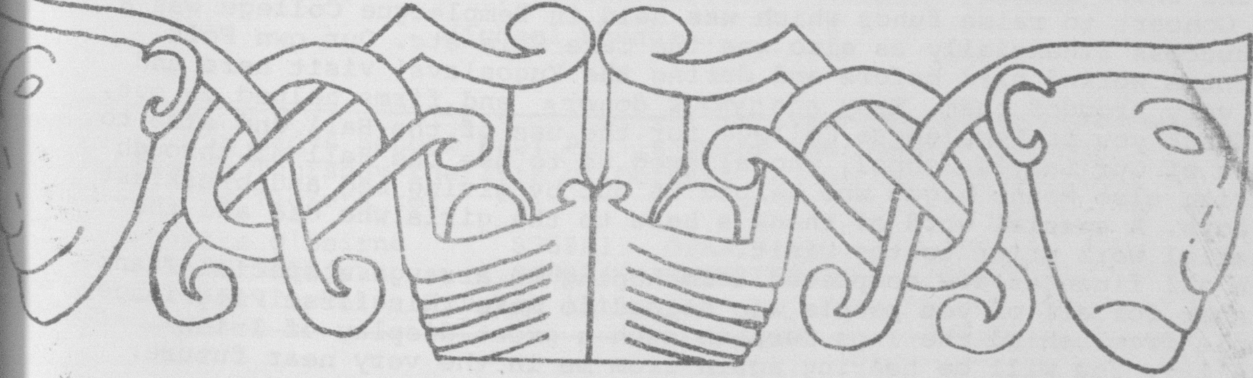


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O C T O B E R D I A R Y

1st Sunday	St. Pius X Parish Pilgrimage to Knock. Rosary Sunday.
2nd Monday	St. Pius X Parents' Assoc. Committee Meeting. Terenure College - "Sport for All".
4th Wednesday	Community Youth Club Sub-Committee Meeting. Ladies' Club Monthly Meeting.
5th Thursday	Parents' Assoc. Meeting Templeogue College.
6th Friday	Our Lady's School - Family Mass 4.30 p.m. St. Pius X Church - Family Mass 7.30 p.m.
8th Sunday	Pioneer Total Abstinence Assoc. - Applications at St. Pius X Church.
9th Monday	St. Pius X National Schools' Management Board Meeting. Committee Meeting - Templeville & Fortfield Residents' Assoc.
10th Tuesday	Templeogue Community Council Meeting - Our Lady's School. St. Joseph's Young Priests Society Meeting - White Fathers. Thanksgiving Mass, Terenure College 8 p.m., 81st Unit Boy Scouts.
12th Thursday	Ladies' Club - Claremont Hotel, Howth.
13th Friday	Whist Drive, Committee Room, St. Pius X Church Our Lady's School 1V Year Group to Tiglin for week-end.
15th Sunday	Rathfarnham Parish Church - Harvest Thanksgiving Service. Zion Church, Rathgar - Harvest Thanksgiving Service.
17th Tuesday	Fashion Show, Templeogue College.
18th Wednesday	Rathfarnham Parish Church Communion Service 10.30 a.m.
19th Thursday	Our Lady's School P.P.U. & Debutantes' Ball, Burlington Hotel.
20th Friday	Ladies' Club Committee Meeting.
23rd Monday	St. Pius X Schools Parents' Assoc. A.G.M. in School Hall.
24th Tuesday	Templeogue Community Council Meeting - Our Lady's School.
27th Friday	Whist Drive, Committee Room, St. Pius X Church.
28th Saturday	Rathfarnham Parish Church Communion Service 10.30 a.m.
<u>Every Wednesday</u>	8 p.m. Parents' Prayer Group Meeting, Our Lady's School. 8.15 p.m. Charismatic Prayer Group Meeting, St. Pius X Church - Committee Room.
<u>Every Thursday</u>	7.30 p.m. sharp - Bridge Club, St. Pius X School Hall.

36 Templeville Drive
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Dear Readers,

I would like to say "thank you" to all of you who helped me in my recent Campaign to find accomodation for the Yugoslav Students. You took them into your homes and your hearts and for this I shall be grateful to you all.

They enjoyed a wonderful 2 weeks here in Templeogue and have said on numerous occasions how much they enjoyed living with us. They are wonderful people and so much like us in many ways.

It was of course the first Pilgrimage of 57 people from behind the Iron Curtain. They visited many Holy Places including Knock Shrine and Glendalough and were very impressed. They received a wonderful welcome from the people of Cork City and their Lord Mayor and of course visited Blarney Castle. "Thank you" also to those who arranged their visit to Leinster House and their meeting with Mr. O'Kennedy, Minister of External Affairs.

The Concert to raise funds which was held in Templeogue College was a great success financially as also was the Cake Sale etc. Our own Folk Mass Groups worked hard before and during the Yugoslavs' visit here and we are very proud of them. Many anonymous donors and firms helped us out, also "Thank you to Templeogue College for the use of the Hall and also to the Nuns of Our Lady's School, who allowed us to use the Hall all through the visit, also Mount Argus who helped us out by giving bed and breakfast to 12 boys. A special word of thank s here to the girls who did all the Secretarial work prior to the visit.

When all finances are completed I am hoping to arrange a special Thank You Dinner for all of you people who helped to make this first Pilgrimage of People from behind the Iron Curtain such a great display of Irish Hospitality. You will be hearing again from me in the very near future.

Yours sincerely, John J. Whittle

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EDITORIAL

A pound for the TELEGRAPH! Is it worth it? Do we read it? What use does it serve? Well! yes, it has been around now for nearly nine years and Paddy and Mary Heneghan have been getting it out on time each month - isn't this still the case? The answer is no! It is true to say that if it had not been for the hard work and unselfish service to the community shown by the Heneghan family we would probably not have a TEMPLEOGUE TELEGRAPH today. But now we have an editorial board of nine and the local paper is being printed professionally as happens in Tallaght, Dalkey and elsewhere. While we are taking the burden off the shoulders of the Heneghans, the job can no longer be done on a shoe string.

It is perhaps a good omen that our new-look TEMPLEOGUE TELEGRAPH is appearing on the 250th anniversary of the first publication of the TEMPLE-OGUE INTELLIGENCER, which, as will be seen within, was set up to report on the activities and scandals at the local spa.

The possibility of having better pictures in the new TELEGRAPH should increase the appeal of reporting of events in the community. As official organ of the Community Council, the aims of the TELEGRAPH are, (1) to inform the community through a calendar of events and reports of clubs and associations in the area, (2) to encourage and if necessary provoke correspondence, indignant and otherwise and so establish some feed-back, so necessary for a successful paper and (3) to publish poems, book-reviews and articles of topical and general interest.

We are indebted to Trevor Sargent for the splendid design on our front page.

 Please Note: Deadline for the November Issue will be October 12th - information for the calendar - ring 903000, for advertising ring 904509. As we received enough material for 24 pages for this issue and could only afford to print 20 pages many people will be disappointed. We regret this very much but we hope to be able to include this material in our next issue.

EDITORIAL BOARD

Claire Carty, Dorothy Colclough, Roddy Kernan, Frank McCann
Betty O'Brien, May O'Neill, Niall Purcell, Mildred Sargent,
Michael Sheehan.

NOTICE : Our Ladys School Past Pupils Union and Debutantes' Ball will be held on Thursday the 19th of October in the Burlington Hotel
Application for Tickets to:

Annette O'Beirne	976961	Orna O'Mahony	907647
Anne O'Sullivan	906234	Muriel Bolger	987632

Closing Date for Tickets October 12th.

Our Link With The Past

By Betty O'Brien

Two hundred and fifty years ago Templeogue was a centre of great social activity. Its spa waters were famous and attracted the beau monde of the time. So much so that for a time it had its own "Newspaper" the TEMPLEOGUE INTELLIGENCER, a weekly which flourished for a short time and died, apparently not being any luckier than the majority of subsequent periodicals.

We don't know how many issues were printed but Dr. Madden in 1827 could only find three and now there seem to be only two extant, volumes 4 and 6 both of which are in the Royal Irish Academy.

The purpose of the Templeogue Intelligencer seems to have been to provide a little agreeable banter for the Beaux and Belles of Dublin, who frequented the spa on the pretence of drinking the waters, because of impaired health, but mainly perhaps for the amusement of the place, "the morning drive, the promenade and the dancing at the wells, that formed part of the Templeogue Hygiene."

The periodical was edited and written by Mr. James Arbuckle, who wrote under the title of Hibernicus. He was not above a bit of moralising and a certain amount of leg-pulling, difficult to understand because he uses a jargon which of course is now out of date. He even had a lonely hearts column, in which he gave advice to a woman who had exchanged a tyrant of a father for a tyrant of a husband, a distracted mother whose daughter had come under the influence of a group of women, who hated men and kept very late hours,

apparently the bra-burning brigade of the time, and the girl who was vacillating between two suitors, a sensible one who wore a Tie-Wigg and a charmer who wore a Toupee.

He had no time for the School of Thought which considered Love as the Divine Spark. He attributed "that Propensity and Inclination which is so remarkable in both Sexes towards each other to the like Desire of reunion between the Rib and Body." That is a definition to take the stars out of our eyes. We women are only the missing rib trying to get back to whence it came.

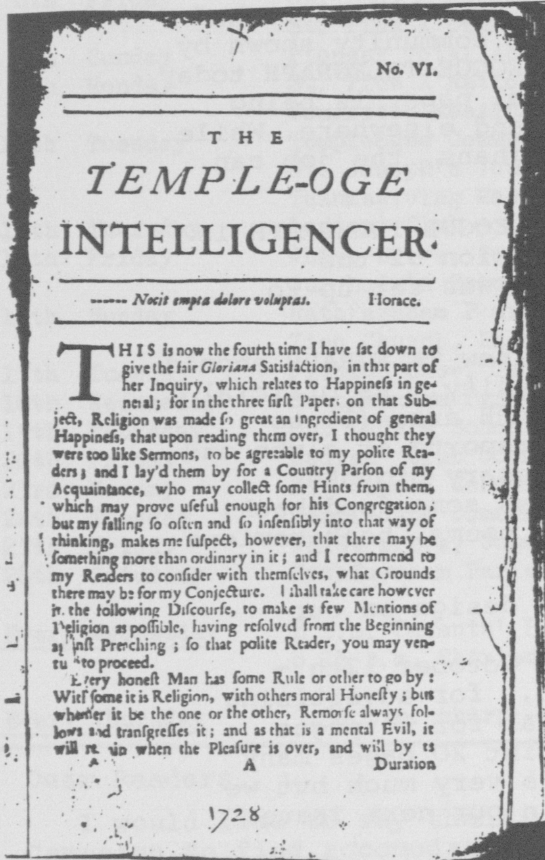
The Temple-Oge Intelligencer was small in size, the pages measuring 12" x 8" which was normal at that time and it consisted of 8 pages - its price 3 half-pence which, I suppose, was a bit pricey in those days. It is also quite possible that the paper on which it was printed came from Templeogue as there were a number of paper mills including Templeogue and Tallaght along the Dodder.

NOTE

Children's Swimming Classes - Tenerure College Pool
Saturday 2-3 P.M.

Lessons for children 4 years upwards - £4 per term

For further information Phone 900650 Claire O'Regan



Community Council Notes

By May O'Neill
P.R.O.

Council members welcome readers to the new edition of our Community Magazine. This new format does not mean a change in policy, we shall continue to gather the news around our Community with greater zest, and continue to try to be as interesting and informative as ever.

Throughout the summer the Council held meetings twice each month. Members tried to organise a Community Social event before the holiday from school ended. However the project was abandoned because a suitable venue was not available.

Activities were numerous throughout the summer and details of events are reported in this issue. Sporting events were many and the boys who reached the finals to play at Croke Park will surely remember the day forever. Congratulations to all the winners and commiserations to the sporting losers. Congratulations too, to the Ladies Club for their project "Vandalism" which won first prize in the Community Concern Award 1978, which was organised by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. The Boy's Swimming Squad once more brought home laurels to Templeogue with their neat win at the National Swimming Finals 1978.

On the occasion of the commemoration of the Coronation of Our Holy Father, Pope Paul VI, now sadly deceased R.I.P., we received into our Parish, His Excellency, Dr. Hillery and Mrs. Hillery, His Excellency, the Papal Nuncio, Dr. Alibrandi, His Grace, Dr. Ryan, Archbishop of Dublin, distinguished representatives of the Diplomatic Corps and Public Services. This event was a memorable one and all concerned in the preparations, not least our parish priest, Fr. Lee and the priests of the Parish must remember with pleasure how happy an occasion it proved to be for all of us.

The three Boys, from College Drive, who undertook a sponsored walk in Cork last July in aid of the Irish Guide Dog Association deservedly reached their target and collected £1,350.

Whist Drives were held in the Committee Room in St. Pius X Church and will continue on a regular basis in future on the second Friday and so possibly on the fourth Friday of the month. Notices will be distributed to readers interested in Bridge should go along to the School Hall of St. Pius School, Fortfield Park, each Thursday evening at 7.30 p.m. and enjoy a pleasant game.

The Fortfield and Templeville Residents' Association are to be commended for gaining third prize in the Tidy Districts' Section of the City Towns Competition, despite the unhappy appearance of Templeville and, while the Co. Council were working there

The Community Youth Club resumed meetings in the Hall of St. Pius X School on 19th August. A winter programme of activities has been organised and members will be kept busy.

The Feast of St. Pius X celebrated on 10th September after two days of special prayer, including an all-night vigil in the Church, is for some of us the very end of our holiday time. So we look forward, in some eagerness, to Winter and hope for your support in our endeavours.

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Principal

Mr. Patrick Feehan

Phone: 758576 / 780365

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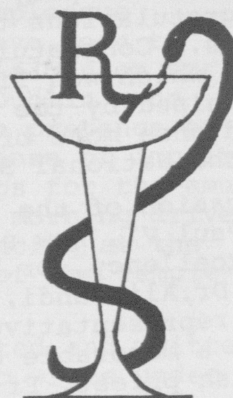
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Templeogue Ladies Club

Report by Rosa Morris Hon.Sec.

The Templeogue Ladies Club met on Wednesday, September 6th and we had a large attendance. A Vote of Sympathy was passed with Mrs.Pat Moloney and her family on the death of her husband, Senan, R.I.P.

Although the Club was officially closed during the Summer our members were still busy on many fronts. At the end of June we had a taste of gracious living when we went to Slane Castle for dinner. As usual during June and July we ran the Girl's Basket Ball League. The junior matches were played in June with medals kindly donated by Fr.Lee and the senior league took place in July with medals kindly donated by Mr.Michael Behan, manager of the Allied Irish Bank, Templeogue. Another Club activity during the Summer was our entry for the Junior Chamber Community Concern Award, 1978. The Project Committee, under the leadership of Imelda Gogan, was set up and we entered the competition under two headings, with a Survey on vandalism in the Templeogue Area and a Children's Poster Competition on the theme of Vandalism. We won first prize for our Survey and at a function in the Bank of Ireland Headquarters on September 4th, Imelda, on our behalf, was presented with a Silver Trophy, a Certificate of Merit and a cash prize. We also got a Certificate of Merit for our Poster Competition.

In August, all of us who visited the Horse Show at the R.D.S.were very proud to see the prize-winning pictures by our talented members on display at the Federation of Women's Clubs Stall.

Now we are getting into gear for our Autumn and Winter activities and the coming months promise to be busy ones for our Club. The Choir and the Drama Group are resuming work. The Bowling is getting under way. The Public Speaking Group hope to resume shortly and at the October Meeting we will be giving more details of a new activity - Set Dancing. Also we were reminded by the President to get our needles out and start working on our entries for the Knitting Competition, entry forms for which will be in the next issue of the Federation Magazine.

As a relaxation from all these activities, the President gave us details of Club Outings during the coming months:

Thursday, October 12 to the Claremont Hotel, Howth.

Tuesday, November 14th (note change of date) to Bord Iascaigh Mara

and the highlight of our year, our Christmas Dinner at the Braemor Rooms on Monday, December 11th.

Note: Details of Adult Education Classes held in Pearse Post Primary School can be obtained from Mr.Patrick Feehan.

After all the business was concluded, tea was served, and with the tea we were treated to a delicious selection of cheeses and cheese savouries, arranged by Mr.Paddy James of Mitchelstown Creameries. Mr.James and his colleague from the National Dairy Council showed two films, one on the subject of Nutrition and the other on the work of Mitchelstown Creameries, both of which were most instructive and entertaining. After the films and discussion, the President proposed a vote of thanks for the very enjoyable evening Mr. James had given us.

The Raffle was won by Mrs. Kitty FitzGerald.

♣ PIANO WANTED IN GOOD CONDITION - Phone 907647

Poetry Corner

FAREWELL TO MY BABY

My baby's gone to school today
She's only four years old
I watched her as she walked away
My heart felt very cold.
She waved her little hand and then
In through the door went she
I felt a wave of sadness when
we parted, her and me.

As home along the road I came
I had a secret cry,
The house would never be the same
without her being close by.
I gather up the games and toys,
with which she played for years.
Farewell to baby days and joys
Once more I dry my tears.

And in the silence that surrounds,
I do things in a daze
I miss her chatter and the sounds,
that used to fill my days.
Sometimes I think I hear her call,
Or hear her cry once more.
Is that her footstep in the hall,
or on the bedroom floor?

But no, its only in my mind,
That these sounds come and go.
In time, I'm told, that I will find,
I will not miss her so.
Her need for me will pass away,
She'll change too, like the others.
But my last baby's gone today,
I've joined the lonely mothers.

SHEILA WHITTLE.

TIME

The hopes of youth reach up to a star.
Teenage boredom doesn't go far.
Parenthood, the joys and cares.
Middle age, the soul it bares.
Retirement, brings a little regret
But, above all, TIME, for which we all fret.

Time to do:
To dig and to sow:
To potter and paint:
Console and advise:
Stroll down memories:
..... Age is wise.

Time to see:
The flight of the gull:
Roses and dewdrops:
Many hued rainbows:
The smile on a face:
..... Creation.

Time to hear:
The sigh of the wind:
The crash of the wave:
The hum of the bee:
The laugh of the babe:
..... The silence.

Time to pray:
To listen and love:
To ponder and wonder
The Presence of God
Who made Time.

DOREEN RUSH

ART IN TEMPLEOGUE

The Dublin Horse Show this year had Special Appeal,
Because of the Enormous Talent the week did reveal.
The Templeogue Paintings showed an Artistic Hand,
As they hung side by side on the Coal Distributors Stand.

The winning Exhibit took Pride of Place
In the centre of the Stand its presence to grace.
A "Seascape in Cork" within every one's reach
With a little breen leading down to the beach. POETRY CORNER ↗

☞ Two guitars needed for beginners (11 years old) phone 909957

All the admiring Spectators were truly amazed,
and each lovely Exhibit was individually praised.
To what Great Art School did all of you go?
and who is your teacher they wanted to know?

These were the questions we Staff were being asked,
By the stream of Connoisseurs who continually passed.
And "what money could buy them" they enquired as we sat,
But we had no answers to questions like that.

The most beautiful feature of the Whole Operation,
Was the Coal Distributor's Stand's most perfect location.
In such close proximity to the Strains of the Band,
We could thoroughly enjoy the Western Command!!

BETTY McDONNELL.



THE LABOUR PARTY, BUTTERFIELD BRANCH (TEMPLEOGUE AND BALLYROAN
AREAS). THE BRANCH OFFICERS FOR THE CURRENT YEAR ARE:

Chairman: Mrs Anne Kinsella,
8 Orchardstown Avenue, Ballyroan Dublin Tel. 909113

Vice Chairman: Mrs. Nora Gilligan,
12 Springfield Road, Templeogue.

Treasurer Mrs. Patricia Nutty.

Secretary Mr. Seamus Hyland,
222, Grange Road, Rathfarnham.

Local Representative : Mervyn Taylor
Councillor & Secretary 4 Springfield Road, Templeogue
Community Advice Service Dublin 6 - Tel. 904569

Meetings are held in the White Fathers at 8 O'clock on the fourth
Tuesday of each month and the next meeting will be held on 26/9/1978

New members are very welcome and all enquiries can be directed
to the Chairman or Secretary.

LABOUR PARTY COMMUNITY ADVISE AND INFORMATION SERVICE: Readers
are reminded that Councillor Mervyn Taylor continues to attend the
Advice Clinic held on the first Friday of each month at 8.00 p.m.
at No. 8 Orchardstown Avenue Ballyroan.

At other times, enquiries can be directed to Councillor Taylor
at the above address.

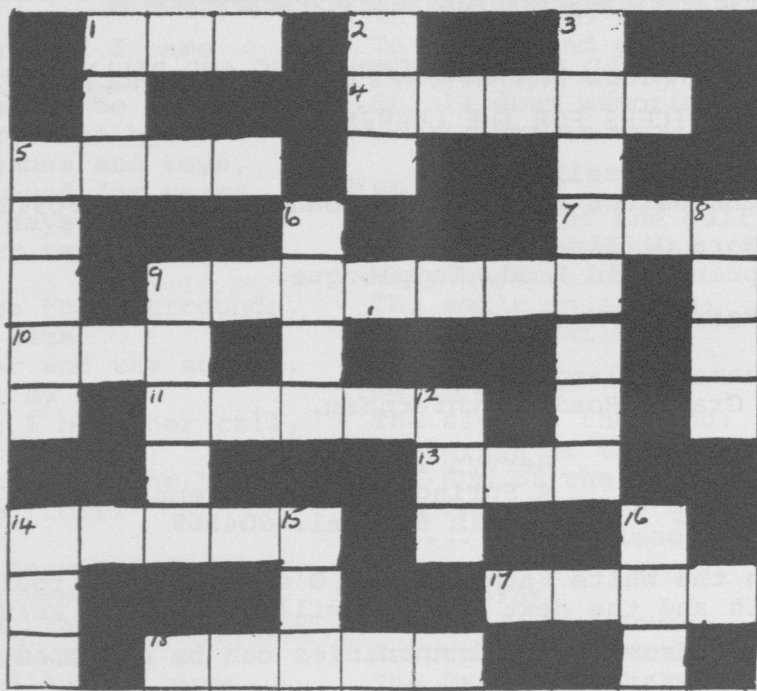
signed Mervyn Taylor.

Many Persons having perfect sight are blind to the needs of others.
THINK OF THE BLIND. Thank God for your sight. Radio is their eyes,
so please SUPPORT WIRELESS FOR THE BLIND SALE, Mansion House, Dublin
on TUESDAY, 7th November, or send a donation direct to PATRICIA
McLAUGHLIN, National Council for the Blind, 10 Lr. Hatch St. Dublin, 2.
Telephone 766840.
Gifts for the stall may be left with MABEL WEIR, 29 Templeville Drive
Dublin, 6.



CHILDRENS

Answers to this puzzle all have something to do with animals, fish, insects or birds etc., You will find the answers on the next page.



CLUES DOWN:

1. It gives us our Daily Pinta (3)
2. A Wise old bird (3)
3. Largest land-loving creature (5)
5. Jaws was one (5)
6. A male deer (4)
8. It always butts in (4)
9. Turka was a famous one (5)
12. Male Sheep (3)
14. It lays eggs (3)
15. Rod Hull's pet (3)
16. Man's best friend (3)

CLUES ACROSS:

1. It purrs (3)
4. The world's largest mammal (5)
5. Graceful water bird (4)
7. It lives in a sty (3)
11. Large member of cat family (5)
13. Social insect (3)
14. An animal which wears shoes (5)
17. King of the Jungle (4)
18. It is small and eats cheese (5)



Are you good at Limerick's ? If so, make one up and send it to "Children's Page", 37 Templeville Drive. Competitors must be under 14 years. The best two will receive 50p each. The winning Limericks will be published next month. A Limerick is a verse of only five lines. Here is one which we think is funny and gives you an idea of what you have to do:-

There once was an old man of Peru
Who dream't he was eating a shoe
He awoke in the night
With a terrible fright
And found it was perfectly true.

CLOSING DATE 15th OCTOBER !

YOU MUST BE JOKING:

A school teacher was in court for driving her car through a "No Entry" sign. Ah !, said the Judge, "so you are a teacher. I have been waiting for this for a long time. Sit down Madam and write out I must not drive through a "No Entry" sign, five hundred times !

One day when out shopping, A Lady went into a Butcher's Shop to Buy something for her dog. On asking the Butcher if he had a sheep's head, he replied. "No it's just the way my hair is parted".

ANSWERS TO CROSSWORDS:

CLUES DOWN:

1. Cow, 2. Owl, 3. Elephant.
5. Shark, 6. Stag, 8. Goat
9. Otter, 12. Ram, 14. Hen,
15. Emu, 16. Dog.

CLUES ACROSS:

1. Cat, 4. Whale, 5. Swan, 7. Pig,
9. Ostrich, 10. Rat, 11. Tiger.
13. Ant, 14. Horse, 17. Lion,
18. Mouse.

Templeville & Fortfield Residents' Association -

Report by Claire O'Regan Hon. Secretary.

As you will see from this report your association was working all during the summer holidays on your behalf.

The association appeared among the prizewinners for 1978 Tidy District Competition. We got 3rd prize of £100 - 79 marks out of 100.

The tidy districts competition, which is in its fifth year attracted 85 entries. We have been taking part since the setting up of the competition. We have gradually improved and now present a first class example of what can be done by community effort and regular maintenance.

The judges took into account the problems we had on Templeville Road and the effort residents were making to keep the road tidy.

We would like to congratulate all resident who made the effort, and made the winning of the prize possible. We are now looking for ideas for the best use to put the money to. Please phone the above if you have any suggestions. We hope all our residents took full advantage of the special junk collection requested by us of the County Council on July 15th.

We wrote to the County Council regarding the following matters:

1. E.S.B. Pole outside 100 Templeville Rd. to be moved to a new location
2. E.S.B. Pole outside 76 Templeville Rd. to be likewise moved
3. Request for yellow flasher taken out of Traffic light
4. Request for unbroken double white lines all the way along Templeville Rd. The Council and Garda are considering the request.

We have written numerous letters to the Assistant Commissioner of the Garda Siochana regarding the speed of the traffic on Templeville Rd. and the disregard of the yellow flasher on the traffic lights. Inspector Callaghan of Rathmines station called in person and everything possible is being done in the matter.

There will be more litter bins provided around Fortfield shopping area and also more cleaning of the area on a regular basis.

We hope all residents of Templeville received the newsletter of the Southern Cross Route Study Group. We must meet the group every few weeks.

♣ Trained Primary teacher gives tuition in Irish to all grades in own home Templeogue/Teranure area Phone 907248.



37TH DUBLIN (ST. PIUS X) UNIT C.B.S.I.



By Vivian Rynne, Unit Leader

The Unit has had a good year in 1978 despite continuing leadership shortages in the Scout Section.

BOY SECTION

After a full scouting year in charge, our young leaders have gained a lot of experience and settled well to the task. Training has been interesting and varied. 1978 was a good year for the Cubs with more involvement at Regional level, allowing the boys to meet other boys and leaders in the Region, especially on the Regional Sixers weekend which all Sixers and Assistant Sixers attended.

During the year the boys were involved in outings, sports activities, hikes, parades and a film show, all of which were well attended. As usual the year's activities ended with annual camp - this year in Lord Deane's Estate at Kilruddery, Co. Wicklow. The wet weekend didn't help but the boys enjoyed themselves. A service team of scouts helped with tents and cookery, and the site itself was ideal.

SCOUT SECTION

During the year the boys were involved in all the National and Regional Scout events. Brian Morrissey has had his hands full keeping things going in the Troop. Annual camp was held in Buckmore Park in Kent, a major scouting complex and all the boys had a good time. We have Maurice Delaney to thank for solving our problem of over 21 leadership for camp by allowing himself to be conscripted. Some "old boys" also were welcomed to the camp - including Kieran Holland, Liam McMahon (Cubs) and Amonn Rynne. Not too many problems arose until coming home time - when the shipping strike stranded the lads temporarily in London - but all was well in the end.

With the start of a new scouting year, new programmes are being planned and some new faces will be seen here and there but we hope the boys in the sections will continue to find scouting and cubbing all they are meant to be.



REPORT OF ST. PIUS X SCHOOL PARENTS' ASSOCIATION



Now that the children are back to school it is time for the present committee of the Association to look back, assessing and assimilating the year's work, since the A.G.M. is due to be held next month, October. Notice of the time and place of the A.G.M. will be made through the school and we look forward to your enthusiastic support.

Art, Speech and Drama and Swimming classes will be continuing as before. Parents will be advised of the dates and times through the school.

NOTICE The following items were left in the school hall after last year's school leaver's party in June of this year, 1. Ladies Red Nylon Umbrella 2. Cream coloured Crochet Beret, 3. A Key. Those seeking further details could contact May O'Neill, Chairwoman of the Association at Wainsfort Rd.

LABRADOR PUPS - 7 Weeks Old - I.K.C. Reg. Pedigree includes Great Field Trial & Show Champion. Both Parents working dogs. Phone 900443
48 Templeville Drive.

Adult Education

Up to recently Adult Education was looked upon as something done by Adults to fill in a couple of hours during Winter evenings. Generally speaking it took the form of attendance at hobby classes, in the local Vocational School, such as Woodwork, Art, Needlework and Cookery. The aim of those attending was to obtain sufficient knowledge to enable them to undertake small household repairs, to make childrens' dresses and possibly get the Christmas cake made. Some, a small minority, took formal examination classes such as Irish, English, Mathematics etc. These classes were usually confined to the 17 to 25 age group.

To-day, however, there is a general awakening, throughout the world, to the needs of Adults older than the 25 age group. This has been brought about by the advances in Technology and the ever increasing demands put on people just to keep abreast of change. The television, also, has brought an awareness of being left out, especially in general knowledge, to those who have been away from school for some years and despite having obtained good formal educational standards in their teens have neglected to keep up with changes. The mathematics being used by youngsters to-day are so different to the maths of 15 years ago that many Adults feel left out and are unable to understand some of the concepts and in many cases cannot help even their very young children. Women to-day are taking a more and welcome part in society. Early retirement has caused many changes. Therefore, there is a need for education to continue beyond formal schooling and it is now recognised that education must continue throughout life. It is no longer sufficient to attend school during our early life and then feel that we are equipped for the remainder of our lives. To meet the demand and the need for change a new format of Adult Education has been established in Pearse School, Sundrive Road.

Adult Education is now available in Pearse School throughout the day. Classes are available in English, Irish, French, History, Geography, Art, Arithmetic, Woodwork and Typewriting. The classes are arranged to suit the abilities and needs of Adults and may be taken as refresher courses or with the intention of proceeding along examination lines. Times of classes are arranged to suit people and each person is advised to work at a grade and pace to suit himself. The classes are open to men and women and may be taken as single subjects or group subjects as required.

People interested are advised to call to the school and discuss their requirements with the Principal. Adults, generally, feel shy about education and school but the relaxed atmosphere of the classes and the informal approach are designed to overcome this fear. Students are interviewed and advised in private and can decide their own course and time-table.

A full list of courses can be obtained from the school and is also included in the advertisement in this issue.

G.A.A. We have started our new season with an U/10 team in the South City League. This is the first time to have a team in this age group and we are sure the boys will benefit very much from it. Also in the League will be one U/11 team and two U/12 teams. If there are any boys in these age groups who feel they would like to 'make' one of the teams contact Mr. Noel Lynch 45 Wainsfort Road or Mr. Sean O'Mahoney 57 Templeville Road.

The next team entered is U/14. This team is last years U/13 boys and also made up the U/14 hurling team in the Community Games. Due to the fact that we as a Club do not have our own pitch for training and no other facilities to offer the boys who would like to continue playing Gaelic football the Club have decided to associate in some way with Ballyboden, St. Enda's. They are a well established and respected Club and have all the facilities required for training (Dressing Rooms, Showers, Tennis Courts etc.) We will have more news about this venture later on.

Swimming



Winners of Boys' U/13 Relay in National Community Games Finals, Mosney, Sept. 4th 1978.
Left to Right- Ciaran Mahon, David Towey, Aiden Towey, Robert McCann, Dermot Claffey.

RATHFARNHAM PARISH - NEWS FOR YOU

My dear friends,

May I begin by reminding you that on and from Sunday, September 3rd, the Morning Services will be held at 10.30 and 11.45. I hope that all will agree with the reasons which made these slight changes necessary. The main reason is that they will enable the Senior children of the Sunday School to share with us in the family worship of the church.

I send good wishes for 1978/79 season to all.

Reverend Allen Wilson. Rector of Rathfarnham.

Harvest Thanksgiving on October 15th. The Rector of Kiltannel & Ardamine, Cannon Sidney Madden, who is well known to many in the parish, has promised to preach at our services. All welcome.

P.S. Attention knitters please! Wanted oddments of wool for the St. John Ambulance Workroom. If you have any, please leave them in the front porch of the Church or at 41 Templeville Drive.

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30th June 1978

Dear Father Lee,

I wish to express my very sincere thanks to the priests and the people of the parish for their help in celebrating the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul and the anniversary of our Holy Father's Coronation. In expressing my own thanks, I am also speaking on behalf of all those who were privileged to attend this wonderful ceremony.

The celebration of this Mass was an impressive act of worship; it was also a community achievement. It showed what the people of the parish were able to do by united endeavour. May the success which met their efforts on this occasion be an inspiration to them as they work together under the guidance of the Holy Spirit in forming a truly Christian community. May they draw from this celebration a new awareness of the unity of the Church in the faith of the Apostles under the guidance of the Holy See.

Wishing you and the people of the parish every blessing,

I remain,

Yours sincerely in Christ,

+ Dermot
Archbishop of Dublin

Carmelite Father,
Gort Mhuire,
Dundrum.

n appeal

Father Neville O.Carm. at St. Killians Mission, Rhodesia, serves 10,000 Africans. The Mission Schools have had to be closed down. Many Africans are destitute, their homes have been burned and all their possessions lost.

Clothing is the first necessity of these people. A committee has been set up at Gort Mhuire to appeal for, sort out and post clothes to Rhodesia. So far, 3 tons of clothes have been sent out in 22 lb. parcels. Postage is heavy £2,500, so far, but the same amount of money would not purchase 3 tons of clothing in Rhodesia.

Carmelite Fathers on three other missions are now interested in having similar parcels posted to them. More and more clothes are still needed as follows :-

Mens: trousers, shirts and pullovers.

Womens: Dresses, blouses, skirts, jumpers and cardigans.

N.B. There is an extreme shortage of outsize dresses.

Childrens: Clothing of all descriptions.

Oddments: Head scarves, remnants of material and knitting wool.

Clothing must be in good condition. Fashion does not matter. No coats and shoes as they are too heavy to post.

Parcels, labelled, "Clothing for Rhodesia" may be sent to Gort Mhuire or to Terenure College or Whitefriar Street.

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CREDIT UNION - QUESTION & ANSWER

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By Donal Kelly.

So far the questions have been mainly on shares and loans - and there are plenty to come. If you have any questions which are not being answered, you are most welcome to call to either of the addresses below or to write to 46, Fortfield Park. However as our Annual General Meeting takes place near the end of November, the questions this month and next are slanted in that direction.

Who may attend and vote at the A.G.M.?

All are welcome to attend - both members and non-members. Only members aged 16 and over may vote.

Does the amount of savings in shares affect the voting?..

No. To be entitled to vote, it is necessary to have at least £1 in shares. But after that, no matter how much money a member has in shares, he or she is only entitled to one vote.

Must a member attend the A.G.M.?

No. There is no compulsion. There are plenty of sound members who save regularly, borrow when they need to and repay their loans as promised - but who never attend the A.G.M. Indeed the Credit Union would be pretty small without them. They have the satisfaction of being part of a cooperative effort, where neighbours help each other.

Does it matter whether members attend the A.G.M.?

Yes. It is the best way to find out what is going on and to influence what goes on. If enough members did not turn up a meeting could not be held, a dividend could not be declared and a Board of Directors to run the Credit Union could not be elected. (More about the A.G.M. next month.)

The sudden death of Senan Moloney was a sad loss to the Credit Union. He was one of the founder members and served on the Credit Committee all along. He will be badly missed - both for his friendship, his unfailing good humour and his guidance. At the September meeting the Board of Directors passed a vote of sympathy to his wife and family.

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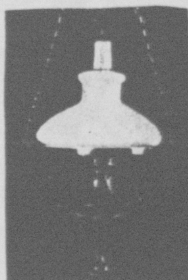
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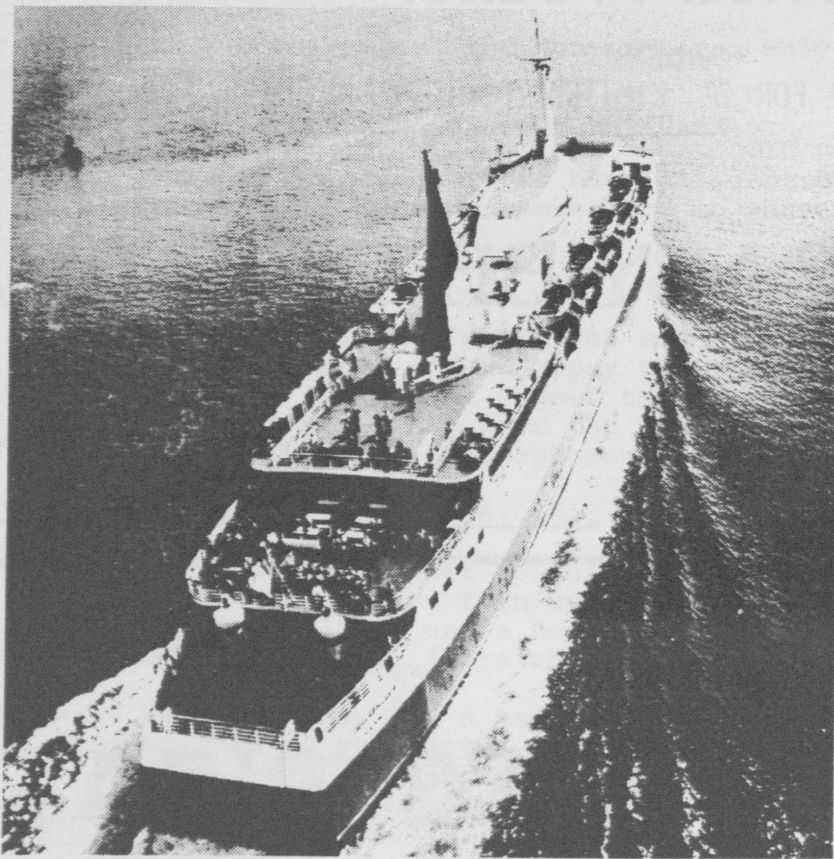
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