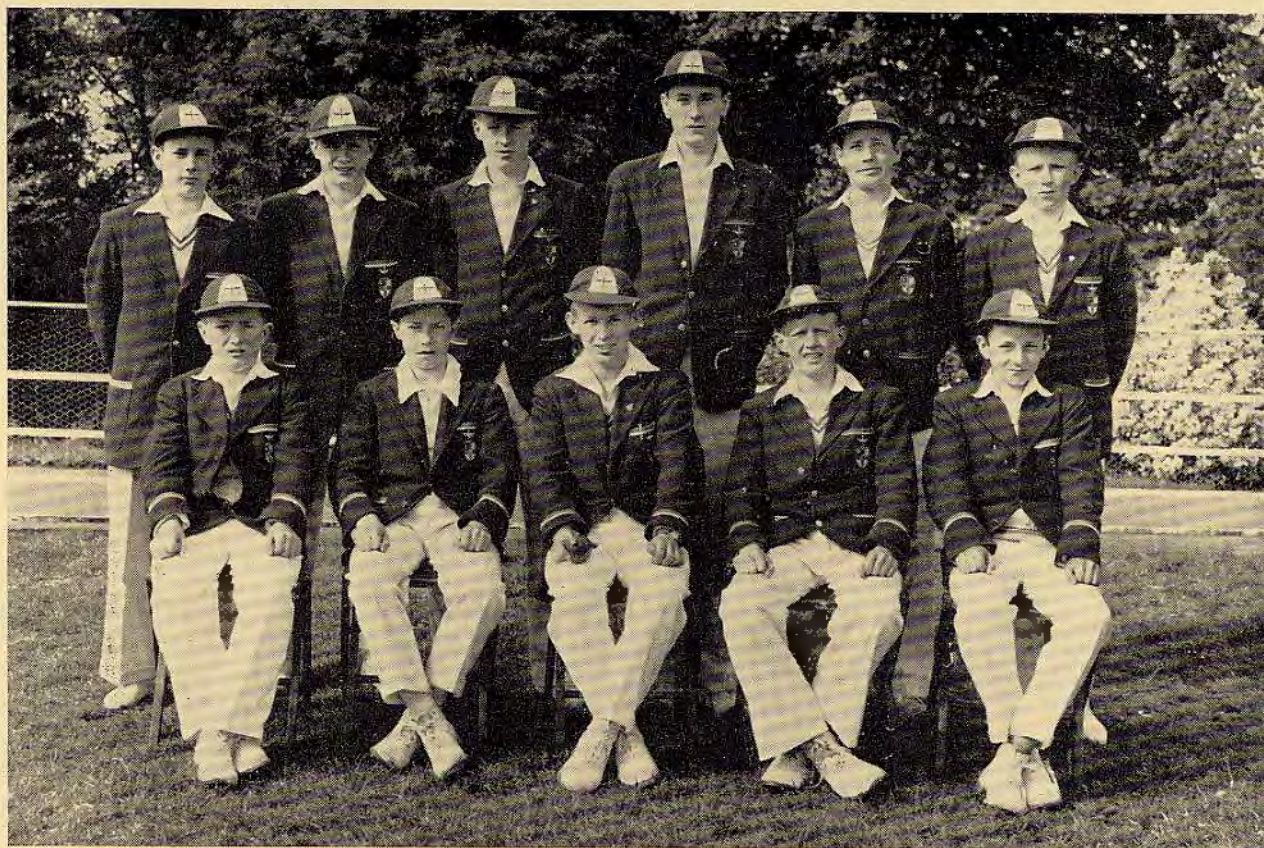
If we consider merely our enjoyment of the games we played, the 1959 season must rank as one of the best. Of six matches we drew two, lost three, and won only one. We might be said to have thrown our cricket

caps at results and to have left the more serious and strenuous efforts to the First Eleven. Barry O'Sullivan was Captain and David Fair was Vice-Captain. David played himself on to the First Eleven but he continued to help us out in our matches. Our cricket, it is true, did not reach classical perfection, yet we say in the spirit of the classics : "*Floreat Undecim Secundum !*"

JUNIOR CRICKET XI

During the season we played eleven matches of which three were drawn, four were lost and we won four—a satisfactory season on the whole. We reached the semi-final of the Cup but were defeated by Mountjoy School. Praiseworthy efforts to play correct strokes though good cricket, is sometimes bad policy for young teams—it does not always yield match-winning runs. But who cares ? The game's the thing.

Clive Bailey was a successful captain and played a captain's part throughout the season. Tony Hickie was outstanding with



JUNIOR CRICKET XI

Lafayette

Seated : P. McLoughlin, J. Kinahan, C. Bailey, E. Mullan, S. Williams.

Standing : J. Henderson, W. Byrne, A. Hickie, P. Best, M. Hooper, B. Williams.

bat and ball and his keen attendance at the nets was an inspiration to the whole side. He was selected for the Senior XI in the Final. Brian and Brendan Williams were good all-rounders and John Kinahan and Eamonn Mullan were reliable batsmen. Michael Hooper was also useful with the bat, while Author Costello often ended a match with a startling bowling analysis !

CRICKET LEAGUES

Intermediate League

The Intermediate League was fought out between seven teams, each out to win. As the term moved on "Clontarf" captained by D. Bradshaw began to assert their superiority, their nearest challengers being John Lee's "Railway Union." In an exciting final "Clontarf" just got home before "Railway" and were awarded the medals.



UNDER FOURTEEN CRICKET XI

Lafayette

Seated : M. Forde, N. Carty, P. McLoughlin (Capt.), N. Kearns, A. Jerrold.
Standing : C. Hainbach, K. McDonagh, P. Keeley, P. Doddy, G. Moloney, B. Massey.

UNDER FOURTEEN CRICKET XI

This year's team was surely one of the smallest ever, and yet one of the best. Paul McLoughlin was Captain of the side and Niall Carty was Vice-Captain. Competition for places was keen and there was plenty of talent available both for bowling and batting. Fielding was our only weakness and this may have cost us the Cup. Best feature of the team was the enthusiasm shown at the nets and in the matches. This is what makes match-winners. If it is maintained, we can look hopefully to the future. We can claim a successful season: nine matches won; five lost; one match drawn. Quite satisfactory.

Junior Cricket League

Enthusiasm was the key-note right through the Junior League matches. M.C.C. rules were winked at on many occasions, coaching advice was generous and batsmen had no difficulty in knowing when to run. Bowlers sending down poor stuff heard about it later, and fielders who missed "sitters" were advised to purchase a single ticket for Australia. "Merrion" and "Malahide" battled their way through to the final which was won by the former under the captaincy of M. Leahy. Medals were presented on Sports' Day.

TENNIS

The tennis season just ended was on the whole successful. Competition in all three tournaments, Senior, Intermediate, and Junior, was very keen and when the school closed for the summer vacation three deserving winners were presented with their trophies. The Fr. Ernest Farrell Memorial Challenge Cup, kindly presented by the Past Pupils' Tennis Club, was won in the Senior Tournament by Pat O'Shea. Frank Maguire was the winner of the Intermediate tournament and received the James Ganter Memorial Challenge Cup, also presented by the Past Pupils' Tennis Club. The Junior Cup was won by Eamonn O'Doherty.

Teams were entered for both the Senior

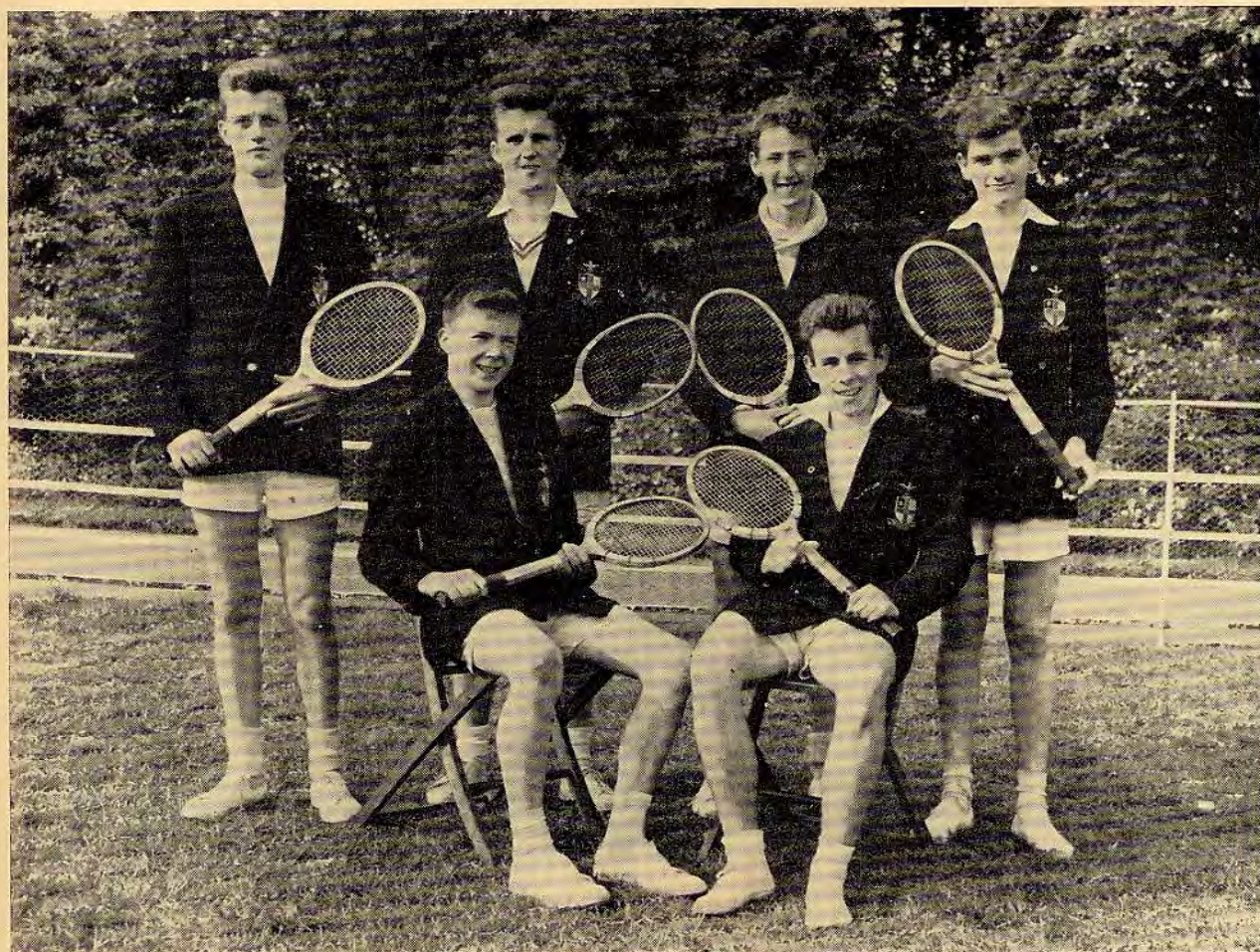
and Junior Leinster Cup competitions. The Senior team was just beaten by a strong Mountjoy side. The Junior team won two of the four matches in their league.

The winners of the Senior and Intermediate House Leagues were both seeded in the Leinster Championships in July.

Thanks to the St. Mary's College Past Pupils' Tennis Club the services of a professional coach, Mr. J. Horn, were available to the Junior members of the Club. Those who were wise enough to take advantage of this opportunity showed a marked improvement in their style.

ROBERT CARVILL, Fifth Year

SENIOR TENNIS TEAM



Seated : F. Maguire, P. O'Shea.

Standing : B. Quinn, P. Rossi, F. Brady, R. Carvill.

Lafayette

ATHLETICS

THE success of last year's Relay team in winning the Father Murphy Cup and setting up a new Leinster record served as an impetus to athletics for this year. Soon after Easter training got under way, and with Maurice Hogan as athletic captain it was taken very seriously. Although our Senior Relay team did not reach last year's standard, they ran exceptionally well. The Junior Relay team improved with every practice and were rewarded by creating new records both in the Leinster Schools and All Ireland athletic meetings.

Maurice Hogan was narrowly beaten in both the Leinster and All Ireland 100 yards, but he atoned for these defeats by winning the Youths' 100 Yards in Belfast in the excellent time of 10.2 secs.

David Ryan secured 3rd place in the High Jump at the Leinster Sports, and Paul Donovan came 2nd in the Intermediate 100 yards at the same meeting and was 3rd in the 100 Yards at the All Ireland Sports. The number of promising Junior athletes in the College gives hope for a bright future.

ATHLETIC TEAM



Front row : P. Ryan, K. Corrigan, P. O'Reilly, A. Costelloe.

Seated : J. Hussey, K. Byrne, Rev. W. Kennedy, C.S.Sp., M. Hogan, D. Ryan.

Standing : P. Donovan, M. Byrne, E. Fitzgerald, D. Hooper, B. Moran.

Lafayette

SENIOR SCHOOL SPORTS

David Ryan sets up new School Record
for the High Jump



Maurice Hogan creates New Record in
the 100 yards Championship event



Mrs. Tierney presenting the prizes



David Ryan winning the 220 yards
Senior



Denis Byrne wins the 100 yards
Juvenile

SENIOR SCHOOL SPORTS DAY 1959

THE Senior Sports were held in the College grounds in Kenilworth Square on Sunday, 7th of June, a day of glorious sunshine. A large gathering of parents and past and present pupils and their friends enjoyed a very entertaining programme of events run off smoothly and to time. The musical items provided by the Band of the Garda Siochana under the direction of Superintendent Moloney were much appreciated. St. Mary's Sports Day would not be the same without our friends the Garda Band. They have been attending this event for many years. Teas were served alfresco by a charming and capable Ladies Committee who were kept quite

busy throughout the afternoon. It was just the day for a nice cup of tea, and the cup provided pleased everybody.

Outstanding events of the afternoon were: a new College record in the Senior High Jump set up by David Ryan who cleared 5' 5"; a new record in the 100 Yards Senior Championship by Maurice Hogan with the fine time of 10.2 secs.; the winning of the Past v. Present Relay Race by the College team. This event had been won by the Past for the last three years.

The prizes were presented to the winners by Mrs. Tierney, wife of Mr. P. Tierney, President of the Past Students Union.



SENIOR RESULTS

Hop, Step and Jump: F. Brady, D. Ryan J. Brown (40' 2").
 Long Jump: D. Ryan, J. Hussey, F. Brady (17' 11½").
 12 lb. Shot: K. Byrne, J. Brown F. Brady (33' 2½").
 High Jump Championship: D. Ryan, F. Brady, B. O'Sullivan (5' 5"—New Record)
 100 yards Championship: M. Hogan, K. Byrne, J. Hussey (10.2 secs. New Record).
 220 Yards: D. Ryan, M. Hogan, J. Hussey (24 secs).
 Bicycle Race: E. Veale, K. McGuinness, H. Roche.
 880 Yards: T. Burke, D. Burke, L. Heagney (2mins, 14.8 secs).
 Relay Race: K. Byrne (Capt.), P. Cullen, F. O'Donovan, F. Hardiman.
 Relay Race: Past v. Present—Won by the College Team.

INTERMEDIATE RESULTS

High Jump: D. Nagle, P. Corrigan, A. Costello (4' 8").
 Long Jump: B. Cotter, E. Fitzgerald, P. Corrigan (17' 2½").
 4 Kilo Shot: M. Byrne, D. Nagle, E. Fitzgerald (38' 9").
 100 Yards: E. Fitzgerald, A. Costello, P. Donovan (11 secs.).
 220 Yards: Championship: E. Fitzgerald, B. Moran, P. Donovan (25.5 secs.).
 Bicycle Race: W. Cronin, H. McGown, D. O'Sullivan.
 Relay Race: P. Donovan (Capt.), B. Moran, A. Bannon, P. Corrigan.
 Consolation Race: G. Fanning, A. Bannon, P. Keogh.

JUNIOR RESULTS

High Jump: P. Ryan, J. Sheehan, J. Kinahan (4' 7").
 100 Yards: D. Hooper, K. Corrigan, G. O'Grady (11.7 secs).
 Consolation Race: W. Cooper, D. Joyce, J. Kinahan.
 Musical Chairs: J. Kinahan.
 Bicycle Race: P. Ryan, M. Byrne, J. Kinahan.
 220 Yards: D. Hooper, P. Ryan, M. Byrne (25.5 secs)
 Relay Race: D. Hooper (Capt.), F. Nagle, D. Joyce, D. Coveney.

JUVENILE RESULTS

100 Yards: D. Byrne, A. Caffrey, P. Doddy.
 150 Yards Championship: A. Caffrey, P. Doddy, A. Pringle (19 secs—Record).
 Musical Chairs: J. Fanning.
 Consolation Race: A. Naughton, B. Massey, B. Strahan.
 Sack Race: P. Doddy, B. Swift, P. Lyons.
 Slow Bicycle Race: E. O'Doherty, B. O'Sullivan, R. Feeney.
 Relay Race: D. Byrne (Capt.), B. Swift, D. Balfe, B. Keating.

VETERANS' RACE

J. Kelly, P. Moran.

Art Appreciation

"The practical lessons in drawing and colouring should, in a good school, be supplemented by formal lectures on great pictures and the great schools of painting. A well-educated student should, as the result of his formation in art, have acquired canons of taste and judgment by which he could distinguish the excellent from the good, the good from the ordinary, and the ordinary from the valueless. This instruction should extend itself from painting to architecture, and, where practicable, to sculpture. What great educational value would be added to the other advantages of foreign travel if the student were to go abroad equipped with a good idea of the principles, the methods, the ideals, the character and the achievements of the great schools of painting and architecture!"

Dr. Edward Leen, C.S.Sp. in
What is Education?

In his admirable treatise on Catholic Education his Grace the Archbishop of Dublin, Most Reverend Dr. McQuaid, reminds us that "The intellect is not fully formed unless it has attained to a reasoned esteem of beauty." Such an appreciation of what is beautiful in art, especially in the works of the Italian painters, was the object of the Wednesday morning lectures given to the Fifth Year students by Miss Ruth Dromgoole during the second term. How interesting and how comprehensive was the scope of these lectures may be judged from some of the questions set by Miss Dromgoole in an examination given at the conclusion of the course. How many of the following questions could *you* answer?

What are the three ways of painting?
Give one example of each.

Can you say why Padua is important in the history of painting in Italy?

Giotto painted the inside of a church in Italy with a series of scenes illustrating the life of a saint. Write down: (a) the name of the saint; (b) the name of the Italian town where the church is. Name a painter who worked in Milan. What famous painting did he execute there?

What two Italian cities did Botticelli work in?

Who painted the VIRGIN OF THE ROCKS? Can you describe the picture very briefly, saying the number of figures, whom they represent, and where the scene takes place?

Who painted the following pictures:

- (a) The Magnificat? (b) The Portrait of Baldassare Castiglione? (c) The Martyrdom of St. Cosmo and St. Damien? (d) The Sermon to the Birds? (e) The Mona Lisa?

Name three cities of Italy which were centres of Art during the 14th, 15th, and 16th centuries.

Name two painters who worked in Rome at the beginning of the 16th century. Write down the name of one work which each executed in Rome, saying where it is to be found.

Each lecture was illustrated by lantern slides from Miss Dromgoole's valuable collection. The course was rounded off by a visit to the National Gallery during which her students agreeably surprised their teacher by their ability to analyze and appreciate the paintings they studied. She would have been more than gratified could she have heard them air their knowledge before astonished team-mates when some of them visited the National Gallery, Trafalgar Square, during the S.C.T. visit to London in January!

Miscellany

THE MUSICAL SOCIETY

The weekly meetings of the Society held regularly during the year attracted music lovers who enjoyed the excellent programmes provided by Fr. Maiben and benefited by his instructive commentary. It is to be hoped that even greater numbers will avail themselves of the opportunity to become acquainted with the works of the great Masters of Music through Fr. Maiben's excellent tape recordings. Remember :

The man that hath not music in himself,
Nor is not moved with concord of sweet
sounds,
Is fit for treasons, stratagems, and spoils !

SWIMMING

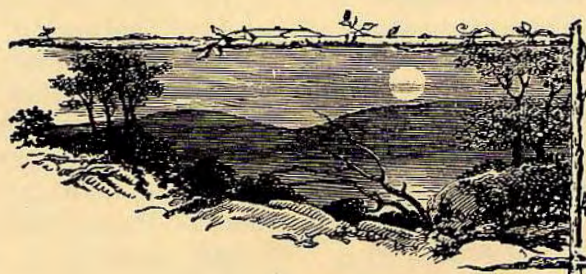
The indoor swimming season opened last October at Iveagh Baths which were reserved by the College for an hour on Friday afternoons. Attendance was good throughout

the year and all enjoyed their weekly "dip." Most of the boys are experienced swimmers, but some had to go through their "novitiate" at the shallow end of the pool.

It is good to see so many of the boys interested in this splendid sport and healthy exercise. It is scarcely necessary to stress the importance of knowing how to swim—the bathing tragedies we read of each summer speak for themselves. If you can't swim yet, it is never too soon to learn !

TABLE TENNIS

Captains of the senior House Table Tennis League for 1958-1959 were Robert Carvill and Patrick O'Shea ; and junior captains were Nigel Swan and Brian Williams. In the senior league the two captains and organizers easily reached the final and after a good match Robert Carvill was awarded the Cup and Pat O'Shea the runners-up medal. Robert Carvill qualified during the year to play on the Leinster School Team.



Prize Day Concerts

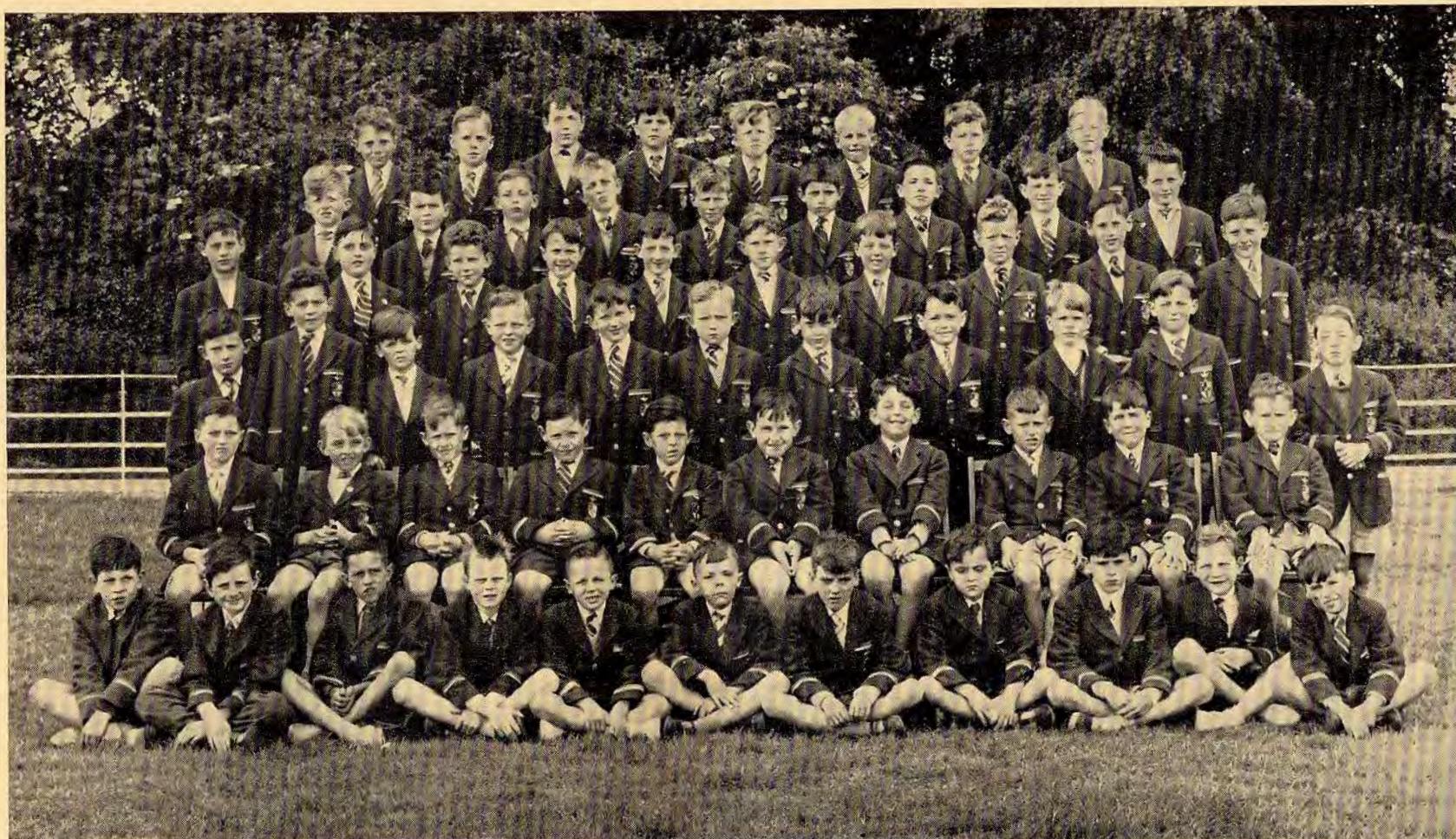
The Annual Prize Day Concerts, May 29th., 30th., were enjoyed by a large gathering of parents and boys. The high standard reached by those taking part in the concerts was a measure of the earnest and arduous work of preparation by teachers and pupils. The singing and verse-speaking items in the Senior School concert revealed the excellence of the work being done by Fr. Maiben and Miss Máire Cranny in their classes during the year. "The Boy Mozart," an opera presented by the Junior School in their concert, and the musical items were delightful and were a credit to Miss Moire Griffiths who produced them, as were the verse-speaking numbers to Miss Cranny. Teachers and pupils are to be congratulated on the general excellence of the entertainment provided on both occasions.



SENIOR SCHOOL CONCERT

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| 1. The Rider at the Gate (<i>John Masefield</i>)
And it was Windy Weather (<i>James Stephens</i>) | 2B Choral Verse Speakers |
| 2. Silent Worship (<i>Handel</i>)
Rocking (<i>Czech Carol</i>)
Largo (<i>Handel</i>) | Choir |
| 3. Recitation : The Ballad of Douglas Bridge (<i>Francis Carlin</i>) | Niall Keane |
| 4. Killarney (<i>Balfe</i>)
The Keeper (<i>Traditional</i>)
Love's Young Dream (<i>Moore</i>) | Choir |
| 5. The Touch of the Master's Hand (<i>Marie Welch</i>) | First Year Verse Speaking Choir |
| 6. Ave Maria (<i>Schubert</i>)
The Trout (<i>Schubert</i>)
Cradle Song (<i>Schubert</i>) | Choir |
| 7. The Lights of Dublin (Father Patrick O'Connor) | 2A Verse Speaking Choir |
| 8. Launcelot Gobbo Speaking (<i>Merchant of Venice II 2</i>) | Colin Hainbach |
| 9. Amid the New Mown Hay (<i>Traditional</i>)
Ave Maria (<i>Mozart</i>)
O Soldier Soldier (<i>Traditional</i>) | Choir |





JUNIOR I AND II

Lafayette

- Front row :* D. Warren, J. Elliott, J. Fair, M. Keating, B. Massey, A. Murphy, A. Mangan, B. O'Kelly, C. Byrne, C. Noonan, D. Corrigan.
- Seated :* K. Vaughan, M. Butler, J. Fanagan, J. Kelly, C. O'Donnell, F. Curran, G. Giltrap, J. Keogh, M. McDonagh, F. Lyons.
- Third row :* P. Mulligan, K. McNamara, D. Coffey, J. Caffrey, G. Madden, F. Hanratty, G. Ryan, B. Grimson, P. Tierney, L. Grissing, R. Foley.
- Fourth row :* J. Fearon, F. O'Leary, G. Byrne, D. Coleman, G. Keenan, A. Bourke, P. Delaney, F. O'Connor, M. Moran, B. McKenna,
- Fifth row :* C. Nagle, B. O'Farrell, G. Judge, J. Demery, K. Kinahan, P. Boylan, G. Strahan, A. Price, C. O'Donovan,
- Back row :* F. Cullen, M. Sheridan, P. Maguire, C. Shanley, S. Byrne, P. Williams, J. Kearns, D. Swift,

JUNIOR SCHOOL CONCERT

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|-----|--|--------|----------------|
| I | My Lady Greensleeves (arr. <i>Henry Geehl</i>)
Waltz (<i>Strauss</i>)
The Night Mail (<i>W. H. Auden</i>) | | Junior 4 |
| II | Round and Round the Lovely Tree (<i>Betty C. E. Pafford</i>) | ... .. | Junior 1 and 2 |
| III | The Little Sandman (<i>Brahms</i>)
Come to the Fair (<i>Easthorpe Martin</i>) | | Junior 1 and 2 |
| IV | King Winter (<i>Hugh Chersteman</i>)
The Magic Piper (<i>E. C. Marsh</i>) | | Junior 2 and 3 |
| V | Turn Ye to Me (<i>Evelyn Scharpe</i>)
March Militaire (<i>Schubert</i>) | | Junior 3 |
| VI | The Lullaby (<i>Brahms</i>)
All in the April Evening (<i>Hugh Robertson</i>)
Under the Old Linden Tree (arr. <i>Farrar</i>)
The Lord Mayor's Hat (<i>Herbert Gedger</i>) | | Junior 5 |



The Boy Mozart

(*Opera presented by Junior 5*)

Characters

Wolfgang Amadeus—the Boy Mozart	<i>Philip Martin</i>
Maria Anna—his mother.....	<i>Brian O'Meara</i>
Leopold—his father.....	<i>Joseph Kenny</i>
Nannerl—his sister.....	<i>Alan Keane</i>
Maria Teresa—the Empress.....	<i>Richard Corcoran</i>
Footman.....	<i>Laszlo Peter</i>

Mozart's Playmates :

Paul Sheeran	Alberto Andreucetti
Aidan Coleman	Frederick Uhlemann
Alan Westby	David Wilson
Frederick O'Reilly	David Ryan

Courtiers :

David Caffrey	Dudley Shanley
Paul McInerney	Raymond Gallagher
Owen Duncan	Desmond Byrne
Robert Dunne	George Williams
Amadeo del Rio	

Scenes

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|-------|-----|--|
| Scene | I | A room in the house of Leopold Mozart, Salzburg, February 1756. |
| Scene | II | Same room seven years later. |
| Scene | III | Same room one hour later. |
| Scene | IV | A room in the Emperor's Palace, Schonbrunn, Vienna ; one year later. |

CATHOLIC ACTION

"There is absolutely no more suitable means at hand, no finer opportunity lies open, for initiating youth into Catholic Action than that which is afforded by schools and colleges. This training of a youth élite will be of great benefit to the whole school or institution. If in any such place, at least the choicest amongst the pupils are thoroughly imbued with the spirit of the Christian Apostolate, it is not difficult to understand what an influence for good they will be amongst all the others. But it is the young people themselves, who are thus being trained in Catholic Action, that will benefit most."
PIUS XI.

The Diamond Jubilee of the PIONEER
TOTAL ABSTINENCE ASSOCIATION

saw a large increase in the membership of the college branch of the Association. More than 100 members were recruited during the year bringing the total membership up to 246.

THE PONTIFICAL ASSOCIATION OF THE HOLY CHILDHOOD is well established in every class.

The CHILDREN OF MARY SODALITY continues to flourish, but we would like to see greater numbers join the two College Praesidia of the LEGION OF MARY, especially as the three Past Students' Praesidia are largely recruited from the College Legionaries. It is desirable that every senior boy in the College should be in some Catholic Action organization.



The late SEAMUS UAS. O'MAOILEOIN

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Cullen, Patrick
Curtis, David
Hardiman, Fionan
Heagney, Louis
Hooper, Conal
Hutton, Sean
Jerrold, Jan
Kavanagh, Peter
Kelly, Anthony
Keogh, Peadar
Kinahan, Patrick
McMahon, Eamonn
Maher, Thomas
Murphy, Brendan
Murphy, Roderick
Murray, James
O'Donovan, Frank
O'Sullivan, Barry
Quinn, Edward
Quinn, Brian
Roche, Louis
Rossi, Patrick
Veale, Edmund



PAT CULLEN, Captain of the School

SIXTH YEAR A1

Birkett, Liam
Byrne, Kevin
Corrigan, Brian
Coyle, Eugene
Downer, Declan
Hogan, Maurice
Jones, Matthew
Keating, John
Kennedy, Niall
Kenny, James
Lynch, Seán
McGlade, Michael
Madigan, Colm
Neary, David
Nolan, Richard
O'Connell, Reginald
Roche, Henry
Sheerin, John

Carvill, Robert
Cusack, Richard
Gilsenan, Declan
Hardiman, Séamus
Harte, Patrick,
Hussey, John
Jordan, David
McDonnell, Andrew
McGregor, Roy
McMahon, Heber
Murphy, Robert
O'Connell, Aidan
O'Doherty, Diarmuid
O'Shea, Patrick
Rafter, Edward
Somers, Micheal
Walsh, Vincent

Fair, David
Green, Norman
Hardy, Liam
Keenan, Michael
Kelly, Oliver
Lea, Brian
Loughrey, Seán
McCarronn, David
McGuinness, Kevin
Mooney, Desmond
Mulcahy, Hugh
Murphy, Thomas
O'Connell, Seán
Robinson, Patrick
Ryan, David
Swan Jeremy
Traynor, Maurice
Uhlemann, Karl

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Banahan, Patrick
Brady, Fergus

FIFTH YEAR A1

Burke, Dermot
Cassidy, Hugh
Davey, Paul

FOURTH YEAR A

Bailey, Clive
Bohan, John

Bradshaw, David
 Byrne, William
 Cotter, Brian
 Doyle, Hilary
 Fanning, Gerry
 Fitzgerald, Edward
 Fitzgerald, Eamon
 Flanagan, Norman
 Foran, Thomas
 Hardy, Michael
 Hooper, Michael
 Keogh, Paul
 Kirby, Denis
 Lee, James
 Mill-Arden, Erwan
 Murphy, Terry
 Norton, John
 O'Meara, Desmond
 Ronaldson, David
 Rossi, David
 Stack, Gerard

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Bannon, Anthony
 Blair, Donal
 Bourke, Paul
 Burke, Thomas
 Cox, Peter
 Crilly, Oswald
 Crosbie, Austin
 Cuddahy, Eamon
 Daly, Frank
 Dowling, Frank
 Doyle, Cyril
 Dunne, Eddie
 Egan, Ernest
 Elliott, James
 Esdale, Warren
 Fagan, Brian
 Flavin, Noel
 Hoey, Michael
 Hutton, Ian
 MacDwyer, John
 Maguire, Frank
 Mahon, Ross
 Masson, Kenneth
 Moloney, Brendan
 Nagle, Denis
 O'Donovan, Barry
 Walshe, James
 Williams, Brian

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 Gaffney, Stephen
 McCarthy, Seán
 McCormack, John
 McDonagh, Kevin
 McGowan, Hugh
 Mullan, Eamon
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 O'Sullivan, Donal
 Price, Anthony
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 Somers, Noel

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 Byrne, Donal
 Byrne, Peter
 Costello, Arthur
 Cronin, William
 Earley, Anthony
 Elliot, Desmond
 Fanning, Brian
 Fleming, Garrett
 Hayden, Turlock
 Henderson, John
 Hickie, Anthony
 Hickie, Denis
 Keenan, Patrick
 Molloy, Shane
 Moran, Bernard
 Murphy, Seán
 Rafter, Thomas
 Reidy, Walter
 Swan, Nigel
 Toner, Niall
 Williams, Brendan

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Armstrong, Raymond
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 Cooper, Donal
 Corrigan, Pdraig
 Groom, Negley
 Kelly, Brian
 Lane, Michael
 Murphy, Barry
 O'Halloran, James
 Quinn, Patrick
 Ryan, Dermot
 Savage, George
 Swendell, Edward
 White, Edric

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Bohill, Brian
 Boland, John
 Brennan, Rory
 Byrne, Michael
 Carty, Niall
 Cogan, Anthony
 Coleman, Brian
 Collison, David
 Corrigan, Kevin
 Costello, James
 Coveney, Daniel
 Cusack, Paul
 Farrell, Louis
 FitzGerald, Vincent
 Glynn, Brendan
 Glynn, John
 Hackett, John
 Hainback, Colin
 Heagney, Brian
 Joyce, Desmond
 Keeley, Paul
 Kennedy, Dermot
 Kinahan, John
 Leahy, Michael
 McCarthy, William
 McGettrick, John
 McLoughlin, Paul
 Mangan, Garry
 Moloney, David
 Mooney, Fergus
 Montague, Gerard
 Norton, Patrick
 O'Connor, Joseph
 O'Hagan, John
 Sharpe, Brendan
 Sheehan, Joseph
 Vaughan, Austin

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Berry, Patrick
 Bills, Eamon
 Burke, Niall
 Cassidy, Liam
 Cooper, William
 Davis, Patrick
 Dunphy, Kevin
 Evers, Brian
 Harrington, Rory
 Hooper, David
 Kavanagh, Seumas
 Keane, Neil
 Kenny, David
 Murray, Anthony
 Nagle, Francis
 O'Callaghan, Conor

O'Grady, Gabriel
O'Neill, Robert
O'Reilly, Patrick
Ryan, Peter
Veale, Maurice
Walshe, Colm

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Balfe, David
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Caffrey, Alan
Carroll, James
Coleman, Niall
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Pringle, Ashley
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Sullivan, David
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Andreucetti, Alberto
Berry, Peter
Blackbyrne, Paul
Bracken, James
Byrne, Desmond
Caffrey, David
Clancy, Clement
Coleman, Aidan
Corcoran, Richard
Costello, Peter
Del Rio, Amadeo
Donnelly, Paul
Duncan, Owen
Dunne, Robert
Farrell, Ernest
Finlay, Stephen
Flanagan, Patrick
Flynn, John
Gallagher, Raymond
Geraghty, Brian
Harrington, Diarmuid
Hefferon, Martin
Horgan, Brian
Jerrold, Alan
Jöos, Joseph
Keane, Alan

Kearns, Rory
 Kelly, Jeremiah
 Kenny, Joseph
 Keogh, Dermot
 Kinahan, James
 Liddy, David
 Lyons, Brendan
 McArdle, Brendan
 McCormick, Thomas
 McCrann, Pdraig
 McInerney, Paul
 McNamara, Sean
 Martin, Kevin
 Martin, Philip
 Moloney, Gerard
 Moylan, Thomas
 Mulligan, Desmond
 Murphy, Ivor
 Nagle, Vincent
 O'Brien, Brian
 O'Donoghue, Anthony
 O'Donovan, Fergus
 O'Hagan, Garry
 O'Hara, John
 O'Meara, Brian
 O'Meara, Vincent
 O'Neill, Sean
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 O'Toole, Michael
 Peter, Laszlo
 Price, Vincent
 Pyne, John
 Rafter, Paul
 Redmond, Liam
 Ryan, David
 Sadlier, Justin
 Shanley, Dudley
 Sheeran, Paul
 Toner, Colm
 Tyrrell, Andrew
 Uhlemann, Frederick
 Westby, Alan
 Williams, George
 Wilson, David
 Wilson, Patrick

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Anderson, Paul
 Baily, Robin
 Byrne, Dermot
 Caffrey, Peter
 Cahill, Desmond
 Carroll, John
 Cass, Alan
 Clerkin, Peter
 Coghlon, Ronan

Coleman, Donal
 Conheady, James
 Connolly, John
 Corrigan, Donal
 Dardis, John
 Deasy, Rickardo
 Diskin, Alan
 Doddy, Thomas
 Duffy, Desmond
 Elliott, Brian
 Elliott, John
 Fair, Ronald
 Farrell, Vivian
 Finan, John
 Fitzgerald, John
 Foley, Ronald
 Gilsenan, Joseph
 Godfrey, Brian
 Greene, John
 Hodgins, Sean
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 Hughes, Anthony
 Jones, Clayton
 Jones, Kevin
 Jordan, James
 Lee, Derek
 Lindsay, Cormac
 Lynch, Vincent
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 Murphy, Timothy
 Nash, Raymond
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 O'Brien, David
 O'Brien, Henry
 O'Brien, Turlough
 O'Callaghan, Ronan
 O'Connell, Peter
 O'Connor, Brendan
 O'Connor, Fergus
 O'Connor, Michael
 O'Loughlin, Declan
 O'Rourke, Francis
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 O'Sullivan, Colin
 Sadlier, George
 Sharvin, Gerald
 Sinnott, John
 Walshe, Oliver
 Westby, John
 White, Alexander
 Whyte, Michael

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 Bagnal, Rupert

Bloomer, Ian
 Burke, Philip
 Boyd, Robin
 Butler, John
 Butler, Robert
 Byrne, Kevin
 Byrne, David
 Cassidy, Cormac
 Charleton, Gregory
 Coffey, Ronald
 Conheady, Fergus
 Corrigan, Brian
 Cunningham, Sean
 Davey, Adrian
 Devereux, Francis
 del Rio, Constantino
 Forde, Patrick
 Geraghty, Kieron
 Giltrap, Joseph
 Green, Derek
 Groom, Graham
 Hanratty, Paul
 Hefferon, Thomas
 Higgins, Anthony
 Hogan, Diarmuid
 Hooper, Patrick
 Howlin, Derek
 Keeley, Stephen
 Keogh, Patrick
 Leamy, Paul
 McGetterick, James
 McGlade, Bernard
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 Manahan, Anthony
 Moloney, John
 Moylan, Terence
 Mulaney, Charles
 Murphy, Frederick
 O'Brien, Louis
 O'Dwyer, Patrick
 O'Meara, Brendan
 O'Neill, Desmond
 Pyne, Thomas
 Quinlan, Michael
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 Sadlier, William
 Smyth, Derry
 Somers, Bernard
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 Teehan, Richard
 Veale, Richard
 Walshe, Michael

JUNIOR TWO A and A1

Boylan, Peter
 Butler, Martin
 Byrne, Cathal

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Byrne, Stephen
Coleman, Declan
Corrigan, David
Callan, Francis
Curran, Francis
Delaney, Paul
Demery, John
Elliott, John
Fair, John
Fanagan, John
Fearon, John
Giltrap, George
Judge, Gabriel
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Keenan, Gerard
Keogh, Joseph
Kenahan, Kevin
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O'Donovan, Ciaran
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O'Kelly, Brian
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Sheridan, Michael
Strahan, Gerard

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Warren, Desmond
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Wolohan, Oliver

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Tierney, Peter

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