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Co. Donegal.
31-12-1966.

Mr. Joseph Murray,
Portnason,
Ballyshannon

Re Donegal G.A.A. Annual
(covering 1906 -- 1916 -- 1966)

Dear Joe,

In co-operation with the "Donegal Democrat", the first County Donegal G.A.A. annual will be published in Spring, possibly in February. I have been appointed honorary editor of this publication, and have selected a number of people, including yourself, to write articles for this issue. I would be most grateful if you would contribute an article, under the following heading:

"HOW THE TAN BAN WAS BROKEN"
(By Joe Murray)

An inset in the article would introduce you to the younger generation in the county, many of whom are ignorant of the great part you and others played in the development of our National games, at a time when it was dangerous to be associated with them. I can later arrange with Gervase to have you photographed in your home. Apart from that, it might be possible to get some of the local people you may name in a group, or individually for inclusion in the article. If there is any particular way in which I can be of help to you in assimilating the article, I will be pleased to do anything you request.

Perhaps you might confirm within the next week or so, if you will be able to meet my request.

Good wishes for the New Year,
Hugh Daly
Hugh Daly.

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Re Donegal G.A.A. Annual

"Donegal Democrat",
Ballyshannon,
Co. Donegal.
8-4-1967.

A Chara,

Thursday, April 13th is the final date on which copy for the above annual can be dealt with. Please ensure that the article you promised reaches this office by that date or by first post Friday April 14th.

Is mise, le meas,

Aodh O Dalaigh
Aodh O Dalaigh,

Eag.

With reference to your letter of 31/12/66 I wonder am I to consider myself honoured by this invitation to write an article in the "Home at Democrat" G.A.A Annual!

Or, on the other hand, ~~and~~ do I observe a change of heart on the part of the "Democrat" and its satellites from that shown towards me since ~~mid summer of~~ ^{the} July, 1965? on which date, in response to a report of the County Board reported in the Democrat of ~~the~~ a few days earlier, I ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~not~~ ^{was} appearing for to everyone who could give any information regarding the history of the G.A.A in the County, I, accompanied by my wife, called at your house (unfortunately in your absence?) to offer my assistance in the matter. I could only ~~describe~~ ^{describe} our reception by your wife as comparatively very cool. A few days later we met ~~you~~ ^{you} face to face coming towards us on the street and you brazenly passed without speaking although both ^{my wife &} myself addressed you by your name. Needless to say it was not us to a man of my standing & record to ask you why. Naturally enough your ignoring of us shocked me, as for years prior to that you ^{almost} ~~would~~ ^{was} ~~going~~ ^{was} ~~to~~ ^{to} meet me and to ~~lead~~ ^{lead} me - the ~~leading~~ ^{leading} ~~part~~ ^{part} ~~being~~ ^{being} ~~an~~ ^{an} ~~thing~~ ^{thing} ~~as~~ ^{as} ~~im~~ ^{im} ~~that~~ ^{that} ~~discriminate~~ ^{discriminate} in favour of the Co. teams ~~never~~ ^{never} of my seeking. On a couple of occasions

pleased to do another request. If so, just omit my name from the list of contributors.

Amongst other things for which you lauded me in your G.A.A. notes was the promise I ~~gave~~ made at the commencement of the Ulster championships a few ^{some} years ago, viz. to contribute one pound (£1) ^{to the training fund} ~~for each~~ ^{for each} step taken towards the winning of the Ulster Championship by ^{all Ireland} Donegal. I kept this promise in 1964 (£3), '65 (£1) and '66 (£3) ~~years~~ but received no acknowledgment of any of these sums. I wonder how many people gave a £1 or more during those years! Such a list ^{of such} was published in the Democrat towards the end of 1964, but, in keeping with the Democrat's attitude my subscription of £3 was not ^{included} published, who ever was responsible, nor was any notice taken of my more recent subscriptions. ^{But the same year} ^{of displayed championship} mind you, not because I was seeking publicity because of a sincere & genuine interest in the County team's welfare & success.

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With reference to your letter of 31/12/66,
I do not agree to have my account of how the
attempt of the R.D.C. backed by a Company of British
Military from Finnes to enforce a British Govt.
Proclamation banning the playing of a hurling
match between teams representing Ballyshannon
and Kinsale respectively (and for which I was the
official referee) during the War of Independence

With reference to your letter of 31/12/66
seeking my permission to have my account as to
"How The Tan Ban Was Broken" published under my name
in the ^{proposed} ~~Journal~~ Democrat S.A.A. Annual due for issue
in the near future, I have to say that I do not agree
to your request. The title of the ^{suggested} article refers of course
to a hurling match between teams representing
Ballyshannon and Kinsale to be played at Bundoran
(with myself as official referee) during the War
of Independence. This match was banned -
not by the Tans - but by a British Government
Proclamation and published ^{officially} in printed posters
around in the Bundoran, Ballyshannon & Kinsale
^{Police} areas. The ban was to be enforced by the R.D.C.
and British military ^{units} and for this purpose ^{large} number of extra
force and a Company of British Soldiers from
Finnes Camp were drafted into Bundoran on
the occasion. I deliberately stress that this was
~~How the tan ban was broken~~

primarily the responsibility of the R.I.C. and not the "Tans" as your proposed caption suggests. Prior to 1916 the R.I.C. were generally accepted by the vast majority of the people as the Police Force of the country just as the D.M.C. were accepted in Dublin. But when those who remained in the Force (thousands of its members ~~retired~~ ^{resigned} as the Struggle went on) and allowed them selves to be publicly armed and converted into a quasi-military Force to crush the "rebels" as they termed us a different view was taken of them, viz. traitors to Ireland. We knew what to expect from the "Tans" who were ~~the English~~ ^{all} Britishers and the scum of the the disbanded British Army after the conclusion of the 1914-18 War. We recognized the British soldiers for what they were - professional soldiers carried out a distasteful job in an impersonal way, But where would the "Tans" and British Army be at that time in Ireland without the R.I.C. who identified for them men ^{of the I.R.A.} who should be put out of the way and ~~cleared~~ ^{made us} of their local knowledge "to show the way". Hence my dislike for the title "Tan Ban".

My story as to how the attempt by the R.I.C. & military to enforce the Government proclamation was foiled has already appeared in the columns of the Democrat some years ago. It came about in this way

After Demersal had beaten Basan in the an Water Chemistry Game at Clowes I went into the Librarian Hotel to congratulate the team in their dressing room. I told them of the difficulties we had in Demersal during the War of Independence to keep the game going. ~~I did not then even know you~~ I told them the story as referred to above by way of illustration. I did not ~~even~~ ^{even} know you on that day or that there was a representative of the "Democrat" present in the room. My surprise may be guessed when I saw ~~the~~ my story reported in the following week's issue on the following Saturday when I received it by post in Basan.

I do not want a repeat of this story in the Annual - nor my photograph either - all of which you had to well avoid. In fact, I do not want any reference to my name in this ~~Democrat~~ "Democrat" which is so generously cooperative with you as "honorary" editor in the publication of the Annual. I cannot prevent the Democrat from publishing themselves or by subscribers of articles things which are not

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subsequently you again passed us without speaking ~~to~~ and as a matter of fact you once sat & knelt beside ^{next to} me in the Rock Church and did not speak or show any signs of recognition. On ~~but~~ a few later dates you made feeble attempts to nod recognition but I treated them with the contempt which they deserved. I could not form in my mind the remotest notion as to why you adopted this attitude towards ^{me} as I had always shown kindness and consideration towards you & even ^{to} your family on account of our common interest in the welfare of ~~the~~ Gaelic football in the County and especially in the County team. After all, I was the principal ^{in 1917} organizer of Gaelic Football in the County. ^(at the request of the Ulster Council through) a founder member of the first County Board affiliated with the Ulster Council, holder of the first Co. Championship medal played with Bundoran and played in the first County team.

To Sec. Duane Duffin (Late Gen. Duffin)

Now, with respect to your letter
 itself, I like your title ~~the~~ "honorary
 editor" of the ^{Annual} and the phrase "In co-operation
 with the "Democrat Democrat" almost indicates
 that the Annual was to ^{be} printed free, gratis
 and for nothing ~~except~~ ^{for the cost of} ~~for the cost of~~
~~printing & publishing~~ after which any
 profit would go to some deserving or
 charitable project. I note too that you
 have "selected" me as one of a number of
 people to write articles ^{for the Annual,} like me it for
 granted that I was at your beck and call.
 I also note that you have selected my
 subject for me - "How the tax lien was broken".
 This story, ^(one of the most tried events of my own life) has already been published
 in the Democrat. Its ^{publication} came about in this way:
 - I went to the dinner room ^{in the} ~~at the~~
~~rooms~~ of the ^{Graves} ~~Walden~~ Hotel, to ^{congratulate}
 the team after beating Cavan that same day.
 In the course of dinner so I told them of
 the difficulties under which the Gaelic
 games had to struggle for existence. At
 this time I did not know you or that ^{in my time} there
 already ^{was} a reporter in the room. The story
^{published} therefore is "by you", as noted by you,
 and not "by Joe Murray". You say in
 your concluding lines that you will be

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"Democrat" Gaelic Games Annual.
alt. of - Banned Hurling Match, 1921

With ref. to your letter of 31/12/66, am I to consider myself honoured on being ^{requested} asked by you as ^{Honorary} Editor of above named ^{Journal} ~~Journal~~ ^{to allow my account of a banned hurling match} between Ballyshannon and Kialough hurling teams in 1921 reprinted in the ~~above~~

With ref. to your letter of 31/12/66, am I to consider myself honoured on being requested by you, as "Honorary" Editor of the proposed Annual, to ~~allow~~ agree to a reprint of my account of this match which appeared in the "Democrat" a few years ago! Surely you have a great nerve to make such a request, ^{to me} and to address me as "Dear Joe" after the way in which you and the "Democrat" have ignored me since 12th July, 1964 - a date which I can readily fix. Yes, I would seem as if I should consider myself honoured and that I would rush to have the story published under my name, along with my photograph to be taken in my own home - all nicely arranged. Let me say straight away that I have no intention of agreeing to your request as I have no desire to be associated in any way with the project, ^{my decision} which is not to be interpreted as meaning that I have ~~no~~ interest in nor deep rooted love for the Gaelic Athletic Association to which I have given the best years of my life as an excuser & player of hurling & football (Senior Inter-Country in the latter)

My active association with the S.R.A. was not confined to Donegal during the years 1915-1922. I was Secretary of Mourne Co. Board ~~1915~~ and representative on Ulster Council 1911-12; playing member of St. Patrick's Training College hurling (only one form Ulster) and football team, 1912-14 and Sec. of the ~~hurling~~ club which I represented on the Dublin Intermediate & Hurling Board; Hon. Sec. of Roughrae hurling & football club during my time as Teacher there 1914-15, when I was allocated in Sept, 15 to Anderson Bays ^(daytime) & Bandonan Oshlunags (evenings). On ~~my~~ At this time there was nothing but soccer football in Donegal from end to end and a few hurling teams which were first introduced asshintas (the Scottish form of hurling) by many town labourers to Scotland, as was also Soccer football. Gradually the Shintas changed into ^{our} the Irish style of hurling. As a matter of fact there were some Shinty sticks still in use when I joined & played with Bandonan hurling club in Sept. 1915.

Almost immediately

~~In 1915~~ I was requested by the Ulster Council S.A.A., to use my ^{own} ~~own~~ ^{organizing} ~~organizing~~ ^{in Donegal} ~~in Donegal~~ abilities to get Gaelic Football established with a view to having a County Board established and affiliated to the Provincial Council. To do so I had to ~~pass~~

to play with the Bundoran Soccer team which, with the hustlers team, formed one club under the chairmanship of ^{retired} ~~the~~ Master Edward Daly. A similar position obtained in Ballyshannon against whom I often played during the winters of 1915-16 and 1916-17 against ^{B'Dhannon} ~~the~~ players who played both in soccer & hurling. As the managers of matches were those of soccer ~~there~~ was afforded the opportunity of meeting ^{all} ~~most~~ of the most influential of the footballers in order to wear them over to the G.A.A. The 1916 Review gave me a great fillip to my efforts with the result that in April of 1917 I kicked the first ball in the formation of Bundoran's first Gaelic Football & Hustling Club under the old chairman - Master Daly on my proposition. Similar clubs were established about the same time in Ballyshannon, Donegal, Dallington, Letterkenny, Killybegs, and Belleek, Killybegs & Ardara. I had the honour of refereeing at Donegal town a match between a pack of Bundoran & B'Dhannon versus the pack of Donegal, Letterkenny & Killycortan. During the course I had to explain the rules as fouls occurred

To make a long story short, inter-club matches were played throughout 1917-18 until a County Convention was arranged under the Chairmanship of Owen Duff, Hon. Sec. of the Ulster Council and the first official Co. Board was established ^{and affiliated to the first} with Joe Wood, Solr. as Chairman & Johnnie Curran of Kiltierkenny as ^{first} Hon. Sec. I had the misfortune, on account of a bad bout of flu, to miss this first County Convention but I felt compensation for all my efforts by the ~~first~~ ^{first} realization of my ambition to see ~~an~~ officially established Co. B. of the S.R.A. affiliated to the Ulster & Central Councils respectively.

With over-zealous work in connection with the 1918 General Election in Dec. of that year and with a good many of our players "on the run" on account of I.R.A. activities during the 1919-21 period ~~it~~ ^{it} was almost impossible to carry out ~~any~~ ^{any} ~~league~~ ^{league} or Championship matches. In fact a hurling match ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~fact~~ ^{fact} for Brundavan was banned by a British Government Proclamation to be enforced by the Royal Irish Constabulary (R.I.C.) back British Military from Fenner Camp.

signature
on the
back of the
envelope

It is not that my deep-rooted love for the G. A. A. to which I have given a practical life-long devotion has lessened in any way, but I have observed so many false, misleading and inaccurate statements in matters of historical ^{and other} interests, ^{on the Danversick,} some by yourself and ^{some by} the management ~~of your paper~~ that I do not wish ~~and sometimes~~ by outside contributors that I do not wish ^{my name} to be associated with any publication ^{of historical value} which might prove, in any way, to be unauthentic and ~~and~~ subsequently investigated before publishing.

I continue, ~~to~~ in spite of my seventy-four years ~~(~~in March~~)~~ of age (in March) and fear of ^{to my health in} dence, ~~to~~ attending matches (especially away matches) in our treacherous weather conditions, to take a deep interest in the ^{welfare of the} Co. Team to the training of which I like to generously subscribe - maybe a poor alternative to attending matches & meetings. For years now I have kept my promise to you to subscribe one pound (£1) ^{each year} for training ^{in every} ^{in fulfilment of} steps towards an Ulster or All-Ireland. I paid £3 last year (1966) and I am hoping that in 1967 I may have to subscribe five pounds (£5) ~~and~~ I do not ~~do~~ ^{do} this for the sake of getting publicity, ~~and~~ ^{which} I neither sought or got for a considerable time past.

Don't know

As an example of a false, misleading or inaccurate statement I wish to refer to a check attributed to in the 14th Jan. 67 issue of the Democrat and made at a presentation of trophies to victorious Bundoran teams in Bundoran on - - - - - As it reads to the man in the street it gives credit to Bundoran Sinn Féin club for winning the first Co. Championship in 1907 without giving ^{Gaelic} stating whether in ^{Gaelic} football or hurling. As all ^{your} other further remarks concerned ^{Gaelic} football the only logical conclusion ^{any} one could come to was that the 1907 game was one of Gaelic football and consequently that the first Co. Board of the G.A.A. in Co. Donegal included Gaelic Football. This bothered me as my investigations carried out in 1915-16 ~~by me even~~ together with my Ulster Council experience (1911-12) satisfied me beyond all shadow of doubt that there was no official Co. Board affiliated to the Ulster Council until 1918. If any further proof was required it was this, that when I came to Bundoran as a young National Teacher in 1915 there was the only football played from end to end of the County was Association Football, i.e. "Soccer". The number of hurling teams in Donegal at that time were few and far between. Two of them were ⁱⁿ Bundoran, ^{+ B Shonnon's hurling teams} and for the two seasons 1915-16 and 1916 Bundoran the hurling + ^{Soccer} football teams in Bundoran + Ballyshannon existed as one club in each of these towns with the same Chairman (Master Edward Daly in Bundoran) + officers in each of these clubs, Master Edward Daly was Chairman of the Bundoran joint hurling + Soccer club.

and I was a playing member of both the Soccer & Hurling teams. I played ^(perhaps as a member) Soccer with the knowledge of the Works Council but for the sole purpose of getting to know the officers & players of the other Soccer clubs in Belleek ~~Co.~~, Bellemeira, Downpatrick, Letterkenny, Millisfordon & Ardara, and to use my influence with them to become members of the S. A. A. From all this it is not difficult to understand why ~~the~~ Donegal County could not be off when there was no County Board of the S. A. A. during 1915-17. Had there been ~~Co.~~ such a Co. Board no club could possibly have been permitted to play both Hurling and ~~for~~ Soccer at the same time. I actually played with and against dozens of players who were players both games, in Bundoran, Ballyshannon & elsewhere.

The game played ^{in Bundoran & Shamoon} around the period 1906-7 was really the Scottish game known as "Shinty" and this game along with Soccer were introduced & played principally by migratory labourers who worked in Scotland. In fact I saw ^{some} Shinty sticks still in use in games between Bundoran, ^{Ballyshannon,} Manorbennet & Kesh and in which I participated. These ^{Shinty} sticks were longer and straighter than the S. A. A. hurleys and had a heavy thick boss which made it difficult to raise & stop the ball. In this regard I refer you to an article

by J. D. Hickey in the 17th Jan¹⁹¹⁷ issue of the Donegal Independent "The Clubs and the G.A.A." dealing with the Achill, Co. Mayo club and his reference to playing of "shinty" by this club about seventy years ago. It is a well known fact that there was a lot of intermarriage between migratory workers from Donegal & Achill. There are still several families of Sweeney, Gallagher & O'Donnell living in Achill. This makes a very clear link between shinty in Donegal & Achill and helps to prove what I had learned by my investigations around Bundoran, Ballyshannon & Kesh in 1915 viz. that soccer & hurling shinty came to be introduced to Donegal, Linton & Achill. Shinty eventually gradually to hurling as we know it & existed in the South

(a) As Representative on the Water Council 1911-12 (representing Monaghan while Co. Secretary same years);

(b) As principal organizer of Gaelic Football in Donegal at request of Water Council - 1916-22.

(c) As founder member of first officially affiliated Co. Board in 1918 under chairmanship of Owen Duffy then Water Council Secretary

(d) As founder of first Bundoran Gaelic F. Team.

(e) As holder of first Co. Championship medal played with Bundoran, 1919

(f) As playing member of first ^{senior} Donegal Co. Team

(g) As planner, organizer and executor (with the help of Bundoran, Ballyshannon + Kinlough members of the I.R.A and the Ballyshannon and Kinlough Hurling Teams) of the successfully ^{carried out} scheme to foil the attempt of the re-imposed R.I.C. and British soldiers from Finnes Camp to enforce a ^{publicly posted} British Government Proclamation banning the holding of Hurling Match arranged for Bundoran and for which I was the officially appointed referee;

~~I do not agree to have my story of the carrying out of the match referred to in G. above and (as already published in the Donegal Democrat some~~

~~years ago) as to how the match in question was if the ^{above} match ^{published} in the proposed first issue of the "Democrat" Gaelic Games Annual. Neither do I send the use of my name in any other article or report to be included in this Annual.~~

historically authentic - ~~or~~ or that may be false, misleading or inaccurate, but I can, at least, refuse to allow my name to be associated with such publications.

I have, in recent times, treated with silent contempt, references to me in the Democrat (not all by the proprietors or ^{members of the} staff) which were positively false, misleading or inaccurate.

Should I have made clear to you my opinion of your paper given you sufficient reason ^{for} to my desire not to have name associated in any way with the proposed Annual

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Rev. Dr. Morris, Archbishop of Cashel, were
subsequently added.

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1888—Unfinished due to U.S.A. "Invasion".	
1889—Dé Cliaé (C. J. Kick-hams)	An Clán (An Tutáé)
1890—Corcais (Ácaó Dois)	Loé Sárman (Caisteán an Onoicío)
1891—Carrasí (Daite Dubh)	Loé Sárman (Cross beaga)
1892—Corcais (Redmonds)	Ác Cliaé (Faugh Davitts)
1893—Corcais (Carrasí Dubh)	Cill Éainnis (Confederation)
1894—Corcais (Carrasí Dubh)	Ác Cliaé (Rapparees)
1895—Tíobraio Árann (Tobar na nDeon)	Cill Éainnis (Tulaé Ruaóan)
1896—Tíobraio Árann (Tobar na nDeon)	Ác Cliaé (Commercials)
1897—Lumneac (Cill Fionáin)	Cill Éainnis (Tulaé Ruaóan)
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1899—Tíobraio Árann (Maí Camce)	Loé Sárman (Daite na sCioé)
1900—Tíobraio Árann (Duirgeas Luígeac)	Londain (London Desmonds)
1901—Londain (London Irish)	Corcais (Redmonds)
1902—Corcais (Dún Suisinne)	Londain (Brian Borus)
1903—Corcais (Carrasí Dubh)	Londain (Hibernians)
1904—Cill Éainnis (Tulaé Ruaóan)	Corcais (St. Finbarr's)
1905—Cill Éainnis (Erin's Own)	Corcais (St. Finbarr's)
1906—Tíobraio Árann (Dúntas Éite)	Ác Cliaé (Fás a' Deataé)
1907—Cill Éainnis (Tulaé Ruaóan)	Corcais (Dún Suisinne)
1908—Tíobraio Árann (Dúntas Éite)	Ác Cliaé (Kickhams)
1909—Cill Éainnis (Móin Cúinn)	Tíobraio Árann (Dúntas Éite)
1910—Loé Sárman (Caisteán an Onoicío)	Lumneac (Caisteán Ó sConaing)

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1911—Cill Éainnis	Lumneac (Caisteán Ó sConaing)
1912—Cill Éainnis	Corcais (Carrasí Dubh)
1913—Cill Éainnis	Tíobraio Árann (Cúinn na hÉadra)
1914—An Clán	Laos
1915—Laos	Corcais
1916—Tíobraio Árann	Cill Éainnis
1917—Ác Cliaé	Tíobraio Árann
1918—Lumneac	Loé Sárman
1919—Corcais	Ác Cliaé
1920—Ác Cliaé	Corcais
1921—Lumneac	Ác Cliaé
1922—Cill Éainnis	Tíobraio Árann
1923—Saitimh	Lumneac
1924—Ác Cliaé	Saitimh
1925—Tíobraio Árann	Cill Éainnis
1926—Corcais	Corcais
1927—Ác Cliaé	Saitimh
1928-9 Corcais	Ác Cliaé
1930—Tíobraio Árann	Cill Éainnis
1931—Corcais	An Clán
1932—Cill Éainnis	Lumneac
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1937—Tíobraio Árann	Port Láirge
1938—Ác Cliaé	Corcais
1939—Cill Éainnis	Cill Éainnis
1940—Lumneac	Ác Cliaé
1941-2 Corcais	Doneraim
1943—Corcais	Ác Cliaé
1944—Corcais	Cill Éainnis
1945—Tíobraio Árann	Cill Éainnis
1946—Corcais	Corcais
1947—Cill Éainnis	Ác Cliaé
1948—Port Láirge	Laos
1949—Tíobraio Árann	

1950—TIOBRAIO ÁRANN	CILL CÁMMSÍ
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1889—TIOBRAIO ÁRANN (Dócan Ruac)		LAOIS (Port Laoise)
1890—CORCAIS (Máistir na Corcann)		LOÉ SARMAN (Blue and Whites)
1891—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Young Irelands)		CORCAIS (Cluain Droiteac)
1892—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Young Irelands)		CIANNAL (Laune Rangers)
1893—LOÉ SARMAN (Young Irelands)		CORCAIS (Dhonn Caid)
1894—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Young Irelands)		CORCAIS (Nils)
1895—TIOBRAIO ÁRANN (Arravale Rovers)		AN tHÍ (Pierce Mahonys)
1896—Lumneac (Commercials)		ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Young Irelands)
1897—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (C. J. Kickhams)		CORCAIS
1898—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Geraldines)		CORCAIS (Dún Maonmhúige)
		PONC LÁINGE (Erin's Hope, Dún Sarbán)

	peil (an leanúint)	TÁNAISTÍ
	DUAITEOIRÍ	
1899—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Geraldines)		CORCAIS (Nils or Fear Múige)
1900—TIOBRAIO ÁRANN (Clonmel Shamrocks)		LONDAN (Hibernians)
1901—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Isles of the Sea)		LONDAN (Hibernians)
1902—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Bray Emmets)		LONDAN (Hibernians)
1903—CIANNAL (John Mitchells, TRÁ LI)		CILL DARA
1904—CIANNAL (John Mitchells, TRÁGHI)		ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Kickhams)
1905—CILL DARA		CIANNAL (John Mitchells, TRÁGHI)
1906—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Kickhams)		CORCAIS (Fear Múige)
1907—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Kickhams)		CORCAIS (Lees)
1908—ÁÉ CLIAÉ (Geraldines)		CIANNAL (Mitchells)
1909—CIANNAL (Mitchells)		LUGHARÓ (Tredaghs)
1910—LÚÐAO		CIANNAL (Mitchells)
1911—CORCAIS (Lees)		ÁONCRUIM (Seán a' Oíomais)
1912—LÚÐAO (Tredaghs)		ÁONCRUIM 7 DEÁL FEINSTE
1913—CIANNAL		LOÉ SARMAN
1914—CIANNAL		LOÉ SARMAN
1915—LOÉ SARMAN		CIANNAL
1916—LOÉ SARMAN		MAIS EO
1917—LOÉ SARMAN		AN CLÁN
1918—LOÉ SARMAN		TIOBRAIO ÁRANN
1919—CILL DARA		SÁILTH
1920—TIOBRAIO ÁRANN		ÁÉ CLIAÉ
1921—ÁÉ CLIAÉ		MAIS EO
1922—ÁÉ CLIAÉ		SÁILTH
1923—ÁÉ CLIAÉ		CIANNAL
1924—CIANNAL		ÁÉ CLIAÉ
1925—SÁILTH		—
1926—CIANNAL		CILL DARA
1927—CILL DARA		CIANNAL
1928—CILL DARA		CABÁN
1929—CIANNAL		CILL DARA
1930—CIANNAL		MUINEACÁN

1931—Ciannaí	Cill Dara
1932—Ciannaí	Murgeo
1933—Cabán	Ṣaitlín
1934—Ṣaitlín	Ḃé Cliaé
1935—Cabán	Cill Dara
1936—MaíṢ Eo	Laois
1937—Ciannaí	Cabán
1938—Ṣaitlín	Ciannaí
1939—Ciannaí	An tÍhí
1940—Ciannaí	Ṣaitlín
1941—Ciannaí	Ṣaitlín
1942—Ḃé Cliaé	Ṣaitlín
1943—Ros Comáin	Cabán
1944—Ros Comáin	Ciannaí
1945—Concais	Cabán
1946—Concais	Ros Comáin
1947—Cabán	Ciannaí
1948—Cabán	MaíṢ Eo
1949—An tÍhí	Cabán
1950—MaíṢ Eo	Lúbaó
1951—MaíṢ Eo	An tÍhí
1952—An Cabán	An tÍhí
1953—Ciannaí	Ḃro Maéa
1954—An tÍhí	Ciannaí
1955—Ciannaí	Ḃé Cliaé
1956—Ṣaitlín	Concais
1957—Lúbaó	Concais
1958—Ḃé Cliaé	Doite
1959—Ciannaí	Ṣaitlín
1960—An Dún	Ciannaí

CRAOḂ ṢÓISEAR NA hÉIREANN

iomáint	peil
1912—Concais	1912—TioBRAIO ḂRann
1913—TioBRAIO ḂRann	1913—Ciannaí
1914—An Clán	1914—Ḃé Cliaé
1915—TioBRAIO ḂRann	1915—Ciannaí
1916—Concais	1916—Ḃé Cliaé
1917-1922—Abandoned	1917-1922—Abandoned
1923—Ḃa ḂFáití	1923—TioBRAIO ḂRann
1924—TioBRAIO ḂRann	1924—Ciannaí
1925—Concais	1925—Lúbaó
1926—TioBRAIO ḂRann	1926—Ḃro Maéa
1927—An tÍhí	1927—Cabán
1928—Cill Caimis	1928—Ciannaí
1929—Ḃa ḂFáití	1929—Iar-tÍhí
1930—TioBRAIO ḂRann	1930—Ciannaí
1931—Port Láinge	1931—Ṣaitlín
1932—Ḃé Cliaé	1932—Lúbaó
1933—TioBRAIO ḂRann	1933—MaíṢ Eo
1934—Port Láinge	1934—Lúbaó
1935—Lumneac	1935—Ṣuígeac
1936—Iar-tÍhí	1936—Cill Manceáin
1937—Ḃé Cliaé	1937—Longport
1938—Londain	1938—Londain
1939—Ṣaitlín	1939—Ḃé Cliaé
1940—Concais	1940—Ros Comáin
1941—Lumneac	1941—Ciannaí
1942	1942
} Suspended	} Suspended
1944	1944
1945	1945
1946—Cill Caimis	1946—An Dún
1947—Concais	1947—An tÍhí
1948—An tÍhí	1948—Ḃé Cliaé
1949—Londain	1949—Ciannaí
1950—Concais	1950—MaíṢ Eo
1951—Cill Caimis	1951—Concais
1952—Ḃé Cliaé	1952—An tÍhí
1953—TioBRAIO ḂRann	1953—Concais

1954—Lúimneac	1954—Ciannaí
1955—Concais	1955—Concais
1956—Cill Caimnis	1956—Múinneacáin
1957—Lúimneac	1957—Maig Eo
1958—Concais	1958—Saitlín
1959—Londain	1959—Fear Manaí
1960—Londain	1960—Ác Cliaí

CRAOB MIONÚR NA hÉIREANN

iomáint

peil

1928—Concais	1928—
1929—Dorc Láirge	1929—An Clár
1930—Tíobhraid Árann	1930—Ác Cliaí
1931—Cill Caimnis	1931—Ciannaí
1932—Tíobhraid Árann	1932—Ciannaí
1933—Tíobhraid Árann	1933—Ciannaí
1934—Tíobhraid Árann	1934—Tíobhraid Árann (awarded)
1935—Cill Caimnis	1935—Maig Eo
1936—Cill Caimnis	1936—Lúbac
1937—Concais	1937—Cabán
1938—Concais	1938—Cabán
1939—Concais	1939—Rós Comáin
1940—Lúimneac	1940—Lúbac
1941—Concais	1941—Rós Comáin
1942—	1942—
1943—Suspended	1943—Suspended
1944—	1944—
1945—Ác Cliaí	1945—Ác Cliaí
1946—Ác Cliaí	1946—Ciannaí
1947—Tíobhraid Árann	1947—Cín Eogáin
1948—Dorc Láirge	1948—Cín Eogáin
1949—Tíobhraid Árann	1949—An Maí
1950—Cill Caimnis	1950—Ciannaí
1951—Concais	1951—Rós Comáin
1952—Tíobhraid Árann	1952—Saitlín
1953—Tíobhraid Árann	1953—Maig Eo
1954—Ác Cliaí	1954—Ác Cliaí
1955—Tíobhraid Árann	1955—Ác Cliaí
1956—Tíobhraid Árann	1956—Ác Cliaí
1957—Tíobhraid Árann	1957—An Mhí
1958—Lúimneac	1958—Ác Cliaí
1959—Tíobhraid Árann	1959—Ác Cliaí
1960—Cill Caimnis	1960—Saitlín

Cumann Lúchtleas Gael

Tá sé ag éirí níos tábhachtaí ó lá go lá go míneofaí do Gaeil glúin de Gael óga do réir mar a fásann siad na tosaí ba éis le C.L.G. a bunú agus an cuspóir náisiúnta a cumeadóirí a baint amach.

Cumeadóirí C.L.G. an bun éin baol a bí ag bagairt ar ár gcine a éosc, mar atá meast a beic ag teasc ar lúchtleas na ndaoine, de bhí naé naib don scúir orcu, agus éin cur i gcóinne cumhachta cluicé eite a naib an éuma orcu go scios-paróis ar naib págá u'óirneasc éitúnta na nGaeil.

Toisc go bhfuil C.L.G. tar éis neart agus córa cun-ainn náisiúnta baint amach uó féin, agus toisc go bhfuil obain éom tábhachtaí sin véanta agse an son an náisiúin, is éoin go mbeadóirí toisc áite ina éirí teagaisc ag na cónas baolachá uó ba éis lena éin an bun, agus ag na cuspóirí a éin sé noime. D'féicim, naé bhfuil an t-ionasáil galloa á déanah go hoscailte a éithead ad muna bhfuil féin tá an brú faoi éitit ann éom buan agus bí sé riach.

Tá an ionasca daoine ann, fú i measc na nGaeil féin, atá faoi aineolán uóneite, i ocaob na himinne an ar bunasóid an cumann agus an spúir ba éoin a beic in a éirí oibre. Caiteann siad sa tsil sin an t-ano-niméad a teannan ag éithead na gceití náisiúnta. Cumeann sé leis an míne a gabann le lúic comp a fúis a beic ag an imneoir go bhfuil sé ag fónah uon náisiúin.

Sé C.L.G. an t-son éumainn ainn i gcóir lúchtleas a cumeann an fáil uo na himneoirí an spreasóid imhóitá go éin beic ag uóanah aicúise an a éite.

Tá daoine eite ann agus an éitáil noicúise cumeann siad fúarad an aicúiseanna an Cumann agus éitáil ann siad a príon-sabail. Ní uóca go gcuirfead don sagas teagaisc uon meon son iad, sé uó mbeadóirí eolas beic ar éitáil agus an cuspóir an Cumann ag Gael, éithead sin ainn ina láma in éitáil ionasáil naimeadá, agus spreasóid sé an lúic teanúna éin na lúchtleasa a baonú le breis plograise, agus méadóirí sé an measc atá aca an a n-óirneasc éitúnta féin.

Níon poitíod go uicí seo uó éitáil an fás an Cumann ad an méir a veinead an na páineanna imearúta agus éitáil-éitáil na gCoiscil ó bliain go éite. Cuntais riachtanáca,

The Gaelic Athletic Association

It is becoming every day more and more essential that the conditions which brought about the establishment of the Gaelic Athletic Association and the national purpose it was created to serve should be clearly explained to each future generation of young Gae's.

The G.A.A. was founded to check a grave racial menace in the deterioration of the pastimes of the people through want of organised control, and to combat the influence of other games and customs which threatened to destroy the surviving cultural inheritances of the Gael.

Since the G.A.A. has attained the strength and status of a national organisation and played such an important part in the national life, it is most desirable that the dangers which called it into being and the ideals and objectives thereupon entrusted to it should be kept in the forefront of its educational functions. The overt aggression of alienism may no longer prevail; but subtle penetration is as insidious and persistent as ever.

Far too many, even in Gaelic ranks, display a grave misconception, or incredible ignorance of the motives underlying the foundation of the organisation and of the spirit in which its activities should be conducted. In this way they miss the exalting pleasure which the practice and support of native games provide. The joy of physical vigour is always increased by consciousness of national service being rendered and the G.A.A. alone of all sports associations holds out this laudable incentive to emulate and excel.

Others, for reasons more or less obvious, distort the aims and impugn the principles of the Association. Enlightenment would scarcely alter their attitude; but a comprehensive knowledge of the history and purpose the Association would arm Gae's against subversive attacks and inspire ardent adherents with redoubled pride and zeal in support of the pastimes and respect for the native traditions with which they are inseparably linked.

Such accounts of the progress of the G.A.A. as have been published are mainly confined to the activities of

suimúla iad seo ; ac is ar éigean a thádtann siad ar an nua tábáctac sin is bñi agus is beacta oo na cluicí ná ar an meabair acá le baint as scéal a manána

Is loct mán gcuir bolscaireacta é, mar nuair nac bhoilsicear an príomairim go soitim, baincear oe na cluicí noimce oen tréit náisiúnaite agus oen cuspóir miseanta acá iontu agus tugcar saGas teitscéit oo Saet a síteann nac bñuit nios mó le fáil ar na páic imearctá agaimne ná an caoi céanna cun gníomacta acá le fáil ó úaoine a bñuit mataint smaointe acu.

Cé gur ceart go bhoilscear go lánoacaitte an tsí inar éinS leis an gCumann sa éinS bitain píeaso seo tant, mairim le teactú comóntais, agus méadó an líon a curo ball, ní mór a coimeáto ar coact áice an spuro a bí caob éian oen ual cun cinn. Níor cón veannao a déanaim oen spuro sin a cug bñi oo na cluicí nit an ama.

Ní ar son actaioct coimp aham, ná cun beic ag mónoo Laoena ná cun stuaice oo tuéct píeacta a bairú te céite, a bunaoó C.L.S. Is amlaio a bameann C.L.S. feioim as na níce sin cun an príom-cuspóir a baint amaó, sé sin na túccteaas oúctais oo scúnao agus actaioct coimp a cun a saotnú, cun an seantact Saetac a cun ar fáil ams.

Má cummítear an an guspóir seo, beic caigoean na geomóntais ag preagant oon ardaigeantaect a spreagant uime cun gníomacta uaste, agus ní beic sna "Rialacta" ac mar a beao gnáctcomarctá bealarS ann tair ooneoú cun cinn an éirisa, sé sin, náisiún a beic ar bun go mbeao meoim ar a muintir paoma gcuir sán-túccteaas, a ngadam uasteact agus aróctúin leo.

Fáiríao, oo éonao an cuspóir sin, éine a beic saon Saetac. Ní beic son laóú ar éonao na geomóntais ná ar an nímeao a beic ar muintir na hÉireann astu. Is amlaio a meaoópar ar an tá ní sin nuair a bnaicpíó na himneoini go bñuit siad ag fónaim oo spuro an náisiúin agus nuair a Saetairío siad rón gan son ní a ceaoú a cunpíeao bñóe-cáit ar an bñaióe ina bñuit a teitéro oo obair ar síú ar son an náisiúin. Is ar feanúlaect a muintire acá seasaím tíre i ndeireao éian. Ní fólaím oúim amaó anseo ar seasaím a beic agaimn san feanúlaect seo—feanúlaect a beic coacte ar spuro na náisiúntacta.

the playing fields and the policies of the Councils from year to year. These are all necessary and interesting records ; but, unfortunately, they almost entirely ignore the vital mainspring of the games and the significance of their survival.

This is a defect in propaganda, since obscurity of the paramount motive tends to rob the games of their distinctive, nationalising character and mission. It also partly excuses those within the ranks who see in our arenas only the same opportunities for activity and victory that are presented in other atmospheres and environments.

While the success which the Association has enjoyed during the past quarter century in the expansion of its competitions and growth in its membership may rightly be emphasised, the spirit that impelled that progress must be accentuated and stressed. The spirit animating the games must never be lost sight of no matter what change may come about in the whirligig of time.

The G.A.A. was founded not merely to promote and develop physical fitness, to proclaim champions, or to assemble vast gatherings of onlookers. These are the means by which the Association strives to reach their all-important end, which is the organisation of native pastimes and the promotion of athletic fitness as disciplined factors in the restoration of the historic Gaelic state and institutions.

When the over-ruling aim is remembered and respected the standard of the contests will respond to the higher impulses in action and "Rules" become merely accepted sign posts and guide lines on the way to the supreme goal ; a nation exulting in the possession of unrivalled pastimes enriched by splendid traditions of chivalry and culture.

Beyond that goal will surely arise an Ireland Gaelic and free. The exhilaration and rewards of a thrilling Eire series of contests will in no wise be diminished, but rather enhanced, when participants feel they have contributed to the strength and spirit of the nation and when they resolve never to permit discredit to be cast upon the arena of such national service. *Manhood has always been the greatest ultimate reliance of a people.* In the world of the future this living asset must be more valued than ever ; but it will be manhood imbued with a profound sense and spirit of nationality.

Mícheál Cíosóg : Muiris Ó Dáimín An τΑΡΟ-ΕΑΣΡΑΣ ΚΡΟC

Mí Damíró sé o'fhasas an tsaoláin a veim a lán fael faoishear vótráctasé a raib baint acu le bunú Cumann Lúctéas fael má fágtar as Mícheál Cíosóg, as Muiris Ó Dáimín, agus as an Anó-εασpas ve Κρόc ponhón na creitúna atá tuilce ve bann an Cumann náisiúnta seo a beic an bun, agus le bann na vótréice samúna atá ann. Bí a buntréic féin ar leic as baint le fae vuine acu agus eus fae vuine acu voo fhuaiseacé é sin sa vóig sun veim cuspóin ceannasac, náisiúnta o'siúmeanna agus ve veanacó an tñin le éite.

Mícheál Cíosóg : Is amlaó a éonactas vó síú go mbead an cumann ann mar éosc lávoin ar tioncár na n'fael, agus ar a b'péacaint-amaó ar an saol, a vut i b'péim ar an tñin seo. Níon féitl sé onlac, ad é ma laoc cosanta ar fae ceann o'ár sean-nósanna agus o'ár sean-ponais faelacá, agus ar fae cuo o'ár seatóeas cultúrcá, agus múntaig sé Cumann Lúctéas fael mar a bead ma ann i gcóin na náisiúiní faelacá a bí le ceacé. Rugaó é sa Ceactúin, an Domeann, Co. an Cláir, 20 Meán Fómhair, 1847, agus fuair sé bás 27 Samhain, 1906.

Muiris Ó Dáimín : Bí an bróo céanna air síú as na nósanna vótréacá sin a coeais an fearúlac sna vaoiné. Sé a bí as véanah vuanca vó ná scuaim na lúctéasalócra vótréas a éasimú, a fhuam a éosaint agus i a cabairt blán ón scúo náineacó ma raib sí curca as vorem áinice isacáca sa tñin seo. Vo baint sé le ceacéac a raib ann na lúctéasalócra ontu, agus, ní nac ionacó, cum an toise óo f'pang-áin. Da veacair a fáru o'fear a fáit eun veic ma éasim ar éini-amaó ma naasáid. Mar feall ar an ní sin, agus mar feall ar a f'pasas féin ar an b'páice, is févoin, fan éasóim a véanah an don vuine, "Acáin Lúctéas fael an Lae Innu" a fannm ve Muiris Ó Dáimín. Rugaó é i gCarráig na Síúine, Co. Tipperary Ánann 29 Meicéam, 1842, agus vo fuair sé bás 26 Eanáir, 1927.

An Vóctúin Κρόc : Nuair a coitig sé seo eun veic ma éasó éantah ar an gCumann eus sé vó an tñíú bunábar vótréacá mar. Toise sunb é Anóεασpas Cáisit é ba nicéabacacá i a

MICHAEL CUSACK : MAURICE DAVIN ARCHBISHOP CROKE

It is no injustice to the services rendered by many zealous and constructive Gaels connected with the establishment of the Gaelic Athletic Association to accord to Michael Cusack, Maurice Davin and Archbishop Croke the greater share of credit for the creation and character of this national organisation. Each in his own person embodied and imparted to the movement a distinct principle and the triple union of aims and impulses thus attained constituted a potent national ideal.

MICHAEL CUSACK conceived in the Association a powerful bulwark against the inroads of alien influences and ideas of existence. He was the uncompromising champion of all distinctive Gaelic traditions, institutions and cultural possessions and fashioned the G.A.A. as a future army of resurgent Gaeldom. He was born in Carron, Burren, Co. Clare, on the 20th September, 1847, and died November 27th, 1906

MAURICE DAVIN had the same pride in native customs that fostered manliness. His concern was to preserve the dignity and vindicate the prestige of native athleticism and rescue it from humiliating proscriptions imposed by an exotic coterie here. As one of an outstanding family of athletes, he resented these, and no one was better fitted to lead the revolt against them. For this and because of his personal prowess in the arena, Maurice Davin may justly be acknowledged as the "Father of Modern Irish Athletics". He was born in Carrick-on-Suir, Co Tipperary, 29th June, 1842 and died on 26th January, 1927.

DR. CROKE brought a third and immeasurably powerful element of strength into the Association when he became its first Patron. As Archbishop of Cashel, his approval was of the utmost importance. Is was opportunely forthcoming, and until the day of his death his interest

coimisce. Táinig a cadair an uair na haicimí, agus go raí
lá a bás ní deácais leasó dá leasó an an spéis a éir sé i
nádúlaic agus i noul-an-agaíó an Cumann. Nuair ba baol
scoilt a teacé ann tug sé luic an imris éin réicis; nuair
a hionsaíó é, deim sé a dosaint; nuair a bí cadair uair
éug sé ró í. Da feal leis an Doctúir Cnóc na lú-
cleasa feanúla uile a bain leis na raime, mar tug sé an
e-anomairceas don véasúlaic a tiocpaó as an réir agus an
smacé; agus toisc gunó fear é a tóg a gúc an son saoirse
an náisiúin, donaccas ró go mbeaó te fáil sna buíonca
seo a bí can éis iao féin a éin faoi smacé mar sin, cumacé
áááferóimúil éin an cuspóir úo a bain amac, go raicéas te
cianta as tnué leis. Rugaó é i Malta, Co. Concal, 19 Deat-
taine 1824, agus fuair sé bás 22 iúil, 1902.

Fao a thaireann Cumann lúcleas Gael, agus fao a veio
an lúcleasa féin faoi nac, ní mór cuimne agus vea-obair
an tnué móir seo, an Dunaiceoir, an tUaicearán agus
an tCarlaic, i gcúis na hÉireann Saoire Gaelaí a coiméao
faoi onóir agus faoi ghráam.

in the well-being and success of the G.A.A. never dim-
inished. When it was threatened with disruption he brought
the dissident parties together; when it was assailed he
defended it; when it was in need of practical help, he
gave it. A lover of all manly outdoor sports belonging
to the people, Dr. Croke realised the immense moral benefits
to be gained by organisation and discipline and as an
advocate of national independence, he saw in those self-
disciplined ranks an invaluable force for the attainment of
that long-sought goal. He was born in Mallow, Co. Cork,
on May 19th, 1824, and died on July 22nd, 1902.

So long as the Gaelic Athletic Association exists and
so long as our distinctive pastimes flourish in our midst
the memory and services of those three men: pioneer,
president and patron: to the cause of a Free and Gaelic
Ireland must be held in grateful respect.

LITIR AN DR. CRÓC

Do fhéiceáid an litir seo éios ón Dr. RO-DOMH. T. W. CRÓC,
AR-DASPAG CÁISIL AGUS IMRÍGH AN OICÁID AN CUMAINN A BEIC
Á BUNU.

AN PÁLÁS,
DÚNTAS ÉITE,

AN SAO DE MÍ NA NODLAG, 1884.

A Dúine Uasail, a éana,

Táim anseo ag comáit go bhfuil mé do litir ina ucgann
cú cumeadó dom beic i mo dúine de éantainh Cumann Lúctéas
Sael, cumainn sun cú féin, mar a feictear dom. a Rúnal Oimgh.
Cumeann sé ácas croí orm glacadó te do cumeadó.

Lig dom a deimhniú duit sunb é is cúis te ceann de na
smaointe is mó éasann mé, agus is minic a deimeann greim
ar m'áirne nuair a ihsáinim, mar naé potáin dom a deanadh,
toisc sun Sael mé, ar an gcon acá ar an saot sa tín seo i
lácair na huairne, ná an ní gáanna scóitacá do, go bhfuilimíone
ag glacadó eugainn istecá ó Sasana gac lá i nriaró a éite,
ní amáin a curó deánthas, beant naé bhuit teigeas agáinn
unici, óe nuó é go bhuit ár gcuio gléasanna uúcais féin
deancúisíocáa sciosta aici beagnac, ac fós a curó faiseán,
a curó gócal cance, a curó uiocthíocáa, a curó ceoil, a
curó minic, a curó nósanna ina n-ionaoitacá, a curó cluicíocáa
agus caiteadh aimsine, agus go tuisimí faoi oimeas, ár gcuio
lúctéas breáta náisiúnta féin, ní acá ina cúis náime agus
ceann-faon, cneriom, do gac fionnac agus iníon de shíocé
na seanbhuinte.

Liafóidó-láime, iomáint, peit de nair matáca na nSael,
caiteadh na cloide gualann, léim in éagsúitacá stice, iomras-
cáil, consíocé, caisealíocé, léim de óruim a éite, cluicé
másguáino, cluicé an hacá, agus a teicérol sin uite de
lúctéasa agus caiteadh-aimíne a tús barr taicnín o'fir
agus do buacáitli, naé amáin sun féin a ná ina ucaó anois
go bhuit siao manb, curca, ac, naé bhuit cuimne ná eotas
ortu ina lán ceantar. Agus cao tá agáinn ina n-ionao?

Dr. Croke's Letter

At the founding of the Association the follow-
ing letter was received from the Most Rev.
T. W. Croke Archbishop of Cashel and Emlý :-

"THE PALACE, THURLES,
December 18th, 1884.

"MY DEAR SIR—I beg to acknowledge the receipt of
your communication inviting me to become a patron of the
Gaelic Athletic Association, of which you are, it appears,
the Hon. Secretary. I accede to your request with the
utmost pleasure.

"One of the most painful, let me assure you, and, at
the same time, one of the most frequently recurring,
reflections that, as an Irishman, I am compelled to make
in connection with the present aspect of things in this
country, is derived from the ugly and irritating fact, that
we are daily importing from England, not only her manu-
factured goods, which we cannot help doing, since she
has practically strangled our own manufacturing appliances,
but, together with her fashions, her accents, her vicious
literature, her music, her dances, and her manifold man-
nerisms, her games also, and her pastimes, to the utter
discredit of our own grand national sports, and to the sore
humiliation, as I believe, of every genuine son and daughter
of the old land.

"Ball-playing, hurling, football-kicking, according to
Irish rules, 'casting', leaping in various ways, wrestling,
handy-grips, top-pegging, leap-frog, rounders, tip-in-the hat,
and all such favourite exercises and amusements amongst
men and boys may now be said to be not only dead and
buried, but in several localities to be entirely forgotten
and unknown. And what have we got in their stead? We
have got such foreign and fantastic field sports as lawn

Tá cluicéí Tairroa, aisteacla agaim; leabóg, pótó, crocé, cricce, agus a leicéirí; cluicéí breáca, sláintúla iad ma síl féin, ac náic ró-míac a freaigraíonn vo búcas ár gme-ne. A málairc is fíor; is ailtair acá síad comhéioe uon búcas sin, úineac mar is comhéioe uó na fír agus na mná a céao-cús isteac na cluicéí sin agus a leanann amam á gcoáú.

Agus mar bann ar an mí-áó, ní hiao ár gcluicéí náisiúnta amáin acá raio úrochéas agus ag uol ar ceal, ac níú na gcomórad náisiúnta ba mó meabrafócc uúinn, cá síad á gcur ar gcú, agus uá liginc i noeamad, ceann i noiaró a céile. Cé anois a éioiseann trácc ar ánapad na n-úll. Oíche Sárma, ar oíche na bpancós, ar oíche na uince enám? Sean-nósanna caite ísea iad sin, iad rócomónca cún beic ma n-ábar caite, ac mar éúnsal maíaró amáin, is measc gairí meaca na hamsire seo. Fan don ahras, is caiteamhaic leis an tsúil an feisteas a bíonn ar fean óg an lae inniu. Síú ag tarraingc ar faice na leabóige é, é raoina cúlait éarom, raoina éapín vaite, a leabóg raoina ascaill aige, é na sonar nó te compánac. Ac maíoir tiomsa ve, b'feann tiom go mór beic ag féacaint ar, nó beic ag smaíomeam, ar na gaiscig óga a u'feicinn te linn an sonar agus an pacnúin agus mé i mo gansún. Caicéiois uaca a mbroga agus a gcoáí agus bíois i niocc ansin cún liaicéio Láime a imirc, cún léim tar an oimeao seo capall, cún an t-oro nó an "éioe éasair" a caiteam, agus raíamc agus píntas a céile a féacaint te cleas deacair na "uol léim" nó leis an "gcosabacóio, coiscéim agus léim".

Is uéinn, má leanaimo oraim ar ágaró go ceann an scóin blian seo roimáin ba tseo déanna ina úpúimio ag tritil te camall anuas, sinn ag caiteam úrochéas ar cluicéí ár sinsear, sinn ag liginc ár ucréite náisiúnta ar ceal, amáil is go mba éúis náire uúinn iad, agus sinn ag gíacac éúgaimn féin, i oceannca a curo eannal agus a curo éavai, a curo nósanna gaiscíoéca agus a leicéirí eile ve na béasa meaca a caiteam sí éúgaim, deao sé éúm maic agaim líáineac bonn, agus os comair an tsaoil, ár náisiúntac a séanac uol ag rince te hácas nuair a faigimio raóaric ar an Union Jack agus "Deang fuitceac Ságará" a cún ar foúam go buac in áirde os cionn an Úraic Uaine.

Da áicis go veo tiom é uá uiceacó a leicéio síú ve ruo

tennis, polo, croquet, cricket, and the like—very excellent, I believe, and health-giving exercises in their way, still not racy of the soil, but rather alien, on the contrary, to it, as are indeed, for the most part, the men and women who first imported, and still continue to patronise them.

"And, unfortunately, it is not our national sports alone that are held in dishonour and are dying out, but even our most suggestive national celebrations are being gradually effaced and extinguished, one after another as well. Who hears now of snap-apple night, pan-cake night, or bon-fire night? They are all things of the past, too vulgar to be spoken of except in ridicule by the degenerate dandies of the day. No doubt, there is something rather pleasing to the eye in the get-up of a modern young man, who arrayed in light attire, with particoloured cap on and a racquet in hand, making his way, with or without a companion, to the tennis ground. But, for my part, I should vastly prefer to behold, or think of, the youthful athletes whom I used to see in my early days at fair and pattern, bereft of shoes and coat, and thus prepared to play at handball, to fly over any number of horses, to throw the 'sledge', or 'winding-stone', and to test each other's metal and activity by the trying ordeal of 'three leaps', or a 'hop, step and jump'.

"Indeed if we continue travelling for the next score years in the same direction that we have been going in for some time past, condemning the sports that were practised by our forefathers, effacing our national features as though we were ashamed of them, and putting on, with England's stuffs and broadcloths, her masher habits and such other effeminate follies as she may recommend, we had better at once, and publicly, abjure our nationality, clap hands for joy at sight of the Union Jack, and place 'England's bloody red' exultantly above the green.

"Deprecating as I do, any such dire and disgraceful consummation, and seeing in your society of athletes something altogether opposed to it, I shall be happy to

náiread amad, agus coisc gur léin dom go gcuireann an cumann seo agharta do faisicís ósa ina aghaid go cruánta, beid ádas orm mo dícheall a déanamh ar a son, agus beirim anseo tuisc an tóranás faoi mo lámh m'ainm a áireadh ar do tuic ceanmáinn.

Focal scoir: Tá súil uifograisise agam naé gcuirfidh an bpáipéirí náisiúnta feasta i scoinne pógraloicé oimúnaé a déanamh ar na lúcéleasa agus ar na cluicí Gaelaíca seo, a bfuil d'incinn ag an gcuimann seo aghat-sa iad do doicé agus do éur ar aghaid, agus naé bpágraid oíof agus mic léinn ar gColáistí Gaelaíca na nuaíof a teicéíof seo de éleacéca feanúla a bí faoi éndéc agam is an a nveanna comóraf, nuair a beid clán a gcuir lúcéleasa á leagad amad acu.

Beir Dúas agus Deannaicé,
Is Mise aghat, a dúine uasail,

✠ T. U. DE CRÓC,

Ans-Caspas Cairit.

Do :

Míceát Uas Cíofós,

Rún. Om. Cumann Lúcéleasa Gael.

do all for it that I can, and authorise you now formally to place my name on the roll of your patrons.

"In conclusion, I earnestly hope that our national journals will not disdain in future to give suitable notices of these Irish sports and pastimes which your Society means to patronise and promote, and that the masters and pupils of our Irish Colleges will not henceforth exclude from their athletic programmes such manly exercises as I have just referred to and commemorated.

"I remain, my dear Sir,

"Your very faithful servant,

✠ "T. W. CROKE,
"Archbishop of Cashel."

To Mr. MICHAEL CUSACK,
Hon. Sec. of the Gaelic Athletic Association."

LITIR AN DR. Ó FIONNĠALAIS

An Pálás,
Ountas Éite,
8 Nollais, 1902.

A Úine Uasail,

Da thair liom go gcuirpé in iúl do Cumann Lúctéas Sael go nglacaim lena n-ianntas, agus go gcuineann sé ádas mór orm beic an Úine de na hÉantail i gcomharbáic an an té oibre a éasú roimh, an Dr. Ró. Oimh. de Cróic.

Le gáí vea-ghá,
Mise agus, a Úine Uasail,
✠ TOMÁS Ó FIONNĠALAIS,
"ARO-EASPAĠ CAISIL."

Do :-

An Rúnaí, Cumann Lúctéas Sael.

ARO-EASPAĠ BAITÉ ÁDA CLIAĠ AGUS AN CUMANN

I litir éir an Dr. Ró-Oimh. Dreachnó, Aro-EaspaĠ Baité Áda CliaĠ, go uí Rúnaí an Cumann, 3 Feabhá, 1903, vudairc sé :-

"Doncaim go hionlán le do Cumann agus a éir cusóir, a n-eannadó foilsíú comh brea, soiléir sin orcu san litir a éir an aro-easpaĠ a bí an Caiséal roimne blian ó sin, go n-éana Dia gnásta anois air, go uí an Rúnaí Oimh. Deir ádas orm i gcónaí don éadair, dá bfeadaim, a éadair von Cumann éir a éir oibre a éir éir cinn."

Dr. Fennelly's Letter

THE PALACE, THURLES,
"December 8th, 1902.

"DEAR SIR—Please convey to the Gaelic Athletic Association that, in compliance with their request, I have much pleasure in becoming a Patron, in succession to my illustrious predecessor, the late Most Rev. Dr. Croke.

"With best wishes,

"My dear Sir,

"Very faithfully yours,

✠ THOMAS FENNELLY,
"Archbishop of Cashel."

The Secretary, Gaelic Athletic Association.

Archbishop of Dublin

—AND THE ASSOCIATION.

The Most Rev. Dr. WALSH, Archbishop of Dublin, writing to the Secretary of the Association on the 3rd of February, 1903, states :-

"I am most fully in sympathy with your Association and its objects, so admirably set forth in the letter addressed to the Hon. Sec. many years ago by the late Archbishop of Cashel. I shall be always glad to further the work of the Organisation by any practical help that I can give it."

A Soltse, AN CAIRDINEÁL OIRIHC MAC RUAIÖRÍ, Príomhó
Éireann Uile.

"ARA COELI,"

ARO MhACA,

4 Meicéamh, 1953

A Mhic Uasail Uí Caoimh,

Cumpró sé arádas orm beic i mo duine de na hÉantaim
an Cumann Lúctelas Sael, agus táim buíoc do Comhóit Sael
Éireann i gcraob iannairí orm beic i mo duine dá gcuid
Éantaim. Deir mé coitceanaic glacaó le viteagra ó do Cumann,
cé gur beic é mo éirteash i ndiairó viteagraí.

Beir buaó agus beannaic,

Mise asac,

✠ SEOSAM, CAIRDINEÁL MAC RUAIÖRÍ.

AN DOCTÖIR RÖ-OIRIHINEAC UA HARTAIÖ, ARO-EASPAÖ
Caisil agus Imriö.

AN PALAS,

Dúntas Éite,

4 Deatcaine, 1928.

A Mhic Uasail Uí Tuacail, a éana,

Is ró-ácas liom glacaó leis an gcuiread a tug Comhóit
Óiantúit Cumann Lúctelas Sael dom a beic i mo duine de
Éantaim an Cumann. Ós suv é go gceiríom go láiríu gur
ní-íolláin an éirteac acá as Cumann Lúctelas Sael an saol
án muintire, is an-móir ó'onóir liom é beic i mo duine de
na hÉantaim. Isé mo gúí naé oicóípaíó don lagú an dúctraic
an Cumann, ac go teanpaíó sé i mbuá na sánoibne acá an siúl
aige an son cuspóiní Saelaca agus nósanna fearúla na hSael.

Beir bua agus beannaic,

Mise asac,

✠ S. M. UA HARTAIÖ.

HIS EMINENCE CARDINAL McRORY, Primate of
All Ireland.

ARA COELI,

ARMAGH,

June 4th, 1930.

DEAR MR. O'KEEFFE,

I shall be most happy to become a Patron of the
G.A.A., and I am grateful to the Annual Convention of the
Gael of Ireland for asking me to become one of their
patrons. I shall be willing to receive an address from
your Association, though I have no great love for addresses.

I remain

Yours faithfully,

✠ JOSEPH CARDINAL McRORY.

HIS GRACE MOST REV. DR. HARTY, Archbishop of
Cashel and Emly.

THE PALACE,

THURLES, 4th May, 1928

MY DEAR MR. O'TOOLE,

With special pleasure I accept the invitation of the
Annual Congress of the G.A.A. to become a patron of the
Association. Believing that the G.A.A. has an exceedingly
healthy influence on Irish life, I deem it a great honour
to be a Patron. I hope that the Association will continue
its splendid work for Irish ideals and manly Irish customs.

Yours very faithfully,

✠ J. M. HARTY.

ONÉACÉ AS ORÁID A ÉUG

AN DR. OIRIÚ. MAC RUADHÚ

EASPAZ DÚIN AGUS COINNIGE

DO SHAIL BÉAL FEINSTE AN ORÁID LEACÉ AN "CLUICÍ AGUS CAITEAMH AIMSINE NA nSHAIL" A BEIC AN n-A CABAIR AG P. S. BUISSEAN, UAS., M.R.I.A., I HALLA NAOIMH MUINE, BÉAL FEINSTE, 13 MÁRCA, 1916.

DO cumeadó fáilte mhór roimh a Tiarinnacé agus uínté sé go raib árdeas air a teicéirí de éruinniu breá a feiceáit ann. Dá áras air coisc gur tugadó a teicéirí sin u'ónóm uo'n léacéóin, agus coisc a oimeao sin u'ogruaise a beic ann faoi an gcúis gur mar maite léi a bíodar tar éis teacé te céile, cúis breá an sean-cluicí sháclaáa trína b'réasraimís an ngrá uár uár uúcais a caispeánt.

" Táimiu faoi éomaoim mhóin ag na cluicí seo " arsa sé " mar dá mhór an cabair iao ins na seanlaecánta éin lúe agus neart zéas a cótú inár sinisir. (Dustaoó vos). Da éant uóimn, te gurá u'ár uéin, na cluicí seo a glacadó cugaimn agus a áacórnú oá b'ái sin. (Dustaoó vos). Sa tsúí céanna mar noctáioó meon náisiúnta na nboimne trío an teangá, uo noctáioó a uenéite coimp trí na cluicí náisiúnta, (dustaoó vos) agus má cá aon bun in aon éor i oceoinic an uúcais, is léin guró iao na cluicí is oimónái éin lúe agus neart zéasa cótú in aos ós na héimeann san lá imniu ná na cluicí a o'imnín an sinisir. (Dustaoó vos). Tuigim go b'fuil sé an éuann uo éus-póiní an éruinnie seo an iomáint a éin éin éin uo i o'uaisceacé na héimeann. Creioim go raib an iomáint mar cluicé ag an gCneadó Ruaid agus gur imnín Cú Cúlamn féin i (dustaoó vos). Da himic mé á céspadó, agus ceaspaim fós é, nac b'fuil sánu na hiománá ann mar cluicé. Is maicéanac ag an b'pean an maicé leig beic ina iománái maic lúe agus aclaioct an peiteaóóra, súit zéan fir imeánta an éruicéir, solúbacé lámh fir na teasóige. Do éuata mé uime acá oite go maic an lúecléasa á ná nac b'fuil sánu na hiománá ann éin an aclaioct, an lúe, agus an teacé-amaic acá i nouime, uo theas."

Extract from an Address by

The Most Rev. Dr. MacRory,

Bishop of Down and Connor,

to the Gaels of Belfast, on the occasion of a Lecture on Games and Pastimes by Mr. F. J. Biggar, M.R.I.A., delivered in St. Mary's Hall, Belfast, on 13th March, 1916.

His Lordship, who was received with loud applause said he was exceedingly glad to see such a splendid gathering. He was glad for the sake of the lecturer and for the sake of the cause in the interests of which they were met—the grand and patriotic cause of our old Gaelic games. These games had a splendid claim upon us, for in the days of long ago they played a very important part in the building up of the muscle and sinew and bone of our forefathers. (Applause). We ought, therefore, to cherish and foster these games for patriotic reasons. (Applause). Just as the national language gave expression to the national feelings, so, too, the national games were a manifestation of the physical capabilities of the people—and if there was anything in the doctrine of heredity, it was evident that the games best suited for the development of the bone and muscle of the Irish youth of the present day were the games which our forefathers played. (Applause). He understood one of the objects of that gathering was to give a push forward to the game of hurling in the north of Ireland. It was one of our o'olest and greatest games. He believed it was played by the Red Branch Knights, and even by the great Cuculain. (Applause). Many a time he (his Lordship) had thought, and he believed still, that there was no finer game than hurling. It demanded the speed and skill of the footballer, the keen eye of the cricketer, and the sinuous wrists of the tennis player in order to be a good hurler. (Applause). He had heard an experienced authority on athletics say that there was no better test of skill, speed, and endurance than the game of hurling.

Do lean a Trianact den óndú agus dúnt gur meas sé nac raib sé ac ag cómhlónaó a duatgais nuair a táinig sé go ucí an cruinnú v'ponn iarract a déanam ar na fir óga a ghríosaó éun an cluie sin a cleactaó a éun níméaó agus ácas ar a sinsir, a cótaig féic agus sláince iontu, agus a éus spórt agus doibneas isteaó ma ucite. "Creirim go láidir" arsa sé "nac é teas na héineann é go noéan-ruimise beartmaó v'ár ocaingá vúcais, v'ár seancluíc agus ve na rúin ársa a bí a scríite ar sinsear."

LITIR AN DR. Ó CUINNEÁIN

An Párlás,
Dúrlas Éite,
4 Eanáir, 1947.

A Mhú Uí Caoimh, a Cara,

Táim buíoc v'íoc féin agus vo baill eite Anó-Cómhaité Cumann Lúctéas Gael as ucé bun gcuiread vóm éun deic i m'Éantam ar bun gCumann.

Is óndú liom an cuiread seo, agus is ácas liom glacaó leis, ní ahlám ve bann mo mhóndúime i gcluíc Gaelaó ac, go sonnac, ve bann an ceangail fáda óúic acá ion Cumann Lúctéas Gael agus Sui Anó-Caspagáca Cáisit is Imúig.

Is móin acá véanta ag Cumann Lúctéas Gael, i gcaiteam an conraíoc is seasca bliain dá réim, ar son óspear na héineann, ní ahlám ní caiteam aimsine sláincúil a éun ar fáil v'íoc ac, táinis sin, cáina noéanam feadúil píunneac agus ní gná a coéú iontu vón uile ní is fearn agus is uaisle v'á bfuil i vciódnacal agus i nóshaireact ar héineann vúcais. Ní beag mar a éabraig éantamact mo réam-heatúiní oimce leis an gCumann, san am acá caice; tá súil agam go leanfaó liomsa an vea-coraó céanna, ve cíonn na heantamacta sin a gádam le hairve m'óirige.

✠ DIARMAID Ó CUINNEÁIN,

AG Ghríoc Gac beannaó vuit,
Mhúe, bun gcara óúis,
Anó-Caspag Cáisit is Imúig.

Páonaig Uasal Ó Caoimh,
Anó-Rúnaí, C.I.S.

His Lordship further said that in coming there he considered he was merely doing his duty in trying to stimulate the young men in supporting the game which delighted the hearts and built up the frames, and cheered the homes of their forefathers. He believed in his heart that it was for the welfare of Ireland that we should not lose touch of our ancient language, our ancient games, and the ancient aspirations of our forefathers.

Dr. Kinane's Letter

THE PALACE,
THURLES,
4th January, 1947.

MY DEAR MR. O'KEEFFE,

I am grateful to you and the other members of the Central Council of the Gaelic Athletic Association for the invitation to become a Patron of your Association.

I feel honoured by this invitation, and I accept it with pleasure, not only on account of my own deep interest in Gaelic games, but particularly because of the long and intimate connexion between the Gaelic Athletic Association and the Archbishopric of Cashel and Emlý.

The Gaelic Athletic Association, during the sixty odd years of its existence, has done a great deal for the young men of Ireland, not merely in providing them with a healthy form of amusement, but also in making them manly and upright and in fostering in them a love for all that is best and noblest in the traditions and customs of our native Ireland. The patronage of my illustrious predecessors has helped the Association in its work not a little, in the past; I hope that mine, through the patronage attached to my high office, may prove similarly fruitful.

Wishing you every blessing,

I remain,

Yours very sincerely,

✠ JEREMIAH KINANE,
Archbishop of Cashel and Emlý.

MR. PATRICK O'KEEFFE,
General Secretary, G.A.A.

LITIR AN DR. Ó MUIRIS

Teac an Aro-Caspaig,
Dúntas Éite,
Co. Tiobraid Árann,
7 Aibreán 1960.

Pádraig Ó Caoimh, Uasal,
Rúnaí, Aro-Comhairle,
Cumann Lúctéas Gael,
A Mhí Uí Caoimh, a cara,

Táim fion-buíoc do Aro-Comhairle Cumann Lúctéas Gael as ucht cuimead u'fáil uachtu deit im Eantam an an gCumann.

Da éirionna maíse dom é, lorg na nAro-Caspaig a éuaig roimham a teanúint comh fada is acá san ar mo cumas-sa. Fannis sin, is eol dom a bfuil véanta as an gCumann éin uéas na hÉireann a éaomnú agus a foibaint. Ní bíonn cine ná muintir ann gan a oibreáct féin, agus mura n-aithnímid, muintir na hÉireann, cé'n vlob sinn, beimid gan tneoin. Duine bnoúit as a dúile féin nó a pánáiste féin, ná iongúta é, is oibre a teicéio sin ar na glúnta a seas an pó mar Éireannaig, muraib ionann agus an té a bíonn as tñúct le nua gáca nós ón gcoighiúct agus a glacann le caiteamh aimáire a cuirtear ar fáil faoi mar a cuirpí cángi monarcán ar mangal an voimham. Da abar imní do tuct bunácte ar Cumáinn an cút le uéas a cánta tensa linn féin, 'an ní gáánpa seóitacé uo', mar adúint An Dr. Sar-Oimh. de Croc. Tá sé le máloim as an gCumann gur múscait sé misneac agus meánna Gael in am an éaúócáis, agus go raib toraó fónta ar a saócar ó som i teit.

Dá bhí sin, glacaim go fonnham le cuimead na nAro-Comhairle, agus guim naé agus beannáct an obair an Cumáinn.

Mó beannáct ort féin agus ar bairt na nAro-Comhairle,

Mise,

✕ TOMÁS Ó MUIRIS,
Aro-Caspaig Cáisil agus Imtúg.

Dr. Morris's Letter

(His Grace expressed the wish that the Irish text of his letter be used in any official publication, as the whole correspondence was in Irish. An English translation of same is given hereunder for the benefit of those not conversant with Irish.)

ARCHBISHOP'S HOUSE,
THURLES,
7th April, 1960.

I am very grateful to the Central Council of the Gaelic Athletic Association for the invitation to become Patron of the Association.

To follow the example of my predecessors in so far as I am capable of doing so is something which I deem wise in any case. In addition to this consideration, I am aware of what the Association has done to foster and develop our native culture. As each race and nation has a cultural inheritance of its own, recognition of our own background is necessary for us, the Irish people. For the preservation of the tradition of those who have stood fast by our national identity, we must look to one who has respect for his ancestors and neighbours and pride in his native district or parish, however remote, rather than to one whose eagerness for the latest from abroad makes him simply a consumer of entertainment manufactured for a world market. The founders of the Gaelic Athletic Association were disturbed by the abandonment of native culture in their day, an 'ugly and irritating fact' referred to by Most Rev. Dr. Croke. The Association may claim to have aroused national spirit and courage in a time of discouragement and to have continued this wholesome influence ever since.

I have pleasure therefore in accepting the invitation of the Central Council to become Patron of the Association, and I wish the work of the Association every success and blessing.

With every blessing to yourself and the members of the Central Council,

✕ THOMAS MORRIS,
Archbishop of Cashel and Emly.

RIALÁCA

SINEARÁLTA

1. "Cumann Lúécleas Gael" is ainm don Cumann. Is é is aonm agus cuspóir uó, Lúécleasaíocht agus caiteadh aimsime Náisiúnta na hÉireann a éadóinú agus a cur ar aghaid.

2. Is iad na cluicé agus an caiteadh aimsime a ndéanfar an Cumann reaccú faoina gcomhair agus forbairt orcu ná Iomáint, Peit, Liathróid Láimhe, an Cluicé Conn agus pé cluicé nó caiteadh aimsime eile a éadópar agus a n-aontópar leo ag an gComhóil Ullantúit.

3. Ní foláin Dunreacht agus Rialáca an Cumainn a éadóinú i nGaeilge agus i mBéarla.

Tiocfaid Rialáca nua agus Rialáca leasaite i bfeirm laistigh de mhí ó dáta na Comhóla. Ní foláin iad uó tuomchur éin Rúnaithe na gContae laistigh den tréimhse sin, lena n-iomóid ar na Clubanna.

4. Mar seo leanas a beas com eagraíocht an Cumainn :

- (1) Clubanna.
- (2) Coistí Contae.
- (3) Comhantaeáca Cúige.
- (4) Aon-Comhante.
- (5) Comhóil Ullantúit.

5. Ní foláin don Cumann a beid neamh-polaitiúil, neamh-aismeac. Ní ceadaíte ceisteanna polaitiúla a darrainst anuas ná a cur faoi díospóireacht ag a curó éirínníe.

Ní ceadaíte uó Comhante, uó Coiste nó uó Club, go samúil, páirt a ghlacá in aon ghuaiseac polaitiúil. Féadpar aon comúit éioib sin, nó aon comatca éioib a éanglós a gcomatcas cumainn go pobli le naon ghuaiseac polaitiúil, a cur faoi fionraí an fead sé mhí. Ní cumpar an fionraí sin i bfeirm má éanann an eagraíocht nó an comatca a éioncós a mbeant, go foimúil, laistigh de 14 lá tar éis

RULES

GENERAL

1. The name of the Association shall be "THE GAELIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION".

Its aims and objects shall be the preservation and promotion of Ireland's National Games and Pastimes.

2. Hurling, Football, Handball, Rounders and such other games and pastimes as may be sanctioned and approved of by the Annual Congress, are the games and pastimes which the Association shall legislate for and promote.

3. The Constitution and Rules of the Association shall be printed both in Irish and in English.

New and amended rules shall become operative within one month from date of Congress. They shall be circulated to County Secretaries within the period mentioned, for distribution to Clubs.

4. The organisation of the Association shall be on the following basis:

- (1) Clubs
- (2) County Committees
- (3) Provincial Councils
- (4) Central Council
- (5) Annual Congress.

5. The Association shall be non-political and non-sectarian. Political questions shall neither be raised nor discussed at its meetings.

A Council, Committee or Club, shall not take part, as such, in any political movement. Any such body or representative of it, publicly identified, as such, with any political movement shall be liable to suspension for six (6) months. Such suspension shall not be enforced if the offending body, or representative, formally repudiates the connection

an dáca ina scabharpan an toróú dóibís ó Choiste nó ó Comhainle den Cumann.

6. Ní foláir páipéar faoi údhar-mharc Éireannac a úsáio le na gairí gac cáipéis agus comhfreagras oifigiúil, ac eis-ceact i gcás Clúdais Cláraithe Oifigiúil ó Oifig an Poist. Cairtíó simiú an tseoltóra agus ainm agus seolaó an tseolta a beic i nGaeilge an gac cáipéis agus comhfreagras oifigiúil. Ní foláir seic-teadair oifigiúla agus seiceanna oo óioi cáili a beic clóduaithe agus simite i nGaeilge. Riadóran as óro aon cáipéisí nó comhfreagras nó seiceanna nac gcomhionparí na porláca tuas luaithe.

In aon cas nac scriobpar liostaí na n-imreoirí an páipéar faoi údhar-mharc Éireannac, leagpar fineáil éince oo £1 i gcás Craob-Cluicí Contae, £3 i gcás Craob-Cluicí Iom-Contae agus Sraic-Cluicí, agus £'J i gcás Craob-Cluicí Iom-Cúigí agus Cluicí Ceannais na hÉireann. Damfear an fineáil as na costais agus focpar i te poirinn an freasúra. Is uaitgas an an uile Rúnái é gac sárú an an Riail seo a cur in iúl.

7. Ní foláir gac curathír agus treatair a beic oo déancús na hÉireann. Fineáil éince £5 an sárú na rialac seo.

8. Ní foláir ooinna Éireannac, má bionn fáil air, a úsáio i nGac obair a déantar faoi connac, agus an obair sin a déanair oo réir coinníollaca ceanoicumann nó oo réir páscálaí cairgoánaca an déantair.

9. Molcar an Úrac Náisiúnta a cur an foláim as gac cluice.

10. Ní foláir gac comhfreagras go oei an óro Comhainle agus Comhainlí na gCúigí, a bameann te gnócaí Contaeaca agus Club, a ceact trí Rúnái an Choiste Contae, nó, más as léam uósan, trí an Leas-Rúnái (a éogpar as an gComhionól Contae rouhe sin); mar an gcéanna, cairtíó gac comhfreagras oifigiúil ó Club go oei Choiste Contae nó Coiste Ceantair a ceact trí Rúnái an Club.

CLUBAINNA

11. Deio gac Club cleathnaithe i oitebeal cóip oen Treonái Oifigiúil a fáil. Tuigfear go mbeio iomlán eolais

within 14 days, starting from the date on which the direction has been given by the Council or Committee of the Association.

6. *Irish water-marked paper* shall be used for all official documents and correspondence, but exception is made in the case of an official Post-Office Registered Envelope. All official documents and correspondence must bear the signature of the sender and name and address of addressee in Irish. Official cheque books and cheques in payment of fees shall be printed and signed in Irish. Documents, correspondence and cheques not complying with the provisions enumerated shall be ruled out of order.

The penalties for lists of players not being written on Irish water-marked paper shall be fines of £1 for County Championship matches, £3 for Inter-county Championship and League matches, and £10 for Inter-provincial and All-Ireland Championships; the fine to be deducted from the expenses, and paid to the opposing side. It shall be compulsory on all Secretaries to report breaches of this Rule.

7. All trophies and equipment shall be of Irish manufacture. Penalty for non-observance: £5.

8. All Contract Work shall be carried out with Irish material, where available, and under Trades Union conditions, or at standard district rates.

9. It is recommended that the National Flag should be displayed at all matches.

10. All official correspondence to the Central and Provincial Councils, in connection with County and Club matters, must come through the Secretary of the County Committee, or, if absent, the Assistant Secretary (who was elected at previous County Convention); likewise, all official club correspondence to County Committees or Divisional Committees must come through Club Secretary.

CLUBS

11. Every affiliated Club shall be entitled to a copy of the Official Guide. Every affiliated Club and every

an Riataca agus an Ombuide an Cumann in An Treonai Oifigiúil ag Sacl Club cleamhnaite agus ag Sacl ball ve Sacl Club cleamhnaite agus go mbeid siad faoi réir acu.

Deir Sacl Club fneaghaic as iompar a gcomhatcaí agus a tuic leanúna aicmú.

12. Leanfaid éine fionraí nó vibearca aon mh-iompar a meastar a cannaingeod vrod-eáit an an gCumann.

Deir ve ceart ag Coistí Contae agus ag Comaití is aicmú údarás ná iad, sui i mbreicúnas agus breic a eadaint an an uite eás dá sóra.

Ní éirfean éine i bpreim san pógra 5 lú, an an gcús a éirceat in a leic, a beic tugca von eomhatca a meastar a éiontaic agus san caoi tabarca vó eósaic féin a eadaint vó.

Má fionraí an éine, ní foláin éineise náic tú ná 6 mhí vo gheannaic i ngac eás. Dainpú an maic seo le Sacl Pomeann, Club, Coiste Contae agus Comaité Cúige, eom maic agus a dampeac le Sacl ball aonair ven Cumann.

13. Ní ceadaicé ainn aon vaine beo, nó ainn aon eagrafoicé polaitiúil nó leac-polaitiúil acá ainn, a éin an Club.

Ní foláin Sacl-ainm Saetge a beic an Sacl Club náic éleamhaic noim Comódaic na bliana 1953, agus an ainn sin úsáic i ngac comfneaghaic agus an Sacl eáipéis oifigiúil, nó neacac an beic siad as ono.

14. Ní foláin 15 comhatca imearca, an a leáic, a beic ag Club lomána nó Peile sar a mbeid sé inglacca i gcomhatca leic an gCumann. Sar a mbeid ceao ag Club a beic páirceac i gcomhatcaic ní foláin eáille comhatcaic bliana ve 12/- a loc leic an gCoiste Contae, nó leic an gComaité Cúige muna bfuil Coiste Contae ainn von Contae. (Nóca—féac Riail 75).

15. Ní foláin vo Sacl Club a bpreimeannhaic, a n-imreoir, agus a sain-bacanna a eáinú i nSaetge, in eáir na bliana, leic an gClánaicéom Contae. Ní ceadaicé bacanna ionannaic a beic ag vó Club sa Contae ééanna. Deir tús-éitú an sain-comhatcaic ag an gClub is faive a noacanna eánaicé acu. Raicáir fineáit £1 an Club a imhionn san sain-bacanna in eágmhaic ceao oifigiúil.

Pomeann a gcrúcaicéar iad a éur imreoir neam-eánaicé

member of every affiliated Club shall be deemed to have full knowledge of the Rules and regulations in the "Official Guide" and shall be bound by them.

Every Club shall be answerable for the conduct of its members and known partisans.

12. Conduct calculated to bring the Association into disrepute shall be punishable with suspension or expulsion. County Committees and higher Council shall have the right to sit in judgement on and decide all cases of conduct. A penalty shall not be imposed until the member alleged to have offended shall have received five days' notice of alleged offences and shall have been given the opportunity of being heard in his own defence. In case of suspension, the period imposed shall in no instance be less than six months. This rule shall apply to all teams, Clubs, County Committees and Provincial Councils, as well as to all individual members of the Association.

13. A Club shall not be named after a living person or after any existing political or semi-political organisation. Any Club not affiliated before Congress, 1953, must bear an Irish name in the Irish language, which must be used in all correspondence and official documents; otherwise these documents shall be out of order.

14. A Hurling or Football Club must have at least fifteen playing members before it can be affiliated to the Association. Before a Club may take part in any competition, an affiliation fee of 12s. shall be paid for the year to the County Committee or to the Provincial Council if there is no County Committee for the County. (Note—See Rule 75).

15. Each Club shall register annually in the Irish Language with the County Registrar its officials, players, and distinctive Club colours. No two Clubs in the same County shall have identical colours. The Club whose colours have been longest registered shall have prior claim to markings. Failure to play in Club colours without official permission shall involve a fine of £1.

A team proved to have played an unregistered player shall forfeit the match on an objection.

éun imeartha, cailipró siad an cluiche de thoradh aghortae.

16. Club naé nglacann aon páirt sa Craob-Comórtais, cailipró siad a n-ionadaíocht ar an gCoiste Contae is eile agus ní ceadaíte vóid sinmiúicán a véanam ná ábair nua a mholá don Comhionót Ulliancúil ná beir páirtéal ann.

17. Ní ceadaíte do éomálta imirt le níos mó ná aon Club amháin aé sna cásanna seo a leanas :

(a) Is ceadaíte do éomálta de Club omiata tomána Peil imirt le Club omiata Peite.

(b) Is ceadaíte do éomálta de Club omiata Peite tomáint imirt le Club omiata tomána.

(c) Is ceadaíte do fhionúr imirt le Club omiata fionúrad agus le Club naé éruit fioncann fionúrad faoina gcúram, aé amháin i gContae ina éruit sé coiscte de néim na éróitíche Club omiata fionúrad a éunú. Féarfaid sé faoinn sin véanam de néim (a) agus (b) tuas, más cáilithe éó.

(d) Is ceadaíte do mac léinn Scoile nó Coláiste imirt le dá Club an par is gair Club omiata Scoile ceann vóid naé nglacann páirt aé i gcomórtais teoranta do Scoiteanna agus Coláistí. Féarfaid sé faoinn sin véanam de néim (a), (b) agus (c) tuas más cáilithe éó.

(e) Is ceadaíte do fo-céimí ollscoite nó do mac léinn i gColáiste Oitiúna aiceanta Múinteoireadta nó sa Coláiste Cogaisíóicta nó sa Coláiste Talmáíóicta Saitiseac, Co. na Mí, imirt le Craob-Cumáinn an Coláiste i né na bliana acadú agus le Club as baile (a cailpreas a beir i gContae eile seacás Contae Club an Coláiste) i né tréimse saoinne an tSamúid, ar aét go gcomhlónar Riail 20. Féarfaid sé faoinn sin véanam de néim (a), (b) agus (c) tuas, más cáilithe éó.

NOICAI.—(1) Áinicear bliain acadúil ón lú O. fóimair go vci an 31ú Dealtaine; áinicear saoinne an tSamúid ón lú Meiceam go vci an 30ú M. fóimair.

(2) Is é a tuiscear le Club as baile ná é siúd ma paróiste vóicais nó an Club a raib sé in a baili ve vóicéac san ar ceapú in a mac léinn é mar acá tuas.

(f) Is ceadaíte do mac léinn Ollscoite nó Coláiste Oitiúna aiceanta Múinteoireadta nó sa Coláiste Cogaisíóicta, nó sa Coláiste Talmáíóicta Saitiseac, Co. na Mí, más in a Contae Baite vón Coláiste, imirt e Club an Coláiste agus tena Club as baile aé gráo níos íste a beir as an gClub as

16. A Club which does not take part in any Championship competition shall lose representation on County and other Committees and shall not be eligible to make nominations or table motions for the Annual Convention or take part in it.

17. A member shall not play for more than one Club except in the following cases :

(a) A member of an exclusively Hurling Club may play Football with an exclusively Football Club.

(b) A member of an exclusively Football Club may play Hurling with an exclusively Hurling Club.

(c) A Minor may play for an exclusively minor club and a club without a minor team, except in a County whose bye-laws do not permit the formation of an exclusively minor Club. He may also avail himself of (a) and (b) above, if qualified.

(d) A Student of a School or College may play for two Clubs if one is an exclusively school club taking part in competitions confined to Schools and Colleges. He may also avail himself of (a), (b) and (c) above, if qualified.

(e) A University Undergraduate or a Student of a recognised Teachers' Training College, or of the College of Pharmacy, or of Salesian Agricultural College, Co. Meath, may play with his College Club during the Academic Year and with his home Club (which must be in a County other than that of his College) during the Summer holiday period, provided that Rule 20 is complied with. He may also avail himself of (a), (b) and (c) above, if qualified.

Note.—(1) Academic Year is reckoned as October 1st to May 31st; Summer Holiday is reckoned as June 1st to September 30th.

(2) Home Club is that of his native parish or the Club of which he was a member immediately prior to becoming a student as above.

(f) A Student of a University or of a recognised Teachers' Training College or College of Pharmacy or Salesian Agricultural College, Co. Meath, which is situated in his Home County, may play with his College Club and also play with his Home Club where the Home Club is of a lower grade than his College Club, provided Rule 19 is complied with.

baite ná ag Club an Chúiste, an áit go gcomhlontar Rialt 19. Féadfaid sé faisis sin déanamh de réin (a), (b) agus (c) éuas, más cáite éo.

(5) Deiró imneoir, a bfuil tosaithe aige an imneir do Club i gcomhóntas, i oibreáil an comhóntas sin a éiríochú agus imneir le Club eile go dtéann sé leo trí uachtú nó aiscitú de réin Rialta 19 agus 20.

(1) Comálta a imhionn do níos mó ná don Club amáin laistigh von Contae, ac faoi mar a ceadaítear faoi Rialt 17, na dáirí uachtóirnaí trí ní sin dá beasca.

(2) Foineann a cumeann cun imeanta comálta de Club eile laistigh von Contae, ac faoi mar a ceadaítear faoi Rialt 17, caillpró síad an cluiche agus, mar don le Ceathóirleac agus Rúnaí a gClub, gabfaid síad faoi trí ní pionna an a Loíga.

Nóta.—Measfar imneoir a baint leis an gcéad Club lena n-imhionn sé go dtéadac i gcomhóntas oifigiúil nó i gcomhóntas cunadóirleac.

18. Is ceao d'imneoir acá postaithe agus a éonsíonn lasmuig dá Contae uúcais a uachtú do Club ina paróisce uúcais nó von Club a raib sé ina ball de oineac noim párdáil an Contae uú, an áit go gcomhlontar Rialt 20, más gá sin.

Má déanann sé uachtú dá leitéro, ní ceadaíte éo, fao a bionn feidm leis an uachtú, imneir le Club i gContae a éonaite, ac de réin Rialt 17 (5).

In éagsmaís uachtú dá leitéro ní ceadaíte éo imneir ac do Club i gContae a éonaite, ac amáin de réin Rialt 17 (5).

Tá feidm le huachtú faoi réin na Rialta seo ó am a siacta ag an Rúnaí Cúige nó ag an An-Rúnaí go gcuitear an ceat é.

Éine:

(1) Gabann 12 ní uachtóirnaí an imneoir a sáráíonn an Rialt seo. Is ag a Comhairle Cúige nó ag an An-Comhairle amáin acá údarás a aicliacta.

(2) Caillpró don foineann a cumeann imneoir a sáráíonn an maí seo cun imeanta i gCeasob-Cluiche, i Srait-Cluiche nó in ilcomhóntas a gceart von cluiche agus na dáirí, mar don le Ceathóirleac agus Rúnaí an Club agus Captaen na foirne, 12 ní uachtóirnaí onca.

He may also avail himself of (a), (b) and (c) above, if qualified.

(g) A player who has commenced to play for a Club in a competition may finish that competition and play for another Club which he joins by declaration or transfer in accordance with Rules 19 and 20.

PENALTY:

(1) A member who plays for more than one Club within the County, except as permitted by Rule 17, shall be automatically suspended for three months.

(2) A team which plays a member of another Club within the County, except as permitted by Rule 17, shall lose the match, and, with the Chairman and Secretary of the Club, stand suspended for at least three months.

Note.—A player shall be deemed to belong to the first Club with which he legally plays in an official or trophy competition.

18. A player who is employed and resides outside his native County may declare for a Club in his native Parish, or the Club of which he was a member immediately prior to leaving the County, provided that Rule 20, where applicable, is complied with.

If he makes such a declaration he may not, while the declaration is valid, play for a Club in the County in which he resides except in accordance with Rule 17 (g).

In the absence of such a declaration he may play only for a Club in the County in which he resides, except in accordance with Rule 17 (g).

A declaration in accordance with this Rule is valid from the date on which it is received by the Provincial or General Secretary until revoked.

PENALTY:

(1) A player violating this Rule become automatically suspended for twelve months. Only his Provincial or the Central Council may reinstate him.

(2) A team which plays in a Championship, League or Tournament Match a player violating this Rule shall lose the match and shall be, with the Chairman and Secretary of the Club and Captain of the team, automatically suspended for twelve months.

Nóta.—Déantar an t-uachtú, trí Rúnai Contae, leis an gComhairle Cúige más i gCúige a cónaite atá a Contae uéilais; agus leis an Aro-Comhairle i gcásanna eile.

19. Imreoir an mian leis éirí as Club o'fhonn out isteach i gClub eite sa Contae éanna, ní foiláin uó aistriú fáil óna Coiste Contae. Ní gá aistriú uó sórt i gcás imreoir nár glac páirt in aon comórtas oifigiúil nó curadómhreas an fearó uó ní uéag noth né.
Éinig—Fionnai trí mhí.

20. (a) Ní mór uó comhalta aistriú fáil go Contae eite sula mbíonn ceao imeanta aige le Club sa Contae sin.

Ní tabairfar a leictéir u' aistriú muna mbíonn cónal an an gcomhalta sa Contae nua, ac sa éas go n-uachtáilonn sé uó réir Rial 18. Ní beoí ferom leis an Rial seo uó éitícl neamh-curadómhreasá nó uó comórtais teoranta uó Scoileanna agus Coláistí.

(b) Is maectanac ceao na Comhairle Cúige a fáil i gcás aistriú go Contae laistis uen Cúige; agus ceao na hAro-Comhairle i gcás aistriú go Contae i gCúige eite. Ní foiláin, i nGáé cás, céim an comhalta agus an uáta is uéanaí an imir sé a tua in iarratais a aistriúite.

Éinig—mar atá i Rial 18.

21. Ní ceadaite u'imreoir imir le níos mó ná aon foimeann aithin i gCraob-Comórtas uon bliain sin. Má imríonn sé aithin uó uó Club sa Contae éanna nacáir sé faoi fionnai trí mhí uó uéasca. Má imríonn sé aithin uó uó Club i gContae a éagsúta nacáir sé féin agus an foimeann lena n-imríonn sé go míléatac faoi fionnai uó mhí uéas, an a lagao, uó uéasca.

Tá eisceaictal na Rialac seo leagta síos i Rial 17 (e) agus (f).

22. Imreoir a imríonn go míléiteanaic i gCraob-Comórtas is isle gúao sa bliain éanna, ní uó Club féin, nacáir uactíonnai aon go ceann trí mhí agus caillirí an foimeann an éitícl.

23. (a) Ní ceadaite u'imreoir imir uon uáta Contae i gcomórtas uó ámhail uon bliain sin.

Note.—The declaration is made, through the County Secretary, to the Provincial Council if his native County is in the Province in which he resides; and to the Central Council in other cases.

19. A player who wishes to leave one Club in order to join another in the Same County must obtain a transfer from his County Committee. Such a transfer shall not be required if the player has not taken part in any official or trophy competition during the previous twelve months.
PENALTY—Three months' suspension.

20.—(a) Before a member may play for a Club in another County a transfer to that County is necessary. Such transfer shall not be granted unless the member resides in the new County, except where he declares in accordance with Rule 18. This Rule shall not apply to non-trophy matches or to competitions confined to Schools and Colleges.

(b) The sanction of the Provincial Council is necessary for a transfer to a County within the Province; and of the Central Council for a transfer to a County in another Province. In all applications for transfer the status of the member and the last date on which he played shall be stated.

PENALTY.—as in Rule 18.

21. A player shall not play for more than one team in the same year's championship. If he so plays for two Clubs in the same County he is thereby suspended for three months. If he so plays for two Clubs in different Counties, himself and the team with which he plays illegally are thereby suspended for at least twelve months. Exceptions to this Rule are set out in Rule 17 (e) and (f).

22. A player who plays illegally in a lower grade of the Championship in the same year even with his own Club, shall be automatically suspended for three months and the team shall lose the match.

In case of suspension, the period imposed shall in no instance be less than 6 months. This rule shall apply to players, members, teams, clubs, county committees and provincial councils.

23. (a) A player shall not play for the second County in the same year's competition.

(b) Deiró imreoir, a bfuil tosaithe aige an imirt i gcomórtas do Contae, i gceist an comórtas sin a éiríonn don Contae uo, ní má imíonn sé as an gContae agus imirt go dlústeanaid do Contae eile, sé sin, an áit go mbíonn Rial 24 nó 25 comhlóna aige.

24. Is cead o'imreoir a cónaíonn agus a imríonn taob amuig dá Contae údais a uachtú go gcaibríod sé tena Contae údais i gcomórtais Iom-Contae agus Iom-Éirí. Tagann mac léinn Ollscoite nó Coláiste Oiriúna nó Coláiste Cozaisíocca, nó Coláiste Tathalocca Saitisead, Co. na Mí faoi réir na Rialaí seo bíod is go mbaineann sé leis as Rial 17 (e).

Má déanann sé uachtú dá leictéir, ní ceadaíte é, fao a bíonn feirm leis an uachtú, imirt le haon Contae seadais a Contae údais, ac ve réir Rial 23.

In éagmais an uachtáite seo, ní ceadaíte o'imreoir imirt ac ahdán don Contae in a gónaíonn sé nó, i gcás mícléinn Ollscoite nó Coláiste Oiriúna nó Coláiste Cozaisíocca, don Contae ina bfuil a Coláiste suite.

Ní foláir an t-uachtú seo, an an bfoirm oifigiúil a cumeann an Aro-Comairle ar fáil, a lóiscéil leis an Aro-Rúnal ar lá deiré Mí Feabhra nó noime sin, o'aon bliain. Is ceadaíte é cannaige sian don uair go dtí an dáta céanna.

Is ceadaíte o'imreoir a aistriúear amac as a Contae údais tar éis lá deiré Mí Feabhra, a uachtú, le linn an aistriúite, dá Contae údais.

Nóta—Ní ceadaíte o'imreoir uachtáite Sinnéir imirt ina Sóisear in Iomáint Iom-Contae ac i gcás in a bfuil a Contae údais grádaíte mar Sóisear in Iomáint; ná ní ceadaíte éo imirt ina Sóisear i bPeil Iom-Contae ac i gcás ina bfuil a Contae údais grádaíte mar Sóisear i bPeil.

Éimic—faoi mar acá i Rial 18.

25. Ní ceadaíte o'imreoir imirt do Contae eile go dtí go bfaigeann sé aistriú go dtí an Contae sin, muna mbíonn uachtáite aige ve réir Rial 24. Ní eadarpair an t-aistriú muna mbíonn cónaí ar an imreoir sa Contae nua nó go mbíonn uachtáite aige dá Club údais ve réir Rial 18. Ní deiró feirm leis an Rial seo i gcluíclí neam-éiríomáireada.

Éimic—faoi mar acá i Rial 18.

(b) A player who has commenced to play for a County in a competition shall be eligible to finish that competition for that County even though he should leave the County and play legally for another, that is, provided he has complied with Rule 24 or 25.

24. A player who resides and plays outside his native County may declare for his native County for inter-County and inter-Provincial competitions. A University or Training College or College of Pharmacy or Salesian Agricultural College, Co. Meath, student is governed by this Rule, even though availing himself of Rule 17 (e).

If he makes such a declaration he may not, while the declaration binds, play for any County other than his native County, except in accordance with Rule 23.

In the absence of this declaration the player shall play only for the County in which he resides or, in the case of a University or Training College or College of Pharmacy or Salesian Agricultural College, Co. Meath, student, with the County in which his College is situated.

This declaration, on the official form issued by the Central Council, must be lodged with the General Secretary on or before the last day of February each year. It may be withdrawn by the same date.

A player transferred outside his native County after the last day of February may, on such transfer, declare for his native County.

NOTE.—A declared player of Senior status shall not play Junior inter-County hurling, except where his native County is graded Junior in hurling, nor shall he play Junior inter-County Football, except where his native County is graded Junior in Football.

PENALTY—as in Rule 18.

25. Before a player may play for another County a transfer to that County is necessary unless the player has declared in accordance with Rule 24. A transfer shall not be granted unless the player resides in the new County or has made a declaration for his home Club in accordance with Rule 18. This Rule shall not apply to non-trophy matches.

PENALTY—as in Rule 18.

26. Níl saighiúirí o'Arm na Breataine, a fín éablaí n'á a curó póilíní i'gclárta i gcomataca te C.I.S.

Cuirfean 3 mí pionraí an a lagao, an comataca den Cumann a beas páirteac i nince nó in son éablaí amsire den safas céanna a éirítear an siúl ag a leiréirí sin o'aircíní, nó faoina gcomhrice.

27. Don comataca a imloinn, a freasctalann nó a éiríonn te cionscnaí Rugbaí, Socain, haca, nó Cluicéio, na caíó sé faoi uacpionnaí ó comataca an Cumann ós véasca. Is ag Comairlí Cúige amháin, ar mholá ó na Coistí Contae tena mbaineann an scéal, a beir cuhaict éin ciontóimí a a'gclacáó. Beiró gac a'gclacáó faoi réir na b'pónláca seo a leanas :

(a) **Freasctal an a leiréirí de éluicí :**

Ní foláin 3 mí a beir caire ó dáca véanaé an éionta.

(b) **Imiric nó cionscnaí a leiréirí de éluicí :**

Ní foláin sé mí, an a lagao, i gclár céao-éionta, agus dá bliain i gclár son éionta ina óisíó sin, a beir caire ó dáca véanaé an éionta. Ní féirir son duine a a'gclacáó faoi (b) a' amháin ionn lú éanain agus Domháic Cásca in son bliain.

Ní b'ainpíó an Rial seó te daoine naé naib man' céana ina gcomatacaí den Cumann. Is féirir daoine dá samail seo a gclacáó éin comatacais an iarracac peansanta uacu éin an Coiste Contae, an éoinnóil nán imir siad agus nán éablaí, siad te na éluicí éisaca an pead éin ní noim a n-iarracac.

Is ceabaice do Coiste Contae, freisin, ógánaig faoi 19 mbliana o'ois, a o'imir éluicí éisaca, a gclacáó. Is gá iarracac peansanta sa clár seo.

28. Ní foláin do éacaóinteac gac Coiste Contae, do h'áccanán gac Comairte Cúige agus do h'áccanán na h'áno-Comairte comatacaí faire a céapaó von Umistéan a beas faoina noilnse. Is iad na uacpionnaí a beas an na comatacaí seo ná cuairt a éabairt an son áir leiréirí den Contae, den Cúige nó den Umistéan, ina ópionóicán éluicí nó caireash amsire éisaca agus cuairte a éabairt do éacaóinteac an Coiste Contae tena mbaineann an scéal, éinó an óirigacé a blionn freasctac i gceapaó a leiréirí de comatacaí, i ócaóó éiréash comatacaí den Cumann, man' imreoiní nó man' tuict péacána, an ócaíóí man' a tuictear éuas. Cairéar fógra a éabairt do éacaóinteac Coiste Contae son uain a éuiréar

26. British soldiers, navy men and police shall not be eligible for membership of the G.A.A.

A member of the Association participating in dances or similar entertainments, promoted by or under the patronage of such bodies shall incur suspension for at least 3 months.

27. Any member who plays, attends or helps to promote Rugby, Soccer, Hockey or Cricket thereby incurs automatic suspension from membership of the Association. Reinstatement of offenders may be granted only by Provincial Councils on the recommendation of County Committees concerned. Such reinstatements are subject to the following provisions, viz.,

(a) *Attending such games*: at least three months shall have elapsed from the date of last offence.

(b) *Playing or promoting such games*: At least six months in the case of a first offence, and two years in the case of a subsequent offence, shall have elapsed from date of last offence. Reinstatement under (b) be granted only between 1st January and Easter Sunday in each year.

This rule shall not apply to persons who were never previously members of the Association. Such persons may be admitted to membership upon personal application to the County Committee, provided they have not played or encouraged excluded games for three months prior to their application.

County Committees may also admit as members boys under 19 years of age who have played excluded games. In this case personal application shall be required.

28. The Chairman of each County Committee, of each Provincial Council and of the Central Council, must appoint Vigilance members for the area under their jurisdiction. The duties of such members shall be to visit centres within the County, Province or area where excluded games and entertainments are held and to report to the Chairman of the County Committee concerned, through the officer responsible for the appointing of such members, the attendance of members of the Association at such functions as players or spectators. The Chairman of the County Com-

comhataí faire isteach ina limistéir agus ainmeala na gcomhataí a tabairt uó.

Cairtíó Club, a dtugtar tuairisc faoi imreoirí uá gcuirtear i leit cionta uá leicéir, rógna a fáil ón gCathainnead Contae trína Rúnai Contae Laistigh de seacht lá den cionta a tuaircear.

29. Ní ceadaítear do Chomhaint, do Choiste ná do Club don éirceam aimsire ina gceadaítear since Gallua a thionscnaim. Ní ceadaítear do Club ná do Choiste Club since a beir acu go gcuirtear an clár faoi bhráio an Choiste Contae agus go n-sondaíonn siad siúo leis.

Sé éine a fadann le dánu na Rialaé seo ná pionraí naé lá ná ceicre seachtaine. Ainneóran an pionraí seo ó dáta an éinimice ag an tugaó breic an an gcaé.

30. Ní ceadaítear do comhataí iomaioct ag don Luaitelaáis lúctelaá in éinim a niancan de réir Rialaéa don Cumann a bíonn ag iomaibá le Cumann Náisiúnta lúctelaá agus Roctáiocta (éine).

Éine : Pionraí sé mí.

30 (a). Ní réitíonn traenáil Lán-Aimsiread le stao neamh-fairmíúil Baill Cumann lúctelaá fael agus coiscrear, uá uáil sin, an a leicéirí de baill páirt a fliacaó i traenáil uá ásaas.

COUNTY

31. Ní foáir an Comhionóil Bliantúil Contae a comórad nóim an gcaé lá u'feabna. Sé comhóranam an Comhionóil-- Oifigis agus baill an Choiste a bíonn ag uil ag feidm agus beirt teacra ó gac Club a fliac páirt i gCraob-Comórcas na bliana nóimé sin.

Muna gcomórcan an Comhionóil Bliantúil nóim an céad lá u'feabna, teanfaiú pionraí é, muna bíonn ceas na Comhainté Cúige nó na hAno-Comhainté tugaó can an comórad a déanam an thairte dáta.

32. Tozfaio an Comhionóil Bliantúil Contae na hOifigis seo a teanas an an gCoiste Contae, i gcomhair na nádbliana : Cathainnead, Leas-Cathainnead, Rúnai, Leas-Rúnai, Cisteoir, Cláraitheoir. Tozfar, freisin pé teacraí eite ó Clubanna

mittee into whose territory Vigilance members are to be sent shall be notified and the names of the members supplied to him.

Clubs, whose players have been reported for such offences, shall be notified by the County Chairman, through his County Secretary, within 7 days of the alleged offence.

29. A Council, Committee or Club shall not organise any entertainment at which foreign dances are permitted.

No Club or Club Committee shall hold a dance, until it shall have submitted its programme to the County Committee and until it has been approved of by them.

The penalty for breach of this Rule shall be suspension of not less than four weeks. The suspension shall be reckoned from the date of the meeting at which the case shall be decided.

30. Members shall not be permitted to compete at Sports Meetings in Ireland which are carried out under the laws of any Association rival to the N.A.C.A. (I).

Penalty: 6 months' suspension.

30 (a). Full Time Training is inconsistent with the amateur status of the members of the Gaelic Athletic Association and such members are, accordingly, prohibited from participating in training of this type.

COUNTY

31. The Annual County Convention shall be held before 1st February. It shall consist of: The Officers and Members of the outgoing Committee and two delegates from each Club which competed in the Championships of the preceding year.

Failure to hold the Annual Convention before 1st February, entails suspension, unless the permission of the Provincial or the Central Council shall have been given for an alternative date.

32. The Annual County Convention shall elect the following officers of the County Committee, for the ensuing year: Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, Assistant-Secretary, Treasurer, Registrar. It shall also elect such

ó Coisctí Ceantair nó ó don Coiste eite, ar a gceannró an Comhionóil Contae ó am go ham, tan éis fógra cuí a éabhairt.

Togfar, faoinn sin, (1) teachtáí do freastal an Comhionóil Cúige; (2) teachtáí do freastal na Comhóla; (3) beirt teachtá ar an gComhairle Cúige; (4) teachtá amháin ar an Ardo-Chomhairle.

Beiró baill na hArdo-Chomhairle agus na gComhairlí Cúige ina mbailt ná gCoisctí Contae, faoi sead, ve dua oifige.

Pé áic ina bfeidmíonn Coiste Contae Cotáistí nó Liathróid Láimhe, beiró ceao acu teachtá amháin a beir acu ar an gCoiste Contae agus vice versa. Ní beiró ceao gútaíochta ag a leicéirí ve teachtá.

Beiró an Coiste Contae i réim go dtí an t-am ina gcomórtar an ceao Comhionóil Dlíantúil eite. Beiró sé freagraic i ngead ní don Chomhairle agus don Ardo-Chomhairle.

33. Is iad na Clubanna a ainmneos iarrtóirí ve na postanna feidmeannais ar na Coisctí Contae, agus geobair gac Club acu foirm ainmniúclán agus foirm o'ádhain nún mí noim an gComhionóil Contae, agus ní foláin an páipéar sin a tionad agus a seolaic éar n-ais éun an Rúnaí Contae caob istic ve 14 lá.

Ní foláin don Rúnaí Contae a éuarascáil ar obair na bliana, mar don le liosta na n-ainmniúclán agus na hárdaí nún, Táblaí Fuilleac Deimhniche agus Clán Inóca a éun éur Rúnaí gac Club seactair noim an gComhionóil ag a mbeir na míte sin faoi éabhairt.

34. Is éní ballóirí faoi nún a toghar na hoifigic agus ní foláin móraic ná mbíonn i lácaim ag an gComhionóil, cáilic éun vótála agus a vótálann, a beir ag na hianróirí a n-éireoir leo, ac, le ceao na hArdo-Chomhairle, is féidir ve Contae gabáil tena mátaic ve mhó éun oifigic a toghad.

I gcás na vótála a beir coicrom beiró ar an gCataoimleac vóta réicic a éabhairt.

35. Is ceaoaic Coisctí Sinsearaic, Coisctí Sóisearaic nó Coisctí Ceantair, a bunú. Má vólantair amháic, is ceao Cataoimleac gac Coiste Ceantair a beir ina Leas-Cataoimleac, ve dua oifige, ar an gCoiste Contae. Nuair a éarlonn a leicéirí sin, ní toghar don Leas-Cataoimleac ag an gComhionóil Dlíantúil Contae.

other representatives of Clubs, District or other Committees as the County Convention may, from time to time, after due notice, decide.

It shall further elect (1) representative to attend Provincial Conventions; (2) representatives to attend General Congress; (3) two representatives on Provincial Council; (4) one representative on Central Council.

Members of Central and Provincial Councils shall be ex-officio members of their respective County Committees.

Where a County Colleges or Handball Committee functions, it shall have one representative on the County Committee, and vice versa. Such representative shall not have the right to vote. The County Committee shall hold office until the next Annual Convention. In all matters it shall be responsible to the Provincial Council and to the Central Council.

33. Candidates for positions in the County Committees shall be nominated by clubs, each of which shall receive one month prior to the County Convention a nomination and motion paper which should be completed and returned to the County Secretary within 14 days.

The County Secretary shall send his report for the year, with a list of nominations and motions, certified Balance Sheets and Agenda to each Club Secretary, one week before the Convention at which they are to be considered.

34. Elections of officers shall be by ballot and successful candidates must have a majority of those present at the Convention, qualified to vote and voting but, subject to the approval of the Central Council, a County may adopt an alternative mode of electing officers.

In the event of a tie the Chairman shall give a casting vote.

35. Senior, Junior or Divisional Committees may be formed. If so decided, the Chairman of each Divisional Committee may be an ex-officio Vice-Chairman of the County Committee. Where this takes place, a Vice-Chairman shall not be elected at the Annual County Convention.

Don áit ina bfuil Coiste Ceantair ag feidmiú féarfaid an Coiste Contae a ceasú ó'imreoiní Sóiseanaí cabrú le foirne Ceantair nó le comfoirne laistigh de Ceantair gan iad a gcéimíocht Sóiseanaí a chailtíomc.

Déanfar feirmeanna agus cumhachtaí na gCoistí Ceantair a sáimú i bFó-óilte an Contae.

36. Deir de ceart ag Comhionól Contae na Fó-óilte sin a déanamh a measaio a beir maiccanad u'feadsú obair an Cumainn laistigh dá gConcaeá féin, faoi sead. Ní ctoipaid na Fó-óilte sin i bfeidm go n-áontáil an Adu-Comhairle seo. Ní mór don Adu-Comhairle aontú leis na Fó-óilte sin, nó tuáitú dóib, caob istigh de ní tar éis dáta a b'áirde.

37. Ní ceadaíte do Contae don ádair nár foilsíod an gClár Shó ó tiomcuineas le haáir an Comhionóil Contae, agus nár glacad leis ag an gComhionól sin, a cur ar aghaid go dtí an Comhionól Cúige nó go dtí an Comhóid.

38. Laistigh dá gConcaeá féin, beir lán-údarás ag Coistí Contae (1) an éleahnú na gClub; (2) an rianad comóntas Contae in iomáint agus i bfeit; (3) éin Clubanna nó comhataí a cur faoi foiláimeah, faoi fionnaí, faoi fineáil, éin a noiceasáite nó éin a noibearta, de úeasca ááru rialaá an Cumainn nó don fó-óilte raoina réir sin.

Deir na Coistí Contae freagraí, freisin, i stán-áomeádo agus i bforbairt na nGael-faici á bíonn raoina noifne.

39. Deir de éuhaé ag Coistí Contae comhataí imreoiní a áomeádo an leicigh do Club an paróiste ina gcónaíonn nó ina n-áiríonn siad. Sa héao a dáimeann le brí na rialaá seo, is ionann paróiste agus an ceantair a bíonn faoi óilne ááairt paróiste, ac sin a beir de réir teona an Contae. Ní dáimíó an Rial Paróiste le dáirca nó le baite móra ina mbíonn breis agus áon paróiste áááin.

40. Is ag Coistí Contae áááin a deas an ceart a áocrú conas a áófar foirne tar ceann an Contae do éluicií ionn-Contae agus do áraob-éluicií na héimeann. Ní foiláin na foirne a áóad ó imreoiní a mbíonn cónaí ontu laistigh den Contae agus ó imreoiní iontra uáccáite naé gcónaíonn sa Contae sin.

Where Divisional Committees are functioning, the County Committee may allow Junior players to assist Divisional teams or Group teams within a Division without losing their Junior status.

The functions and powers of Divisional Committees shall be defined in the County bye-laws.

36. County Conventions shall have the right to make such bye-laws as they deem necessary for the better working of the Association within their respective Counties. Such bye-laws shall not become operative until approved by the Central Council. The Central Council shall approve or reject such bye-laws within one month from the date of their receipt.

37. A County shall not send forward to Provincial Convention or Congress any motion which has not appeared on circulated Agenda for and received approval of its own County Convention.

38. County Committees shall have within their respective counties (1) control of Club affiliations; (2) management of County Hurling and Football competitions; (3) power to warn, suspend, fine, disqualify or expel Clubs or individuals for breaches of the rules of the Association or any bye-laws made thereunder.

County Committees shall also be responsible for the security and development of Gaelic Grounds within their jurisdiction.

39. County Committees shall have power to confine membership of clubs to the parish in which players reside or work. A Parish for the purpose of this rule shall be, subject to County boundary, the district under the jurisdiction of a Parish Priest.

The Parish Rule shall not apply to cities or to towns of more than one parish.

40. County Committees alone shall have the right to determine the manner of selecting teams to represent the County in Inter-County and All-Ireland matches. The teams must be chosen from players living in the county and from eligible, declared, non-resident players.

41. Ní foláir do Choisteí Contae foineann nó foinne a chur isteach ar na comórtais craoibhe toim-Contae nó, neacáir acu, na dátaí 12 mí o'uaefionnaí ar an gContae uile. Tosóid ar fionnaí ón dáta mar éom an cluiche a imirt.

Beid' ve éimhaic ag Coisteí Contae fionnaí 6 mí a chur ar son imreoir a d'uitiálonn caisceal nó imirt dá Contae.

Féadfar fionnaí a chur ar feirmeannaig Contae a bhíonn freagrach as foinne neam-óilisceanaíca a chur cun imearca i gCluicé toim-Contae nó i gCraob-Cluicé na hÉireann.

Cóilpíó don Contae an cluiche má éimneann siad imreoir cun imearca i gCraob-comórtas car éis dá a beic páinteal i gCraob-comórtas na bliana céanna le Contae eite. Fairis sin, na dátaí 12 mí fionnaí ar na feirmeannaig a bhíonn freagrach as.

42. Ní foláir na sain-uaéanna Contae, a bhíonn le caiteamh i ngad cluiche toim-Contae, a clánú leis an Aro-Cómhaité car éis a n-áontaité siúd leo. Ní ceadaíte na sain-comharcaí céanna a beic ar son dá Contae. Féadfar éimic £5 a chur ar son Contae a sánaíonn an Riail seo. Ní foláir do Réite-éimí tuaisc a ceadaité ar gac sárú dá sórt. Ní beid' éifeaict leis an Riail seo in son éas ina mbíonn an Cómhaité Céannaig car éis a maíaité ve uaéanna a ceasú.

I gcás na sain-uaéanna céanna a beic ag dá Contae i gCraob-cluiche Leat-céannaig nó ceannaig na hÉireann ní foláir uóid imirt i sain-uaéanna a gCúigí paol seac

43. Ní foláir do Choiste Contae Táblaí Fuilleac ar éimtais Contae agus Paicé Contae uon bhian ainigeaais úireacé noime sin a chur paol bhávo a gComhairlé Cúige noim 15ú bháilín gac bhian. Ní mór na Táblaí Fuilleac seo a beic veimníte 50 cúl ag Cuntasóir gairm-teantac a mbíonn trí bhiana cleaicta, ar a légaó, aige.

Éimic: fionnaí, 50 gcuítear na táblaí fuilleac ar páit.

COMHIONÓIL CÚIGE

44. Ní foláir na Comhionóil Cúige a tionól in aghaid na bhiana, sé seacáin, ar a légaó, noim an gComhóil.

Beid' Táblaí na bhFuilleac, tíosca na n-ainmhuicéan agus cóip uen Clár Fhó te páit ag na Rúnaite Contae coicis noim dáta an éimníte.

41. County Committees must send forward a team or teams for Inter-County championships, otherwise the entire county shall become automatically suspended for twelve months. The suspension shall start from the date on which the match should have been played.

County Committees shall have power to suspend for six months a player who refuses to travel or to play for his county.

County officials responsible for fielding illegal teams in Inter-county or All-Ireland matches may be suspended.

A County which fields in a championship a player who has taken part in the same championship with another county shall forfeit the match. In addition, a twelve months' suspension shall be incurred by the officials responsible.

42. The distinctive County colours to be worn in all Inter-County matches shall be registered and approved by the Central Council. No two Counties shall have similar markings. Counties infringing this Rule shall be liable to a penalty of £5. Referees shall report any infringement. This rule shall not take effect where permission of the controlling Council has been received to use alternative colours.

In the event of a clash in colours in an All-Ireland semi-final or final the Counties concerned must play in their respective Provincial colours.

43. County Committees shall furnish to their Provincial Councils before January 15th in each year Balance Sheets of County and County Grounds' accounts, for the previous financial year. These Balance Sheets must be duly vouched by a practising Accountant of at least three years' standing.

Penalty: Suspension until the Balance Sheets be furnished.

PROVINCIAL CONVENTION

44. Provincial Conventions shall be held annually, at least six weeks prior to General Congress.

Two weeks previous to the date of meeting County Secretaries shall receive Balance Sheets, list of nominees and a copy of Agenda.

Is iad a bheas ar an Comhionóil :

- (1) Dáil na Comhainte Cúige a bhonn a5 out as réim ;
- (2) Teaceta ahdám in a5aio 5ac veid 5Clud nó don 5ouán ve veid ve breis ar éú5 a 5lac páirt i 5Craob-Comhntais na bliana roime sin, ac ní ceadófar ear seisean teaceta in don éas ;
- (3) Teaceta ahdám ó Comhainte Cúige na 5Coláistí.

45. Is iad feidmeanna an Comhionóil Cúige : na Táblaí Fuilleac, na hdbair nún agus imeaceta coitianta an Cúige a breicniú ; Uacetaán, Leas-Uacetaán, Ciseoin, Rúnaí (ac sin a veid ve réim na bforáilacá a luaitear níos véanaí) na Comhainte Cúige a to5ar, cri ballóio. Deó an Uacetaán a to5ar ahdám ina Leas-Uacetaán ven An-Comhainte.

46. Ní foáin iannóimí o'oirigi a veid ainmice a5 Coisctí Contae, agus cuirfear páipéir ainmniúclán éun na 5Coisctí ní nún an 5Comhionóil.

Ní ceao Uacetaán Cúige a veid i réim ar feao breis is cri bliana as a éile. Deó aiao, ve bua oirige, ina mbailt oá 5Comhaintí féim i riú na bliana a leanann venaeó a réime.

Deó an Leas-Uacetaán Cúige i oirveal ionaiaioct a véanaí ear ceann an Uacetaán Cúige a5 cruinnice na hárú Comhainte agus an feidm-Coiste.

Deó ve cumact a5 an 5Comhainte Cúige Rúnaí seasmac a ceapao, ve réim pé comniolacá agus téarmaí ar a 5cniúio an Comhionóil. Ní veó ceart 5uáioctá a5 an Rúnaí, pé acu a ceaptar nó a to5tar é.

comhaintí cúige

47. Is iad a bheas ar an Comhainte Cúige ná Uacetaán, Leas-Uacetaán, Ciseoin agus Rúnaí ; veint teaceta ó 5ac Contae sa Cúige (a to5far a5 a 5Comhionóil Contae) ; teaceta ahdám ó Comhainte Cúige Uacéio Láimhe (a ceao 5uáioctá teonanta vo éúrad Láicéio Láimhe)

5aillim a veid te Cúige Muman o'iomáint ion-Contae, is ar na Comhaintí Cúige a bheas nianú Craob-Cluicí lomána agus Peite an Cúige agus 5ac 5nó eite a baineann leis an 5Cumann Láicig ven Cúige.

Conventions shall consist of :

- (1) Members of the outgoing Provincial Council ;
- (2) One representative for every ten affiliated Clubs, or a fraction of ten over five, which took part in the previous year's Championships, but in no case shall more than six representatives be permitted
- (3) A representative from the Provincial Colleges' Council.

45. *The functions of the Provincial Convention shall be :* to consider the Balance Sheets, Motions and general Provincial activities ; and elect by ballot a President, a Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary (subject to provisions made hereafter) of the Provincial Council. The President so elected shall be a Vice-President of the Central Council.

46. Candidates for positions shall be nominated by County Committees, to whom nomination papers shall be sent one month prior to the Convention.

Provincial Presidents shall not ho'd office for more than three consecutive years. They shall become ex-officio members of their respective Councils during the year which follows the termination of their office.

The Provincial Vice-President shall be entitled to act as proxy for the Provincial President at meetings of the Central Council and Executive.

The Provincial Council shall have power to appoint a permanent Secretary on such terms and conditions as the Convention shall decide. Whether appointed or elected, the Secretary shall not have the right to vote.

PROVINCIAL COUNCILS

47. Provincial Councils shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary ; two representatives from each County in the Province (to be elected at County Convention) ; one representative from Provincial Colleges' Council ; one representative from Provincial Handball Council (with voting powers limited to Handball affairs).

Gaillimh being included in Munster for inter-County hurling purposes, Provincial Councils shall control Provincial Hurling and Football championships and all other business appertaining to the Association within the Province.

48. Ní foláin uo Comhairle Cúige tuasascáil an Rúnai, Táblaí Fuiltead, veinníe ag Cuntasóin faoi páir nó ag Cuntasóin faoi ceastas, mar don le tiosta ve na Clubanna cleamhaíe uile a bíonn ina gCúigí féin a éir faoi bráio na Comóla.

Cuirfean faoi fionnail don Comhairle Cúige naé gcuirfir aicnis édsúit ar a gcuatais, agus iao veinníe go cruinn, ar páit o'Inúicéomí an Cumaim. Glacfaró an Anó-Comhairle ansin unláim an obair an Cumaim laistig ven Cúige go n-ullháitean agus go gcuirfean an Tábla Fuiltead ar páit.

49. Ní foláin uo na Coisic Contae, noim lá Dealtaine gac bliain, (1) tiosta na gClub cleamhaíe sa Contae, (2) táille ná scilling in aghair gac Club cleamhaíe, a ceabair uo na Comhairle Cúige (Ní mói a leat ven aingeao seo a taimbeanáit eun na nAnó-Comhairle noim an lú lá o'Inúit gac bliain). Caillfir don Contae naé go n-ionann an Riail réamhuairte a ocaícaíofé ar an gComhairle Cúige agus ar an Anó-Comhairle go oí go gcuirfean na tiosta agus na táille atá i gceist ar páit.

50. Beid ve cumáct ag Comhairle Cúige teonainnead na gContaeas éagsúla, laistig ná gCúigí féin, a néicead maidir le cúrsaí imearú; agus fós, beid ve cumáct acu Contae ionlán a gúidó mar Sóirín le naghair comóntais ion-Contae. Don uain a peróimítean an cumáct déimeanac seo, beid an Contae a gúidóitean ahlair; a ceirceal imit mar Sóirín i gComóntais ion-Contae agus i gCraob-Comóntais na nÉireann.

Beid ve cumáct ag Comhairle Cúige, in don éas ina gceapair gair mar an nua é, a ceadó uo Coisic Contae a b'páimé tánaíte a éir eun imearú i gCraob-Cluicí Sóiseanaí ion-Contae peite; ac, ní beid imreomí Sinseanaí uáclaire, sead-cónaíte-eadaí inoira eun ionaíofca ina leiteir ve comóntais.

Beid imreomí a bíonn inoira uo Craob-Cluicí Sóiseanaí ion-Contae sa Contae ina gúidóinn siad go sealaosac inoira eun imearú sa gúidó éanna ná gContae oúeas, an domhóit go n-uácláionn siad ven Contae sin noim lá veimí mí Feabhra gac bliain. (Féac Riail 85 freisin).

51. Iocfaró Comhairle Cúige costais údaraíte taistil in ocaíofca a n-oifigeac, ac ahláim sa héiró ina n-ónoafonn an Comhairle Cúige a maíair. An an guma gceanna, iocfaró

48. Provincial Councils shall present to the General Congress Secretary's Report, Balance Sheet vouched by Chartered or Certified Accountant, list of all affiliated clubs in the different counties of their respective Provinces.

A Provincial Council which shall fail to furnish the Central Council with a satisfactory statement of accounts accurately vouched, shall be suspended. The Central Council shall then take control of the work of the Association within the Province, until the Balance Sheet shall be prepared and furnished.

49. Provincial Councils shall receive from County Committees prior to 1st May in each year (1) a list of all affiliated Clubs in the county, (2) the sum of two shillings for each affiliated club. (One half of this sum shall be transferred to Central Council before 1st July in each year). Counties failing to comply with foregoing Rule shall forfeit representation on Provincial and Central Councils until such lists and fees shall be furnished.

50. Provincial Councils shall have power to arrange for playing purposes (within their respective Provinces) the boundaries of the different counties; and also shall have power to grade a whole county as Junior for Inter-County competitions. When this latter power is exercised the Seniors of the County so graded shall be entitled to play as Juniors in the Inter-County and All-Ireland competitions.

Provincial Councils shall be empowered, where it is considered advisable, to permit County Committees to play their second best teams in Junior Inter-County Football Championships; but Senior, declared, non-resident players shall not be eligible to compete in such competitions.

Players eligible for Junior Inter-County championship in a county where they temporarily reside shall be eligible to play in the same grade for their native county, provided they declare for that county before the last day of February in each year. (See also Rule 85.)

51. A Provincial Council shall pay the authorised travelling and hotel expenses of its officers, except as otherwise directed by the Provincial Convention. It shall, likewise, pay the travelling and hotel expenses of the

an Comhairle costais taircíl agus óstáíochta na vreacláir ón gCúige a bhíonn ar an Aro-Comhairle.

52. In aon éas ina gcuirtear Coiste Contae faoi fionnais, ve theasca faille nó sárú Rialaó ar bíd i bpáirt an Choiste Contae, beid ve cumáct ag an gComhairle Cúige cuháctar uile an Choiste Contae o'feiróimú laistis ven Contae sin.

AN ARO-COMHAIRLE

53. Is iad an Aro-Comhairle a veas mar aro-comláct ceannais ar an gCumann ó Comhóid go Comhóid, agus ní beid dul ear a mbreic maiour te bñi na Rialaó. Beid vlinse acu ar an gCumann uile i ngá ní a baineann te smaéct, com mar te nite a baineann te haingeasas, te haingeas fuitlú agus te maoin an Cumainn. Bead ceas acu iontaobairte a ceapad do ceart-feiróimú na vlinse seo.

Beid a mbreic, san uile ní a baineann te gnótar an Cumainn, ma vli agus ma ceangal ar comairte uile an Cumainn. Ní feiror aon adcomairte ó breic na hAro-Comhairle a véanair i gcóirt vli ná eite

54. Beid vótarás ag an Aro-Comhairle réiteac a véanair ar édsanna speisialta a tíoapas éun cinn san eadair iont Comhóidla, fiú nuair naé mbeid aon marí sonnac ven Cumainn ann maiour te na édsanna a bead faoi meas.

Beid ionlán vísceirve ag an Aro-Comhairle breicóidás a eadair ar aon ceist naé bfuil réiteac ma comair nó naé bfuil luaitte go sonnac sna Rialaó seo, agus is iad an Aro-Comhairle an t-aon vótarás éun ceisteanna mar seo a réiteac.

55. Is iad a beas ar an Aro-Comhairle: an tUachtarán, a beas i réim ar fead tréimse naé sia ná éni bliana as a céite; an-Uachtarán (a teanpas, ve búa oifige, ve beic ma ball ven Aro-Comhairle ar fead aon bliain amáin); na Leas-Uachtarán (agus ní foláin vóir sin a beic ma nUachtarán ar Comhairle Cúige); beic iontaobair; Oif-Comhairleas Oimís; Rónair an Cumainn (gan vótarás gúctáíochta); teacra amáin ear ceann na Breataine; teacra amáin ear ceann Aro-Comhairle na gCotáistí; teacra amáin ear ceann Aro-Comhairle na Liaónóire Láime; agus teacra amáin ear ceann gáé Contae

representatives from the Province on the Central Council.

52. In the event of suspension of the County Committee for any default or breach of rules on the part of a County Committee, the Provincial Council shall be empowered to exercise all the powers of the County Committee within the County.

CENTRAL COUNCIL

53. The Central Council shall be the supreme governing body of the Association from Congress to Congress, and the sole final authority to interpret the Rules. Its jurisdiction shall extend over the whole Association in all matters of discipline, as well as in those that pertain to the funds, investments and property of the Association. It may appoint Trustees for the proper exercise of this jurisdiction.

Its decisions on all matters appertaining to the Association are legal and binding on members of the Association. No appeal from decisions of the Central Council may be made at law or otherwise.

54. The Central Council shall have authority to deal with special cases which may arise in the interim between Congresses, even though there may be no specific rule of the Association relating to the cases under consideration.

The Central Council shall have complete discretion to decide on any matter not otherwise provided for, or not adequately provided for, in these Rules and shall be the only body to deal with such matters.

55. The Central Council shall consist of the President, who shall not hold office for more than three consecutive years; Ex-President, (who shall continue an ex-officio member of the Council for one year); the Vice-Presidents (who must be Presidents of Provincial Councils); two Trustees; Hon. Legal Adviser; the Secretary of the Association (without voting power); one representative of Britain; one representative of U.S.A.; one representative of the Central Colleges' Council; one representative of the Central Handball Council; and one representative of each County in Ireland. Should a vacancy occur in representation such vacancy shall be filled by the body concerned.

in Éireann. Má éiríonn fóltúcas sa teacetas, is iad an comhlact tena mbaineann sé a líonpas an fóltúcas.

Deir Lán-Ceannas ag an Aro-Cómhaitle ar Craob-Cluicé na héireann in iomáint agus i bPéil.

Ceapfar Feiróm-Cóiste an a mberó an tUachtarán; an Beirt Ioncaobái; Uachtarán na gComhairlí Cúige; Rúnaite Comhairlí Cúige Connact, Laigean, na Mumhan agus Ulao; agus Aro-Rúnaí an Cumainn, cun béiceac a óéanam marion te gnáé-cúnsal an Cumainn iom in a cruinnite.

Cinnfid an Aro-Cómhaitle ag a gcrúinnite ar óuatgais an feiróm-Cóiste seo.

56. Ní deir ceao ag ioncaobáite teacetas a óéanam tar ceann an Uachtarán, an Iar-Uachtarán, na nIoncaobáite (2), ná an Aro-Rúnaí ag cruinnite na Comhaitle nó an feiróm-Cóiste. Is feiróm ó ioncaobái teacetas a óéanam tar ceann teaceta Contae, ac ní fólarí don ioncaobái sin a deir ina ball den Cóiste Contae tena mbaineann an teaceta.

57. Don ball a beas as lícáir, gan cúis éoir, ó trí crúinnitú as a éite, ói-éilicóid sin é ó deir ina ball den Aro-Cómhaitle don bliain sin. Deir ar gac Rúnaí Contae simm an teaceta Contae ar an Aro-Cómhaitle don bliain dar gcrúinn a cur cun na háro-Cómhaitle roim éiré na Comóidla.

58. Íocfaró an Aro-Cómhaitle as airgeadós an Cumainn costais ónaraite an Uachtarán, an Iar-Uachtarán, na Ieas-Uachtarán, na nIoncaobáite, an Aro-Rúnaí, baill an feiróm-Cóiste, teaceta Aro-Cómhaitle na Liatróidre Láime, teaceta Aro-Cómhaitle na gColáistí agus teaceta Comhaitle na Breac-sine. Aníocfaró an Aro-Cómhaitle te gac Comhaitle Cúige leat costais ónaraite teacetaí Contae an Cúige sin, de éionn a ópreatcal ar crúinnite na háro-Cómhaitle.

CUMHACETÁI AGUS NÓSIMHACETA

59. (a) Ní fólarí don Rúnaí fógta cúig lá a cadairt don uite ball te haóaró gac crúinnitú den Aro-Cómhaitle agus de na Comhairlí Cúige. I gcasanna práinne, féarpar a tuisicic go mba leon fógta is tú na sin.

(b) Féarparó an Rúnaí, ar iannatas scriofa ó 7 nó 5 ball faoi seacé, crúinnitú speisialta den Aro-Cómhaitle nó de

The Central Council shall have complete control of the All-Ireland Hurling and Football competitions.

An Executive Committee composed of President; two Trustees; The Presidents of the Provincial Councils; the Secretary of each of the Provincial Councils of Connacht, Leinster, Munster and Ulster; and the General Secretary of the Association; shall be appointed to deal with the routine matters of the Association between the meetings.

The Central Council shall at its meetings determine the duties of this Executive.

56. The President, Ex-President, Trustees (2) and Secretary shall not be represented by proxies at meetings of the Council or of the Executive. A County representative may be represented by proxy, but such proxy shall be a member of the County Committee concerned.

57. A member absent without just cause from three consecutive meetings shall automatically become disqualified from membership of Central Council for that year. Each County Secretary shall furnish to Central Council, prior to Annual Congress, the name of the County representative on the Central Council for the ensuing year.

58. The Central Council shall pay out of the funds of the Association the authorised expenses of the President, Ex-President, Vice-Presidents, Trustees, Secretary, Members of Executive, Handball representatives, Central Colleges' representative, and the representative of the Provincial Council of Britain. The Central Council shall also refund to each Provincial Council half the specified expenses of the representatives of the Counties in the Province at meetings of the Central Council.

POWERS AND PROCEDURE

59. (a) For all meetings of the Central and Provincial Council's five day's notice shall be given by the Secretary to all members. In case of emergency shorter notice may be deemed sufficient.

(b) A special meeting of the Central Council or Provincial Council may be conveyed by the Secretary on written request of 7 or 5 members respectively.

Cómhaithe Cúige a tionóil. Lasmuig u'áon éas ina bfuiltear a mhalairt, áineófar a bpreascalóir mar líon-ghnó.

60. Don ghnó ná noéantar as cruinnú u'áon Cóiste Contae, u'áon Cómhaithe Cúige nó ven Anu-Cómhaithe, a tionóiltear go cuil, ní féidir a a'ghairm as don cruinnú ina uairt sin, ac a'ghán ve foil ná u'ghman u'iomlán an Cóiste nó na Cómhaithe.

61. Ní foilín gáe nún maidir le pionnaí a ceáct sa ghnáe-sí mar mholad agus go gcuirtear leis, ac i gceas an gceáioct a beic co'rom, nó ve ceal néicis, tabairt an Ca'aoimleáe breic cuil uairt ve réim foirdáca na Riataca.

62. Imúe'aró fo-cóiste ven Anu-Cómhaithe don mhúalca'ct i gceúnsaí náe noéantar preasca'ct cuil oncu an a mhalairt ve éuma, agus ní foilín uon fo-cóiste sin tuaisic an a b'ionann síad a cur go u'c' an Anu-Cómhaithe agus rian'aró síad síú an na ciontaig ve réim na Riataca.

PIONNAÍE

63. Sé is brí le pionnaí comhataí nó Club faoi foirdáca na n'ghnáe-Riataca nó na u'fo-Riataca Contae, ná pionnaí ón uite imeáct agus p'bléir agus comórtas ven éumán. Ní beir na pionnaí sin i u'ceirceat feirómpáint an brí a g'laeáó i n'ghnócaí an éumáin i gceáicean tráimse na pionnaí sin agus má áineáan an foiminn iad cailliró an foimnean a gceant uon éuice.

Cuirtear faoi pionnaí, vo tráimse náe lú ná sé mhí, don comhataí a g'lae'aró páint i gcomórtas le linn uóir beic faoi pionnaí agus beir an pionnaí sin in éireáct ó dáca an lae ina n'glae'aró páint sna comórtas sin.

Don breic éimce a uéantar in don Contae faoi teic beir feiróim léi san uite Contae eite.

64. In don éas ná u'ghann Cóiste nó Cómhaithe breic pionnaí ve tráimse éimce, t'io'aró an t-á'g'laeáó i b'feiróim u'áca'ca as veimeáó na tráimse.

Sé a cuigcear le mí faoi réim na n'ghnáe-Riataca ná mí g'eataí (4 seac'tam) agus beir veimeáó léi as 12 meán-óice an Sa'áin i gceas pionnaí a tosaig an Uomnác.

Except where otherwise provided, those attending constitute a quorum.

60. Any business transacted at the County Committee, Provincial or Central Council meeting, duly convened, shall not be rescinded at any subsequent meeting except with the consent of two-thirds of the entire Committee or Council.

61. All motions for suspension shall be moved and seconded in the usual way, but in case of the voting being equal, or in case of a deadlock, the Chairman shall impose a fitting sentence provided by the rule.

62. Irregularities in the Association, where not otherwise adequately dealt with, shall be investigated by a Central Council Sub-Committee, and such Sub-Committee shall report its findings to the Central Council who shall deal with offending parties in accordance with Rules.

SUSPENSION

63. Suspension of members or clubs under General Rules or County Bye-laws means suspension from all functions, privileges and competitions under the Association. Suspends shall be ineligible to take part in any capacity in the affairs of the Association during such suspension and, if included in a team, the team shall forfeit the match.

Members who take part in competitions while under suspension shall be suspended for a period of at least six months to take effect from the date on which they take part in such competitions.

Penalties imposed in one County shall be operative in all other Counties.

64. Where a definite period of suspension is imposed by a Committee or Council, reinstatement takes place automatically at the termination of the period.

The term month as used in the General Rules means a Lunar month (4 weeks) and ends at 12 midnight on Saturday when the suspension commenced on a Sunday.

an Comhóid

65. Tionólfar an Comhóid bliantúil, nó an Cruinniú Sínearáta i mDaite Léa Cliaí tráchnóna Sathain Éasca (má theastaíonn sin) agus Doimné Cásca, gac bliain.

66. Is iad a beas an an gComhóid ná an Anó-Comhairle a beas ag dul as réim agus teacfaí os na Contae a bhunús aon teacfa amháin ear ceann gac beic gClub nó cooán de beic os cionn a cúis, ac gan ac teacfa amháin a beic ear ceann aon Contae le cleamnaic is iú ná cúis.

67. Cumpear cóip den Clár Fhó, liosta na n-aimniú, Tuasascála an Rúnaí agus Cláraca na bFúilleac éun gac Contae coicís noth an gComhóid.

68. Is iad feirmeanna na Comhóid a:

(a) Tuasascála agus cuntais na hAnó-Comhairle, na gComhairlí Cúige, Comhairle na gColáistí agus Comhairle na Liacróide Láimhe don bliain noth né go dtí 31ú lá de mhí na Nollag a bhreithní.

(b) An Uachtarán agus beirt ioncaobái nó Cisteoní a tógad eif bailió.

(c) Rialaca a déctó, a leasú, nó a aghann; ac éun Rialat acá ann éana a éun an ceal nó a aghn, ní foláin dá ocrán dá mbeic i léam agus i ocríeal gacáicte gacáit leis.

69. Ní féidir na Rialaca Imearca a aghn ac uath in aghnó na g-úis mbliain ó 1940 amac agus Rialat 27 (Cluicí Eisiaca) uath in aghnó na ocrí mbliain ó 1941 amac agus ní mór cúis áite an élar na Comhóid sna blianta úo a tógairt do Rún a motann aghnóe sna Rialaca seo.

70. Noth an gComhóid beic an an Anó-Rúnaí an dáca is oéanaí do gTacad ábar nún don Clár Fhó a éun in iú do na Rúnaicé Contae. Deic sin foirmeaca o'aimniú an Uachtarán agus na nIoncaobáic a éun éucu sé beacáin noth Cáisc. Ní foláin na foirmeaca seo a éun an sin mí noth an gComhóid.

71. Ní foláin gac ábar nún agus gac aimniúicán a teacé eif na Rúnaicé Contae. Ní foláin, i gac moicái dáctú Rialaca nua nó do leasú Rialaca acá ann éana,

CONGRESS

65. The Annual Congress or General Meeting shall be held in Dublin on the evening of Easter Saturday (if such is considered necessary) and on Easter Sunday each year. The Central Council may summon a Special Congress should necessity arise.

66. The Annual Congress shall consist of the outgoing Council and delegates from the counties on a basis of one delegate for each ten affiliated Clubs or fraction of ten over five, with a single representative for a county with less than five affiliations.

67. Two weeks before Congress each county shall be furnished with a copy of the Agenda, list of nominees, Secretary's reports and Balance Sheets.

68. *The functions of the Congress are:—*

(a) To consider Report and Accounts of the Central, Provincial, Colleges and Handball Councils for preceding year to 31st December.

(b) To elect, by ballot, the President and two Trustees or Treasurers.

(c) To enact, amend, or rescind Rules; but removal or alterations of an existing Rule must be carried by two-thirds of those present and entitled to vote.

69. Playing Rules may be revised only once in five years as from 1940 and Rule 27 (Excluded Games) once every three years as from 1941 and motions advocating changes in these rules take precedence on Congress agenda for these years.

70. Previous to Congress the General Secretary shall notify County Secretaries of the latest date for receipt of Motions for Agenda. Six weeks before Easter he shall forward them forms for the nomination of President and Trustees. These forms must be returned one month before Congress.

71. All Motions and Nominations shall come through County Secretaries. Proposals to enact new, or amend

lán-téacs an aghuisín nó an leasáide a moltar a lua iontu agus fós don Rialáca a rácaó na moltaí sin i gciionn oréu a áicéuicáit.

CURAÓMIREANNA

72. Ní foláir 18 gcuraóimín, ar a lészad, a ódámaicéam i nészac cómórcas.

73. Dronnfaó an Aro-Cómhaitle ríde Donn o'ór 10 mp. 9 gcairicí ar buaicéimí **Óraob Síneanáe na héimeann** (iomáinc agus Peit); ríde Donn o'ór 8 mp., 9 gcairicí ar buaicéimí **Óraob Ioinnéanáe Iomána**; ríde Donn o'ór 8 mp. 9 gcairicí ar buaicéimí **Óraob Síseanáe** (iomáinc agus Peit); agus ríde Donn o'ór 6 mp. 9 gcairicí ar buaicéimí **Óraob na Mionúr**, (iomáinc agus Peit) gac bliain.

Dronnfar curaóimíreanna omúnaca ar na Tánaisicig i gCraob Síneanáe, Ioin-néanáe, Síseanáe agus Mionúr na héimeann in iomáinc agus i bPeit.

Dronnfar veitbín ve Conn na héimeann ar Cáptaein na bpoineann a buafas Craob Síneanáe na héimeann.

N.B.—Ós oitís oo Cumann lúcíteas gac veana na mbonn craoibe, ní céasáicear breis ar an uimhín a óamcár go hoifigiúil a óáitú.

Dámfaó na Comhaintí Cúige ríde Donn Óir ar buaicéimí na gCraobáca Iomána agus Peite.

Fágarar raió óiscréio na gCoisicí Contae an cineál uais-eanna a óámfar ar buaicéimí Craoibe Contae.

Ní foláir scríobhín i nészacéig a beic ar gac Donn agus curaóimín oifigiúil.

74. Ní foláir cunsóimíreanna ilcóimórcas, nó luac a gceann-áice, a lóiscéit leis an gCoiste Contae, leis an gComhaitle Cúige nó leis an Aro-Cómhaitle sula gcuirtear tús leis an ilcóimórcas.

CRAOB-COMÓRCAIS

75. Féaofaó gac Club cleamhaicé i gcontae a beic páir-teac i gCraob-Comórcas, ac cáille ioncraíla 2/6 an foimeann a beic ófolca.

existing Rules shall give the full text of the proposed addition or amendment and also quote in full any Rules affected thereby.

TROPHIES

72. At least 18 trophies must be awarded in all competitions.

73. The Central Council shall present twenty 10 dwt. 9 carat gold medals to the Senior Championship (Hurling and Football) winners; twenty 8 dwt. 9 carat gold medals to the Intermediate Hurling winners; twenty 8 dwt. 9 carat gold medals to the Junior (Hurling and Football) winners and twenty 6 dwt. 9 carat gold medals to the Minor (Hurling and Football) winners each year.

Suitable trophies shall be presented to the Runners-up in the All-Ireland Senior, Intermediate, Junior and Minor Hurling and Football Finals.

A miniature replica of the All-Ireland Cup shall be presented to Captains of teams winning All-Ireland Senior Championships.

N.B.—As the design of the Championship Medals is the property of the Gaelic Athletic Association, the distribution of such trophies beyond the number officially awarded is not permitted.

Provincial Councils shall award twenty Gold Medals to the winners of the Provincial Hurling and Football Championships. County Committees shall have discretion as to the nature of the prizes to be awarded to County Championship winners.

All official medals and trophies shall be inscribed in Irish.

74. Tournament trophies or their purchase price must be lodged with County Committee, Provincial Council or Central Council before tournament commences.

CHAMPIONSHIPS

75. Championships shall be open to all affiliated clubs in a county, on payment of entry fee of 2/6d. per team.

76. Is ceadaíte Contae a roinnt i gceantraída oiriúnaíca agus Craob-Comórtais a reáctáil trí hÉirín Srait-Cluicé, ac ceas na hArao-Comaitle a beir rairge cuige sin.

77. I gCraob-Comórtais Iom-Contae ní miste céas-cúptú na bPoinneann, ac beir an an bPoinn a geobas seaca imirt in aghair buaiceoini an céas cúplaite. Ní miste oo Coisici Contae a gcúplaite oo réiteac i utreo is go mbeir na seacaite uilig sa céas báda.

78. Ní foláir oo Contae a beir ullam leis an geas cluicé comórtais sinsear Cúigeac imirt noim beire na Deat-eaine agus ní foláir na Craob-Comórtais Cúigeaca a beir cluicé naim beiread lóit, nó, ma éagmais sin, beir an na Contaeaca agus an na Cúigi Poinne a cur cun cinn le himirt i gCraob-cluicé na hÉireann pé uair is gá leis an gcomlaicé ceannais sin.

Leanpaí uatpionnai dá mí théas ó dáca an locta son cluicéad ven sóat sin.

79. Gaillimh a beir le Cúige Muman o'iomáint Iom-Contae, ní foláir oo na Contaeaca i ngeac Cúige paoi seac imirt in aghair a céite agus oo na buaiceoini Cúige (Contaeaca) na cúplaite Iom-Cúigeaca o'imirt.

80. Déanpaí an Arao-Comaitle cupú an na ceitne Cúige a beas ag iomaioicé i gcluicé leac-éannais na Peite Sinsear. In iomáint Sinsear, ó carla Gaillimh a beir le Cúige Muman o'iomáint Iom-Contae, ní foláir oo Ulaíó (má díó ag iomaioicé) an leac-éannais a imirt in aghair na Muman agus Laigean gac vana bliam.

81. Má teipeann an Poinn, tar éis an fógra réam-oroaité a beir tugca oóib, coime CraobComórtais a seasam agus má déanann siad failli an fógra dá Lá Glan, i scribinn, a cabairt von Rúnaí Contae nó Ceantáin dá n-intinn a beir as lácam, réaspar a gcur an pionnai go ceann sé mí agus réaspar an cluicé a dámaicéam an Poinn an freasúra. Siánois fógra dá teicéir ó pionnai iao ac ní tabanpaí sé ceant acluaiceacaís oóib.

Má carlaíonn o'Poinn a gcoime i gCraob-Comórtais Contae a cur an ceal cuirpear ontu gac coscas dá raépar paoi a foc, nó, neactar acu, vut paoi éimic dá mí théas o'Pionnai.

76. A county may be divided into convenient districts and Championships decided on the League system, subject to the consent of the Central Council.

77. In Inter-County Championships there may be a draw for the first ties only, the team having a bye playing the winners of the first tie. County Committees may arrange their draws to permit of all byes in the first round only.

78. Counties must be prepared to play senior provincial ties by the end of May and provincial championships must be concluded by the end of July, otherwise the counties and Provinces must send forward teams to compete in All-Ireland Championships when required by the governing body.

Failure involves automatic suspension for twelve months from date of default.

79. Gaillimh being included in Munster for inter-County hurling purposes, Counties in each Province shall play off and Provincial winners (Counties) contest the inter-Provincial ties.

80. In Senior Football semi-finals the four Provinces competing shall be paired by the Central Council. In Senior Hurling, Gaillimh being included in Munster for inter-County hurling purposes, Ulster (if competing) shall play Munster and Leinster in semi-final in alternate years.

81. If, after prescribed notice has been given, a team shall fail to keep a championship engagement, and shall neglect to give two days' clear notice in writing of its intended default to the County or District Secretary, it may be suspended for six months and opponents awarded the match. Such notice avoids suspension, but does not entitle a club to a refixture.

In the event of a team cancelling its engagement in a county championship it shall be compelled to pay all expense incurred, under a penalty of twelve months suspension.

82. Don foireann nac' uiciopaio ar an réiteán ag an trác ceapra do luaitheachais Craob-Comórtas Contae nácaio pínéal £1 ortu i leit' gac' cúig nóiméas nó cúig den aga sin go mblionn véanaic, suas go cúig nóiméas véas. Don foireann a beas éan cúig nóiméas véas véanaic cailltíro siad a gceart don éluicé, cé gurad iad a duapas ve réin an scóir; agus dá ndúitcaio an foireann sin imirt uilicear iad a beic i mbaol pionnaí sé mhí.

83. Foireann a ucipeann ortu a gceao éluicé sa Craob-Comórtas a imirt, cailltíro siad a n-ionao sa Comórtas sin.

84. Craob-Comórtais Sinsear—Deio gac' comata caite inoipa te páirt a gclao i gCraob-Comórtasá Sinsear.

85. (i). Craob-Comórtas Iomlánaic Iomána na héineann: Imreoini acá inoipa te himirt—raoi réin vo na Contaeá a beas ag iomáioic a beic ceonra vo dá Craob-Comórtas éineann as na tui cinn vo daoine pásta (Sinsin, Iomlánaic agus Sóisín) beio imreoini raoi éluicé na ucipeara véanna acá i dfeioim vo Sóisín i (b), (c) agus (e) éios, ac in ionao (b) (2) guró é an eisceaic seo teanas a feioimeio—A buaic Craob-Comórtas Iomlánaic éluicé nó na héineann sa tréime sé sin.

(ii) Craob-Comórtais agus Céim na Sóisear—Imreoini acá inoipa te himirt i gCraob-Comórtais Sóisear:

(a) I gComórtais Contae—Imreoini nac' mbeio far éis imearta i gCraob-Comórtais Sinsear na bliana reaca nó na bliana roime sin, nó nac' raio ar an dfoiminn a buaic éluicé ceannais Craob-Comórtas Sóisear na bliana roime sin; raio sin, pé imreoini Sóisear a bí ar foiminn Sinsear ceantair an bliain roime sin agus pé imreoini a ceapraio ina Sóisín raoi réin fo-éluicé reaca an Contae (níl feioim te hacraio vo dá leicéio ac' amáin laicis' ven Contae). Is ve réin úiscraio na gCoiicé Contae a ceapraio imreoini a buain Craob Sóisear Contae i mbliain an gclao a gClub páirt sa Craob-Comórtas Sinsear dá macasamaí ve éluicé, a ngráio Sóisear a coimeao vo Craob-Comórtas ná bliana oán gciomn.

(b) I gComórtais Iom-Contae—Imreoini uacraice inoipa agus na imreoini sin uile náir imu ac' te foimne Craob-Comórtais Sóisín laicis' ven Contae i ré na bliana roim lá Coille ve bliain an Comórtais, nó iad sin a bí ar scór

82. A team which fails to take the field at the appointed time in County Championship fixtures, shall be fined £1 for every five minutes or part thereof which they are late, up to fifteen minutes. Any team more than 15 minutes late shall forfeit the match, even though winners on the score, and should such team refuse to play they shall be liable to six month's suspension.

83. A team failing to play its first tie in a Championship competition shall forfeit its place in that Competition.

84. Senior Championships—All qualified members shall be eligible to take part in the senior championships.

85. (i) All-Ireland Intermediate Hurling Championship: Players eligible to play—Subject to competing Counties being restricted to two of the three All-Ireland Championships for Adults (Senior, Intermediate and Junior) players are governed by the same regulations as apply to Juniors in (b), (c) and (e) hereunder, except that instead of (b) (2) the following exception would apply—Won Intermediate Provincial or All-Ireland Championship in said period.

(ii) Junior Championships and Status.—Players eligible to play in Junior Championships:

(a) In County: Players who have not played in the Senior County Championships of the previous or current year, or who were not on the team winning the previous year's Junior Championship final; also such Junior players as were on a Divisional Senior team of the previous year and such players as were regraded Junior in accordance with the current Bye-laws of the County (such regrading is effective only within the County). Players winning a County Junior title in a year in which their Club also took part in the same code in the Senior Championship may, at the discretion of the County Committee, retain their Junior status for the following year's Championship.

(b) In Inter-County—Eligible declared players and all players who have played solely on Junior championship teams within the County during the twelve months prior to the 1st day of January of the current year, or who have been inactive during the said period; except such afore-

o imirt i nít na tréimse sin; ac amháin a mbeaó de na himreoiní réamh-luaise sin:

(1) D'imirt ar fóininn Craob-Comórtais Sinsir Ioir-Contae i nít na tréimse sin;

(2) A buais Craob-Comórtas Sóisean Cúige (ac amháin an Ureacain) nó na hÉireann sa tréimse sin.

(c) Nuair a tugann Comairle Cúige gráó Sóisean do Contae iomlán, beir Sinsir an Contae a gráóisean amháin agus imreoiní Sinsearaí a uadálainn don Contae i ucebeal imearú mar Sóisir sa Craob-Comórtas Ioir-Contae agus i gCraob na hÉireann, ac amháin buaireoiní na bliana roimhe sin i gCraob-Comórtas Sóisean Cúige nó na hÉireann.

(d) In aon cás dá gceadaíonn an Comairle Cúige do chóiscí Contae a bpoimne cánaiste a cur éin imearú i gCraob-Comórtas Sóisean Ioir-Contae Peirle beiró Sinsir a leicéio de Contae incofa le himirt mar Sóisir i gCraob-Comórtas Ioir-Contae, ac amháin iad sin a imirt i gCraob-Comórtas Sinsear Ioir-Contae na bliana roimhe sin agus buaireoiní Craob Sóisean Cúige nó na hÉireann den bliain roimhe sin.

(e) In aon cás ina n-imríonn imreoiní Sóisearaí an fóininn roghaíte Cbancair i gCraob-Comórtas Sinsear an Contae, ghlóópar imreoiní dá leicéio mar Sóisir do comórtas an Contae agus do comórtas Ioir-Contae.

Nóca—Níl feirm le haon eisceaéc dá ndéantar maidir le buaireoiní Craob Sóisean Cúige sa riall réamhlaice ac amháin sa méad a baineann le Craob-Comórtas Cúige.

86. Craob-Comórtas Mionúr—Beir na comórtas seo ceoranta d'imreoiní acá oet mbliana oéag coctiom nó faoi bun na haoise sin ar lú eanáin bliain an Craob-Comórtas. I gcás agóioe an an gúinise seo, ní foláir don Club nó don Contae dá ndéantar agóio ina gcomne Teastas Cláraitheora a cur an fáil, agus ní foláin an cáille maécanac de 7s. in agáio gac imreora dá mbíonn i gceist a lóisteáil i uceanra na cáille agóioe. Má éiníonn leis an agóio, aibío:par an cáille uceireanáic sin.

87. An ianraas ón gCairraen nó ó feirmeannaic freagnaic, beiró an an Réiceoir aifú, lán-seolac agus Club son imreora a mbíonn a ainm an an liosta cúige óime oéag a eugtar do roim an gclúice, a fáil.

88. Deimniú Aoise: Do clúicí Ioir-Contae, beiró an gac Mionúr teastas deimniúe paróiste an a aois a fáil, agus ní

mentioned players as have (1) played on Senior Inter-County Championship team during said period. (2) Won Junior Provincial (excepting Britain) or All-Ireland championship in said period.

(c) *Where a whole County is graded Junior by the Provincial Council, the Seniors of the County so graded and Senior players declaring for the County shall be entitled to play as Juniors in the Inter-County and All-Ireland Championships, except previous year's Junior Provincial or All-Ireland winners.*

(d) *Where County Committees are permitted by the Provincial Council to play their second-best team in Junior Inter-County Football Championships, Seniors of such County shall be eligible to play Junior in such Inter-County Championships, except those who played in the previous year's Junior Provincial or All-Ireland winners.*

(e) *Where Junior Players play on a selected Divisional team in the Senior County championships, such players shall be ranked as Juniors both for County and Inter-County competitions.*

NOTE:— *Exceptions to Junior Provincial winners in the foregoing Rule refer only where Provincial Championships are concerned.*

86. Minor Championships.—These competitions shall be confined to players who are celebrating their 18th birthday or are under 18 years of age on 1st of January of the Championship year. In the case of an objection on this ground, the Club or County objected to shall produce Registrar's Certificate, and the necessary fee of 7s. for each p'ayer in question shall be lodged with the objection fee. If the objection is upheld, the latter fee is returned.

87. If requested by the Captain or responsible official, the referee shall obtain the signature, full address and club of any player whose name appears on list of fifteen handed to him prior to the match.

88. Proof of Age: For inter-County matches, each Minor shall procure an authenticated parochial certificate

foláin sin a chur ar aghaidh i uceanna liosta uúbláire na n-imreoirí, ar an bpointe sin, seacht lá roimh dáta an Chraob-
 comórtais. Muna ndéantar sin, cailtfead ceart oon éluice
 agus bainfead £3 de na costais a ceadaítear uon Contae.
 Ní foláin uon Rúnaí Cúige ná páisnéisí seo a chur go uci
 an Aro-Comhainte seacht lá roimh imisí Iom-Cúigeada.

I gcás foimne mionúr a gceofaí ciontaé i gcun san áineam
 imreoirí a beadh éar an teona aoise, cuitfead faoi fionraí
 ól bliain Cataoimteáé agus Rúnaí an Club gur comatta
 de an t-imreoir, agus cuitfead an t-imreoir nó na himreoirí
 mí úisceanáca faom b'fionraí ééanna.

89. Ní misce o'imreoirí Mionúr out le gádo is aithe ná
 sin gan uocár dá gcéim Mionúr.

AGÓIDÍ, AÉCOMHAINC AGUS IMSCRÚDUITE

90. Ní ceadaíte aÉcomhairc a chur éuis don Comhainte, Doru
 nó Coiste Contae, ac amháin sa méad a fondaítear sna Riataca
 seo, agus go háimé, ní ceadaíte don aÉcomhairc a chur éuis
 Cúirt Uí nó éuis don úonáas seachtáca, ar don éisic.

91. Féadfaí comhóanah foimne a glacann páirt in don
 comórtas o'imscrúdaí, ar iannatas scriofa ó don ball uen
 Comhainte nó uen Coiste a bíonn i gceannas. Ní foláin a
 teicéio o'iannatas a chur ar fáil laistigh de seacht lá ear éis
 an éluice agus ní foláin ná míce a bíonn le himscrúdaí a tu
 ann. Má éruaítear an foimeann a beic comhóanaca go mí-
 úisceanáca cuitfead na héimic réam-úroaite i b'fionraí, ac
 ní uonfaí an éluice o'foimne an fneasúna.

92. (a). Deic ceart aÉcomhairc go uci an Aro-Comhainte,
 in n'gac don éas, as Coisic Contae

(b) faoi réim gan a beic i uceioal ear dá éisicéac a
 fáil ar na míce a bíonn faoi éisic :-

(i) Deic ceart aÉcomhairc go uci an Comhainte Cúige as
 Club.

(ii) Deic ceart aÉcomhairc go uci an Comhainte Cúige as
 uoime uonair in aghaidh breicúinas an Coisic Contae nó go
 uci an Aro-Comhainte in aghaidh breicúinas ná Comhainte Cúige.

93. Deic ceas as Club don eolas miacánaé a uaineann
 le haáóidí nó le haÉcomhairc, agus acá i gcaipéisí oifigúla,

of age, to be forwarded with duplicate list of players, on
 prescribed form, seven days before championship date.
 Failure to do so involves loss of match and deduction of
 £3 from County expenses allowed. The Provincial Secretary
 shall forward these particulars to the Central Council seven
 days prior to Inter-Provincial ties.

In the case of minor teams found guilty of including
 players over the age limit, the Chairman and Secretary of
 the Club of which the player is a member shall be sus-
 pended for two years, and the illegal player or players
 for the same period.

89. Minor players may take part in higher grades
 without prejudice to their minor status.

OBJECTIONS, APPEALS AND INVESTIGATIONS

90. Save as provided in these Rules no appeals shall
 be to any Council, Co. Board or Committee and, in parti-
 cular, no appeal shall be to any Court of Law or to any
 outside body on any matter.

91. *The constitution of a team* taking part in any
 competition may be investigated on the written request of
 any member of the Council or committee in charge. Such
 request shall be furnished within *seven days* after the
 match and must set out the points for investigation. If
 illegal constitution is proved, prescribed penalties shall
 be enforced, but opposing team shall not get the match.

92. (a) *County Committees* in all cases shall have the
 right of appeal to the Central Council.

(b) *Subject only to two hearings on the points at issue :*

(i) *Clubs* shall have the right of appeal to the Provincial
 Council.

(ii) *Individuals* shall have the right to appeal against
 the decision of the County Committee to the Provincial
 Council, or against the decision of the Provincial Council
 to the Central Council.

93. In accordance with Rule 10, Clubs may apply to,
 and receive direct from County, Provincial or General

a iarradó ve réir Riall 10, agus a fáil vínead ón Rúnaí Contae nó Cúige nó ón Anó-Rúnaí, agus veirí an ceant eáanna iarratais agus fála ag Coistí Contae ón Rúnaí Cúige nó ón Anó-Rúnaí, ar comholl na haghóirí nó na haíomhaire a veirí lóiscéidite noim ré (ac amáin i gcás imneoirí mionúir, nuair náe foiláir na cáipéisí ábanta oifigúla a éur ar fáil toí n-miúeáó má iarrtar sin).

94. I gcás Club Sóisear a glacann páirt i gcomórtais Ceantair agus a veagann náicead a gcúiseanna faoi ótínse na gCoistí Ceantair a bunáicear faoi réir Riall 35, ní veirí acu ac ceav aíomhaire go veí a gCoistí Contae féin agus ní veirí out éar a mbreirí sin.

95. (a) Ní foiláir agóir nó aíomhaire ó Club nó ó duine aonair a lóiscéidite leis an Rúnaí Ceantair nó leis an Rúnaí Contae laistis ve sheac lá, nó laistis ve ceirne lá nuair a néam-ordáicear sin sna Fo-Riataca mar son te cáille £1.

(b) Ní foiláir aíomhaire i gcoinne Coistí Contae a lóiscéidite leis an Rúnaí na Comhairle Cúige, mar son te héantais £2, laistis ve sheac lá éar éis torad na céav breire a veirí cunta in iúl go hoifigúil.

(c) Ní foiláir cáille £5 vo fáil in éineac te haghóirí agus aíomhaire ó Coiste Contae go veí Comhairle Cúige nó go veí an Anó-Comhairle.

(d) Má ceirpeann an agóir nó an aíomhaire náeair an cáille go veí an cosantóir.

96. Ní foiláir gac agóir, fuit-agóir agus aíomhaire a lóiscéidite i noubláio. Ní foiláir na páfanna a ius go cruinn iontu, mar son leis na Riataca a n-abantar gur sánsóó ias. Meas-far cóip acá cruinn in éireac a veirí má vóbláio. Ní miste níe acá tasmuis ven bun-cás a breicnó, ac i gcás agóirí ní ceaváite a fáim acá fínneite an túsac éisteaac vóir sa céav toisc.

Deonfar éisteaac vo veirí ionadái ó gac taob te linn na triatac.

Ní foiláir, i ngac aíomhaire, caoi leabáca a tabairt ven uinne aonair, Club nó Contae a bíonn i gceist. Deonfarí Rúnaí an Coiste nó na Comhairle a émailpó an t-aíomhaire ias a fáim agus cumpear an torad in iúl vóir.

Secretary; and County Committees from Provincial or General Secretary, any information contained in official documents necessary in connection with objections and appeals, provided the objections or appeals are already lodged (except in the case of minor players, when the relevant official documents will be available for inspection on demand).

94. Junior clubs engaged in District Competitions whose cases come under the jurisdiction of the Divisional Committees formed under Rule 35, shall have the right of appeal only to their County Committees, whose decisions shall be final.

95. (a) An objection or appeal by club or individual shall be lodged with divisional or county secretary within seven days, or four where bye-laws so prescribe, accompanied by fee of £1.

(b) Appeals against County Committees shall be lodged with Secretary of Provincial Council, with a deposit of £2, within seven days after the result has been officially made known.

(c) Objections and appeals by county Committees to Provincial or Central Councils shall be accompanied by a fee of £5.

(d) When objection or appeal fails, the fee shall go to defending party.

96. All objections, counter-objections and appeals must be lodged in duplicate. They shall set forth the exact grounds and the rules alleged to have been infringed. A substantially correct copy shall be considered a duplicate. Points outside the original case may be considered, but in appeals only witnesses heard in first instance can be called.

Two representatives on each side shall be admitted during hearing.

In all appeals, the individual, Club or County concerned shall have the right to be heard. They shall be summoned by the Secretary of the Committee or Council hearing the Appeal and shall be notified of the result.

97. Ní foláin fuit-ásgóirí a léisteáil laistigh de 7 lá ó dáta fála na hásóire ón Rúnal Contae, muran ceadaigh an Aro-Comhairle tréimse is tú ná sin.

98. Ní féidir ásgóirí, fuit-ásgóirí nó aécómhairne a éarráingt siar tar éis iad a léisteáil; cailtíear ceart don cáille, bíod is go socraíonn tué na hásóire nó an aécómhairne ná naépar an ásgáir.

99. Fóireann a éruálfear a beic mí-ólísteanac, de tonad ásgóire, cailtíod siad an cluicé i bpadar tué a bpreasúra.

100. Raáiríonnaí naé tú ná dá mí óeas an don éiontaigh a éadarpas fianaise úreige nó fianaise fálsaite uacu.

101. Sa hGaeltacht, nó in don áit dá nglacann Coiste Contae leis, ní foláin ásgóirí, fuit-ásgóirí, agus aécómhairne a scriob agus, nuair is féidir in don éor é, iad a plé i nGaeilge.

102. Snaic-Comóntais—Féarfan Snaic-Comóntais a easnú mar comóntais don-ábataca nó úé-ábataca. Deir ceau ag na Coisicé ceannais fo-málaaca a úéanaim ac an Coiste Contae, an Comhairle Cúige nó an Aro-Comhairle, de réim teiteau an comóntais, á ceauú sin. Deir gac dreic dá nóéanaim Coiste an tSnaic-Comóntais faoi réim ólínse na n-údarás seo ar an gsuma céanna.

103. Deir na himreoiní faoi réim na ngnáé-éaitíóeéal is na ngnáé-éinici Club is Contae. Ní foláin tiosta ná n-imreoiní ó'imnisi Iom-Contae a beic de réim mar óruálfear oo comóntais óirigúta; ac ní úéanar ooéar oo céim imreoiní tni páirt a glacáó i Snaic-Comóntais, mura nolítear a málaicé tni fo-riail speisialta.

104. Ní ceauáite ó'imreoiní a glacann páirt i gCraob-Cluicé Iom-Contae imric ac ar son an Contae céanna sa tSnaic Náisiúnta.

105. Áineofan tonái Snaic-Cluicé mar teanas: dá pointe i teic bua agus pointe aiháin i teic coérom. Ní foláin ó'pointe a ériocnós te hionannas pointí ag ceann na úéablaí imric in ásgáir a céite ar móó aonábatac.

97. Counter-objections must be lodged within 7 days from the date of receipt of objection from the County Secretary, unless Central Council has sanctioned a shorter period.

98. Objections, Counter-objections or appeals once lodged shall not be withdrawn; the fee shall be forfeited even should the Objectors or Appellants decide not to proceed.

99. A team proved illegal on objection shall lose the match to its opponents.

100. The tendering of false or forged evidence shall entail suspension of guilty party for not less than twelve months.

101. In the Gaeltacht or wherever adopted by County Committees, objections, counter-objections or appeals shall be written and, where at all feasible, discussed in the Irish language.

LEAGUE COMPETITIONS

102. *League Competitions*—Leagues may be organised as single or double round competitions. Committees in charge may make bye-laws subject to approval by County Committee, Provincial Council or Central Council according to the scope of competition. The decisions of the League Committee shall be subject to the authority of these bodies in like manner.

103. Players shall be subject to the regular club and county qualifications and penalties. Lists of players for inter-county ties must conform with official competition requirements; but the status of players is not affected by participation in Leagues unless governed by special bye-law.

104. Players taking part in inter-county championships may play for same county only in National League.

105. League results shall be reckoned as follows: two points for a win, and one for a draw. Teams finishing with equal points at the head of the Table shall play off on a knock-out system.

106. **Cluicéí Iléomórtais**—Ní foláir ceao an Coiste Contae áitiúil a fáil sa léao éas ve vo zac cluicé iléomórtais, cluicé éairtéis agus cluicé dúsláin. Nuair is cluicé toir-Contae iao ní foláir ceao na Comhairle Cúige a fáil, agus ceao na hAro-Comhairle má bíonn foirme ó Cúigí éagsúla páirteac iontu.

Racáirí fiontáil ar imneoir nó foineann a glacann páirt in iléomórtas náó bfuil ceavaicé ve néir na Riailé seo agus is ag an gCoiste Contae amháin atá cumhaicé a déglacéa más laistig ven Contae a bí an iléomórtas nó ag an gComhairle Cúige nó Aro-Comhairle más lasmuig ve Contae an imneora nó na foirme a bí an iléomórtas.

107. Ní foláir zac iarracas ar loig ceaoa u'iléomórtais toir-Contae agus toir-Cúigeaca a ceacé trí na Rúnaité Contae agus a n-aoncúsan a fáil oóid. Tá éagsmais sin, ní féoir a gceaoú.

108. Ní eiseofar ceavúnaic u'iléomórtais toir-Cúigeaca a racas ear lá amáin ac ar doinnfoli go gcuirfean a gcuicais faoi bráio Inúicéona an Cumainn á nveimniú agus go n-foefan 10% ve na glan-fáilcáic leis an Aro-Comhairle.

COSTAIS TAISICIL AGUS ÓSTALOCTA

109. foefan costais taisicil agus óstalocta i leic éluicé toir-Contae ve néir scála a sócrós an Aro-Comhairle ar oíroú na Comháta.

110. **Deontais:** Ve breis ar na costais a buaicéar tuas, agus i leic zac caiteacáic tairis sin, gcebaró Contacéa a beas páirteac i gcluicé Ceannais Sinsear na hÉineann £300, agus i gcluicé leat-Ceannais £150.

I gcás Craob-Comórtasáí Sóisear na hÉineann veofar £50 an ceann vo na Contacéa a beas ag iomaioicé ven "Ceannas Cois Daite" agus páiris sin, oóid sío a beas sa cluicé Ceannais (i.e. buaicéoirí Cois Daite v. buaicéoirí na Breacaine Móire).

111. Deiró ve léao ag Comhairle Cúige nó ag an Aro-Comhairle gan costais taisicil ná óstalocta ná veontais a dáhaicéam vo Contacéa a cuineann foirme neam-óisicéanaaca

106. **Tournament Matches.**— All Tournament friendly and challenge matches shall have the sanction of the Local County Committee in the first instance. When they are of an inter-county character the sanction of the Provincial Council shall also be required and, if they include teams from different Provinces, the permission of the Central Council.

A player or team taking part in any Tournament not sanctioned in accordance with this Rule shall be thereby suspended and can be reinstated only by the County Board, if the Tournament was held in the County or by the Provincial or Central Council if the Tournament was held outside the player's or team's County.

107. All applications for permission to hold inter-county and inter-provincial tournaments must come through and be recommended by County Secretaries. Otherwise they cannot be granted.

108. Permits for inter-provincial tournaments of more than one day's duration will only be issued on condition that the accounts be submitted to Association's Auditor for certification, and that 10% of the net receipts be paid over to the Central Council.

TRAVELLING AND HOTEL EXPENSES

109. *Travelling and hotel expenses* for inter-county matches shall be paid in accordance with scale drawn up by the Central Council on the direction of Congress.

110. *Grants:* In addition to above expenses, and to meet all additional outlays, Counties in Senior All-Ireland Finals shall receive £300 and Semi-finalists shall receive £150.

In the Junior All-Ireland Championships, £50 shall be granted to each of the Counties competing in the "Home Finals" and also to each of the Finalists (i.e. Home winners v. Britain winners).

111. Counties fielding illegal teams in inter-county and/or in inter-provincial championships may not be awarded

cun imeartha i gCraob-Comórtais Ioir-Contae agus/nó Ioir-Cúigeada.

Ní foláir don Aro-Comhairle nó don Chomhairle Cúige costais fóinne Sóisear agus Mionúr a coméado siar go scríofnaítear an Craob-Comórtais agus cailtfean ceart chúcú i teit aon éitice a scrúlaítear gur cuireadh fóinneann neam-óliscianad cun imeartha ann.

112. **Dealuithe**—In ionad dí-éadú a bfuil ar fóinne i teit beit véanad as ceact ar an réiteán, bainfean na dealuithe seo teanas ó na costais a ceadaítear do comhlíní Ioir-Contae agus Ioir-Cúigeada, an cúinse naé naéaró an moitl ear 15 nóiméad nuv a teanann cailtúint a gceart don éitice é : An tSraic Náisiúnta—£5 ; Craob-Comórtais Mionúr—£10 ; Craob-Comórtais Sóisear—£15 ; Craob-Comórtais Sínséar agus Conn-Cluicí Ioir-Cúigeada—£20 ; Cluicí Ceannais Sínséar Cúigeada agus Cluicí Leat-Ceannais Sínséar na hÉireann—£50.

SEALLTÚR AGUS CEARNBÁCAS

113. Ní ceadófar tuet zeallglaeta ar páincaanna te um éitice Iomána nó Peite, agus beid ve cumact as aon ball ven Coiste Contae, ve Coiste Sraic-Cluicé Iomána nó Peite, ve Comhairle Cúige nó ven Aro-Comhairle iao eisiaéctainc ; agus cunfean faoi fionnaí aon éomaita ve Cumann Lúctéas Saet a zeofan as cur zeallt.

Nóta.—Féadfan an Riail seo a fíerimú go héirectad má teantar na comhioláda simplí seo a teanas a teagtar síos san áct um Zealltúr ar Sraiveanna :

(1) Dúob fógna ctóbuaitc in amoe as na vomse eás-súta agus in áiteanna sofeicte eite, agus laicis ven páinc, teis, a cur in iúl cose a beit as an gCoiste ar zealltúr agus ceannbácas ven uite ságas.

(2) Cuir in iúl vo póitíní na háice go bfuil sin á véanadh agus má véantar sárú ar an Riail beid v'fíacáib oncu na ciontaic a cur ven páinc.

114. Ní ceadaite aon páinc dá mblionn i seibh iontaobal nó iontaobaitc ar son nó ear ceann aon club, Coiste Ceantair, Coiste Contae, Comhairle Cúige nó Aro-Comhairle an Cumainn, a tigeán nó a ceadóinú nó a húsáro a ceadó, vo násafoet éapall, násafoet éon nó v'aon gnó eite seacás

Travelling or Hotel Expenses, or Grants, by Provincial or Central Council.

Expenses of Junior and Minor Teams shall be withheld by Central Council or Provincial Council until completion of championship and forfeited in respect of any match in which an illegal team was proved to have been fielded.

112. **Deductions:** Instead of disqualification of a team for late arrival on the field, the following deductions shall be made from expenses allowed for inter-county and inter-provincial contests, provided delay does not exceed 15 minutes, which involves loss of match: National League, £5; Minor Championships, £10; Junior Championships, £15; Senior Championships, and Inter-Provincial Cup ties, £20; Senior Provincial Finals and Senior All-Ireland Semi-finals, £25; Senior All-Ireland Finals, £50.

BETTING AND GAMBLING

113. Betting men shall not be allowed on the grounds where Hurling and Football are being held, and any member of the county committee, Provincial or Central Council, shall be empowered to have them ejected; and any member of the G.A.A. found betting shall be suspended.

NOTE:— This Rule can be effectively enforced if the following simple conditions prescribed by the Street Betting Act be fulfilled:

(1) Have printed notices posted up at the different entrances and in other conspicuous places, as well as inside the grounds, stating the Committee forbids betting and gambling of all kinds.

(2) Inform the local police this is being done and if an infringement occurs they are bound to remove the offenders from the ground.

114. No Grounds held by a Trustee or Trustees for or on behalf of any Club, Divisional Committee, County Committee, Provincial Council or Central Council of the Association shall be let or licensed or permitted to be used for Horse Racing, Greyhound Racing or any other purpose other than those sanctioned by the Central Council of the

man a ceastóinn An-Cómhaithe an Cumann, agus i gcás aon Ionadóirí Cluab, Coiste Ceantair, Coiste Contae nó Comhaithe Cúige a ghlóimh contrárta te foirdeáca na Rialáca seo, bífean a gcur faoi fionraí go ceann pé tréimse ar a gcinneadh an An-Cómhaithe.

SMAÉC-RIARAÓ NA GCLUICÍ

115. Ní foirdeán uon An-Cómhaithe, uo na Comhaití Cúige agus uo na Coiscí Contae an cumáca éun réiteoirí a ceapadh, uon uile cluicé faomá nolinse, a éainmúgean te fo-coiste náca mó ná seisear.

116. Fágfaa smaéc-riaraó na gcluicí faoi éúnam an Réiteora, cúl-maoin (ceastair) agus maoin líne (beiré). Ní foirdeán uóú sin gáca ceist a baianann leis an imirt a réiteac an an bfaice.

An Réiteoir—Is iao buatais agus cumácaí Réiteora i ceannaca a bfoirdeán sna Rialáca imearaca, ná :

(a) Glacaó te liostaí na n-imreoirí (agus ní foirdeán uóú sin a beiré i nGaeilge), iao a símú, cóip a éadaint u'foirdeán an fheasúra noim an gcluicé agus féacaint éurige go bfuil na himreoirí gléasca go cúl ; a éun in uil uon Coiste nó Comhaithe ceannais in aon éas ná bfaigeann sé liosta na n-imreoirí.

(b) An liastóir a éaiteam isteaó i uóú imearaca i nglacaó teac agus scón a ceapú nó a óiceaóú mura réicéon na cúl-maoin, agus sa éas sin amháin.

(c) A éaispeáint caeam agus cén fao a bfoim saon-iaipácaí te glacaó.

(d) Comhaithe a glacaó leis na cúl-maoin agus leis na maoin líne nuain is gá sin agus fear ionaó a ceapadh uó n-éimeoú aon buine acu as a éúnam noim beimeoú an cluicé.

(e) Omeas na scón a coimeoú agus tuarascáit ar an gcluicé a éun isteaó, maite te hainmneaca imreoirí a ónoóraf uon réiteán, ainmneaca imreoirí a gontóraf agus a luéc ionaó, brú isteaó ó óaoime néam-óaoaraité agus ainmneaca imreoirí nó feiómianais a óéanraó cur isteaó te linn an cluicé. Féacfaa piónós a éun ar na óaoime beimeanaaca seo uo éain úisreóir an uóúndis éeannais.

(f) An liastóir a éonmaó an éaptaim foirme an bua as beimeoú cluicé ceannais na gCúirí agus na nÉimeann.

(g) Ní ceapaité uo Réiteoir cluicé a óamácaim ; ac ní

Association, and in the event of any Trustees, Club, Divisional Committee, County Committee or Provincial Council acting contrary to this Rule, they shall be liable to suspension for such period as the Central Council shall decide.

CONTROL OF MATCHES

115 The Central Council, Provincial Councils and County Committees shall delegate the power to appoint referees, for all games under their jurisdiction, to a sub-committee of not more than six.

116. Control of matches shall be entrusted to the Referee, Umpires (four) and Linesmen (two). All questions affecting play shall be decided on the field by them.

Referee.—The duties and powers of a Referee in addition to those set out under Playing Rules, shall be:—

(a) Receive lists of players, which must be in Irish, sign them, give a copy to opposing team before the match and see that players are properly attired ; report any failure regarding the receipt of list of players to the Committee or Council in charge.

(b) Throw in ball at commencement of play in each half, and allow or disallow score if Umpires disagree but not otherwise.

(c) Indicate when and where frees are to be taken.

(d) Consult with the Umpires and Linesmen when occasion arises and in case any of them withdraws before end of match, appoint a substitute.

(e) Keep a record of the scores and forward report of the match with names of players ordered off ; players injured and replaced ; substitutes coming on to play ; the intrusion of unauthorised persons ; the names of players or officials interfering during the course of the games. These latter may be penalised at the discretion of the Controlling Body.

(f) Present the ball to the Captain of winning team at conclusion of Provincial and All-Ireland Finals.

(g) Referee cannot make an award of a match ; but

misce nó a scór breith a tabairt, má iarrtar aon é. Faoim gCoiste nó faoin gComhairle lena mbaineann an scéal, ag maíú dóibh an a tuairiscáil, ará dá bharr an t-úille.

(h) Ní beiríodh aon breith an Réiteora maidir le hion ceist fionais nó ama.

117. Beiríodh de chúlaí ag an Réiteoir :

(a) A fógairt, tar éis uil i gComhairle le feirmeannaigh maíca an tuairiscáil, an réiteán nó aon tosca eile a beiríodh mí-ghnách é sin imearta.

(b) Scór de chúlaí d'imearta solais, de theasca sfon-dur isteach eiseactaí nó an son fáta an bít eile is leor leis. Níá scortan de chúlaí de theasca an doncaos a ceasóid ní foláir é a aclaí na t-éimise lán-ama, mura éadla moill ó don-ghnó i bpráint foime amáin, agus sa éad sin ó'fhearaí é a dá bharr an t-foimeann a bheiríodh.

(c) Breis ama a tabairt i ngach leat de chúlaí moill a caitéid ó don-ghnó nó go teaghsaí sa leat sin nó é sin go nglactaí saon-iarraic. Dá n-éadlaí foimeann na cosanta caolaí breise aclaí bheiríodh an Réiteoir don lán-ama, beiríodh breis ama cairis sin a tabairt ó'fion saon-iarraic breise a ceasóid. Ní áireofar scór de corad saon-iarraic den sórt sin aclaí i gcás na t-éimise don saon imearta eile ó'fion a ceasóid leis an liathróid.

(d) Foláimeam a tabairt ó'imearta de éinn oibríochtaí coimiscce agus é a éir den réiteán dá n-ádhairíodh sé aclaí.

(e) Imearta a éir den réiteán de éinn imirt doncaos, de éinn bagairt láimhe nó camán a déanam ar duine eile, nó de éinn ghríogaí naí éir a déanam ar imeartaí nó ar feirmeannaigh.

(f) Scór den chúlaí má b'ádhairíodh imearta imearta den réiteán.

(g) Foimeann ionlán a ádhairíodh de éinn gairimearta.

118. Tar éis nó a breith a tabairt agus tar éis séivead na feide nó, ní ceadaíte don Réiteoir a breith a aclaí.

119. Ní foláir beiríodh maon líne, a ceasóid an Réiteoir, an Coiste Concae, an Chomhairle Cúige nó an An-Comhairle, a beiríodh ann, agus ní foláir bracaí a beiríodh acu. Is é a n-ádhairíodh an (faoi réir breith an Réiteora) a réitead caeam agus

may give his final scores if requested. The award rests with the Committee or Council concerned acting on his report.

(h) Referee's decision on any question of fact and in regard to time shall be final.

117. The Referee shall have power to:

(a) Declare ground or other conditions unsuitable for play, after consulting officials in charge of the fixture.

(b) Terminate a match for want of light, because of persistent outside interference, or any other reason he considers sufficient. If match is stopped by darkness coming on, it must be re-fixed for full-time, unless there was deliberate delay on the part of one team, when it may be awarded to their opponents.

(c) Extend time in each half for delays, deliberate or incidental, in that half or to allow for a free to be taken. Should the defending team commit a further foul before the referee whistles for full time he shall further extend the time to permit an additional free to be taken. A score can result from such frees only when no other player of the same side touches the ball.

(d) Caution player for forbidden tactics and send him to the line on repetition of offence.

(e) Order to the line a player indulging in dangerous play, threatening another with hand or hurley, or using provocative language to players or officials.

(f) Abandon match if player refuses to leave field.

(g) Disqualify an entire team for rough play.

118. Once having given a decision the Referee, after sounding the whistle, shall not alter it.

119. (a) There shall be two Linesmen appointed by Referee, County Committee, Provincial Council or Central Council; who shall be provided with flags. Their duty (subject to the decision of the Referee) shall be to decide when and where the ball crosses the side-line, and which

cá h-áit a scrúdaíonn an t-ádhúir an t-ádhúir agus cé acu
 taobh a bhí i gceannairde agus cé acu i gceannairde. In áit
 ná réiteach nó mionlíne a dhéanfaidh sé acu foireann a bhí
 i gceannairde agus cé acu i gceannairde nó poc i gceannairde beidh an
 maor líne féin an t-ádhúir a dhéanfaidh i gceannairde.

Ní foirnear na maor líne taobh amháin an uime den
 faice a ghlacáid, uimead iasmuig den réiteáin, taobhanna a
 mairtú lena céite ag teat-am, agus ní foirnear uíob an
 bhacáid a éir in áit nó uime agus áit a uime an t-ádhúir
 as imirt, agus an bhacáid a éir anáid sa t-ádhúir an
 t-ádhúir le spreacáid nó le pocáid. Ní éirí an áit an na
 foirne iomlána mura mairtú na maor taobhanna le
 céite ag teat-am.

(b) Ní foirnear beir cúl-maor, a ceapras an Réiteoir, an
 Coisce Contae, an Coimhite Cúige nó an Áit-Comhairle, a
 beir ag gach ceann den faice. Ní foirnear uime acu a seasadh
 iasmuig de gach cúl-ádhúir. Is iad a n-ádhúir (faoi réim
 beir an Réiteora mura n-ádhúir ádhúir) faice amach uíob
 cúl agus uíob ádhúir agus uíob ádhúir an Rial an Cois-
 ceomhairle, agus a réiteáid eacair a dhéan an t-ádhúir éir
 an gceann-líne. Ní ghlacfaid na cúl-maor mairtú ceann ag
 teat-am.

Comhairleir an t-ádhúir a beir an fórsa (an seacá) t-ádhúir
 ádhúir nó an uíob ádhúir a tuascaid. Ní foirnear an bhacáid
 a ádhúir i lár an cúl-ádhúir nuair a faicead scór.

Nuair a dhéanfaid scór, cuirfead ádhúir an Rial an
 Cois-ceomhairle in uíob t-ádhúir na mairtú comhairle a
 mbéid an cúl.

Cuirfead "Caoga" sa beir agus "Seacá" san ádhúir
 in uíob t-ádhúir a dhéanfaid ádhúir an réiteáin san
 áit a dhéanfaid an t-ádhúir éir an gceann-líne éir uíob
 ádhúir a ádhúir nó ceannairde léi.

120. Ní foirnear Réiteoir, Cúl-maor agus Maor Líne, le
 na dhéanfaid gach ádhúir iomairte agus iomairte, a ceapad ag
 an gceannairde ina uíob an na tuascaid. Má ceannairde ádhúir
 feirmeannad uíob an gach a beir in ádhúir ádhúir, beidh an
 ádhúir a éir in uíob an Rial a dhéanfaid an gceannairde agus beidh
 ádhúir réiteáid ádhúir.

I gceannairde uíob ádhúir Contae nó Ceannairde nó éir ná
 ádhúir uíob ádhúir ag an nómairde ádhúir, beidh cead ádhúir

side is entitled to the kick-in or puck-in. Where a linesman
 cannot determine which team is entitled to a kick-in or
 a puck-in the linesman shall throw in the ball himself.

The linesmen shall each take one side of the ground just
 outside the field of play, changing sides at half-time,
 and they shall hold up the flag when and where the ball
 is out of play; inclining the flag in the direction the
 ball is to be kicked or pucked. No penalty shall be incurred
 by competing teams should linesmen not change sides at
 half-time.

(b) There shall be two Goal Umpires at each end of
 the ground, appointed by the Referee, County Committee,
 Provincial Council or Central Council. One shall stand
 outside each goal post. Their duty (subject to the Referee's
 decision when they differ) shall be to watch for goals and
 points and breaches of the parallelogram rule, and to
 decide when the ball is over the end line. Umpires shall
 not change ends at half-time.

Wide balls (overs) are signalled by waving one or both
 arms. The flag shall be raised at the centre of the goal
 space when a score has been made.

When a score is disallowed, breaches of the parallelogram
 Rule shall be notified by crossing the signal flags in front
 of the goal.

A "Fifty" in football and a "Seventy" in Hurling
 shall be indicated by pointing directly infield where the
 ball, last played or touched by a defending player passed
 over the end line.

120. In all inter-county and interprovincial matches
 referees, Umpires and Linesmen shall be appointed at
 meetings when fixtures are made. Any of these officials
 unable to act shall notify Secretary in charge, who shall
 arrange for substitute.

In county, divisional or other matches a referee who is

feall ionaid a ainmniú agus beid ar na foinne imirc fadain náir siúo.

121. Más cothrom don scór ag beirteó cluiche, is féidir o'fhoine, de toil a céite, imirc go ceann tréimhe breise—15 nóiméad saé sí—agus ceadófar ionadaí, ansin, le himeic in ionad don imreora a cuireadh den réiteán.

Neaétar acu, nó má cuirtear an cluiche ar actó ar chúis éigin uodéadanta, is féidir a actua oo ósta seact lá níos véanaí, an doinníot go otugtar fógra déire lá. I gcás an scóir a beir cothrom acuain, ní foláir imirc go ceann tréimhe breise mar a luaitear éuas—véanfar an foireann nó na foinne a dhúicáionn ar leanúint a malú as an gcomórtas.

122. Ní foláir Cluicí Ceannais Simsear na hÉireann a imirc i dPáirc an Chrócais—an Ionáin ar an gcéad Domhnaé agus an Peit ar an gceathrú Domhnaé de théal fóimain; ac i gcás veacnaéca neamhnaé beir ceao ag an Anó-Comhairte maláint sochruite a véanaí.

123. I gcás cluicí Iom-Contae i gCraob-Cluicí agus i Smaic-Cluicí Náisiúnta, ní foláir na himreoiní a beir uimhíde agus liostáil uimhíde i nóibléáio, de 20 imreoir, maite le lán-ainmneaca baiste agus ainmneaca na gClub as a otugtar na himreoiní, a éur ar agháir seact lá glan roim an gcluiche. Leanfaíó éimic £5 failli ina gcur ar agháir. Coimeadófar liosta aiháin víob sin éur tagarúca agus cuirpear an liosta eite éur Rúnáil foimne an p'reasúra.

Ní ceadaíte éar 20 imreoiní agus cúigeoir feirómeannáca den Coiste Contae a áineam mar conclann foimne. Beir an feirómeannáca aiháin víob sin a beir i gceannas ar an bfoimne tena véimniú go mbeir uimhneaca rofeicte ar na himreoiní uite agus go réicíonn a n-uimhneaca go cuimh leis an liosta foisite. I gcás cluicí leac-Ceannais agus Ceannais na hÉireann, ní foláir leagan amaé na bfoimne a éabairt don Anó-Rúnáil ó lá roim an gcluiche.

124. Ní foláir liostáil, i nóibléáio, de na himreoiní, ina tuafar na lán-ainmneaca baiste, agus, i, gcás cluicí Iom-Contae, na Clubanna tena mbaineann na himreoiní, a éabairt don Réiceoir roim saé cluiche oifigiúil. Má cantáionn breis ar ainmneaca cúis noimne óeas a beir ar na liostáil sin, áineofar mar feiró-foimne na cúis uimne óeas tosáig,

unable to act at the last moment may nominate a proxy under whom the teams shall play.

121. If a match result in a draw, teams may, by mutual consent, play extra time—15 minutes each way—and a substitute shall then be allowed for any player previously ordered off.

Otherwise, or if match be postponed, for some unavoidable cause, it may be refixed for a date seven days later, provided four days' notice be given. *In the event of a further draw, extra time, as above, must be played—the team or teams refusing to continue to be ruled out of the competition.*

122. The All-Ireland Senior Finals shall take place in Croke Park—Hurling on the first and Football on the fourth Sundays in September; but in case of exceptional difficulty the Central Council may make other arrangements.

123. In Inter-County Championships and National League matches players shall be numbered, and duplicated numbered lists of 20 players, with full Christian names and the names of Clubs from which players are drawn forwarded seven clear days before the match. Omission shall entail penalty of £5. One of those shall be retained for reference and the other sent to the Secretary of the opposing team.

A team party shall not consist of more than 20 players and 5 officials of the County Committee; one of the latter to be put in charge of team, to see that all players have visible numbers and that their numbers correspond exactly with published list. In All-Ireland Semi-Finals and Finals, the placing of teams must be given to the General Secretary 6 days prior to the match.

124. Duplicate list of players, giving full Christian names, and, in the case of Inter-County matches, Clubs to which players belong, shall be handed to the Referee, before all official matches. Where more than fifteen names appear on such lists, unless otherwise clearly indicated, the first fifteen shall be taken as constituting the

muna léimítear a thabairt go soiléir. Deir an an Réiteoir ainnmeáca ionadaíche, a céann an áit imreoirí a gcorópaí, a glacadó sula n-acosálfear an imirt.

Caitheann ceant don cluiche murar i nSaeitge a cuirfean an liosta an páit d'ócáir cluicí oifigiúla, agus is é an dáta céanna é i gcás imreora a cur éin imeartha nár tugad a ainm don Réiteoir.

125. 15 imreoir an taob a beas ann do gac cluiche, ac ní misce o'fóiminn cosú an cluiche le 13 imreoir. Caitheann don fóimeann náe gcuirte an lán-tíon imreoirí éin imeartha nómh éas an dara leat a gceant don cluiche.

Ní ceadaíte o'imreoirí a tagann véanaé páint a glacad i gcéao leat ar cluiche ad amáin le linn eacraim imeartha agus beir ortú a vteact i lácair a cur in iúl don Réiteoir um an taca céanna.

126. Mí-íompan an an v'páice—Racáirí pionraí míosa, an a tagad, an imreoir a onasítear den réiteán.

Is é an íoséimic a nacas an imreoir a buaitheas pait-imreoir ná: i gcás céao éionca, pionraí dá mí; v'acéionca dá shárait, pionraí sé mí más laicisg de tréimse dá diair den éion nómhe sin; agus v'áon acéionca eite dá shárait, pionraí dá mí véas.

Racáirí pionraí náe tú ná dá mí véas an imreoir a thastalonn Réiteoir, Cúl-thaon nó Maon líne nó a bagalonn ortú, agus péaspar a fóimeann a v'écáitú.

RIALAÇA IMEARÇA

(Infeiróimicé i Leit Peile agus Iomána)

127. Mí ceadaíte an réiteán a beir níos tú ná 140 stac nó níos mó ná 160 stac an fao, agus níos tú ná 84 stac ná níos mó ná 100 stac an teiceao.

128. Rianad an Réiteán—Mí fólaín na taob-línce agus na ceann-línce (cúl-línce) a rianad le haot nó, neacraí an acu, a ngeairad as an mbán. Mí fólaín línce a léimú 14 stac, 21 stac, 50 stac (Peil), 70 stac (Iomáinc) agus lán-réiteán a rianad freisin, agus fóiméan na línce seo agus gac cúinne den réiteán a léimú le brataca.

129. An Scór-Raon—Mí fólaín na cúl-éasailí a seasar i

actual team. Names of substitutes, replacing injured players, must be taken by Referee before resumption of play.

Failure to furnish list in Irish, for official matches, shall entail loss of match, as shall also the inclusion of a player whose name has not been supplied to the Referee.

125. The players shall be 15 aside in all matches, but a team may commence a match with 13 players. Any team failing to field the full number of players prior to start of second half shall forfeit the match.

Late arrivals may join in the game in the first half only during a cessation of play and must report to the Referee when so doing.

126. MISCONDUCT ON FIELD.—A player ordered off shall stand suspended for at least one month.

The minimum penalty for a player striking an opponent shall be: field offence, two months' suspension; for a second similar offence, six months' suspension if incurred within two years of last offence; and for any subsequent similar offences, twelve months' suspension.

A player insulting or threatening a Referee, Umpire or Linesman, shall incur suspension for not less than twelve months, and his team shall be liable to disqualification.

PLAYING RULES

(Application to Football and Hurling)

127. The field of play shall not be less than 140 yards or more than 160 yards long, and not less than 84 yards or more than 100 yards wide.

128. *Marking of Ground*—Side lines and end lines (goal lines) shall either be marked with lime or cut out of the turf. Lines indicating 14 yards, 21 yards, 50 yards (Football), 70 yards (Hurling), and half-way shall also be marked, and the ends of these lines and each corner of the ground, shall be marked with flags.

129. *Scoring Space*—In centre of the goal line shall

Lár an cúl-líne, 16 troig ar airde agus 21 troig ó céite. Ní foláir trasnán a beic 8 uroig ón talamh.

130. Ní foláir línte, 5 slat ar fad, agus iad ingearach leis an gceann-líne, a nianó 4 slat ó gach cúl-cuailte. Ní foláir foircinn na línte, seo a nian-ceangal éin go ndéanfaí comheomarán 15 slat faoi 5 slat an aghair gach scór-naoin.

Deir an an Réiteoir tuairisc a tabairt i ucasob son níricteacht maidin le na Riataca réamh-luaithe, agus níon mhór uon beirt Captaen in éineacht, roim tús an cluicé, aine a óirú ar son míratcaict. Ní féidir son aghair a déanamh in aghair méio an Réiteáin, línte agus n., mura ndéantar gearán leis an Réiteoir sula coisnaíonn an cluicé. Féadfaid an Coiste nó an Comhairle, ag rialú dóib ar a teicéio de tuarascáil, aitimint a oróid.

131. Tús imeartha—Deir an Captaen na bpoirne roga ná ucasob a éin an éranmaib roim tús imeartha. Ní foláir uon cúl-báine agus do heisear eite a beic laistiar de na línte 50 slat (Peit) agus de na línte 70 slat (tomáint). Deir ar na himeartha eite seasaim ina n-á líne i lár an réiteáin.

Deir an an Réiteoir an liathróid a éaicéam isteach de úroim ceann na n-imeartha (Peit) agus fead an talaimh roim na himeartha (tomáint).

132. Fad na himeartha—Uair an éiois fad na peirimeartha—mataint caob le glacáid ag teat-am. Féadfaid son, naé sia ná 10 nóiméad, a éasob ag teat-am.

133. Scóin—Scóirtar cúl nuair a triomáineann nó nuair a imíonn ceactar foineann an liathróid isteach roim na cúl-cuailte agus faoin trasnán, ac aihán nuair a éaicéam nó nuair a iompraíonn son tuine den foineann ionsaithe isteach i. i gCraob-Cluicé na hÉimeann, i gCraob-Cluicé Ion-Contae agus, com fada agus is féidir é, i gCraob-Cluicé Contae, ní foláir líon a fuíon laistiar de gach cúl-ácar éin go nglacfaid an liathróid ann ar óil trío n.

Scóirtar cúlín nuair a triomáineann nó nuair a imíonn ceactar foineann an liathróid de úroim an trasnáin agus roim na cuailte, ac aihán nuair a éaicéam son tuine den foineann ionsaithe isteach i.

Ainítear liathróid a fuaitéam an trasnán nó na cuailte seasaim agus a éaicéam isteach sa réiteáin a beic pós son

stand the goal posts, 16 feet high and 21 feet apart. There shall be a crossbar 8 feet from the ground.

130. Lines, 5 yards long, and at right angles to the end line, shall be marked 4 yards from each goal post. The ends of these lines shall be joined so as to form a parallelogram 15 yards in front of each scoring space.

The Referee shall report any irregularities in respect of the foregoing Rules and the two Captains should, before start of game, jointly call attention to irregularities. There can be no objection to size of pitch, lines etc., unless a protest has been made to the Referee before match starts. The Committee or Council acting on such a report can order a replay.

131. Commencing play—The Captains of teams shall toss for choice of sides before commencing play. The goalkeeper and six others must be behind the 50 yards' lines (Football) and 70 yards' lines (Hurling). The remaining players shall stand in two lines at the centre of the field.

The Referee shall throw in the ball over the heads of the players (Football), and along the ground between the players (Hurling).

132. Duration of Play—The time for actual play is one hour—sides to be changed at half time. An interval, not exceeding 10 minutes, may be allowed at half time.

133. Scores—A goal is scored when the ball is driven or played by either team between the goal-posts and under the cross-bar, except when thrown or carried by any of the attacking side. In All-Ireland, and Inter-County and, as far as possible, in County Championship matches, a net shall be placed behind each goal so as to receive the ball when it passes through.

A point is scored when the ball is driven or played by either side over the crossbar and between the posts except when thrown by any of the attacking side.

The ball hitting the crossbar or upright posts and rebounding into the field of play is still in play. Should

imirt. Má ói-láicítear nó má brisítear an trasnán agus má gluaiseann an tiacróir iomr na cuaití seasamh laiscíos den áit, uar leis an Réiteoir, inar éoir uon trasnán a beic, beiró air cúl a Lamán. Má ói-láicítear na cuaití seasamh agus má gluaiseann an tiacróir laiscis den áit ina mbeirís uar leis an Réiteoir, beiró air cúl nó cúlín a Lamán ve réir mar is faoi ionad an trasnán nó os éionn a gluaiseann an tiacróir. Áirítear an tiacróir a beic san imirt go uel go ngluaiseann an tiacróir uile ear an gcúl-line nó an caob-line.

Cinnpean bua an éuice ve réir uasilon na gcúitíní. Áireofar cúl a beic ionann is trí cúitíní. Má imríonn uaine uen foimn éosanta an tiacróir trío an éulaear áireofar ina cúl é i bpadar foineann an freasúna, agus más trí ácar na gcúitíní é áireofar sin ina cúitíní.

134. Ní ceadaíte ruacáar a éabairt faoin gcúibáine mura mbíonn sé i seilb na tiacróire, nó ag cur cose le fric-imreoir, nó ear éis uó uel lasmuig uen éoméneomharán.

135. **Uul iscead sa éoméneomharán**—Beiró ar an Réiteoir scór a óilamháit má ééann imreoir ó foimn an freasúna iscead sa éoméneomharán uonh uul iscead ann uon tiacróir te linn imeanáca, ac má fillteann an tiacróir suta mbíonn faill ag imreoir uul lasmuig uen ácar sin ba éoir an scór a Lamán, mura gcuireann an t-imreoir atá i gceist bac leis an gcosaint. Lamánac an scór nuair a bíonn sé áá aró te beic as raon tuet an ionsaite agus na cosanta, cé go mbeadó imreoirí an ionsaite sa éoméneomharán.

Nóca—Nuair a óilamháitar scór ve éeasca sáru ar mar an éoméneomharán uonpar saon-spead (Pep) nó (saon-poc (tomáinc) ó foineann na cosanta ó ácar an éoméneomharán.

(a) Áireofar ina ácaois aon tucaíl, cor coise, speacáó, breic, feidm-cinnead nó léimneac i ágaró imreora; imreoir a bac te lámh nó te géis, cé naó bpeidm-éoinneac é; nó sínead ve teic cúl imreora a bíonn i seilb na tiacróire.

(b) Ní ceadaíte ruacáar ó cúl a éabairt faoi aon imreoir agus ní ceadaíte ruacáar a éabairt faoi aon imreoir ná cur iscead ann in aon tsáil mura mbíonn sé ar tí an tiacróir a imirt nó te linn a himeanca uó.

(Má éuzann imreoir ruacáar faoi imreoir eile a éasann ó'áon coise éun go uelcraó an ruacáar, a beadó coíron mura

the crossbar become displaced or broken and the ball pass between the upright posts, below where, in the opinion of the Referee, the crossbar should have been, he shall allow a goal. Should the upright posts become displaced and the ball pass inside where they would in the Referee's opinion, have been, he shall allow a goal or a point according as the ball would have passed under or over the crossbar. The ball is in play until the whole ball has passed over the goal line or side line.

The game shall be decided by the greater number of points. A goal shall be equal to three points. Should the ball be played through the goal space by one of the defending side, it shall count a goal to the opposing team, and if through the point space, it shall count a point.

134. The Goalkeeper shall not be charged unless in possession of the ball or obstructing an opponent, or when he has passed outside the parallelogram.

135. *Entering the Parallelogram*—The Referee shall disallow a score if a player of the opposing team enters the parallelogram before the ball enters it during play, but if the ball returns before a player has had time to get out of the area, and the player in question does not interfere with the defence, the score should be allowed. The score is allowed when the ball is sufficiently high to be out of reach of attack and defence, though attacking players were in the parallelogram.

NOTE—When a score is disallowed for infringement of parallelogram rule the defending side shall take a free kick (Football), or free puck (Hurling), from within parallelogram.

136. *Foul and Rough Play:*

(a) Pushing, tripping, kicking, catching, holding or jumping at a player; obstructing a player by hand or arm, even though he be not actually held; reaching from behind a player who has caught the ball; shall be deemed fouls.

(b) No player shall be charged from behind and no player shall be charged or in any way interfered with unless he is moving to play the ball or in the act of playing it. (Should a player charge another who turns deliberately

mbeadh sin, de leith a chúil, ní áirítear an nuachtan sin ina cálaois..

(c) I gcás garb-imeartha, beir an an Réiteoir fólaimeán a cábairt don imreoir nó do na himreoirí agus má aicéon taircear amlaí beir an an ciontóir nó na ciontóirí a onú den réiteán agus tuarascáil dá réir a chur chun an Cóiste nó na Comhairle a bhíonn i gceannas an tuairiscáis.

(d) I gcás imreir éontúircead, foneiseann, caint ghríogca nó mí-cúil, nó i gcás imreoir a éógáil a láime chun bagairt an imreoir eile nó chun é bualaí nó chun agharta, beir an an Réiteoir, gan aon fólaimeán, an ciontóir nó na ciontóirí a onú den réiteán agus tuarascáil dá réir a chur chun an Cóiste nó na Comhairle a bhíonn i gceannas an tuairiscáis.

(e) Má d'úitíonn imreoir imeact nuair a asordaítear é nó má filleann sé chun imeacht tar éis a as-ordaithe, beir an an Réiteoir an cluiche a scor agus tuarascáil dá réir a chur chun an Cóiste nó na Comhairle a bhíonn i gceannas an tuairiscáis agus beir onú sin an cluiche a dhámáctam don foinn eile.

(f) Féadfaí fómeann iomlán a dhéanú agus a chur faoi fóimáil de bheasca garb-imeartha, cé gur acu a beaí bua an cluiche.

(g) I ndámáctam saor-iarraicta de éionn cálaoise nó garb-imeartha beir an an Réiteoir an tsaor-iarraict a lámháil ó ionad na cálaoise má éiríonn an cálaois imreir na tuairiscáil an an imreoir. I gcás peile, nuair a théantar cálaois an imreoir tar éis dó seolaí, deonfaí saor-spead ó ionad túrlinge na tuairiscáil, ac i gcás scór a teact ón seoladó lámhálfar sin; ac má éiríonn an tuairiscáil an ceann-líne nó an taob-líne lámhálfar saor-iarraict ón áit ina éiríonn an cálaois; agus má éiríonn an tuairiscáil laistigh de líne 14 stac timistéar an fheasúra deonfaí an tsaor-iarraict ón líne 14 stac.

I gcás iomána, nuair a théantar cálaois an imreoir tar éis dó seolaí, deonfaí saor-poc ó ionad túrlinge na tuairiscáil, más laistigh de líne 70 stac é, nó an pointe an líne 70 stac an tsaor iomadó a túrlinge, más laistigh de líne 70 stac é, ac i gcás scór a teact ón seolaí, lámhálfar sin.

(h) I gcás iomána, ní ceadaíte o'áon imreoir a lámháil a chur i dteagmháil o'áon coise le pearsain imreora eile, ná a lámháil a chur i leith a chúil tar imreoir eile o'áon teact an an stioctan. Ní ceadaíte o'áon imreoir lámháil imreora eile

so as to make the charge that would otherwise be fair come from behind, that charge shall not be deemed foul.

(c) In the case of rough play the Referee shall caution the player or players and should the offence be repeated he shall order the offended or offenders off the field and report accordingly to the Committee or Council in charge of the fixture.

(d) In the case of dangerous play, violent conduct, irritating or improper language, or a player raising his hand to threaten or strike another player or to retaliate the Referee shall without any caution, order the offender or offenders off the field of play and report accordingly to the Committee or Council in charge of the fixture.

(e) If a player refuses to leave when ordered off, or having been ordered off again joins in the game, the Referee shall terminate the game and report accordingly to the Committee or Council in charge of the fixture, who shall award the match to the other team.

(f) A whole team may be disqualified and suspended for rough play, even though it won the match.

(g) In awarding frees for foul or rough play, the Referee shall give the free from where foul occurred, if the foul prevented the player playing the ball. In Football, when a player is fouled after delivery, a free kick shall be given where ball lands, except a score is made, which is allowed; but, should the ball cross the end or side-line, a free shall be given where the foul occurred; and, should the ball fall within the 14 yards line of the opponents' territory, the free shall be given from the 14 yards line.

In Hurling, when a player is fouled after delivery, a free puck shall be given (except a score is made, which is allowed) where the ball lands, if outside the 70 yards mark; or, on a point on the 70 yards' mark opposite where it landed, if it be inside the 70 yards' mark.

(h) In Hurling, no player shall bring his hurley intentionally in contact with the person of another player or put his hurley from behind over another player, for the purpose of getting the ball. No player shall strike another

a buataíocht de le linn dóibh ahaon an stiocair a buataíocht. Ní ceadaítear o'imeoir a camán a caitheamh ar son éinise.

(i) Má déanann imreoir é gac foimeann cálaois le linn aon-uaine, beidh an an Réiteoir an tiascáiríocht a preadaíocht ar ionad na gcálaoisí.

137. **Liascáiríocht as imirc**—Má buaiteann an tiascáiríocht féad-sóidín, nó feirmeannaíocht naí é an Réiteoir é, laistigh den taobh-líne, áineorpar í beic as imirc, agus ní foiláir í speacaíocht (Peit) nó í bocáíocht (tomáint) ón taobh-líne. Má caitheann sin as an gceann-líne, áineorpar í beic as imirc, freisin, agus ní foiláir í speacaíocht (Peit) nó í bocáíocht (tomáint) amad ón gcomhneomharán.

Is ceadaítear don Réiteoir cúl nó cúlín nó saor-speacá 50 stac (Peit), nó saor-poc 70 stac (tomáint), a lamháil má measann sé go scóiríocht cúl nó cúlín, nó go b'ion-ghéillí saor-speacá 50 stac (Peit) nó saor-poc 70 stac (tomáint).

138. **Imreoir a ghortóirí**—Ní mór don Réiteoir ionadaí a ceadó m'áic imreora a ghortóirí, an fao is naí n'ólanann son foimeann breis is trí ionadaíocht ná leicéirí í mí cluicé. Ní mór imreoirí a ghortóirí agus aca í n'gácaí cónaí a cósáil go veí an taobh-líne o'íonn féadaint leo agus caitheann an imirc a acaí lena linn céanna. Ní ceadóirí de beic feirmeannaíocht a dul an an réiteirí nuair a ghortóiríocht imreoir agus féadairíocht an Coiste ceannais suaitheantais fao leicé a sólácaíocht oo na feirmeannaíocht sin.

Éimic : Foimeann a déanann breis is trí ionadaíocht, caitheiríocht saon a cluicé ve uacá í b'rácaíocht luicé a b'neasúra.

139. **Meácaíocht agus tomas na tiascáiríocht** :

Peit—Ní foiláir don tiascáiríocht a beic íonn 13 agus 15 únsa an meácaíocht agus tomas a imlíne a beic íonn 27 agus 29 ontaí—Liascáiríocht Comóiríocht Uim. 5.

tomáint—Ní foiláir don stiocair a beic íonn 3½ agus 4½ únsa an meácaíocht agus tomas a imlíne a beic íonn 9 agus 10 n-ontaí.

140. **Imeacáíocht den Réiteiríocht**—Racáíocht uacáíocht naí sé mí an foimín nó an imreoir a imíonn den réiteiríocht gan ceao an Réiteora, nó a díreáíocht teanóiríocht den cluicé, agus ní beidh ve éimicé as son Comháilíocht nó Coiste den Cumann an éimic seo a maolá. Nuair a díreáíocht imreoir, imreoiríocht nó lán-

player's hurley, unless both players are in the act of striking the ball. A player must not throw his hurley, under any circumstances

(i) Should a player from each team foul at the same time, the Referee shall hop the ball where the foul occurred.

137. **Ball out of play**—If the ball strikes a spectator or official, other than the Referee, inside the side-line, it shall be out of play, and must be kicked (Football), or pucked (Hurling), from the side-line, it shall also be out of play and must be kicked (Football) or pucked (Hurling) out from the parallelogram.

The Referee may allow a goal or a point or a 50 yards free kick (Football), or 70 yards free puck (Hurling), should he consider that a goal or a point would have been scored, or that a 50 yards free kick (Football), or 70 yards free puck (Hurling), would have been forfeited.

138. **INJURED PLAYER**.—The Referee shall allow a substitute for an injured player, provided there are not more than three such substitutions by a team during a game. Injured players needing attention must be removed to the side-line for treatment during which play must be resumed. Only two officials will be permitted on the field of play when a player is injured, and special badges may be provided by the Committee in charge for those officials.

Penalty.—A team which makes more than three substitutions shall automatically forfeit the match to its opponents.

139. **The Weight and Size of Ball**—**FOOTBALL**: The weight of the ball shall be from 13 to 15 ounces; size, 27 to 29 inches in circumference—No. 5 match ball.

HURLING: The weight of the ball shall be from 3½ to 4½ ounces and 9 to 10 inches in circumference.

140. **Leaving the Field**—A team or player leaving the field, without the Referee's permission, or refusing to continue the game, becomes automatically suspended for six months, and no Council or Committee of the Association shall have power to modify this penalty. When a player, players or a whole team refuse to continue the game, the

foinnteam leanúint den cluiche, ní mór uon Réiteoir aza áimte cinnte, abair cúl nóiméad, a tabairt do Chártaen na foinne a bhíonn i gceist, agus mura mbíonn aon cosúlaíocht ann go leanfaí den cluiche, ansan, ní foláin dó iarráid a déanaí ar sinneáda aon imreoir a bhíonn coitceanaí ar an gcluiche a éiríocht a fáil agus cuairteáil dá réim a tabairt. Deir ar an gCoiste ceannais an cluiche a dáimáctain uon foinne a bhí coitceanaí ar leanúint.

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141. **An Spreá Amad**—I gcás an spreá amad ón gcúl ní foláin an iarráid a spreá do talach laistigh den comhneomharán agus beir an imreoir na foinne cosanta, zé amáin imreoir na spreá a cógáil, agus an cúl-báim, (tuirne ná foláin dó panaíct taob istigh den comhneomharán), beir lasmuig den líne 14 stat agus imreoir uite na foinne ionasáic a beir lasmuig den líne 21 stat. Ní mairce o'imreoir na spreá amad uil laistiar den deann-líne o'fionn rocaz a gtaíad. Deir de cúhaíct az an Réiteoir breis ama a tsháil i éiric aon moil a déantar o'aon-ghó ar ócláir spreá amad.

Tar éis scónda, is ó pointe ar an 21 stat ar azaí an scóin-ácair a gtaíct an spreá amad; agus ní ceadaíte o'aon imreoir seasaí i ngoimeáct 14 stat go spreáct an iarráid.

Nóca—Ní mairce o'imreoir na spreá amad an iarráid imre breis is aon uair amáin sula tceadgháionn aon imreoir eite léi. Má seasaíonn imreoir o'fionn an pteasúra níos goime uon cúl ná líne an 21 stat nácaíó saon-spreá o'fionn na cosanta ó líne an 21 stat ar azaí na háite mar seas an c-imreoir.

142. **Saon-spreá**—Is é éiric a leanfas gac sáru ar na rialáda ná saon-spreá. I gcás gac saon-spreá ní foláin uon Réiteoir a léimí cá háit óná ngtáct an tsaon-iarráid nó an iarráid a súioí ann ó réim (ní ceadaíte o'aon imreoir bairc leis an iarráid nuair a gúitear amlaíó f). Ní ceadaíte an iarráid a spreá do pteasóir an Réiteoir.

Nuair a déanaí na cosantóirí calaíis laistigh den 14 stat, ac gan a beir laistigh den comhneomharán, oonpar saon-iarráid ón líne 14 stat ar azaí na háite ma noearnaí an calaíis.

Referee should give Captain of the team concerned certain time, say three minutes, to decide and if then there be no sign of resumption, he should endeavour to find out the name of any players willing to finish the game and report accordingly. The Committee in charge must award match to team willing to continue.

RULES APPLICABLE TO FOOTBALL ONLY

141. **The Kick-out**—In the kick-out from goal, the ball shall be kicked from the ground inside the parallelogram, the player of the defending team, except the player taking the kick, and the goalkeeper, who shall remain within the parallelogram, to be outside the 14 yards line, and all players of the attacking team to be outside the 21 yards line. The player taking the kick-out may go behind the end line for the purpose of taking a run. The Referee shall be empowered to allow time to compensate for deliberate delay in kicking out.

When a score is made the kick-out shall be taken from a point on 21 yards line, in front of the scoring space; no players to stand nearer than 14 yards until the ball is kicked.

NOTE—The player taking the kick-out may play the ball more than once before any other player touches it. Should a player of the opposing team stand nearer to the goal line than the 21 yards line, the defending side shall have a free kick on the 21 yards line opposite where the player stood.

142. **FREE KICKS**—The penalty for all breaches of the Rules shall be a free kick. In all free kicks the Referee shall indicate the position or himself place the ball on the spot from where the free shall be taken (no player to touch the ball after it has been so placed). The ball shall not be kicked until the Referee has whistled.

When a foul is committed by the defence within the 14 yards' line, but not within the parallelogram, a free shall be given on the 14 yards' line opposite where the foul was committed.

(1) Má ceaghaíonn imreoir na saon-speicé leis an tiacnóir acair sula tceaghaíonn imreoir eile léi, ac sa cás go bpreabann an tiacnóir ar ais ón trasnán nó cuaitle, veonfar saon-speac ó'fóirinn an freasúna ó ionao na calaíse.

(2) I gcás calaíse a cántaíonn laistigh den chóitreocharán, agus go mbíonn fóimeann an ionsaite i gceol spéac éince dá bharr, ní fólaíir von Réiceoir an tiacnóir a tabairt tar n-ais go dtí lán-poince an 14 stac. Sa cás sin ní fólaíir do na himreoirí uile, ac amáin cúlúáine na cosanta agus imreoir na saon-speicé, seasáir lasmuig den 21 stac.

(3) Ní miste ó'imreoir a glacann saon-speac i bfozas von ceann-line nó von caob-line dul lasmuig de na línte sin ó'fóinn rocas a tógáil. Áineofar an tsaoon-speac a deir glacta an cúisce a ceaghaíonn imreoir ó'fóirinn glacta na saon-speicé leis an tiacnóir tar éis von Réiceoir feadao.

(4) Is calaíis ó'imreoir seasáir, nó ruactar a tabairt, níos goine ná 14 stac de saon-ianuact nó 50 agus veonfar saon-ianuact sa cás san ó ionao seasáir nó ruactar an imreora. Speac éince a veonfar má tugann imreoir ruactar ó laistigh ven chóitreocharán.

(5) Cuirfeair ven réiteáil aon imreoir eile a speacánn an tiacnóir cun siúil, seasáir imreoir na saon-speicé, tar éis óó síúo an tiacnóir a síúom.

143. **An Imirt**—Is ceadaíte an tiacnóir a buatao leis an lámh nuair nac mbíonn sí ar an calaíir. Ní miste breic uirthi nuair nac mbíonn sí ar an calaíir. Féoíofar i speacáio an aon tneó ac san i iompair. Is ionann iompair agus breis ar chóitne cóiscéim a tógáil te linn gneim a deir ar an tiacnóir. Ní ceadaíte an tiacnóir a cóimeáio níos faice ná is gá cun i preabao, i speacáio, nó i fóinnáil cun siúil. Áineofar má iompair tuasc-bosáil na tiacnóire leis an lámh.

Ní ceadaíte an tiacnóir a cáiteam. Tar éis breic uirthi, ní miste an tiacnóir a speacáio, nó i buatao leis an donn, nó i preabao in aghao an calaíir aon uaim amáin te ceactar ven dá lámh nó leo ar aon. Áineofar mar cáiteam aon ianuact a véanaíir an tiacnóir acá i seith a sheacadao leis an lámh oscailte ac amáin i preabao in aghao an calaíir. Ní áineofar mar calaíis an tiacnóir a acró aon uaim amáin ó lámh go lámh.

Ní ceadaíte lámh a ceaghaíil leis an tiacnóir te linn of breic ar an calaíir, ac amáin i gcás imreora a teapaf go

NOTES:

(1) Should the player who took the free kick touch the ball again before another player has touched it, except where the ball rebounds off the crossbar or upright, the opposing team shall be awarded a free kick from where the foul occurred.

(2) The Referee must bring back the ball to the centre point of the 14 yards line for a foul occurring in the parallelogram, and entitling the attacking side to a penalty kick. All players, with the exception of the defending goalkeeper and the player taking the kick, to stand outside the 21 yards' line.

(3) A player taking a free kick near the end line or side-line may go outside these lines for the purpose of taking a run. The free kick shall be deemed to have been taken when, after the Referee has whistled, the ball is touched by a player of the side taking the free kick.

(4) In the case of a free kick or 50, a player standing nearer than 14 yards commits a foul and a free shall be given from where the player stood or charged. Should a player charge from within the parallelogram, a penalty kick to be given.

(5) A player other than the player taking the free kick, who kicks the ball away when placed shall be put to the side-line.

143. **THE PLAY.**—The ball, when off the ground, may be struck with the hand. It may be caught when off the ground. Carrying shall be taking more than four steps while holding the ball. The ball must not be held longer than is necessary to hop, kick or fist it away. Tipping it on the hand is considered carrying.

The ball must not be thrown. When caught, the ball may be kicked or struck with the fist or hopped once against the ground with either on or both hands.

Throwing shall include any means of passing, with the open hand, a ball which has been caught other than hopping it against the ground. Changing the ball once only from one hand to the other, shall not be a foul.

The ball, while on the ground, must not be touched with the hand, except in the case of a player knocked to the

calam le linn dó beic i seith na liachróire, agus ní misce dó sin i a dornáit cun siúit cé go mbeaó sí an an calam. Is ceadaíte don cúl-báine, agus é laistis den comhneomhán, an liachróir a pacaó den calam lena lámha agus an liachróir a dornáit cun siúit le linn dó féin beic ar an calam.

Nóta—Nuair a buaiteann imreoir liachróir ar léim, ac gan bheic uicé, ní misce dó mié leis, a pacaó le haon lámh nó leis an dá lámh, ac má bheiaann sé ar an liachróir ní lámháir an dó ac don pacaó amáin.

144. Nuair a cúirtear an liachróir ear an caob-line ní foláin o'fóiminn pacaó na foirne is véanaí a ceaghaig léi nouh chasnú oi, i speacáó den calam ón ionaó man chasnaig sí an caob-line. Ní ceadaíte don imreoir a speacánn an liachróir sa cás sin an liachróir a áclimic go n-imreoinn imreoir éigin eite i. Má scóirtear óna leicéir ve speic lámháir sin. Ní foláin óo na himreoirí uile seasañ 14 stat, ar a laeao ó ionaó suite na liachróire nuair a glacann imreoir speac ón caob-line.

Is é an maon-line a súipeas an liachróir don speic.

145. **Saon-speac 50 Stat**—Má cúireann imreoir an liachróir ear a ceann-line féin, lasmuig ve na cúl-cúaití, veonpar saon-speac o'fóiminn an pacaóna ó ionaó ar an line 50 stat véneac ar aghaó na háice man chasnaig an liachróir an ceann-line. Má coisceann eiseacac an liachróir ó dul ear an gceann-line, agus gur imreoir o'fóiminn na cosanta is véanaí a o'imir i, ní foláin don Réiteór saon-speac 50 stat a lámháit.

Nóta—Áireopar ghab é an t-imreoir is véanaí a ceaghaíonn leis an liachróir is véanaí a imreoinn i.

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146. **An Poc Amac**—Nuair a cúireann foirneann an ionaóise an siocar ear an gcu-line ní foláin é pacaó amac ó laistis den comhneomhán. Ní misce o'imreoir glacca an poc an siocar a tógáit ma lámh o'fóinn é pacaó amac. Má ceipeann an von céao iaghaic, ní misce an siocar a pacaó den calam laistis den comhneomhán nó é a aróú, ac gan é a tógáit ma lámh sula mbuaitear é. Ní ceadaíte o'aon fhuic-imreoir ceacé níos goine ná an line 21 stat go bpoctar an siocar.

ground while in possession of the ball who may fist it away even though it be on the ground. The goalkeeper within the parallelogram may lift the ball off the ground with his hand and when himself on the ground fist the ball away.

NOTE.—When a player strikes a hopping ball, which he has not caught, he may make a run by hopping it with one or both hands; but should he catch the ball he is allowed only one hop.

144. When the ball is driven across the side-line it shall be kicked off the ground from the point where it crossed the side-line by a player of the opposing team to that which touched it last before crossing. The player so kicking the ball must not again play the ball himself until it has been played by some other player. If a score be made from such kick it shall be allowed.

All players must stand at least 14 yards from where the ball is placed when player is taking side-line kick.

The Linesman shall place the ball for the kick.

145. **Fifty Yards Free Kick**—If the ball is played across the end line outside the goal posts by a player whose end line it is, the opposing team shall have a free kick for a point on the 50 yards line directly opposite where the ball crossed the end line. If the ball, having been last played by one of the defending side, is prevented from crossing the end line by an outsider, the Referee shall allow the 50 yards free kick.

NOTE.—The last player touching the ball shall be considered the last player playing it.

RULES APPLICABLE TO HURLING ONLY

146. **The Puck-out**—When the ball is driven over the goal line by the opposing team, it shall be pucked out from within the parallelogram. The player taking the puck may take the ball in his hand to puck it out. Should he miss at first stroke the ball may be pucked from off the ground within the parallelogram or may be raised, but not taken in to the hand before striking. No player from the opposing side shall approach nearer than the 21 yards line until the ball has been pucked.

Deiró de cúmhacht agus an Réiteoir breis amháil a lámháit in éiric aon moilt a déantar o'son-ghó ar ócáid póca amháil.

nótaí—

- (1) Má pócann imreoir an stiocán ó lasmuig ven com-treomhán deonfar saon-póc 70 slat o'foirm an freasúra ó ionas ar aghaid na háite mar éarla an cálaois.
- (2) Ní miste o'imreoir an poic amháil an stiocán a imirt breis is aon uair amháin sula ocaighaíonn imreoir eile leis. Má seasann imreoir o'foirm an freasúra níos góime ven cúl ná an líne 21 slat nacláir saon-póc o'foirm na cosanta ó líne an 21 slat ar aghaid na háite mar seas an t-imreoir.

147. **Saon-poic**—Is é éiric a leanas gac sánu ar na rialacha ná saon-póc. I gcás gac saon-poic ní foilín ven Réiteoir a léimú cá háit óna nglactar an tsaon-iarraict. Ní ceadaíte an stiocán a pócá go bfeabann an Réiteoir. I gcás gac saon-poic, agus poc an 70 slat a áireamh, ní ceadaíte o'son imreoir teact níos góime ná 21 slat go bpoctar an stiocán. Ní ceadaíte ven imreoir a pócann an stiocán é a a'imiric go n-imríonn imreoir éigin eile é.

I gcás gac saon-poic, ac amháin poic steasa, ní miste an stiocán a pócá i gceactar ven óá stí: (a) an stiocán a bualaó ar an talamh, (b) an stiocán a aróú leis an gcamán agus a bualaó ven camán. Ní ceadaíte an stiocán a cósáil sa lámh nuair a arósaítear leis an gcamán vo saon-póc é, cé gur dlústeanac sin i n-gac cás eile.

nótaí:

- (1) Má seasann imreoir níos góime ná 21 slat nuair a bíonn saon-póc á glactá, nó má tugann sé nuactar faoi saon-iarraict, deonfar saon-iarraict o'foirm an freasúra ó ionas seasamh nó nuactar an imreora.
- (2) I gcás cálaoise a cantáinn Laintig ven líne 21 slat, agus go mbíonn fóireann an ionsaite i o'ceveal saon-poic óá bann, ní foilín ven Réiteoir an stiocán a tábairc tar n-ais go o'c an líne 21 slat.
- (3) Ní foilín an stiocán a aróú ven céas iarraict agus é bualaó ven camán ven céas iarraict. Má ceipeann an imreoir an stiocán a aróú ven céas iarraict, ní foilín óó an stiocán a bualaó ar an talamh. Ní ceadaíte o'foirm an freasúra nuactar a tábairc go bpoctar an stiocán.

The Referee shall be empowered to allow extra time to compensate for any deliberate delay in pucking out.

NOTES:—

(1) Should a player pucker the ball from outside the parallelogram the opposing team shall be awarded a 70 yards' free puck opposite to where foul occurred.

(2) The player taking the puck-out may strike the ball more than once before any other player touches it. Should a player of the opposing team stand nearer to the goal line than the 21 yards-line, the defending side shall have a free puck on the 21 yards line opposite where the player stood.

147. **Free Pucks**—The Penalty for all breaches of the Rules shall be a free puck. In all free pucks the Referee must indicate the place from where the free shall be taken. The ball shall not be pucked until the Referee has whistled. In all free pucks, including the 70 yards puck, no player shall approach nearer than 21 yards until the ball is pucked. The player who pucks must not again play the ball until it has been played by some other player.

In all free pucks other than side-line pucks, the ball can be struck in two ways only: (a) Strike the ball on the ground, (b) Lift the ball with the hurley and strike it off the hurley. The ball may not be taken in the hand when lifted with the hurley in a free puck, though lawful in all other cases.

NOTES:—

(1) Should a player stand nearer than 21 yards when a free puck is being taken, or charge a free, the opposing team shall be awarded a free puck from where he stood or charged.

(2) The Referee must bring back the ball to the 21 yards line for a foul occurring inside the 21 yards line and entitling the attacking side to a free puck.

(3) The ball must be lifted at first effort to lift, and struck at the first effort to strike off hurley. Should a player fail to lift at first effort, or fail to strike off hurley at first effort, he must strike the ball on the ground. The ball must be pucked before the opposing team can charge.

(4) Má déanann imreoir an tsaor-póic áriarracht ar an stiocard a aithís nó má déanann sé a mairt do cúlais leis an stiocard, sula n-mlíonn don imreoir eile é, ní foláin don Réiteoir an stiocard a dárcaíth isteach iom na fhuil-imreoirí ar ionas na cúlais.

(5) Ní miste o'imreoir a stiaccann saor-póic i bpoas don ceann-líne nó saob-líne seadaib lasmuig de na línce seo le linn a buailte. Aireofar an saor-póic a veit stiaccá an túsce a buailteann imreoir o'foirinn stiaccá an tsaor-póic an stiocard ar éis don Réiteoir feadao.

148. **An Imirt**—Ní ceadaíte an stiocard a tógáil den talam leis an lámh le linn dó veit san imirt. Ní miste é buailte leis an lámh nuair nac mbíonn sé ar an talam, nó é speacaob. Is ceadaíte breit air nuair nac mbíonn sé ar an talam, agus ní miste don imreoir a deireann aithiáir air é pacaob ina roga áil; ac ní ceadaíte dó é o'iompar (ac ar an gcámán) ná é dárcaíth. Aireofar ina iompar tuasc-bosáil leis an lámh. Is ionann iompar agus breis ar trí coiscéim a tógáil le linn greim a veit ar an stiocard.

Notáí:—

(1) Má coimeádoann imreoir an stiocard níos faide ná is gá cun é pacaob uair, nó breis ar trí coiscéim a tógáil le linn greim a veit aige air, deonfar saor-póic o'foirinn an freasúra ó ionas na cúlais.

(2) Is cúlais ó imreoir teagmáit tena téim le stiocard a bíonn ar an talam agus deonfar saor-póic o'foirinn an freasúra ó ionas na cúlais.

(3) Ní ceadaíte o'imreoir breit ar an stiocard ac faoi dó sula mbuailteann sé é. Ní lámhárfar an stiocard a cárcaíth in aithe agus breit air muna n-imítear leis an gcámán é.

149. **Póc Sleasa**—Nuair a cumeann imreoir an stiocard ar an saob-líne deonfar saor-póic ar an talam o'foirinn an freasúra ón ionas a d'arsháilonn an stiocard an líne. Ní ceadaíte o'aon imreoir teacht níos gáine ná 14 stac go mbuailtear an stiocard. Ní foláin don Maor líne an stiocard a teaga as an líne ar ionas a d'arsháilte agus ní ceadaíte o'imreoir an tsaor-póic a suíom a aithís.

(4) Should the player who is taking a free puck make a second attempt to lift or otherwise foul the ball before any other player plays it, the Referee shall throw in the ball between the opposing sides where the foul occurred.

(5) A player taking a free puck near the end line or side-line may stand outside these lines when striking. The free puck shall be deemed to have been taken when the ball is struck—after the Referee has whistled—by a player of the side having the free puck.

148. *The Play*—The ball must not be lifted off the ground with the hand when in play. It may be struck with the hand when off the ground, or kicked. It may be caught when off the ground and the player so catching it may pick it in any way he pleases, but must not carry it (except on the hurley) or throw it. Tipping on the hand is considered carrying. Carrying shall be taking more than three steps while holding the ball.

NOTES:—

(1) Should a player hold the ball longer than is necessary to pick it away, or take more than three steps while holding it, the opposing side shall have a free puck from where the foul occurred.

(2) When the ball is on the ground, a player touching it with his hand commits a foul and the opposing side shall have a free puck where the foul occurred.

(3) A player may catch the ball only twice before hitting. Throwing up the ball and catching it again without playing it with the hurley is not allowed.

149. **SIDE PUCK.** When a player drives the ball over the side-line, it shall be a free puck on the ground to the opposing team at the point where the ball crossed the line. No player to approach nearer than 14 yards until the ball is struck. The Linesman shall drop the ball at the line where it crossed, and the player who takes the free puck may not alter its position.

NÓCIÁ :—

(1) Má seasann imreoir de ceachtar den dá éad níos góime ná 15 slat o'imreoir an poic steasa veonfar an saor-poc, ó ionad na calaioise, o'foirinn an freasúra ansin.

(2) Má déanann imreoir an poic steasa iarráct ar an stiotar a aró; má ceasraíonn sé leis a' uair suta o'ceasraíonn don imreoir eite leis; nó má déanann sé a mhatairt de calaiois leis an stiotar, ní foláir don Réiceoir an stiotar a caiceam isteach i' n' na friot-imreoirí ar ionad na calaioise.

150. **Saor-poc 70 Slat**—Má cúineann imreoir an stiotar ear a ceann-line péin, Lasmuig de na cúl-cuaití, veonfar saor-poc o'foirinn an freasúra ó ionad ar an 70 slat o'iread ar a' gearr na háite mar thrasnais an stiotar an ceann-line. Má coisceann eiseadéac an stiotar ó buí ear an gceann-line, agus gur imreoir o'foirinn na cosanca is déanaí a o'imir é, ní foláir don Réiceoir saor-poc 70 slat a tabáit.

NÓCIÁ :—

(1) Áineofar gurb é an t-imreoir is déanaí a ceasraíonn leis is déanaí a imríonn é.

(2) Má déanann imreoir saor-poic an 70 slat calaiois leis an stiotar suta n-imríonn don imreoir eite é, ní foláir o'foirinn an freasúra an stiotar a pocáí amac ón gcúl.

NOTES :—

(1) If a player of either side stands nearer than 14 yards to the player who is pucking the ball, the free puck shall then be given to the opposing team from where the foul occurred.

(2) If a player who is taking a side-puck attempts to lift the ball, touches it again before another player has touched it, or otherwise fouls the ball, the Referee shall throw in the ball between the opposing sides where the foul occurs.

150. *Seventy Yards Free Puck*—If the ball is played across the end line outside the goal posts by a player whose end line it is the opposing team shall have a free puck from a point on the 70 yards line directly opposite where the ball crossed the end line. If the ball, having been last played by one of the defending side, is prevented from crossing the end line by an outsider, the Referee shall allow a 70 yards free puck.

NOTES :—

(1) The last player touching the ball shall be considered the last person playing it.

(2) Should the player who is taking the 70 yards free puck foul the ball before any other player plays it, the ball shall be pucked from goal by opposing team.

ÁRD-COMAIRLE NA SCOLÁISTÍ

GHÁC-RIALAÇA

151. Tá GÁC Coiste agus Comórtas faoi réir as GháC-Rialaça C.L.S.

152. Deir ceo gúafóca mar ionadaí dá Choláiste as Baictarán don Coiste nó Comairle, agus deir aige iomr gúC comairle agus gúC réictí.

153. Glacpar le cleamnáca ó don Scoil nó Coláiste an a bhfuil 15 mac léinn *bona fide*.

Tuigtear le "mac léinn *bona fide*" mac léinn a aithnítear as an tBoards Oideácais agus é as freastal Meán-Scoile nó Coláiste an nó noimh 15 Deiread Fómhair. Ní mór dó deir as freastal rang sa Scoil nó Coláiste an fead trí huair an clois sa lá agus meáninreath míosúil de 13 lá a deir aige noimh an gcuide ina n-imríonn sé don Scoil nó Coláiste i gcomórtas oifigiúil na bliana san.

I gcás eisceáct an bíe ní foláin ceo imearca fáit don imreoir ó'n tBoards acá i bpeigil an comórtais áirithe.

154. Is é an cáille cleamnáca do GÁC Coláiste, faoi seac, i leir na gcomórtas uile d'aon bliain, ná 10/-, agus deir sin le hóc le Coiste Coláistí an Contae nó, mura bhfuil sin ann, le Coiste Coláistí an Chúige.

155. Ní miste Coiste Coláistí Contae a fonnú nuair is féidir é in aon Contae ma bhfuil trí cleamnáct an a lagas.

156. Féadfar cruinníe a éionól uair an bhé an iarracas scúlofa ó éionú ball. Ní foláin fógra cáis lá glan an éruinníe a éabairt don uile ball, ac ní miste fógra is tú ná sin i gcás mór-práinne.

COISTÍ COLÁISTÍ CONTAÉ

157. Is iad a beas an GÁC Coiste Coláistí Contae ná ceacca ámhán ó GÁC Coláiste cleamnáite, maille le hoifigí an Coisce a beas ma mbailt de bua oifige.

CENTRAL COLLEGES COUNCIL

GENERAL

151. All Committees and Competitions are subject to the general rules of the G.A.A.

152. The President of any Committee or Council shall have a right to vote as a representative of his College, and shall have both a deliberate and casting vote.

153. Affiliations will be accepted from any School or College which has 15 bona fide students.

A "bona fide student" is understood to mean a student recognised by the Educational Authority and who is attending a Secondary School or College on or before October 15th of the School year of the competition and whose name is on the October list. He must be attending a class in the School or College for 3 hours per day and have an average monthly attendance of 13 days prior to the game in which he plays for the School or College in an official competition of that year.

In the case of any exception, permission to play must be secured for the player from the authority in charge of that particular competition.

154. The affiliation Fee of each College to cover all competitions for each year is 10/-, to be paid to the County College Committee, or, where such does not exist, to the Provincial College Council.

155. County College Committees may be formed where feasible in any County which has at least three affiliations.

156. Meetings may be called together at any time upon the written request of three members. Five days' clear notice of meetings shall be given to all members, but a case of extreme urgency arising, a shorter notice may be given.

COUNTY COLLEGE COMMITTEES

157. County College Committees shall consist of one representative from each Affiliated College, in addition to its officers, who shall be *ex-officio* members.

158. Beiré údaráis aS Coistí Coláistí Contae an Éiríochais ionadna is Beiré is Liachnóirí Léimhe Coláistí an Contae, mairte le gac gnó eile a baineann le C.L.S. sna Scoilteanna agus sna Coláistí ion-mheánaíca laistigh ven Contae, agus is iad a éinneas dois-réim a gcomóntais.

159. Ní foláir do gac Coiste Coláistí Contae a gcrúinniú cinnóiliana a tionóil an dáta naé údaráis ná iú Deimead Fómhair, agus beiré onú a n-úllacáran, a gCisteom agus a Rónal a coisao tní ballóir, agus beiré síasosan ina mbairt ve dua oirise ven Coiste.

160. San uite éas ní foláir do gac Coláiste liostal i nouúiláir ná n-imreoiní mairte le dátaí agus áiteanna beimeacais agus seotál príobhádeaca, an ná údaráil ó éromicé oirpíóla, agus iad síníe aS an Anó-Máistir, a éur éun an Rónal Om. an dáta a éinneas an Coiste nó noime sin. Ní foláir ven Rónal Om. na liostal seo a síníú, cóip aihán úfób a éoimead i gcomhad agus an cóip eile a éasaó éun na Scoite a éionn i gcoiste.

161. Ní foláir do Coláiste ceastais beimeacais ná n-imreoiní éláiríte agus don fianaise eile a éur an fáil don uair a iarrann an Coiste nó an Comhainte sin onú.

162. Ní foláir ven Rónal fianaise beimeacais nó don fianaise eile acá raoina réir a éur an fáil o'áon ball nuair a iarrtar sin air.

163. Ní mairte ceáca ionaio a beiré ó Coláiste, mura gcinncar a málaire.

164. Ní foláir na n-imreoiní uite a éláirí ve réir Riail 160 éuas mairte lena Scoit-dátaanna. Ní ceabairte vo ná Scoit an bíc na sain-dátaanna ééanna a beiré acu, agus beiré tús éitíh aS an Scoit is sía a éruit a noicéanna éláiríte acu. Ní foláir na sain-dátaanna sin a éur fáil éráirí Anó-Comhainte na gColáistí é gcláirí.

165. Ní foláir gac acómarc ó éneit Coiste Coláistí Contae a éur éun Comhainte Coláistí an Éiríochais.

166. Beiré ceao aS gac Coiste Coláistí Contae ionaioal a beiré acu an Coiste Contae C.L.S. agus vice versa, ac ní beiré ceao gútaíóca i gceacáir ven ná éas.

158. County College Committees shall have control of the County College Hurling, Football and Handball Championships, and all other business appertaining to the G.A.A. in Secondary Schools and Colleges within the County, and shall determine the age limits of their competitions.

159. Each County College Committee shall hold its Annual Meeting not later than the 1st October, and shall elect by ballot a President, Treasurer and Secretary, who shall be *ex-officio* members of the Committee.

160. In all cases each College must forward to the Hon. Sec., on or before a date determined by the Committee, lists of its players in duplicate, signed by the Headmaster, with dates and places of birth and private addresses taken from official records. These lists are to be signed by the Hon. Sec., who keeps one copy on file and returns the other to the School in question.

161. Colleges must produce the Birth Certificate of registered players and other evidence when requested to do so by the Committee or Council.

162. The Hon. Sec. must give evidence of birth, or any other evidence at his disposal, to any member when requested.

163. A College may be represented by proxy, unless otherwise decided.

164. All players must be registered with their school colours in accordance with Rule 161 above. No two Schools can have the same colours, and the School whose colours have been longest registered shall have prior claim. These colours must be submitted to the Central College Council for registration.

165. All Appeals from a County College Committee must be made to the Provincial College Council.

166. Each County College Committee shall have a representative on the County Board of the G.A.A. and *vice versa*, with no voting power in either case.

COMHAIRÍ COLÁISTÍ CÚIGE

167. Is iao a bheas ar gac Comhainte Coláistí Cúige ná ionadaí aithin ó gac Coláiste cleasnáisce mairte le hoifigis ná Comhainte a bheas ina mbailt ve bua oifige.

168. Mí foláin vo gac Comhainte Coláistí Cúige a gComh-tionóil cinnbhlána a tionóil ar dáta nac déanaí ná Lá Sathna agus ar a mberó beint ionadaí ó gac Coláiste a cleasnáisóo von bliain noime sin, mairte leis na hoifigis, Cisteoin Omis, Rúnaí Omis, triúr ionadaí ar An-Comhainte na gColáistí agus ionadaí ar Comhainte Cúige C.L.S. a togabó ag an gComh-tionóil seo. Veiró an Ulaectarán ina leas-Ulaectarán ar An-Comhainte ná gColáistí.

169. Mí foláin vo gac Coiste Coláistí Contae tiosta na gColáistí a cleasnáisóo, mairte le tuanascaíl ar imeactaí an Coiste von bliain sin a cur cun Comhainte Coláistí an Cúige noim Lá Sathna.

170. Veiró ve cmaeac ag Comhaintí Coláistí Cúige a gCúigí, faoi beac, a noime ina gceantain, agus veiró acusan an com-béanaí agus an réim ébanna agus a bíonn ag Coistí Coláistí Contae.

171. Mí foláin vo gac Comhainte Coláistí Cúige boinn a daihaectain in agair na bliana vo buaireoiní Craob-Comórtais an Cúige in tomáint, i bPeit agus i Liactróio Láimhe.

Veiró úpasas ag Comhainte Coláistí Cúige ar na Craob-Comórtais tomána is Peite is Liactróio Láimhe, mairte le gac gnó eile a baineann le C.L.S. sna Scoiteanna agus sna Coláistí ion-ítheánacla laistis ven Cúige, agus ní foláin gac atcómharc ó Coistí Coláistí Contae a cur cucló. Mí foláin oibí, freisin, coisréim tuct a gcomórtas réim a éinneas.

ARO-COMHAIRTE NA gCOLÁISTÍ

172. Is iao a bheas ar An-Comhainte na gColáistí:— Ulaectarán Om.; triúr ionadaí, mar don leis an Ulaectarán, ó gac Comhainte Coláistí Cúige; agus Rúnaí Om. (san ceao gcaisóecla).

Tozpaivó an Aro-Comhainte, as a tion réim, Cisteoin Om. agus ionadaí aithin an Aro-Comhainte C.L.S.

PROVINCIAL COLLEGE COUNCILS

167. Each Provincial College Council shall consist of one representative from each College affiliated, together with its officers, who shall be *ex-officio members*.

168. Each Provincial College shall hold its Annual Convention not later than 1st November, consisting of two representatives from each College affiliated for the previous year and the outgoing officers. It shall elect at this Convention an Hon. President, Hon. Treasurer, Hon. Secretary, three representatives on Central College Council and one representative on the Provincial Council G.A.A. The President shall be a Vice-President of the Central College Council.

169. Provincial College Councils shall receive from each County College Committee, prior to the 1st November, a list of the Colleges affiliated for the year, and a report of its workings for the previous year.

170. Provincial College Councils shall have power to divide their respective provinces into Districts; such districts to have the same constitution and position as County College Committee.

171. Each Provincial College Council shall award Medals annually to the Provincial Winners in the Hurling, Football and Handball Championships.

Provincial College Championships in Hurling, Football and Handball, and all other business appertaining to the G.A.A. in the Secondary Schools and Colleges within the Province, and shall be the appealing body for County College Committees. It shall determine the age-limits of its competitions.

CENTRAL COLLEGE COUNCIL

172. The Central College Council shall consist of Hon. President; three representatives and the President from each Provincial College Council; and Hon. Secretary (without voting power.)

The Central College Council shall elect from its members Hon. Treasurer and one representative on the Central Council, G.A.A.

173. Beiré údaráis ag An-Cómhainte na gColáistí an Craob-Comórtais Ioir-Cúigeacha do Scoileanna agus Coláistí na hÉireann uile in Iomáint, i bPeil agus i Liaicéirí Láimhe, agus is iad a beas mar ano-Comhláir ceannais na gColáistí agus na Scoileanna Ioir-Mheánaice u'Éiminn uile.

Ní foiláin dóib' aoiréim luic a gcomórtas féin a éinneadh.

174. Ní foiláin do An-Cómhainte na gColáistí cruinníú cinnbliana a tionóit an dáta náic véarais ná ló lá de Nollaig.

Is iad feirmeanna an cruinníú cinnbliana :

Tuarascála agus Cuntais An-Cómhainte na gColáistí agus na ceitne Comhainte Coláistí Cúige don bliain roim ré a breicníú, com mar le pé nóm a seotpar éicu ó Comhainte Coláistí Cúige, tar éis don Comhainte sin aontú leo ; oipisís a éogad mar a leanas : Uadcarán Oin., Rúnaí Oin (gan ceao gutaiocta), agus as tion na hAno-Comhainte, Cisteoir Oin. agus ionaolá amáin an Ano-Comhainte C.L.S.

175. Beiré údaráis ag An-Cómhainte na gColáistí Fo-Rialáca a éaspaó, agus ní foiláin dóib' sin a beiré de réir Shnáic-Rialáca C.L.S., ac ní beiré feiróm leo go nglaca an Ano-Comhainte leo.

176. Ní foiláin do An-Cómhainte na gColáistí boinn a dam-séctain in aghar na bliana do buaiteoirí Craob-Comórtais Ioir-Cúigeacha na hÉireann in Iomáint, i bPeil is i Liaicéirí Láimhe.

177. Beiré de éumáic ag An-Cómhainte na gColáistí teorainneaca na gCúigí a réicead le haagaró éunsaí imeantá.

178. Ní feiróm adcomhainte a éur ó Comhaintí Coláistí na gCúigí ac go uci Ano-Comhainte na gColáistí, ná uacusan ac go uci Ano-Comhainte C.L.S., agus ní beiré uil tar a mbreic síú i gcás aon aighnis.

173. The Central College Council shall have control of the All-Ireland Schools and Colleges Inter-Provincial Championships in Hurling, Football and Handball, and be the governing body for Secondary Schools and Colleges in all Ireland.

It shall determine the age limits of its competitions.

174. The Central College Council shall hold an annual meeting not later than December 1st.

The functions of the Annual Meeting shall be:

To consider the Reports and Accounts of the Central College Council and of the four Provincial College Councils for the preceding year, and also such motions as have been sanctioned and forwarded by a Provincial College Council ;

To elect the following officers: Hon President, Hon. Secretary (without voting power) and from the personnel of the Central College Council, Hon. Treasurer and one representative on the Central Council, G.A.A.

175. The Central College Council shall have power to draft Bye-Laws, which must be in accordance with the General Rules of the G.A.A. and be ratified by the Central Council.

176. The Central College Council shall award Medals annually to the All-Ireland Inter-Provincial College Winners in Hurling, Football and Handball.

177. The Central College Council shall have power to arrange the Boundaries of the Provinces for playing purposes.

178. All appeals from the Provincial College Councils must be made to the Central College Council, and from the latter to the Central Council G.A.A., who shall have the final ruling in all matters of dispute.

ΛΙΑΤΡΟΙΟ ΛΑΙΜΕ

179. **ΑΙΜΜ ΑΣΥΣ ΑΙΡΘΕΑΝΝΑ.**—Cομhairte Λιατρóιο Λáιμε na ηέιρεánn ís áιμμ uon Cúmann áγus ísέ ís áιμμ uó an cιuίce ηáσιuίuταc Λιατρóιο Λáιμε á έáοηηάó.

180. **ΒΑΛΛΗΑΙΟΤΕ.**—Βεíó ceáo cιáηáιce φáσι ηέιμ Οuίτε áγus ηιáλáα Cúmann λúóέιeás ηáε áγ ηάé ιμηeοιη Λιατρóιο Λáιμε áé cónáι á βείó áιη ιη έίμιηη.

181. **ΣÓΡΑΣ ΑΝ CÚΜΑΙΗ.**—Μáη seó á λeáηáς á βεíó cÓρáς áη Cúμáηη : Cιubáηηá Cοισcί Cοητáe, Cοηáιηí Cúρge, Άηθ-Cοηáιηte, Cοηóóáιλ Οuιáηeúιλ.

CLUBANNA

182. **ÍÓΣΗΜΗΗ ΒΑΛΛΗΑΙΟΤΕΑ.**—Ηí ποúηη βείóηηηρ βαλλ áη á λeξáο á βείó áγ Cιub sιlá ηβεíó ηé ιηγίáεéá ηá Cοηáιηte.

183.—Cομóηcáις á Cεσáοáιceáη.—Ηí ceσáοáιce uó βαλλ ιμηe ι ηεομóηcáις áé ιáοsáη áηáηη áéά φáσι cόμηηce ηá Cοηáιηte. (φιoηηáι cηí ηí áη á λeξáο á λeáηφáιú sáηú ηá ηιáλáé seó).

184. **ΣÁΙΤTE CΙEÁΗΗÁΙCE.**—Ηí ποúηη cáιηte cιeáηηáιce ηáé ú ó ná 10/- sá Οuιáηη á íoc ηeíς áη ηCοισce Cοητáe.

185. **ΙηCΟΦάC ΙΟΜΑΙΕΟΗΝÍ.**—Ηá βαλλ sιη áηáηη á cιáη-άφóο ι ηCιubáηηá cιeáηηáιce á βεíó ηeóφá cιη ιομáιéóéá ιη áοη cόμóηcáις cιub, cοητáe ηó ιοηéοηeáe.

186. **ΛΙΟΣCÁΙ ΒΑΛΛ ÁγUS ΟΙΡÍΣEÁÉ.**—Ηí μóη uó ηάé Cιub óá λιόςcá Ο'áιηηeáéá ιοηéáηá á cιúη βαλλ áγus οίρiγeáéé áιηηe ηeηá seóηáι á sόláηáη uoη Cοισce Cοητáe.

187.—Áιςcιηúéáιη.—ιμηeοιη áη βίé áη ηιáη ηeíς scáηó ηe cιub áηáηη áγus ceáηgáι ηe ceáηη eιηe ηí μóη uó áη cús á ιáηηcáς á cιη φáσι Οuáíς á cιub ηέιμ áγus ceáo áη Cοισce Cοητáe á βείó áιgε uoη áιςcιηúéáη sιη.

Handball

179. Name and Objects :

The Organisation shall be known as the Irish Handball Council and its objects shall be the preservation of the national game of handball.

108. Membership :

Membership shall be open to all handball players resident in Ireland, subject to the Laws and Rules of the Gaelic Athletic Association.

181. Basis of Association :

The basis of the Association shall be as follows: Clubs County Committees, Provincial Council, Central Council, Annual Congress.

CLUBS

182. Minimum Membership :

A Club must have at least ten members before it may be affiliated to the Council.

183. Competitions Available :

Members shall not play in competitions except under the auspices of the Council. (The minimum penalty for infringement of this Rule shall be suspension for three months).

184. Affiliation Fee

The affiliation fee for Clubs shall be at least 10/- each per year, payable to the County Committee.

185. Eligibility of Competitors :

Only registered members of affiliated Clubs shall be eligible to compete in any club, county or inter-county competitions.

186. Furnishing of Members' and Officials' Names :

Each Club shall furnish in duplicate a list of names in full with addresses of its members and officials to the County Committee.

187. Transfers :

(i) Any player desirous of leaving one club to join another must first submit his application to his club and have the sanction of the County Committee for such transfer.

(ii) Tá d'ádhairs agus Coistí Contae uile d'áistritheán más dóig leis gun éin leasa an Cumainn é sin a déanamh.

(iii) Is gá áistritheán freisin d'imreoir a scarann le Club i gContae ahdán sula mbeid ceao aige ceangal le Club i gContae eite. (Ní mór na haistritheán seo a beid an aon out le haistritheán uile C.L.S., sé sin trína gCoistí Contae agus a gComhainte Cúige féin de C.L.S.).

188. **Imir le Dá Club.**—Fadann uafionnais an imreoir an tic a imirionn le dá Club san aon comórtas ahdán agus ní beid sé incopa éin imearta anís nó go n-áistritheán an Coiste Contae leis i gcás comórtas Contae nó an Comhainte Cúige i gcás comórtais Cúige.

COISTE CONTAE

189. **Comórtas.** Sna Coistí Contae beid dá taca ó gac Club cleasnaite máite le Cataoimteaó, Leas-Cataoimteaó, Cisteoir, Rúnaí Omis agus ionadaí ahdán ó Coiste Contae C.L.S.

190. **Ionadaí an Coiste Contae C.L.S.**—Beid sé de éairt agus ionadaí ahdán ó gac Coiste Liaónró Láimhe freasat an énumite a Coiste Contae féin de C.L.S.

191. **Ceangal le Coiste Contae C.L.S.**—Beid gac Coiste Contae Liaónró Láimhe ina fochoiste dá Coiste Contae féin de C.L.S.

191.—**Ceangal le Coiste Contae C.L.S.**—Beid gac Coiste Contae Liaónró Láimhe ina fochoiste dá Coiste Contae féin de C.L.S., agus is dá a beid sé freasat i mbáimite na Liaónró Láimhe sa Contae. Ní mór dá cuntas aigéir agus tuaimse iomlán a éin an páil agus beirteó gac éina.

192. **Clumite Coisct.**—Clumiteoir na Coisct Contae éoh mite agus is gá leo é.

193. **Imreoirí a Rangó.**—Is ceaoite iomaioéc sóiseanaó d'imreoir go uel go mbuann sé Craob Sóiseanaó ná hÉireann. Imreoirí a éruit geadam sinis um éruaiaónró acu is sinis leis iao um bogliaónró.

(ii) County Committees have power to refuse transfers if they consider it to be in the interest of the Association to do so.

(iii) A transfer shall also be necessary for a player who leaves a club in one county before he may join a club in another county. Such transfers must be on the same lines and in the same manner as all G.A.A. transfers, i.e., through their respective Co. G.A.A. Boards and G.A.A. Provincial Councils).

188. **Playing with Two Clubs in same Competition :**

Any player playing with two clubs in the same competition automatically suspends himself and shall not be eligible to play again until re-instated by his County Committee in the case of a county competition or by the Provincial Council in the case of an inter-county competition.

COUNTY COMMITTEES

189. **Composition :**

County Committees shall consist of two representatives from each affiliated club, together with Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Treasurer, Honorary Secretary and one representative from G.A.A. County Board.

190. **Representative to G.A.A. County Board :**

One representative from each Handball County Committee shall be entitled to attend meetings of its respective G.A.A. County Board.

191. **Relationship to G.A.A. County Board :**

Each Handball County Committee shall be a Sub-Committee of its respective G.A.A. County Board, and shall be responsible to that body for the management of handball in the county. It shall submit a balance sheet and a full report of the year's working at the end of each year.

192. **Meetings of Committees :**

County Committees shall hold meetings as often as they deem desirable.

193. **Classification of Players :**

A player can play junior until such time as he wins an All-Ireland Junior Championship. Players graded senior in handball shall be seniors in softball.

194. **Feróimíú na Fionraí agus na Dífearáil.**—Deirí baillíocht as fionraí nó/agus dífearáil um cónaí amháin i ngach cónaí eile.

195. **Fóilíocht.**—(i) Ní miste do Choisteí Cónaí fóilíocht a sheachaint le comóntais ina gCónaíe fíon a mairt.

(ii) Ní foláin na fóilíocht sin a beirí as teacht le Rialáda C.L.S. agus smaícthabanna na Comhairle a beirí leo.

196. **Baill ex-Officio.**—Deirí baill na hArd-Chomhairle agus na Comhairle Cúige ina mbailí ex-officio ná gCoisteí Cónaí fíon agus ceao gúafíochtá acu.

197. **Cruinniú bliantúil.**—Deirí cruinniú bliantúil ann gach bliain roim I Márta agus iao seo leanas as freascat ar : Oifigí agus baill na bliana ceite ven Coiste Cónaí agus dá ionaí ó gach Club cleamhnaíche.

(i) Meápaí an cruinniú cuntas airgid agus tuairisc ar obair na bliana agus nún ar bit a beirí ar an gClár.

(ii) Ní miste do freisin Caeomleá, teas-Caeomleá, Cisteoir, Rúnáí Oimí agus Cláráiceoir a tógáí ven bliain dar gCionn.

198. **Ainmníeáin Iannóimí.**—Ní foláin páipéir ainmníeáin vo na poist éagsúla a cur go oí gach Club cleamhnaíche ceite sheactam roim an gCruinniú agus iao a cur ar ais laistigh de sheactamseactam ó dáta a n-eisiúna maille le nún ar bit a cláráíod.

199. **Scaipeáí an Cláir.**—Ní foláin an clár agus liosta na mbailí a ainmníod vo na poist éagsúla a cur go oí gach Club cleamhnaíche sheactam amháin ar a tásáí roim an gCruinniú.

200. **Iosumáin na gClubanna Cleamhnaíche.**—(i) Ní mór vo gach Coiste Cónaí ná Club ar a tásáí a beirí cleamhnaíche leis sula tceabhanfar aiceantas vo.

(ii) Muna bfuil ac Club amháin i gCónaí ar bit cleamhnaíocht an Club sin leis an gComhairle Cúige fíon : táille cleamhnaíche 10/- sa bliain.

194. **General Application of Suspension and Expulsion :** Suspension and/or expulsion in one county shall be binding in all counties.

195. **Bye-Laws :**

(i) County Committees may make bye-laws to govern competitions in their own counties.

(ii) Such bye-laws must be in accordance with the Rules of the G.A.A. and must have the sanction of the Council.

196. **Ex-officio Members :**

Members of the Provincial and Central Council shall be ex-officio members of their respective County Committees, with power to vote.

197. **Annual Convention :**

(i) An annual convention shall be held each year prior to the 1st March, and shall consist of the outgoing officers and members of the County Committee, together with two representatives from each affiliated Club.

(ii) The convention shall consider report and balance sheet of the year's working, and also any motions on the agenda.

(iii) It may also elect Chairman, Vice-Chairman Treasurer, Honorary Secretary and Registrar for the coming year.

198. **Nomination for Offices :**

Nomination papers for the different offices must be sent to each affiliated Club four weeks before the Convention, and must be returned, together with any motions, within one week of the date of issue.

199. **Circulation of Agenda and Nominations :**

The agenda and a list of nominations for the different offices must be sent to each affiliated Club at least one week previous to the Convention.

200. **Minimum Number of Clubs to be Affiliated to County Committee :**

(i) County Committees must have at least two affiliated Clubs before they can be recognised as such.

(ii) Where there is only one Club within a county that Club shall affiliate directly with the Provincial Council, the affiliation fee being 10/- per year.

201. **Táille Cleamhnaithe.**—(i) Iocfaró Coistí Contae táille cleamhnaithe 5/- sa bliain leis an gComhainle Cúige as gac Club a cleamhnadó leo.

(ii) Iocfaró Comhairlí Cúige táille cleamhnaithe 2/- sa bliain leis an Ardo-Chomhainle as gac Club a cleamhnadó laistigh den Cúige.

(iii) Iocfar na táillí sin i Meitheamh nó roimhe sin gac bliain.

202. **Éiric in Éagmais Táillí Cleamhnaithe.**—Contae a páiparó a táille cleamhnaithe gan ioc faoin dáta a tuar sa rial roimhe seo bínead ní ceadófar dó páirt a ghlacadó i gcomhóntais na bliana seata.

203. **Tuairiscí na gContae.**—(i) Cumpró Coistí Contae faoi bráid an Rúnáil Cúige faoi dáta naé uaináí ná só seachtain roim an gComhóid Náisiúnta tuairisc scríofa faoi staid an éirice ina limistéir féin agus faoi na comhóntais a mairad i gcaiteamh na bliana roimhe sin.

(ii) Ón eolas seo solátróid an Rúnáil Cúige tuairisc an easaon na gcontaece uon Crumhú Cúige agus uo Rúnáil Comhainle Liacróid Láime na héireann.

COMHAIRLÍ CÚIGE

204. **Comhóanáim.**—Sa Comhainle Cúige beidó Cataoirtéad, Rúnáil agus/nó Cisteoir máitile te mionasóil agháin ó gac Coiste Contae. Ní beidó post an Cataoirtéig ináonáilá an faoi tréimse is faive ná 3 bliana as a céite.

205. **Ceangal leis an Ardo-Chomhainle Liacróid Láime.**—Féirómeoir an Comhainle Cúige mar fócóiste uen Ardo-Chomhainle Liacróid Láime agus is leo san a beidó só freagrad i gCraob-éitricí na Cúige a éur i gcrióid agus i gcuinsáil na Cúige i gcoitinne a bairiscí.

(a) Beidó an Comhainle i uceiréat ionasóil agháin a beidó acu an Comhainle Cúige C.L.S. agus uonáns aige gac a caiteamh an níce a bairéas te liacróid Láime agháin.

206. **Ionasóilóir an an Ardo-Chomhainle Liacróid Láime.**—Beidó an Comhainle Cúige i uceiréat ionasóilóir an an Ardo-Chomhainle agus ceart gacáilóir aige.

201. Affiliation Fee :

(i) County Committees shall pay to the Provincial Council annually an affiliation fee of 5/- per affiliated Club within their counties.

(ii) Provincial Councils shall pay to the Central Council annually an affiliation fee of 2/- per affiliated Club within the Province.

(iii) Said fees to be paid on or before the 1st June each year.

202. Penalty for Non-payment of Fees :

A county whose affiliation fee is not paid by the date prescribed in the immediately preceding Rule shall not be allowed to participate in the current year's competitions.

203. Reports to Council on Position in Counties :

(i) County Committees shall submit to the Provincial Secretary not later than six weeks before each All-Ireland Congress a report in writing of the position of the game within their areas and of the competitions held during the preceding year.

(ii) From the information thus supplied, the Provincial Secretary shall submit a report on county organisation to the Provincial Convention and to the Secretary of the Irish Handball Council.

PROVINCIAL COUNCILS

204. Composition :

Provincial Council shall consist of Chairman, Secretary and/or Treasurer, together with one representative from each Co. Committee. The Chairman shall not hold office for more than 3 years in succession.

205. Relation to Central Handball Council :

The Provincial Council shall act as a Sub-Committee of the Central Handball Council, and shall be responsible to that body for the carrying out of the Provincial Championship and the general working within the provinces.

(a) The Council shall be entitled to one representative on the G.A.A. Provincial, with power to vote on matters concerning handball only.

206. Representation on Central Council :

The Provincial Council shall be entitled to representation on the Central Council, with power to vote.

AN ARD-COMHAIRLE

207. **Comhódeanaim.**—San Ard-Comhairle beir Uachtarán agus Rúnai (a toghfar as an gComhóidí gac bliain), ball (ball) ó gac Comhairle Cúige agus ionadaí amháin ó Ard-Comhairle C.I.S. i gcás naé ceis leis an Uachtarán freasta ar éirinnú áiríde ar dtí beir ionadaí Cúige éigin i gceannas.

208. **Dairc le hArd-Comhairle C.I.S.**—Beir an Comhairle ma fócoiste ve Ard-Comhairle C.I.S. agus is leo san a beir sé freagraé i gCraobóclúicí Uiaclróv Láirne na héiréann a cur i gceiríde agus i gceiríde Comhairle Uiaclróv Láirne na héiréann i gceiríne a éairíclí.

209. **Ionadaídeé ar Ard-Comhairle C.I.S.**—Beir an Comhairle i ceirídeal ionadaí amháin a beir acu ar Ard-Comhairle C.I.S. agus ceair gcaídeéa aige. Toghran an t-ionadaí gac bliain as an gComhóidí. Ball na Comhairle amháin a beir inoípa.

COMHÓIDÍ BLIANCÚIL

210. **Comhódeanaim.**—Sa Comhóidí Uiancúil beir ball na haé-Comhairle maite le óá ionadaí ó gac Coiste Concae cleairnaise nó ionadaí amháin i gcás Rialt 200 (ii).

211. **Dáca agus ghró na Comhóidí.**—(i) Ceirneirí an Comhóidí Uiancúil ar Dóirnaé is cúisce ná Dóirnaé Cáca gac bliain.

(a) Meáiríe síao an Trácláirnéis ní náé mór a beir veiríclíe as cuntasóir cairce—agus tuairisce na haé-Comhairle.

(b) Uachtarán agus Rúnai a toghar don bliain oar gceinn, (c) Mí ceirneirí an Uiacláirne a post ve óreir ar éir bliana.

(i) Síao na ceaclá a beir i láclan as an gCeirinní Cúige Uiancúil a roghnóir ionadaíde an Cúige ar an Ard-Comhairle.

212. **Uilíe agus Rialaéa a Ódeanaim.**—Beir sé o'úbanás as an gComhóidí Uiancúil uilíe agus maíaca na Comhairle a

CENTRAL COUNCIL

207. **Composition :**

The Central Council shall consist of President, and Secretary (to be elected by Congress each year) and member/members from each Provincial Council, and one representative from G.A.A. Central Council. In the event of the President being unable to attend any particular meeting then one of the Provincial representatives will preside.

208. **Relationship to Central Council, G.A.A.**

The Council shall be a Sub-Committee of the Central Council, G.A.A., and shall be responsible to that body for the carrying out of the Irish Handball Championships and general working of the Irish Handball Council.

209. **Representation on Central Council, G.A.A.**

The Council shall be entitled to one representative on the Central Council, G.A.A., with power to vote. *Representative to be elected each year by Congress. Members of Council only to be considered for election.*

ANNUAL CONGRESS

210. **Composition :**

Annual Congress shall consist of the members of the outgoing Council, together with two representatives from each affiliated County Committee or one representative if Rule 22 (ii) applies

211. **Date and Business of Congress :**

(i) Annual Congress shall meet in Dublin on a Sunday before Easter Sunday of each year. (a) to consider the Statement of Accounts—which must be certified by a chartered accountant—and the report of the outgoing Council.

(b) To elect President and Secretary for the ensuing year.

(c) The President shall not hold office for more than three years.

(ii) Provincial representatives on the Central Council shall be elected by the delegates present at the Annual Provincial Convention.

212. **Power to Make Laws and Rules :**

Annual Congress shall have power to make, alter or

óeanaí, a áicé nó a éealú ac go scoiteod Anó-Cómhante C.L.S. leis agus is uon Cómháil amáin a óitseoan an t-óuarás sin.

213. **Tairiscintí uon Cómháil.**—(i) Cuirfid Rúnai Oimís na Comhante in iú uo núnaité oimís na sCoistí Contae an dáta is óeanaí ar a nglacpar te tairiscintí uon Cómháil Óliantúit.

(ii) Ní mbeápar as an sCoimháil tairiscintí a seopar ar dáta is óeanaí ná sin.

214. **Aimniúeán na nOifigeaé.**—Coistí Contae amáin a aimneoiré oifigeis te nageáir na Comhante.

(i) Cuirfean páiréin aimniúeán go uci gae Coiste Contae seacé seacéain roim am an Cómhála agus cuirfean ar ais iao maille te tairiscintí faoi bun coicis ó dáta a n-eisite.

(ii) Is trí ballóid a coispar ná hoifigeis agus ní móir uóid san a noígnalcear guéanna a fáit ó énomlaé na Cómhála a óiomn cáitite éun guéaíocéa agus a tuéann gué.

215. **Scaipead na Tuaimse.**—Ní móir uo Rúnai Oimís na Comhante a tuaimse—ina mbeiré tairiscintí uon Cómháil maille te namn an Contae—agus liocsa na n-aimniúeán uo poicé éagsála na Comhante maraon lena éntas aingio a seolad éuis Rúnai Oimís gae Contae faoi seacé agus éuis Anó-Cómhante C.L.S. coicis roim an sCoimháil Óliantúit.

CEADÚNAIS DO CHOMÓRTAIS ETC.

216. **Comórtais etc. Laistis uo Contaeé.**—Cluicí agus comórtais éairdeacáis a réicéionn Clúbanna laistis uo contaeé, ní móir ceao ná sCoistí Contae uóid uile.

217. **Comórtais Iuiréontae.**—Comórtais Iuiréontae, cluicí cuirio etc. ní móir moíad ná sCoistí Contae cuí a solácar éucu agus ceao ná Comhante Cúige nó ná háro-Cómhante.

annul the laws and rules of the Council, subject to approval by the Central Council, G.A.A., and such power shall be vested only in Congress.

213. Motions for Congress:

(i) The Honorary Secretary of the Council shall notify honorary secretaries of County Committees of the date up to which motions will be accepted for Annual Congress.

(ii) Motions received after such date shall not be considered by Congress.

214. Nominations for Officers:

(i) Nominations for officers on the Council shall be made only by County Committees.

(ii) Nomination papers shall be sent to all County Committees seven weeks prior to Congress, and shall be returned, together with any motions, within two weeks of the date of issue.

(iii) The election of officers shall be by ballot, and successful candidates must have a majority of those present at the Congress and qualified to vote and voting.

215. Circulation of Report and Nomination:

The Honorary Secretary of the Council shall circulate his report—embodying motions for Congress, with name of county—and a list of nominations for the different offices on the Council, together with his balance sheet to each County Honorary Secretary and to the General Secretary, G.A.A., two weeks before Annual Congress.

PERMITS FOR TOURNAMENTS, ETC.

216. Tournaments, etc., within Counties:

All friendly matches and tournaments arranged by Clubs within counties must have the sanction of the County Committees.

217. Inter-County Tournaments, etc.

All inter-county tournaments, challenge matches, etc., must have the recommendations of the County Committees concerned and the sanction of the Provincial or Central Council.

ASÓIDÍ ASUS ACOHAINC

218. ASÓIDÍ ASUS ACOHAINC FAOI CHOISTÍ CONTAE.—

(i) ASÓIDÍ nó aCOhainc a cúineann Club nó tuine sonair faoi bhráio Choiste Conatae ní mór iao a beic i seibh Rúnaí Ombg an Conatae—maráon le cáille £1—i ngionnae seae lá uon breic a bfuicear ina haáid.

(ii) Ní mór dá cóip ve gaé asóidó nó aCOhainc a solácar, scriopa ar páipéar pá oobannharc éineannaé.

(iii) Cumpean ar ais an cáille má seastar leis an asóidó nó leis an aCOhainc, agus ní miste i a cur ar ais le veonó an Choiste Conatae nuair náé seastar leis an asóidó nó leis an aCOhainc.

219. ASÓIDÍ ASUS ACOHAINC FAOIN SCOHAINTE CÚIGE.—

(i) ASÓIDÍ nó aCOhainc a cúineann faoi bhráio na Cohainte Cúige ní mór iao a beic i seibh an Rúnaí Cúige—maráon le cáille £2—i ngionnae seae lá uon breic a bfuic an asóidó nó an aCOhainc ina haáid.

(ii) Ní mór dá cóip ve gaé asóidó nó aCOhainc a solácar, scriopa ar páipéar pá oobannharc éineannaé.

(iii) Cumpean ar ais an cáille má seastar leis an asóidó nó leis an aCOhainc agus ní miste i a cur ar ais le veonó na Cohainte i gcás náé seastar leis an asóidó nó leis an aCOhainc.

220. ACOHAINC FAOIN ANO-COHAINTE LIACHÓID LÁINE.—

ACOhainc ó Choistí Conatae faoin AnO-Cohainte Liachóid Láine in asóidó breicéanna na Cohainte Cúige, ní mór iao a cur ar páil—maráon le cáille £5—i ngionnae seae lá uon breic bunaid na Cohainte Cúige.

CRAOBCHOMÓRTAISÍ

221. Craobchomórtaisí a Dúidú. —Dunófar na Craobchomórtaisí seo a leanas gaé bliain máé féoir :

Craob na hÉireann :

- (a) leacláin agus Oóiláin Sínsit (C. 7 D.)
- (b) leacláin agus Oóiláin Sínsit (C. 7 D.)
- (c) leacláin agus Oóiláin Mionúir (C. 7 D.)

OBJECTIONS AND APPEALS

218. Objections and Appeals to County Committees :

Objections and Appeals by Clubs or individuals to County Committees must be lodged with the County Honorary Secretary—accompanied by a fee of £1—within seven days after the decision or event objected to or appealed against.

(ii) All objections or appeals must be lodged in duplicate and written on Irish watermarked paper.

(iii) The fee shall be returned if the objection or appeal is upheld, and may at the discretion of the County Committee be returned if the objection or appeal is not upheld.

219. Objection and Appeals to Provincial Council :

(i) Objections and appeals to Provincial Council must be lodged with the Provincial Secretary—accompanied by a fee of £2—within seven days after the decision or event objected to or appealed against.

(ii) All objections or appeals must be lodged in duplicate and written on Irish watermarked paper.

(iii) The fee shall be returned if the objection or appeal is upheld, and may at the discretion of the Council be returned if the objection or appeal is not upheld.

220. Appeals to the Central Handball Council :

Appeals by County Committees to the Central Handball Council against decisions of the Provincial Council must be lodged—accompanied by a fee of £5—within seven days from the relevant decision of the Provincial Council.

CHAMPIONSHIPS

221. Championships to be Promoted :

The following championships shall be promoted each year when facilities offer:—

All-Ireland :

- (a) Senior Singles and Doubles (H. & S.)
- (b) Junior Singles and Doubles (H. & S.)
- (c) Minor Singles and Doubles (H. & S.)

Contae :

- (a) Leactlám agus Odlám Sinsir (C. 7 D.)
- (b) Leactlám agus Odlám Iomrheánaic (C. 7 D.)
- (c) Leactlám agus Odlám Sóisir (C. 7 D.)
- (d) Leactlám agus Odlám Mionúir (C. 7 D.)

222. **Sainmhíniú ar Mhionúir.**—Séard is Mionúir ann, imreoir acá faoi 18 bliana d'aois ar 1 Eanáir i mbliain reaca na gCraobchóirceais.

223. **Dac ar Imreoirí Neamhóndaitheacha.**—Ní ceadaíte u'imreoirí a cónaíonn i gContae amháin a beic páintealá i gCraobchóirceais contae eile san am bliain amháin ná imirt ar son contae eile i gCraobchóirceais na hÉireann ac amháin mar a ceadaítear sa céad riall eile seo.

224. **Fógairt Imreoir Neamhóndaitheacha.**—(i) Imreoir a cónaíonn agus a bhonn páintealá i gCraobchóirceais contae naic é a gcontae dúcais é, tug lea a fógairt fúrb é a n-intinn imirt ar son a gcontae dúcais i gCraobchóirceais na hÉireann.

(ii) Ní mór na fógairt sin a óeardú ar an bfoirm oifigiúil cuí agus iao a beic i seith Rúnai Contae C.I.G. lena seolad óug An-Comhairle C.I.G. ar óaca nac óeanaí ná lá óeairé na feabna, saé bliain.

225. **Acosú ar Cluicé a Scopad.**—Más sa cluicé a stop i lár imearta de óeasca urocauin, nó don ní san óoinne, ní mór é a acosú ó áit a scopra leis na himreoirí óeanna agus na hoifigis óeanna más féoirt. Ní cón imirt ar óhúic flúic ac ba óeart saé oíeall a óeanaí lena tuomú.

226. **Séillead don Réiteoir.**—(i) Imreoir nac ngéilleann oo breicúnas Réiteora, caillteann sé an cluicé ina óeartaíonn sin.

(ii) Cumpró an réiteoir cuntas amsean faoi óráio tuic riarta an cluicé agus óeanaíó síad san a roga ruo mar is cuí leo é.

227. **Imreoirí Míponcúla.**—Imreoirí a óceipeann oncu a beic sa spriocáit ag an spriocam iomaíóca caillpró síad an cuicé mura sásáítear an tuic riarta so raib an móil mteicéit.

County

- (a) Senior Singles and Doubles (H. & S.)
- (b) Intermediate Singles and Doubles (H. & S.)
- (c) Junior Singles and Doubles (H. & S.)
- (d) Minor Singles and Doubles (H. & S.)

222. Definition of a Minor Player :

A minor player is a player who is under 18 years of age on the 1st of January of the current year's championship.

223. Restrictions on Non-Resident Players :

Players resident in one county cannot participate in the championships of any other county in the same year nor represent any other county in All-Ireland Championships save as provided in the next succeeding rule.

224. Declaration by Non-Resident Players :

(i) Players resident in and playing in the championships of counties other than their native counties may declare their intention to play for their native counties in All-Ireland championships.

(ii) Such declarations must be made on the appropriate official form and must be lodged with the G.A.A. County Secretary to be forwarded to G.A.A. Central Council on or before the last day of February each year.

225. Resumption of Stopped Matches :

Should a match be stopped during the course of play because of the weather conditions or any other unforeseen cause, it must be resumed from the point of stoppage, with the same players and the same officials where possible, but that every effort be made to dry the court.

226. Refusal to Obey Referee.

(i) A player refusing to obey the referee's ruling shall forfeit the match in which he so refuses.

(ii) He shall also be reported by the referee to the body responsible for the playing of the match, and that body shall take whatever action it deems appropriate in the matter.

227. Players' Unpunctuality :

Players failing to report for a match at the venue at the appointed time shall forfeit such match unless the controlling body shall consider that extenuating circumstances existed.

Is é gnó an Réiteora é coscáil na moille a miúdaó agus véanfaid an Comhairle a tuairisc a sheas i gcás aghóir do teacht ón gContae a freistail ar an ionad in am.

228. **Láimh a Chúmbaí.**—Is indéite i ngach cluiche cnuatáiríocht miorós gan líneáil ar gcáil láimh (i.e. miorós bog teadaim), nó pilleáil teadaim; ní indéite sóraí ar bít eile cnuatáirí.

229. **Réiceoin agus Liathróidí.**—Ní mór don liathróid a úsáidear i gcluicé a bheith feicthe agus ceadaíte ag an réiceoin. Ní bheir liathróid insóimeáilá gan a ceas san.

230. **Comhairle Aontae i gCraobdomóircais na hÉireann.**—Ar éolas comhairle aontae a imreorair Craobdomóircais na hÉireann.

(b) Ní ceadófar cluicé a éir ar camra ar éis ar bít amháid ó Rial. 225.

231. **Fir Ionaid i gCluicé.**—Ní ceadófar ionadaíocht ar bít i gCairteáin Comhairle.

232. **Feisteas Imreoiní.**—Ní mór o'imreoiní feisteas cuf a caiteam ó éis comhairle i gCraobcluicé, i.e. amháin glan, singléas (raoí dátaim an Contae nó na Cúige mar an cláráid te C.L.S.) agus bhoíga éasroma (uála gleadaithe nó uornáitithe).

233. **Iontráil do Craobdomóircais na hÉireann.**—(i) Ní mór iontráil do Craobdomóircais na hÉireann a bheith ag an gComhairle Cúige ó na Coisctí Contae nó ón gClub, murab ann don Coiste Contae, ar dáta náid véanaí ná i dtreáil gac bliain.

(ii) Ní mór tálle iontrála 2/6 do Craobdomóircais teadláim agus 5/- do Craobdomóircais uoláim a éir leo.

That the referee inquire into the circumstances of the delay, and that his report be considered by Council in the case of an objection by the county which attended at the venue in time.

228. Protection of Hands in Hardball Contests :

In all hardball games an unlined glove (i.e., a soft leather glove) or leather band may be worn on either hand ; no other form of protection shall be used.

229. Referee's Approval of Handballs :

All handballs to be used in matches must be submitted to the referee for approval. The ball may not be changed without his consent.

230. One-day Rubber in All-Ireland Championships :

All-Ireland Championships shall be decided on the one-day rubber systems.

(a) No postponements shall be granted in any circumstances, save under Rule 47.

232. No Substitutes During Matches :

No substitutes shall be permitted during the course of a rubber.

233. Players' Dress :

In championship matches players must be properly attired at the commencement of the rubber, that is, they must wear clean togs, singlets (bearing colours of the county or Province as registered with the G.A.A.) and light shoes (gym or boxing type only).

234. Entries for All-Ireland Championships :

(i) Entries for All-Ireland Championships must be made by County Committees to the Provincial Council, or, where there is no County Committee, by the Club, on or before the 1st of April each year.

(ii) They must be accompanied by an entry fee of 2/6 for singles championships and 5/- for doubles championships.

(iii) Entries not accompanied by the appropriate fee shall not be entertained.

234. **FAD NA gCORRÁIN.**—MAR A LEANAS A DEIR FAD NA gCORRÁIN I gCRAOBÓMÓRCAISÍ NA hÉIREANN.

(a) CRUALIACHRÓ SINSIN, LEACLÁIN AGUS UOLÁIN—7 gcluice, 21 ás an cluice.

(b) DOGLIACHRÓ SINSIN, LEACLÁIN AGUS UOLÁIN—7 gcluice, 21 ás an cluice.

(c) CRUALIACHRÓ AGUS DOGLIACHRÓ SÓISIN, LEACLÁIN AGUS UOLÁIN—5 cluice, 21 ás an cluice.

(d) CRUALIACHRÓ AGUS DOGLIACHRÓ MIONÚIN, LEACLÁIN AGUS UOLÁIN—3 cluice, 21 ás an cluice.

235. **TEACÉ ISCEAD I gCRAOBÓMÓRCAISÍ NA hÉIREANN.**—GO UCI AN COMHAITE A NÁCIÓ AN TEACÉ ISCEAD Ó CLUICÉ CEANNAIS AGUS TEACÉANNAIS AGUS IS IAO A IOPAIÓ COSTAIS CUI AN LUIC IMEARCA AGUS SON OIFIGIS AHDÁIN.

236. **IMNEONÍ A BUANN CRAOB SÓISEARAC NA hÉIREANN.**—IMNEON A BUANN CRAOB SÓISEARAC NA hÉIREANN NÍ CEADAIÓ UÓ IOMAIÓC SA ROINN SIN ANIS.

237. **TOISÍ UO CÚICÉ CAISDEANAC.**—(i) ACDAN ETC. NA CÚICÉ: CEICNE BALLA COMEHCÉIC A DEIR SA CÚICÉ CAISDEANAC, A MBEIR CÍOS IMEARCA PÁLAICE IONTU NAC TÚ NÁ 60' CROIS AGUS NAC MÓ NÁ 63' CROIS AN FAD AGUS NAC TÚ NÁ 28' CROIS AGUS NAC MÓ NÁ 30' CROIS AN TEICÉAO. (FÉADTAR AN BALLA CÚICÉ A CÓSDÁIL UO gLOINE NÓ UO gLOINE AGUS COMEHCÉIC.)

(ii) **BALLAÍ COSAIS IS CÚICÉ:**
DEIR ANUO NAC TÚ NÁ 30' CROIS AG AN MBALLA COSAIS AGUS NAC TÚ NÁ 9' CROIS AG AN MBALLA CÚICÉ.

IS IONHOLTA PÁNA 5' N-ORTAC DON 63' CROIS IN ULTÁIN. CÚICÉANNA NÓCÁICÉ.

(iii) **TAOB-BALLAÍ:**
TIS TEIS NA CAOBHALLAÍ DEIR AN SON ANUO CÚICÉ SIOS TEIS AN MBALLA COSAIS AC UPEANN IAO A UOL IN ISTE GO UCI ANUO AN BALLA CÚICÉ Ó POINTÉ 35' CROIS AMAIC ÓN MBALLA COSAIS.

235. Length of Rubbers:

(i) The rubbers in All-Ireland Championships shall be as follows:—

(a) Senior Hardball Singles and Doubles— 7 games of 21 aces each.

(b) Senior Softball Singles and Doubles— 5 games of 21 aces each.

(c) Junior Hardball and Softball Singles and Doubles—5 games of 21 aces each.

(d) Minor Singles and Doubles, Hardball and Softball—3 games of 21 aces each.

(ii) The rubbers in County Championships shall be as individual County Committees may decide.

236. Gate Receipts in All-Ireland Championships:

The Council shall receive the gate receipts of the semi-finals and finals, and shall pay the approved expenses of the competing players and of one official.

237. Players who Win Provincial or All-Ireland Junior Championships.

A player who wins an All-Ireland Junior Championship shall not again play in that grade.

238. Specifications for Standard Ballcourts:

(i) **Area, etc., of Court:**

The standard ballcourt shall be a four wall concrete structure, enclosing a playing floor space of not less than 60' nor more than 63' long, and not less than 28' nor more than 30' wide. (The back wall may be of glass, or of glass and concrete.)

(ii) **Front and Back Walls:**

The height of the front wall shall not be less than 30' while that of the back wall shall not be less than 9'.

A slope of 5" in 63' is desirable in the floor of open courts.

(iii) **Side Walls:**

The side walls may be of even height with the front fall for their entire length, but, preferably, should taper down to the height of the back wall from a point 35' from the front wall.

- (iv) **Dallai Ingearad agus Min:**
Ní mór na dallai uite a bheith ingearad leis an urlán agus corh mín sin go gcoinnteofar foiomraíl i gcúrsa na triathóire.
- (v) **Line Sainn:**
Ní mór line an a bfuil line "sainn" a tarrainge comhceolmhan leis na dallai cosais agus cút, 2½ orlaic ó lán na cúinte i leit an cút.
- (vi) **Ní mór line an a bfuil line "ceitgin" a tarrainge 5 trois níos neasa don balla cosais ná an line sainn.**
- (vii) **An Spás Ceitgin:**
An Spás Ceitgin a bfuil an an spás iomlán an line sainn agus an line ceitgin.
- (viii) **Tig leis an gComhairle aiceantais do chraobtuicé a tairne do chúinteanna naé otagann leis na toisí cailgeánaí.**

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238. **Cruaithrónóirí Cailgeánaí.**—(i) Mar seo a bfuil an an cruaitheoirí cailgeánaí:

Caistáí cuí rubair agus snáca, faoi choill ve chraiceann caoraic nó a teitire.

(ii) Ní lú ná 1¹³/₁₆ orlaic a bheith ina chraiceann agus ní mó ná 1¹³/₁₆.

(iii) Ní lú ná 1½ únsa meáca na a bheith ann agus ní mó ná 1½.

(iv) Bheith a bfuil an tairne ná lú ná 2½ trois agus ná mó ná 3½ trois nuair a scaoiltear an urlán comhréite i ó airtre 8 trois.

239. **Dothairtrónóirí Cailgeánaí.**—(i) As rubair ven céalo scof a bfuil an dothairtrónóirí cailgeánaí agus tairneannas 2½ orlaic in.

(ii) Cumrtear uirtí séala an Cumrtear mar aca an donn ceannais na héimeann.

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240. **Cluice.**—Áirtear as is ríce i ngac cluice.

(iv) Walls Perpendicular and Smooth:

All the walls must be perpendicular to the floor, and must be so smooth as to ensure a minimum loss of true direction of a ball in its course.

(v) "Short" Line:

A line called the "short" line must be drawn parallel to the front and back walls, 2½' from the centre of the courts in the direction of the back wall.

(vi) "Service" Line:

A line called the "Service" line must be drawn 5' nearer to the front wall than the "short" line.

(vii) Service Area:

The area between the "short" and "service" lines is known as the service area.

(viii) Courts not conforming to standard dimensions may be approved by Council for championship matches.

HANDBALLS

239. Standard Hardball:

(i) The standard hardball shall be made with suitable windings of rubber and yarn, covered with sheepskin or similar material.

(ii) It shall not be less than 1¹³/₁₆ inches and not more than 1¹³/₁₆ inches in diameter.

(iii) It shall not be less than 1½ ounces nor more than 1½ ounces in weight.

(iv) It shall have a rebound of not less than 2½ feet nor more than 3½ feet when dropped from a height of 8 feet on to a concrete floor.

240. Standard Softball:

(i) The standard softball shall be made from best grade rubber, and shall be 2 ½ inches in diameter.

(ii) The design of the Association's All-Ireland medal shall be imprinted on it.

PLAYING RULES

241. Game:

Twenty-one aces shall constitute a game.

241. **Buaíóin Cluiche.**—An c-imreoir nó na himreoirí (bóiláir) is cúisce a aimsíonn áis is fíche, is bóib a céann an cluiche.

242. **Comhúin.**—Ní miste comhúin ar bít ve cluiche a bheir i "scorúin".

243. **Buaíóin Comhúine.** An c-imreoir nó na himreoirí (bóiláir) a gnócaíonn farasbarr na gcluicé is bóib a céann an comhúin.

244. **Oreas "Iscis".**—(i) Sula ocosaítear ar comhúin ciosraib an tuce imearfa ar réicead trí éirinn pingine, nó cun a ocoite féin, faoi cé is cúisce a bheir "iscis".

(i) Don imreoir is cúisce iscis a céann an céad ceitgean agus a roga liachróir von céad cluiche agus oo gae comréitúice. As an réiceoir amháin a bheir sé u'vóand liachróir a malarcú te tinn cluiche.

(ii) "Lám" aihám a ceasófar von céad seal iscis i ngae cluiche bóiláir.

(iv) Fear ceitgee an áis buaite i gcluiche bóiláir, sé is cúisce a ceitgeann sa cluiche ún.

245. **An Ceitgean.**—(i) Ní mór an liachróir a pteabáid an an unláir te tinn ceitgin agus a bualaib leis an lám i gcomne an balla cosaig.

(ii) Ní mór von ceitgeoir seasáir ioir an líne sairio agus an líne ceitgin agus ní ceasóite teacéas a cun éan an vana líne seo nó go mbeid bance as an liachróir leis an mballa cosaig.

(iii) Is peall é an líne ceitgin a thairnó sula mbaineann an liachróir leis an mballa cosaig.

(iv) Ní mceitgee an liachróir sula mbíonn na céití comraic ina n-ionann lasmuig von líne sairio.

(v) Tis te réiceoir liachróir a ceatú má ceitgeann i sula mbíonn na fir amuig in ionann, nó te tinn bheicúnas a theá.

(vi) Liachróir a bairnó, ó ceitgeann, leis an líne sairio, áineopar ina liachróir sairio i.

242. **Winner of Game :**

The player or (in doubles) players first making twenty-one aces shall be declared the winner or winners of the game.

243. "Rubber" :

A "rubber" may consist of any odd number of games.

244. **Winner of "Rubber" :**

The player or (in doubles) players getting the greater number of games shall be declared the winner or winners of the "rubber".

245. "Innings" :

(i) Before commencing a "rubber" the opposing players shall decide by the toss of a coin or other agreed method who shall have first innings.

(ii) Player winning toss shall have first service and also choice of ball for the first and successive odd games. Only the referee has power to change the ball during the course of a game.

(iii) Only one "hand" shall be allowed for the first innings in all doubles games.

(iv) In doubles player who tosses winning ace must continue in service for the following game.

246. **Service :**

(i) When being served the ball must be hopped on the floor and struck with the hand against the front wall.

(ii) Players serving the ball must stand between the "short" and "service" lines, and must not cross the latter line, even with one foot, until the ball has touched the front wall.

(iii) Crossing the service line before the ball touches the front wall shall be a foul.

(iv) No ball may be served until the outside players are in position outside the "short" line.

(v) The referee may disallow any ball served before the outside players are in position or while a question of judgement is being decided.

(vi) If a ball, when served, touches the "short" line, it shall not be counted a "short" ball.

(vi) Ní mór do páirtí an ceitgeona, i gceitce vólán, seasadh go díreach, leatgualann ag baint le caob-balla roim an líne shamro agus an líne ceitgin nó go ceitgear an t-iaicnóir i.e. go dté sé ar an líne shamro ó lámh an ceitgeona.

246. **Áis.**—Seannán áis nuair a téann ven fear amuig —as ceitgean nó as imirc—iaicnóir a aCeitgean nó má áraíonn sé maí.

247. **Lámh As.**—(i) Is lámh as von ceitgeoin é cúl t-iaicnóir shamro a ceitgeann as a céite agus gan fín amuig glacaó le haon ceann acu, nó má áraíonn an ceitgeoin Riail 245 (iii) cúl nuair as a céite.

(ii) Is lámh as freisin é cnussadó ar dté ve cúl feall, t-iaicnóir(i) shamro san áireamh, ve réir na foirteáic díreach nóimhe seo.

(iii) Is lámh as von ceitgeoin é buille in áisce, nó an t-iaicnóir a buataó i gcoime an unlán, a pearsa féin, nó pearsa a páirtí, sula mbaineann sí leis an mballacosaic.

(iv) Is lámh as von ceitgeoin é, eiseann nó a páirtí a bneic ar an t-iaicnóir ear éis ceitgin agus sula bpreabann sí von vana nuair.

(v) Is lámh as é go ceitgear an an ceitgeoin nó a páirtí t-iaicnóir a buataó nó a áisimirc, máis leis-sean (leó san) imirc, nó maí a áirú.

248. **Ceataí t-iaicnóir.**—t-iaicnóir a preabann ve ónoim balla éit nó caob-balla cuma sa ceitgean nó san imirc é, ac go mbuailfead sí an t-unlán i vcosac, ceatópar i agus ní áireofar áis ná lámh as dá éinn.

249. **Fúil.**—(i) Is feall é, má bair imroim ceana leis an t-iaicnóir, eisean nó a páirtí a buataó áruair sula ráiníonn sí an balla tosaic.

(ii) Is feall é t-iaicnóir a buataó ear éis bneic is preab ámhán.

(vii) In doubles contests the partner of the player who is serving must stand erect, with one shoulder touching the side wall, between the "short" and "service" lines, until the ball is served, i.e., crosses the short line from the server's hand.

247. **Aces :**

An ace is awarded when an outside player fails to return a ball which has been served or played to him or when he makes a foul.

248. **"Hand Out" :**

(i) A "hand out" shall be given when the server tosses three successive "short" balls, none of which is played by an outside player ; or when the server is guilty of three successive transgressions against Rule 67 (iii).

(ii) A "hand out" shall also be given for a combination of "short" balls and transgressions, as set out in the immediately preceding sub-rule, amounting to three.

(iii) A "hand out" shall also be given if the server misses the ball or strikes it against the ground, the side wall, his own, or (in doubles) his partner's person before it strikes the front wall.

(iv) A "hand out" shall also be awarded if the server or (in doubles) his partner catches the ball after it is served and before it hops a second time.

(v) A "hand out" to count when an inside player, in service, or (in doubles) his partner misses a ball, fails to return one which has been played to him (or his partner), or makes a "foul".

249. **"Dead" Ball :**

A ball bouncing over the back or side wall having first touched the floor whether in service in subsequent play, shall be reckoned a "dead" ball and shall not count as an ace or "hand out".

250. **Fouls :**

(i) Should a player, having touched the ball, strike it again or (in doubles) should his partner strike it before the ball reaches the front wall, it shall be a foul.

(ii) Playing a ball on the second or succeeding hop shall be a foul.

(iii) Is feall é bairt an tliacróir nó i stop v'adonó ma cúrsa oi éun an balla éosaig nó uair amac.

(iv) Is feall é liacróir a dulaó teis an dá lámh in éineáct.

(v) Is feall v'imreoir é liacróir a dulaó éun an balla éosaig can éis oi bairt lena páirtí.

(vi) Is feall é céite comraic a bac v'adonó.

(vii) Seannpar is nó lámh as mar émic an feall ve réin mar is fear istig nó fear amuig acá ciontad ann.

(viii) Is feall é gabáit le éosa an an unlán v'adonó.

(ix) Is feall é moitriú san sá nó v'adonó le tinn étuice.

250. **Bacáó.**—(i) Is bacáó é teact trasna trí cimpist an céite comraic.

(ii) Is bacáó é an liacróir a bairt, as teact ón mballa éosaig oi, teis an té a éun istead i nó lena páirtí.

(iii) Is bacáó é imreoir a dulaó ná liacróire agus ansin an liacróir a dulaó a céite comraic.

(iv) Is bacáó é imreoir a seasam trí cimpist i gcúrsa pille liacróire a teig sé.

(v) I gcás bacáó ní mór an liacróir a teitgean atuan.

251. **Liacróir ve Ónoim Balla.**—Seannpar is nó lámh as má dulaíteann imreoir an liacróir suta bpreabann si an an unlán, nó can éis na pneibe, agus go océann si ve ónoim éaob-balla nó an balla éúil.

252. **Liacróir ve Ónoim Balla san Pheabaó.**—Seannpar is nó lámh as má dulaíteann liacróir as teitgean nó as imric ve ónoim balla éúil, éosaig nó éaob-balla san preabaó i ocosac an an unlán. (Sin i an Rial is inteanca pneisin má ppreabann liacróir ven balla éúil nó an a barr).

253. **Liacróirí Ceitce a Imric.**—Liacróirí an bí a ppreabann iun an line shamó agus an balla éúil, má caólan siad an line shamó féin, ní mór glacáó teo muran éoigraig siad

(iii) Catching or deliberately stopping a ball going to or from the front wall shall be a foul.

(iv) Striking a ball with both hands together shall be a foul.

(v) If (in doubles) a player strikes a ball on to the front wall after it first touches the player's partner, it shall be a foul.

(vi) If a player wilfully obstructs an opponent, it shall be a foul.

(vii) The penalty for a foul shall be an ace or a "hand out", according as the player responsible or (in doubles) his partner is an inside or an outside player.

(viii) Deliberate stamping of feet shall be a foul.

(ix) Should a player cause unnecessary or wilful delay during a match it shall be a foul.

251. **Hinders :**

(i) If a player obstructs an opponent, but not wilfully, it shall be a hinder.

(ii) If the ball, coming from the front wall, strikes the player who put it up or (in doubles) his partner, it shall be a hinder.

(iii) If a player strikes a ball and the ball then strikes the player's opponent, it shall be a hinder.

(iv) When a player (accidentally cover his own return, it shall be a hinder.

(v) When a hinder occurs, the ball must be played again.

252. **Ball Leaving Court after being Played :**

If a player plays a ball before or after it has hopped on the floor and the ball goes over the back or side wall, an ace or "hand out" shall be awarded, as appropriate.

253. **Ball Leaving Court Without Hopping :**

If a ball, whether in service or in subsequent play is driven over the back or side or front wall without first hopping on the floor, an ace or "hand out" shall be awarded as appropriate. (A ball hopping on top or side of back wall to be governed by same rule).

254. **"Tossed" Balls Must be Played :**

All balls that pass between the "short" line and back wall, including balls that touch the "short" line, must be

leis an teitgeoir nó a páirtí ean éis an balla cosais a fásáil nó mura sgealláinn an réiteoir iad.

254. **Liácróidí Saimo.**—(i) Tis leis an bfean amuis liácróidí saimo a imirt nó a óiúicú.

(ii) Ní ceadaíte uon réiteoir “saimo” a fliacó nó go mbeid leis imearca faighe as an bfean amuis.

(iii) Má tugann an fean amuis faoi liácróidí saimo a bualaó agus go ceaptró air gearrpan as air.

255. **Sabáil de éois an liácróidí.**—Is cuma nó imirt sabáil de éois—nó caibair faoi—ar liácróidí. (Ní miste sabáil de lámh nó de éois ar liácróidí; crostar an ceann).

256. **Breiciúinas a lons.**—(i) Más uóig le himreoir, le linn imearca go meannad feall, ba éoin uó breic a lons—ac san stop.

(ii) Nuair a rúcaid an liácróidí as imirt caibairí an réiteoir an breic faoi sanú rialaó ar bié.

(iii) Tis leis an réiteoir, más áil leis, as nó lámh as a fósair le linn na himearca má áraítear nial.

(iv) Gearrpan as nó lámh as an an té a ceiteann rúcaic nó ceiteann a céite comraic u’áonú.

257. **Liácróidí as bairt le Díon.**—Dineorán as nó lámh as, mar a oimtró, ar liácróidí a buaiteann uíon, fáisneige, scáiní nó a teicéio eite u’feanas cúite.

258. **Liácróidí agus Balla Cúil.**—Crostar liácróidí a coim-eá san imirt eúina bualaó i ocosac den balla cúil.

259. **Sos Coírraic.**—(i) Tis leis an réiteoir sos amáin, san uol éarais, a éadú ean éis an tríú cluicé, nó cluicé ar bié má diaró sin.

(ii) Ní ceadófar ean cúig nóiméad uon sos seo.

played unless they have touched the server or ((in doubles) his partner after leaving the front wall, or unless the referee disallows them.

255. Option of Playing “Short” Balls :

(i) The outside player may or may not as he pleases, play to a “short” ball.

(ii) The referee shall not call “short” ball’ unless the outside player has had an opportunity to play to it.

(iii) If the outside player tries to play a “short” ball and misses it, an ace shall be awarded.

256. Kicking Counts as Playing :

Kicking, or attempting to kick a ball shall count as playing it. (A ball may only be played by hand or foot ; heading a ball is not permitted.

257. Calling for Judgement :

(i) If a player, while the ball is in play, thinks a foul has been committed, he should call for judgement and play on.

(ii) When the ball has been played out, the referee shall decide whether a foul has occurred and give his decision accordingly.

(iii) The referee may, if he wishes, declare an ace or “hand out” when a foul occurs without waiting for the ball to be played out.

(iv) Deliberate crossing or obstruction of opponent’s view entails “hand out” or ace.

258. Ball Striking Roof, etc. :

A ball striking the roof, wire netting, stanchions, or any such like additions to any part of a court shall count as an ace or “hand out” as appropriate.

259. Ball Cannot be First Struck Against Back Wall :

It is not permissible to keep a ball in play by first striking it against the back wall.

260. Interval in Matches :

(i) The referee may grant one, but only one, interval after the third or any succeeding game in a match.

(ii) Such interval shall not exceed five minutes.

261. **Úireic an Réiteora.**—Níl tuit éan breic an réiteora in don cónsáil imeartha.

(a) Faoi breic an réiteora a beir sé a cá—má's tá—cé acu an féidir imirt an éairc nó naé féidir.

262. **Rialaíocht a Déicéimíú.**—Ní éig na rialaíocht imeartha a déicéimíú ac uain sa cús bliain, 1952 mar dundiam.

263. **Féidir Gháe-Rialaíocht C.I.S.**—Is faoi Gháe-Rialaíocht C.I.S. a réiteofar don bhonn nár piéad go teicléasáé ins na rialaíocht seo éuas.

261. Finality of Referee's Decision :

The decision of the Referee in all matters concerning the play shall be final.

(a) A referee shall have power to decide whether the court is playable or not, should a question of same arise.

262. Revision of Rules :

Playing Rules may be only revised once in 5 years as from 1952.

263. Applicability of General G.A.A. Rules :

The general rules of the G.A.A. shall govern all matters not specifically dealt with in the foregoing laws and rules.

An cluiche corr

Do éinnead na Riatacá so te éite i gcóir an Cluiche Corr:—

264. **Páirc na h-imearú.**—Ní foláir páirc na h-imearú beic 80 stac ar fáil agus 60 stac ar leitead ar a turgead. Beir éinne bun ann agus iad 90 croig ó éite; marófar an cailín de néir na solúide seo anso.

'Sé beir sa mbaite-bun ná cearcat go mbeir a lánline ceitne croigte ar fáil: ceannós go mbeir 5ac caob de 18 n-órlac ar fáil: a beir i n-gac mbun eite. Beir áit freas-cailúide (24 ór. x 6 ór.) 60 croig ón mbaite-bun.

Soláchrófar binne oo tuic an duaitte in áit ná beir níos tuğa ná 10 stac laistiar den báite-bun.

265. **Fóinne.**—Ní beir éan naonófar ins na fóinnib ar 5ac caob le h-ágaró comórtais, agus má gontuiscéan don imirteoir le linn an cluiche is féidir imirteoir eite oo éin n-a ionad le ceao an réiteora, ac ní féidir oon imirteoir a iméig beic páircéad sa cluiche 'na óialó sin. Is féidir pé méir ar a socrócaid ar óá fuinnn eacorra noim tosnú an cluiche beic ins na fóinnib le h-ágaró cara-cluicé, ac an uimh céara beic ar 5ac caob.

266. **Baca agus Liaéirio.**—Sé beir sa bacá ná Cuaitte cruinn ná beir éan trí croigte ar fáil ná éan óá órlac go leic an leitead san áit is céaganta o. Beir an liaéirio 'na liaéirio-ionánuioéca agus ní héir meadócaim imic níos tuğa ná cúig ónsa ná níos mó ná cúig ónsa agus ceachamaó, agus ní beir a h-ionéuaint níos tuğa ná naoi n-órlac ná níos mó ná naoi n-órlac agus ceachamaó ar fáil. Is féidir liaéirio 5ma leat-céagana ó'óisáir i gcóir cluicé ban.

267. **Tosnú agus Fáil Cluiche.**—Tosnófar ar an gcluiche agus leanfar de nó go mbeir 5ac caob tándis beic istig uair amáin nó pé méir uimeannúca ar a socrófar noim tosnú an cluiche, ac is féidir beime oo éin leis nuair a beir níos mó éitiríní fácca ag an bhfuinnn is veanaige duail ná ag an

ROUNDERS

The following Rules have been drawn up to govern the game of Rounders:—

264. *Field of Play.*—The field of play shall not be less than 80 yards long, and 60 yards wide. There shall be four bases, each 90 feet apart, and the lay of the ground shall be as shown in accompanying diagram.

The home base shall consist of a circle 4 feet in diameter, and each of the other bases shall consist of a square 18 ins. each side. There shall be a server's stand 24 ins. by 6 ins. at a distance of 60 feet from the home base.

A Bench shall be provided for the batting side at a position not less than 10 yards behind the home base.

265. *Teams.*—Teams shall consist of not more than nine players on each side for competition purposes, and if any player becomes injured during the progress of the game another player may be substituted with the permission of the referee, but the player whom he succeeds shall not thereafter participate in the game. For friendly games, teams may consist of any number of players agreed upon between the two teams before the commencement of the game, provided that the number on each side is equal.

266. *Bat and Ball.*—The bat shall be a round staff not more than 3 feet in length, and not more than 2½ ins. in width at its thickest part. The ball shall be a hurling ball of not less than five ounces, nor more than five ounces and a quarter in weight (avoirdupois), and not less than nine inches, nor more than nine inches and a quarter in circumference. For ladies' games a half solid rubber ball may be used.

267. *Commencement and Duration of Game.*—The game when commenced shall continue until each side has had one innings or such number of innings as may be agreed upon before the commencement of the game, but it may be terminated when the team last to bat has scored more

brunn eite canéis uóid síú beir istig iomlán na n-uain-eanna. Isí an fúineann ag a mbeir an uinn is mó cúitíní ag beire an cluice a buaiféir an cluice.

268. **Roza beir istig.**—Deánfaid Captáen gac caoid caiteam anáire noim tosnú an cluice, féadaint cé h-iaó a buaiféir agus cé h-iaó a ragaíó ar fuaid na páinice i ocosac.

269. **Riaraó na n-imirceóiní.**—Riaraóan imirceóiní ná fóinne a ragaíó ar fuaid na páinice mar leanas:—An freastalúid in áit an freastalúid, an cúicosc dá fhoig uéag laistiar de'n baile-dun (an beirt aca ar líne díreac ó taob caob na páinice mar caisbeántar an an solúio), imirceóiní ahdán le h-ais gac bun eite, agus an cúio eite oes na h-imirceóiní ins na h-áiceannaib a tuairéirí an freastalúid. Fanraíó imirceóiní na fuinne buaite ag bunne an buaite nuair ná bíó ag imirt, ac ia féioin o'áon imirceóiní a fógnugtear amac out in aon ball tasmuig oes na líncib neaca uoir na bunaid ac gan cur istead ar fuirinn na páinice.

270. **An imirt.**—Seasóid an freastalúid 'n-a áit, tabarfaíó sé agaid ar an mbaite-dun agus caiféir sé an tiacnóir fé n'a lámh fé uóin an baile-dun i síghe go ragaíó sí ear an baile-dun sana mbaiféir sí leis an ocalam agus ná ragaíó sí níos íste ná glúin an buaite ná níos aoinne ná a gualann. Beir de ceant ag gac buaite tni caiteam coctrom o'fágáil sana mbeir aín an baile-dun o'fágaint. Nuair a buaiféir sé an tiacnóir uaid amac díreac, nó uoir an baile-dun agus líne an cúicuis, féadfaíó sé rit eun an léao bun agus eun na gceann eite, agus nuair a feibeann sé an cniomac caiteam coctrom (ní gáó uóid a beir i noaid a céite) ac má feipeann aín an tiacnóir oo buaite uaid amac i n-aon áiro ainmugtear ceana, fógnófan amac é. Má buaiteann an buaite tiacnóir coctrom agus má tiomáineann sé i ear líne an cúicuis ní oteagteac oon buaite a baile-dun o'fágait agus áimhóéctar an buite aín 'na foimib. Má fúineann an freastalúid tni caicim mí-coctroma uaid (ní gáó uóid a beir i noaid a céite) eun an buaite ceana geobaid an fúineann buaite aon cúitíní ahdán. Nuair fágann an buaite an baile-dun caiféir gac imirceóiní acá ag bun out go uel an léao bun nó bun eite, muna o'fágann an buaite an baile-dun—bíóeann a roza ag na imirceóinib eite a mbun o'fágáit.

points than the other, after the latter has had its full number of innings. The team which has scored the greater number of points at the termination of the game shall be the winners of the game.

268. *Choice of Innings*—The Captain of each side shall, before the commencement of the game, toss for the choice of batting, or taking the field first.

269. *Arrangement of Players*—The players of the team taking the field shall be arranged as follows:—The server at the server's stand, the backstop on a line at a distance twelve feet behind the home base, such line to continue to both sides as shown on diagram, one player adjacent to each other base, and the remainder of the players in such position as may be assigned by the server. The players of the batting team shall remain at the batter's bench when not at play, but any players who have been declared out may take up any position outside the running lines between the bases provided that they do not interfere with the fielding team.

270. *The Play*.—The server while standing in his stand and facing the home base shall pitch or throw the ball underhand towards the home base in such a manner that it shall pass over the home base before touching the ground, not lower than the batsman's knee, nor higher than his shoulder. Each batsman shall be entitled to receive three fairly delivered pitches before being required to leave the home base. On striking the ball in a forward direction, or between the home base and the backstop line, he may run to the first and other bases but, should he fail to strike in any of the other directions specified on receiving the third fairly delivered pitch, not necessarily in succession, he shall be declared out. In the event of the batsman striking a fairly delivered ball which passes over the backstop line, he cannot leave his base and such stroke shall count against him. Should the server deliver three foul balls to the same batter, not necessarily in succession, one point shall be awarded the batting team. When the batsman leaves the home base each player at a base shall advance to the next succeeding base or bases. In the event of the batter not

agus feobran cúlín gac uair go b'filleann imreoir a bí ag na bunaid go léir cún an baile-dun sara b'fógruigeann amac é. Fógróran son reataíre bun amac má deineann éinne ve tsao na páince agus an tiachóir 'n-a lámh aige an reataíre nó an bun ar a bfuil cuairt an reataíre o'amsiú léi sara snoiseann an reataíre é. Ní dteagtaí don reataíre-bun out ar leat-caob ó 'na líne reata fén le n-agsiú éinne ve tsao na páince vo seasaint. Ní ceant o'éinne ve tsao na páince a beic 'na seasain ar an líne seo nó ar an mbun le n-inntín an reataíre a cún as a síge nó a cún istead air. Zeibeann uine ceant cún bun má cuintear as a síge é nó má cuintear istead air. Féadfaid na h-imreoirí out ó bun go bun go b'fagaid an freastairde an tiachóir ear n-ais i n'air an freastairde. Má zeibeann imreoir ve tsao na páince an tiachóir canéis don buaitíre i bualaí agus sara snoispiú sí an talam fógróran an buaitíre amac. Ní cuintí seo scao lena reataíre a mbun fén o'fásáit. Fógróran amac leis é má éalruigeann canéis caiteam coctom go mbaineann an "cúteose" leis an mbaile-dun agus an tiachóir 'n-a lámh aige agus gan cos amáin ar a luigeas leis an mbuaitíre ar an mbun. Má deineann an buaitíre curus iomlán vo éiríodú agus fíllead cún an baile-dun sara zeibeann an freastairde an tiachóir ear n-ais, féadfaid sé an cúrsa vo tabaint a nimirge is is féidir leis ac gan out timceall ear ceiteag uaine ar fad agus feobran trí cúlín an gac curas a éiríodú n'óran ar an gcuma san. Má deineann an buaitíre an tiachóir out ear son teóranm a b'fó ann; feobaid sé trí cúlín an an mbuitle, agus féadfaid na h-imreoirí fíllead óna mbunaid cún an baile-dun.

271. **Óróú an Buaitíre.**—Buaitíre na h-imreoirí ve néir mar a bhíonn a n-ainmneaca sa liosta a tusaí do'n réiteoir, as canéis do'n fuinnn beic istig ve'n céad uair sé an céad uine a buaitíre ná an imreoir go b'fagann a ainm i noisid amme an imreora déanaig a éiríodú a curu aimsire ag bualaí le inn do'n fuinnn beic istig rouhe sin.

272. **Óróú Dteagtaí na mBun.**—Doinfeann leis na bunaid in óróú dteagtaí .i. leis an gcéad bun, leis an dara bun, leis an tceathrú bun agus leis an mbaile-dun, agus imreoir go mbíonn air fíllead agus an tiachóir o'a imre cairíre sé acbaint leis an mbun nó leis na bunaid in óróú éit. Zeibeann

leaving the home base it is optional with the other base holders to vacate their bases, and a point shall be scored each time that a player having occupied all the bases returns to the home base before being declared out. Any base runner shall be declared out if any member of the fielding side, having the ball in his hand, touch the base runner with it, or the base to which the runner is advancing, before the latter reaches it. The base runner cannot deviate his course off the straight line between bases so as to avoid the fielder who might be waiting to touch him with the ball. The fielder cannot stand on this line or on the base with the intention of fouling the base runner on his course. The fouling of the base runner shall entitle him to possession of the base to which he was running. The players may continue in motion from base to base until the ball is returned to the server at the server's stand. If the ball, on being struck by the batsman, is held by a player of the fielding side before it reaches the ground, the batsman shall be declared out, but this shall not prevent the base runners from vacating their respective bases. He shall also be declared out if after a fairly delivered ball the "back stop" touches the home base having the ball in his hand, when the batsman has not at least one foot on the base. If the batsman completes a full round and returns to the home base before the ball is returned to the server, he may continue the course as often as he can, but not more than four times in all and each round so completed shall count, as three points, but in the event of the ball crossing a boundary where a boundary exists the batsman will be allowed three points and each of the other base holders is permitted to return to the home base.

271. **Order of Batting.**—The players shall bat in the order in which their names appear on the list given to the referee, but after the first inning the first batsman shall be the player whose name follows that of the last player who completed his time at bat in the preceding innings.

272. **Legal Order of Bases.**—The bases shall be touched in legal order, viz., first, second, third and home bases, and a player obliged to return when the ball is in play

duine ceant cun bun ad baint leis dara gcuirtear amad agus blonn ceant cun bun as imirceoir go mbaineann sé go dtéagac leis an gcéad mbun eile, nó go gcuirtear o'fiascáid air go dtéagac é fásaint do reataíde bun a tógann 'n-a óiaró. Ní duairpíó don reataíde bun cúilín i gcóir an cluiche nóim an reataíde bun a blonn nóim in-óruú an buaitce má blonn a leitéir de nóim reataíde bun nár cumead amad le linn do'n fúirinn beir istig an uair sin ann. Má bícear as riadaó reataíde nóim dá buní agus go sealbuigeann an reataíde 'n-a óiaró an bun o'fás an céad duine ní féidir an dara fear oo cun amad an fear a sealbuigeann sé an bun san. Má fiteann an céad reataíde, áh, go slán, cun an bun o'fás sé, agus go mbíonn an beir reataíde as sealbú an bun céadna, sé an dara reataíde ansan an té a bíonn amad, má aimsigeann leis an tuaróir é. Ní déanfaíó sé ceataige oo reataíde a baineann le gac bun in óruú ceant gur ceip an reataíde a bí nóim baint le bun (agus gur fógruigead amad é dá deascáid).

273. **Deine le beir istig.**—Cuirfean deine le beir istig nuair a "Deirtear amuis" fé mar tá míngce i Rial a 223 an críóir o'fuirinn an buaitce nó nuair a beir an fúireann buaitce go léir fógruige amad, nó nuair ná beir don imirceoirí fásca as an mbaile-dun cun buataó a déanam.

274. **Réiceoir.**—Beir feadmanas iomlán as an réiceoir i ceao ceant-combnaó an cluiche agus sé beir preasardac ann. Duairpíó a duatgoiní agus a comact le gac pointe de'n cluiche, agus ní ceauuige o'aon imirceoir cun i gcóimníó beactúocca buiteadmanas agus molca an réiceora an an imirce. Ammneofar beir fó-réiceoirí cun cabrugead leis an réiceoir 'na molcaíó i ceaoíó ceact na n-imirceoirí cun a mbun.

275. Is fé Cumann tuécteas Saet a beir cónam an cluiche i nGúirinn.

must retouch the base or bases in reverse order. The right to a base is acquired by touching it before being put out, and a player retains the right to a base until he legally touches the next base, or has been legally forced to vacate it, for a succeeding base runner. No base runner shall score a point to count in the game ahead of the base runner preceding him in the batting order, if there be such preceding base runner who has not been put out in that inning. If a runner is being run down between bases, and the following runner occupies the base which the first runner has left, the second man cannot be put out while holding said base. If the first runner, however, returns safely to the base he left, and both runners are then occupying the same base, the second runner then is the man out, if touched with the ball. The failure of a preceding runner to touch a base (and who is declared out therefore shall not affect the status of a succeeding runner who touches each base in proper order.

273. *Determination of Innings.*—The innings shall be terminated when three players of the batting team are "Caught out," as defined in Rule 223, or when all the batting team have been declared out, or when there are no players left at the home base to take up batting.

274. *Referee.*—The Referee shall have full charge of, and be responsible for, the proper conduct of the game. His duties and jurisdiction shall extend to all points of the game, and no player shall dispute the accuracy of the referee's judgement and decision on the play. Two Umpires shall be appointed to assist him in his decisions as to players reaching their bases.

275. The control of the game in Ireland shall be vested in the Gaelic Athletic Association.

TÉARMAÍ

Abandon match, scor ve étuice.
 Accident, tionóisc.
 Accountant, Cuntasóir; practicing Accountant, C. gairmteanntas; Chartered A., C. fé pán; Certified A., C. fé ceastas.
 Acting contrary to this rule, gníomh contrártha de forálaí na rialaí só.
 Actual team, feiróm-foimeann.
 Address, Seolaí; —ee: seolaí; —or: seotóir.
 Affiliate, I, cleamhuígh; affiliation, cleamhú (v.n.), cleamhnaic (n); affiliated club, cnaob-cumann cleamhuíte; affiliation fee, caitte cleamhnaíca.
 Agenda, Clár gnóta.
 Aim, aíom; pl.—eanna.
 Attack, ionnsaí.
 At the same time, le tinn don-uaine.
 All-Ireland Final, Cluiche Ceannais na hÉireann.
 Allow, a lámháit; he shall allow a goal, beir aín cút a lámháit; disallow, a óilámháit.
 Alternative colours, matairic uatanna.
 Alternately, gac ne curas.
 Amend a Rule, Rial a teasú; amended rule, mat teasuite; amendment, teasú.
 Appeal, áccómarc; he shall have the right to appeal, beir ceao áccómarc airge; Appeals shall be lodged, ní foláin áccómarc a tóiscéit.
 Applicable to, infesóma i teit.
 Application, iarratas; written application, iarratas i scríobh; personal application, i. pearsanta.
 Appointed, ceapca; to appoint a Secretary, Rúná a ceapca.
 Any other reason he considers sufficient, fíic an bit eite is teor leis.
 Association, Cumann; The Gaelic Athletic Association, Cumann Lútleas Gael.
 Athlete, tóicme; athletic, tóicmeán; athletics, tóicmeas; athletic meeting, tionót lútleas.
 Attendance, Timneah.
 Auditor, iméccóir.

Auspices: under the a. of, fé coimne.
 Authenticated, veimhite.
 Authority, údarás; the sole a., an t-aon ú.; authorised expenses, costasaí údaraithe.
 Award, Úsmaíctam; to award a match, cluiche a úsmaíctam.
 Back, cúláí; full-back, lán-cúláí; half-back, leat-cúláí.
 Badge, suaiteantas; Badges, suaiteantais.
 Balance Sheets, Táblaí rígteac; certified balance sheets, táblaí rígteac veimhite.
 Ball out of play, tóicróio as imic.
 Because of, ve úeascaib.
 Betting and gambling, Sealltúr agus Ceannbácas; Betting men, tuic seall-giaca.
 Breach of rule, sárú rialaí.
 Bye, seaca; the team having a bye, an foimeann a seobáit seaca.
 Bye-law, fo-úil; bye-laws, fo-úice.
 By mutual consent, ve eoil a éite.
 Candidate, iarrtóir.
 Captain, Captaoin; Vice-captain, leas-captaoin.
 Caution a player, foláineah a tabairt d'imearóir.
 Certain time to decide, aca áimic cinntic.
 Certificate, ceastas; Parochial certificate, Teastas Paróisc; Birth certificate, Teastas Dúicic.
 Cessation of play, eatairic imearic.
 Chairman, Cetaoimteac; Vice-Chairman, leas-Cetaoimteac.
 Championship, Cnaob-Cóimntas; Championship game, Cnaob-cluiche; All-Ireland Senior Championship, Cnaob Símsearac na hÉireann.
 Charge, nuatar; charge from behind, nuatar ó eúl; charging a player, nuatar a tabairt fé imearóir.
 Christian name, ainm baiste; full Christian names, lán ainmeaca baiste.
 Circulate, I, cioncúiric; —ion, cioncúir; circulated, cioncúireac.
 Claim, éiteah.
 Club, cnaob-cumann; football c., c. peste; hurling c., c. iomána.
 Colours, uatanna; identical c., uatanna ionannaíca.

- Combination, comuamaó; the team lacked in c., bí ceat comuamaó ar an bfoirm.
- Commencement of play, tús imeartha.
- Committee, Coiste; Senior C., Coiste Sinsearaó; Junior C., Coiste Sínearaó; Divisional C., Coiste Ceanncain; Sub-committee, fo-coiste; County C., Coiste Conntae.
- Competition, comórtas; inter-county competitions, Comórtasai iom-conntaeacha.
- Comply, I (with): Comhionam; he has complied with the rule, tá an rialú comhionta aige; the rule was complied with, comhionad an rialú.
- Conditions, other, cosca eile.
- Conduct, iompar; misconduct, mí-iompar.
- Conform to, beir ve réim.
- Congress, Comóráit; Annual C., C. bliantúil.
- Consecutive, as a céite; Three c. years, trí bliana as a céite.
- Constitution, bunneac; constitution of a team, comóranam fóinne.
- Control, ceannas; complete c., tán-é.
- Control of Matches, Smaórt-maraó na gCluóil.
- Convene, a tionót; duly convened, a tionótar go cuibé; convention, Comhionót; Annual County Convention, C. bliantúil Conntae; Provincial Convention, Comhionót Cárge.
- Correspondence, Comhréagant; official c., C. oifigiúil.
- Council, Comante; Central C., Áirí-é.; Provincial C., C. Cárge.
- Counter-objection, fíocagóir.
- Croke Park, páirc an Chócáig.
- Crossbar, tneasán.
- Cup, Conn.
- Date of their receipt, dáta a brága; the last date, an dáta uanac; the proper date, an dáta cuibé.
- Deadlock, ceatrécis.
- Decision, breic.
- Declare, I., uacurim; declaration, uacú; declared player, imearóir uacúite.
- Deductions, ceastúce.

- Defence, cosant; defender, cosantóir; defending team, fóineann na cosanta.
- Define, to, a sainmú.
- Deliberate delay, moill a beimtear o'don-ghnó; deliberate or incidental, o'don-ghnó (nó go teagúasac).
- Delivery, seolas.
- Deposit, éantais.
- Design, veana.
- Development, forbaint.
- Disallowed, oíceasúite.
- Discipline, smaórt.
- Discretion, oiscéir; at discretion of controlling body, ve réim oiscéir an údaráis ceannais.
- Disqualify an entire team, fóineann iomlán a oí-cáitú.
- Disqualification, oícaitú; to disqualify a team, fóineann a oí-cáitú.
- Distinctive county colours, sam-uaéanna Conntae; distinctive markings, sam-comharcaí.
- Distribute, I., iomóráim, -ion, iomóráil.
- Division, Ceanncain; Divisional Committee, Coiste Ceanncain; Divisional Team, fóineann ceanncain.
- Domicile, áitreab; domiciled, an áitreab; temporarily domiciled, ar beal-áitreab.
- Document, cáipéis.
- Draw, (1) crannúit.
- Draw, (2) coónom; If a match result in a draw, más coónom vo scór as beiread cluicé; a drawn game, cluicé coónom.
- Duplicate list, liosta dubláioe; in duplicate, i noúbláio.
- Duration of play, faoi ná himeartha; the time for actual play is one hour, uain an cloig faoi ná feirim-imeartha.
- Duty, uaistias.
- Easter, an Cásic; Easter Sunday, Doimnaó Cásca.
- Effect, éifeac; effective, éifeacac; the rule shall not take effect, ní beir éifeac leis an rialú.
- Eject them, ias o'imearacaint.
- Election, togaán; elected, toga; to elect by ballot, a togaó ané ballóio.
- Eligible, ion-toaga.

- End line, ceann-líne.
 Ends of lines, poimcinn na línte.
 Engagement, comne; championship engagement, comne
 cnaob-comórtais.
 Ensuing year, an bliain uair shionn.
 Entire Committee, iomlán an Coiste.
 Entitled to play, i cteveast imre.
 Equipment, treallán.
 Evidence, fianaise; False evidence, fianaise bréige; forged
 evidence, fianaise brionnaithe.
 Except where otherwise provided, tasmuic ó'don éas ma
 bforáitear a málaire.
 Exclude, I, eisiáim; excluded, eisiata.
 Exclusive, oiriata; an exclusively Hurling Club, cnaob-
 cumann oiriata iomána.
 Executive Committee, feióm-Coiste.
 Ex-officio, de thuá oifige.
 Expelled, oibearca; to expel, a oibire.
 Expenses, costasaí; travelling expenses, costasaí taistil;
 Hotel expenses, costasaí óstálocta.
 Ex-President, ian-uaictarán.
 Extra time must be played, ní foláir imre go ceann
 cnéimse breise.
 Fee, cáite; entry fee, cáite iontrála; affiliation fee,
 cáite éleamnácta.
 Fifty, caoga; fifty yards kick, saon-speac c. stat.
 Final, ctuice ceannais; semi-final, ctuice teat-ceannais.
 Financial year, bliain airgeadais.
 Fine, fineáil; fined, curca pé fineáil.
 Fist, oimn; to fist the ball, an liacnóir a doimn.
 Fixture, tuasceadás; re-fixture, actuasceadás; to fix a
 match, ctuice a tua; to re-fix a m., e. o'actua.
 Flag, brat; flags, brataca.
 Football (game), peit; f. match, ctuice peite; f. team,
 foimeann peite; a football, liacnóir peite (cair).
 Forfeit: they shall forfeit the match, caillfid siad a gceart
 oon ctuice.
 For or on behalf of, an son nó tan ceann.
 For such period as the Central Council shall decide, go
 ceann pé cnéimse an a gcinnfid an Árd-Cómhairte.

- For the purpose of taking a run, o'fonn roctas a g'laicá.
 Forward, cosaí; full forward, lán-cosaí; half forward,
 teat-cosaí.
 Foul, calaiois; that's a foul, sin calaiois; Foul play, imre
 calaioiseac.
 Free, saon-iarnaict; free kick, saon-speac; free puck,
 saon-poc; to allow a free to be taken, cun go nglactaí
 saon-iarnaict.
 From behind a player, i teic a cúl an imearctóir.
 Functions, feiómearna; functioning, as feiómú.
 Funds of the Association, airgeadais an Cumann.
 Gaelic Grounds, Gaedeat-faicti.
 Goal, cúl; goalie, cúrbáine; goal-post, cúl-cuaitte; goal
 space, cúl-acar.
 Governing body, comtact ceannais; supreme governing
 body, áru-comtact ceannais.
 Grade, gnáio; to grade a County junior, Conntae a gnáio
 mar sóisir; regraded, acgnáioite; he has been graded
 Junior, gnáioigeat ma sóisean é.
 Grants, veontasaí.
 Ground(s), faice,—i; grounds for the objection, fáca na
 nasóire.
 Guide, treoraí; Official G., an T. Oifigiúil.
 Handball, liacnóir lámhe.
 Held by a Trustee, i seicé iontaobáí.
 Hop, pneab; to hop the ball, an liacnóir a pneabaó.
 Hotel expenses, costasaí óstálocta.
 Hurling, tomáint; h. match, ctuice iomána; h. team,
 foimeann iomána; hurling ball, stiocair.
 Illegal, mí-óiscceanaic; proved illegal on objection, a
 cnuictear a beic mí-óiscceanaic de toraó agóire.
 Infringe a rule, maic a dáid.
 Injured player, imearctóir a gortópaí.
 Irregularity, mimátaict.
 Insult, maicá.
 Intentionally, ó'don coisc.
 Inter-County, eadair-Comntaeac.
 Interim, eadair.
 Interval, sos.

Investigation (N), imscrúú, imúcaó ; investigated, imúcta ;
to investigate the case, an cás a imúcaó.
Investments, airgead fuitim.

Junior, sóiseán.

Jurisdiction, úlfnse ; under j. of County Committee, fá ó.
Coisce Conntae.

Kick, speac ; kick in, speac isteaé ; kicking, speacaó ;
kick-out, speac amaé.

League competitions, Snaic-comóntasaf ; League games,
snaic-éúicé.

Legal, úisteanac ; illegal, mí-úisteanac ; legal and bind-
ing, ma óif agus ma ceangal.

Legal Advisor, úi-Comanteac.

Less than, níos tuá ná.

Let or licensed, a teimh nó a ceadóú.

Licence, ceadóúas.

Linesman, maontine.

List, liosta ; duplicated numbered lists, liostaí umhúe,
i nóúilú ; published list, liosta foitise.

Lodge, I, lóisteálaim ; lodge (n), lóisteát ; an objection
was lodged, lóisteáú agóú.

Lunar Month, mí gealaíse.

Majority, móraim ; by a two-thirds majority, óe tóit móraim
óá úcmaim.

Marking of Ground, mairú an Réiteáim ; Markings (of
team) saim-comantaf.

Match, ctúice ; Tournament m., ctúice iot-comóntas ;
friendly m., ctúice cóntas ; Challenge m., ctúice
úústáine ; championship m. ; craob-ctúice ; Final,
ctúice ceannas.

Meeting, cnumú ; special meeting, cnumú speisialta.

Member, comata ; -ship, comatacté ; -ship of the Associa-
tion, C. an Cumaim ; eligible for membership, ionglacta
i gcomatas ; -ship fee, ctúice comatactá.

Midfield, táir báine ; m. player, imeantóir táir báine.

Miniature replica, úeúúin.

Minority, lóram.

Misconduct, mí-iompar.

Modify the penalty, an éimic a maotú.

More than, níos mó ná.

Motion, ádaa núim ; Motions, ádaim núim.

Move a motion, núim a maotú ; I move . . . , maotaim . . .

Mutual consent, by ; óe tóit a céite.

Net, tion.

Nominated, áimhúe ; nomination paper, foimh áimhú-
cáim ; List of nominations, liosta na n-áimhúcáim.

Non-resident, seac-comanteac.

Not exceeding 10 minutes, náe sia 10 neómatas.

Notice, fógra ; Two days' clear notice, fógra óá lá glan ;
shorter n., f. is tuá ná san ; due n., f. cuibe.

Notified, curca in iú ; he notified the Secretary, óo cum
sé in iú óon Rúnaí.

Not less than, náe tuá ná.

Object (n) : Cuspóim, -í.

Object, I, ágóúim ; objection, ágóú ; counter-objection,
fúot-ágóú.

Offend, I, cionntuáim ; offence, cionnta ; offender (offend-
ing party), cionntóir ; first offence, céad-cionnta.

Office, Oifis ; official, oifiseac ; shall hold office, beúó ;
aéim ; ex-officio, óe buáó oifise.

Official, feadómannac ; County officials, feadómannasú Conntae.

Operative, i úpeúim.

Opponent, fúic-imeantóir ; opposition, an freasabna ; op-
ponents' territory, úimscóim an freasabna ; shall lose
the match to their opponents, caúitpúó siaó an ctúice i
úrádaim tué a úpreasabna.

Organise an entertainment, Caúeasim áimsine a cionnscaim.

Original case, bun-cás.

Outgoing Committee, Coisce a úiomh ág úúit as feúim.

Out of play, as úimú.

Out of reach, as raon.

Outsider, eiseactac.

Over, an seacá.

Parallelogram, cóineonhanán.
 Particulars, páisnéis.
 Pass, I, seachóiam; passing, seachadó. Pass! uaic!
 Patron, Earlaib.
 Permanent, seasmhac.
 Permit (n)—ceadóinas; to permit, a ceadóú; he shall be permitted, ceadófar é.
 Penalty, éimic; penalty kick, speac éimic; minimum penalty, íoséimic; maximum penalty, uaséimic.
 Play, imirc; dangerous play, i. concúntac; player, imreoir; rough play, sanb-imirc; foul p., i. cailóiseac.
 Player, imreoir; registered p., i. clárúite; unattached or inactive p., i. scunú; legal p., i. oileicneac; illegal p., i. neamhoileicneac.
 Players of defending team, imreoirí na fóinne cosanta; players of attacking team, imreoirí na fóinne ionsaite.
 Playing pitch, an réiteán.
 Point, cúitín.
 Possession, seib; fighting for p., as spairn cun seib.
 Postponed, curta ar ató.
 Powers and Procedure, Cumhachta agus nós-imeachta.
 Preceding year, an bliain roimhe.
 Prescribed penalties shall be enforced, cunfean na héimic neam-ónuite i bfeirém; p. notice, fógra n.
 Present and entitled to vote, i. táfaib agus i. oiread sáclaíochta.
 President, uachtarán; Vice-President, leas-uachtarán.
 Press, I, ceannaim; pressing, as ceannaó; C. are now pressing hard, tá C. as ceannaó go dian anois.
 Promote a game, Clúide a thionscnaib.
 Proof of Age, veimniú áoise.
 Property, maoin.
 Provided, an cónse.
 Provisions (of rule); fóndacha (na rialac).
 Provocation, gmoza.
 Proxy for, ionarúocht tar ceann.
 Puck, poc; free puck, saon-poc; Puck-out, poc amaó; side puck, poc steasa.
 Pushing, culaí.

Qualified, cáite; disqualified, oicáite; his team shall be liable to disqualification, féadfar a fóimeam a oicáitú; Q. members, comhataí cáite.
 Question of fact or time, ceist fíorais nó ama.
 Quorum, tion gnóta.
 Rebound, actúasc; the ball rebounded from the post, o'actúaise an uachtóid ben cúsille.
 Receipts, fáilcasá; net receipts, gán-fáilcasá.
 Recommend, I.: molaim; recommendation, moláo.
 Record of the scores, oineas na scón.
 Referee, Réiteoir; Referee's duties, duálcasáí Réiteóra; Referee's decision shall be final, ní beó out tar breic an Réiteóra.
 Reference, tagairt; to refer to, tagairt a ódánam; for reference, cun taganta.
 Re-fix, at-uaó; it must be re-fixed for full time, ní foláin é o'at-uaó go ténúise lán-ama.
 Refusal, oitú; he refused, oo oitúis sé.
 Register, Clár; I register, clárúim; registered, clárúite; registration, clárú; Registrar, Cláróir; County R., C. Conntae.
 Reinstate, I.: aéilacaim; reinstated, aéilacá; The player has been reinstated, tá aéilacá leis an imeantóir; reinstatement, aéilacáo.
 Reject, oitú; reject them, oitú óóib.
 Replay, acimirc.
 Report, tuasacáit; Acting on his report, as maíú óóib an a tuasacáil.
 Report its findings to the Central Council, tuaisc ar a bfrionnaid a cun go uci an áno-comaite.
 Representative, tosca; representation, teactas; representing the County, tar ceann an Conntae.
 Rescind, aicéaim; shall not be rescinded, ní féiric a aicéaim.
 Reserve (player), iantaca.
 Respective, fá seac; their r. Counties, a gConntaete fá seac.
 Responsibility, freagntac; responsible official, feadómannac freagntac.
 Retaliation, acaim; he retaliated, o'acaim sé.
 Rough play, sanb-imirc.

Round, báda; single round, don-bádaic; double round, dó-bádaic.

Rounders, Cluicé Coru.

Routine matters of the Association, gnáic-cónsáil an Cumainn.

Rule, Rialt (pl. rialtaí); amended r., rialt teasúite.

Rule, I., Rialtuighim; I r. out of order, n. as óro.; General rules, gnáic rialtaí; enact a r., rialt ó'ádaí; Rescind a R., R ó'ádaim; amend a R., R. & teasú; amended r., R. teasúite.

Run (before taking a kick), notaí.

Runner-up, tánaiste; Runners-up, tánaistigh.

Save, saoná; the goalkeeper saved, do saon an cúlóime.

Score, scór; Scoring space, an Scór-naon; scorer, scóráí; score-board, scór-clár.

Sanction (n): Ceao; sanction, I. ceaoiúghim; without previous sanction, gan néam-ceao.

Second a motion, curóid le nán; I second..., Curóighim le...

Second-best team, foineann tánaiste.

Secretary, Rúnáí; Assistant-Secretary, Leas-Rúnáí; Hon. Secretary, Rúnáí Onúg; County Secretary, Rúnáí Connaí; General Secretary, Anó-Rúnáí; Secretarial work, obair Rúnáioíca.

Security of Grounds; slán-choimeádo ná b'raí.

Selected team, foineann roghaite; Selection Committee, Coisce Roghómeáca.

Semi-final, cluicé teat-ceannaí.

Seventy, Seachtó.

Shall be operative, beid feidm le.

Shall have the right, beid ve ceart.

Shall have power, beid ve cumáct.

Shorter period, tréimse is tuá nán san.

Side-line, taobhíne.

Size, Toise; Size in circumference, toise an imlíne.

Specific Rule, Rialt sonnáde.

Spectator, féachón.

Statement of their Accounts, áicnis an a gcuantaí; satisfactory statement, áicnis básúit.

Status, céim; status of players, céim imreora.

Subject to the following provisions, fé nár na b'fónátaí seo teanas.

Substantially correct copy, cóip atá crunn in éiríac.

Substitute, ionadaí (fean ionaí); arrange for substitute, réiteac ó'ionadaí.

Surname, stiomne.

Suspension, fionnraí; suspends, fionnraí; while under suspension, le tinn beid fé fionnraí; definite period of suspension, breid fionnraí ve tréimse cinnte; automatic suspension, uafionnraí; the s. shall start, tosnaíó an f.

Tactics, oibdearta; forbidden tactics, oibdearta toimisce.

Team, foineann; teams, fóinne.

Temporarily, go seataoic; where they t. reside, ma gcomuigho go s.

Terminate a match, scur ve cluicé.

Territory, timistéar.

Threat, bádaí; he threatened the referee, do bádaí sé an an Réiceóir.

Tie (pairing) cúplá; tie (game), imse; winners of the first tie, buaóicmí an céao cúpláice.

Time, tréimse; full t., lán-tréimse; half t., teat-tréimse; time is up, tá an tréimse caíte.

Tournament, Iot-Comórtaí; Tournament trophies, curamhíreanna Iot-Comórtaí.

Transfer, I: aistriúghim; a transfer, aistriú; transfer form, foirm aistriúice.

Treasurer, Cisteoir.

Trip, cor coise.

Trophy, curamhír (pl. -eanna); t. competition, comórtaí curamhíreac.

Trustee, iontaoí; Trustees, iontaoícaí.

Umpire, cúl-thaon.

Unavoidable cause, cúis doiseacanta.

Under any circumstances, an an cúlme.

Upheld, the objection was: ó'éimh leis an aghó.

Vacant, follám; vacancy, follántaí.

Venue, lácaí.

Vice-Chairman, leas-ácaomleá ; Vice-President, leas-uaicarán.

Vigilance Members, Comataí fáine.

Vote, gú ; voting power, údarán gú ; Equal voting, gú ; casting vote, gú réicis ; right to vote, ceart gú ;

Vouched, veimhíte.

Warning, foiláineam ; to warn, a éin pé foiláineam.

Water-mark, uoban-marc.

When ordered off, nuain a as-óráicear é.

Where the ball lands, ionas cúlunge na tiactóire.

Whistle, feao ; until the Referee has whistled, go tfeadann an Réiteóm.

Wide ball, tiactóir an fórsaí.

Winning team, foineann na buaíde ; winners, buaiteomí.

Without prejudice to their Minor status, gan uoban dá gcéim mionán.

Witness, fínné ; witnesses, fínnéite ; witnesses heard in the first instance, fínnéite gur tugad éisteacht oíú sa céao coisc.

Written request, iarracáas scríobta.

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SPOTLIGHT ON THE GAELS

POPULAR WINNERS

Everyone seemed to be for Donegal at the Gavan Duffy park, Clones, on Sunday that is, everyone except the Cavan supporters who, naturally enough came there to support their own fifteen. However, the Tirconaill victory was a very popular one, even with people who did not give them a 'dog's chance'. I was speaking to one such person before and after the game. Without being "Cassius" like, I ventured the opinion that we would take Cavan in our stride, but he seemed to take that with a pinch of salt. However, as I saw him about to depart after the game, I thought I would have another word with him. "How wrong I was about you," he said, and so it was with a lot of people.

Miceal O'Hehir's tribute to Donegal on Radio Eireann in the Sean O'Callaghan programme on Sunday night was a most pleasing one for the county. "Let's face it", he said, "Cavan had no answer, and believe me, let there be no doubt about it, this is a fine Donegal side. Donegal have arrived."

IN THE VICTORY CAMP

One of the first to visit the Donegal victory camp on Sunday was a former officer of the Board of many years ago, a man who had given signal service to the Association in the county in the "dark and evil days." I refer to ex-Garda Superintendent Joe Murray, now living in Cathedral

Road, Cavan. Over a fortnight ago, I had a letter from Joe wishing Donegal luck. He enclosed £1 towards the training fund and promised a further £1 for every step Donegal takes towards the All-Ireland. On Sunday, he was pleased to come up with his second £1, earned by the team. Joe was not known to many members of the team or officials, but his few words to them, of the part he had played in the stirring days of Ireland's fight for freedom earned for him a special ovation. On Sunday week at Breffni Park, there will be no more excited or enthusiastic Donegal supporter than Joe, who two years ago retired from his post of Garda Superintendent in Cavan.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES OFF

All senior county football championship games in the county have been cancelled until after the Ulster final. This decision was taken by the Donegal County Executive on Sunday. From many parts of the country congratulations have been showering in, with, in some cases, pleas for challenge games. There will be no challenge games, however. Players and officials will concentrate on the main objective. As a matter of interest, the All-Ireland semi-final draw will be Dublin versus the Ulster champions at Croke Park on August 18th. The minors of the same Provinces will meet on the same day and at the same venue.

tude of contempt for the members of the judiciary and the courts over which they preside.

Surprising was it that Judge Ryan did not carry his enquiry further. He had evidence on oath of a very high-handed flouting of his authority as a Circuit Criminal Court Judge. He may have had good reason for not pursuing the matter further than he did. What came out in court, however, will not satisfy the public that everything is all right as regards the functioning of an institution of the State which, more than any other, should be completely free from official meddling. If a Minister, or any member of his Department can annul the sentence of a criminal court by a direction to the Gardai or prison officials in such clandestine fashion as seems to be illustrated here, there is something rotten in the whole set-up, and the wonder is that the judiciary appears to be content to turn the other cheek.

Toleration of such a state of affairs is liable to bring the administration of law into contempt, and that way lies the road to open corruption in public life.

The position in relation to the detection of crime and punishment of evil-doers has never been one hundred per cent. satisfactory in this country, due to an unconscionable outlook amongst certain sections of the community on the functions of the Gardai and as regards telling the

menced an investigation and a uniformed officer was placed on duty at the injured woman's bedside. It was stated that no information could be given, as the matter was being investigated

£50 dan Killybe Car Hit "D

JOHN MCGILL, Killybegs, was awarded £25 by Justice Larkin at Killybegs Court in a £50 claim against Donegal County Council for damages to his car, sustained on 5th September last at Church Rd., Killybegs, when it came in contact with a tree stump.

The case had been heard at previous Court and adjourned for consideration by the Justice Mr. M. Fogarty, solr. (Messrs O'Donnell and Sweeney), was for plaintiff.

The Justice said he had considered the evidence tendered by the plaintiff and the defendant's in this case. The plaintiff claimed £50 from the County Council in respect of damage caused to his car when it had collided with a tree stump on the side of the public road outside the town of Killybegs. It would appear, said the Justice, that employees of the County Council when engaged in clearing the roads after the storm in September, 1961, cut a tree which had fallen across the road at Church Road, Killybegs. The tree was growing on top of a so

Senior Fours)—1. Old Collegians (J. J. O'Sullivan, D. McCann, T. Sullivan, J. B. Doyle stroke, P. F. Keating cox); 2. Pembroke College, Cambridge; 3. U.C.D.; also Garda. Won by $1\frac{1}{2}$ lengths; 3 lengths.

Subscribers' Challenge Cup (Junior Eights)—1. P. Harriss; K. Mawhinney; D.A.G. '532-45; A. R. Stratton; L. J. White; B. M. Tate; D. G. Graham; T. Anderson, bow, J. T. Stitt, cox; 2. Limerick B.C. Two rowed. $2\frac{1}{2}$ lengths.

Bruce Murray Memorial Cup (Schoolboy Fours)—1. Villiers School R.C. (N. McCrum, M. Daunt, W. West, J. Doherty stroke, J. Pomperoy cox); 2. Limerick C.B.S.; 3. St. Mary's Coll., Athlone. Also—Carlow, Waterford, and St. Nesson's, who finished first, but were disqualified for going outside a flag. Won by 2l; 3l. 6 crews competed.

Looles' Plate (Second Senior Fours)—1. Lady Elizabeth (W. Rees-Armstrong, R. J. Wallace, S. S. Newman, P. G. D. Tisdall stroke, P. F. Keating cox); 2. Cappoquin; 3. Waterford. Also—Garda, Neptune, U.C.D., Queen's University. Won by $1\frac{1}{2}$ canvas. 7 competed.

McLeeve Challenge Cup (under age fours)—1. Carlow (B. Bolger, D. Whitty, F. Kavanagh, A. Dooley stroke, P. cox); 2. Limerick 2 rowed. Won by $1\frac{1}{2}$ lengths.

Paddy Heals Memorial Challenge Cup (schoolboy eights)—1. St. Nesson's School, Cork (J. O. Caplis, M. F. A. O'Connell, N. T. Galwin, N. D. O'Donovan, J. A. Barrett, J. A. Malone, D. J. A. Lynch, M. T. Wickham stroke, W. D. Leland cox); 2. Limerick C.B.S. Also—Carlow. Won by 3 lengths. 3 rowed.

Quin Challenge Cup (maiden eight)—1. Garda (B. Fennell, A. Kirwan, J. J. Clerkin, P. Duffy, P. Keane, T. Aughey, J. O'Neill, M. Marrinan stroke, D. Redmond cox); 2. Fermoy; 3. Galway. Also—Limerick, Athlunkard, Lee, Waterford, Athlunkard "B," St. Michael's, Cork; Shandon. Won $1\frac{1}{4}l$; $1\frac{1}{2}l$. 11 rowed.

Murphy Challenge Cup (Junior Fours)—Queen's University (P. N. Harries, B. M. Tate, J. L. White, T. Anderson—stroke, J. Stitt—cox); 2. Limerick. Two rowed. Won 1l.

I.A.R.U. Senior Union Cup (senior eights)—Heat "A"—1. U.C.D.; 2. Garda "B" Also—Waterford B.C., Cappoquin. Won by $1\frac{1}{4}$ lengths.

I.A.R.U. Senior Union Cup (senior eights)—Heat "B"—1. Old Collegians; 2. Neptune. Also—Garda "A". $1\frac{1}{2}$ length. Queen's scratched.

I.A.R.U. Senior Eights' Championship and Shannon Rowing Club Cup—1. Old Collegians (P. Sullivan, P. G. D. Tisdall, S. S. Newman, R. J. Wallace, J. J. O'Sullivan, D. McCann, T. Sullivan,

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Not worried

The Fund got a fine send-off with a £20 cheque from county champions, Ballybofey Sean MacCumhalls. As that club's chairman, former star and selector, Ben Griffin, told me at Stranorlar: "It gave an indication of what we, in the Sean MacCumhalls club thought of a fine team, and, believe me, no club could do enough to help and support them on their way."

And Ben thinks the way will lead them to the All-Ireland: "We're not a bit worried about Down, Jim McCartan or no Jim McCartan."

Two pounds

There were many smaller sums in Secretary, Hugh Daly's "kitty" at Ballyshannon, and none more welcome than the £2 already donated by ex-Garda Superintendent Joe Murray, who lives at "Lisheen," Cathedral Road, Cavan.

Former National teacher Murray was one of the first to join the Garda Síochána after a spell as Brigadier of the South Donegal Battalion of the Old I.R.A. Now retired and living in Cavan, he sent a pound towards the training fund on July 1 with a promise of a further pound with each step made towards All-Ireland final.

The former Donegal hurler and footballer and one of the original founders of the County Board when stationed in that county, happily paid

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