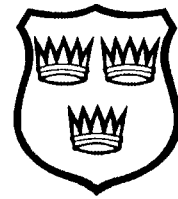




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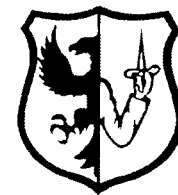
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BOARD MESSAGE

RESILIENCE AND RENEWAL: FIVE YEARS OF PROGRESS AT THE IRISH CENTER



Liam Reidy

Five years ago, the Irish Center made an alarming announcement, revealing its impending closure by December 31st, 2018, due to financial troubles. Reflecting on this turbulent period, it feels like time has sprinted by. Those who stepped forward in the spring of 2019 to rescue and preserve Irish Center operations couldn't have fathomed the remarkable transformation that would transpire during the intervening years. Today, the Center stands on a solid financial foundation made possible by the hard work of a combination of the Centers staff, board members and community volunteers.

Doors Wide Open — The doors to the Center are wide open to a wealth of Irish arts and cultural programming, offering local children opportunities to immerse themselves in music, dance, and STEM learning. Annual events like the dinners hosted by the Cork club, the United Irish societies, and St.Patrick's season activities have all been retained. We have had the emergence of new partnerships, including collaborations with amateur boxing clubs, local and international artists to provide a space to exhibit their art. As our national profile has been raised we now attract theatre companies to perform at the Center. In addition, we continue to host life event celebrations all the time. We now have a wildly successful Irish summer camp for kids, which attests to the Center's vibrant resurgence. Yet perhaps the most eye opening part of our recent journey is the ambitious plan to rebuild the Center entirely. This project is progressing through the planning stages and we have every confidence in its realization as soon as the necessary funds are secured.

All of these achievements owe their existence to the unwavering support of the community, who have stood by our side and continuously encouraged us to persevere.

Thanksgiving Season — The season of Thanksgiving is a time to reflect upon the bountiful blessings in our lives and to express gratitude for the people and experiences that enrich our existence. It is also a season that emphasizes the importance of giving back and supporting the causes we hold dear. As we enter this time of reflection and thankfulness, we at the Irish Center are excited to launch our Annual Appeal fundraiser. We are incredibly grateful for the unwavering support we have received from our community over the recent past. This fundraiser provides an opportunity for us to not only express our gratitude but to also call upon our community once more, to stand with us in our mission of preserving and promoting Irish culture and the arts. Your support during this season of giving helps us continue to provide enriching programs, educational initiatives, and cultural events that celebrate the rich tapestry of Irish culture. We look forward to your continued support and are excited about the possibilities that lie ahead as we work together to keep the Irish arts thriving.

Gratitude as A Force of Good — Gratitude is a powerful force that has the ability to uplift, inspire, and foster a sense of unity within our community. We express our heartfelt thanks to all the individuals, organizations, and supporters who have contributed their time, resources, and unwavering commitment to our non-profit organization. As we recount on the incredible journey we've embarked on together, we also look forward to the exciting possibilities that the future holds, knowing that your continued support will be instrumental in our mission's success.

(President's Message continued on page 2)

(President's Message continued)

The Power of Past Support —Over the years, the dedication and generosity of our supporters have played a pivotal role in the growth and impact of our non-profit. It is thanks to your selflessness and unwavering belief in our cause that we have been able to achieve significant milestones and touch the lives of those we serve. Your contributions have translated into real, tangible assets in our community.

Your past support has not only been a financial boon but has also demonstrated the strength of collective goodwill. It has shown us that, together, we can achieve remarkable feats and be a beacon of hope for those who rely on our services and facility. The impact of your support ripples far and wide, touching not only the lives of the individuals we serve but also inspiring others to join our cause and make a difference in our community.

Looking to the Future — As we express our gratitude for the past, we are equally excited about the future. Our journey is far from over, and we look forward to continuing our mission with unwavering determination and a renewed sense of purpose. It is our ardent hope that you will remain an integral part of this journey, standing by our side as we strive for greater achievements and further advancements in our cause. The challenges we face may evolve, but with your support, we are confident that our resilience and determination will remain unwavering.

In closing, we extend our deepest gratitude to all our past supporters. Your dedication has been the backbone of our organization's success, and it is your belief in our mission that fuels our determination. As we embrace the future, we do so with open hearts,

boundless enthusiasm, and a steadfast commitment to making the world a better place.

Future Philanthropy — We look forward to your continued support, as we believe that together, we can achieve extraordinary things. With your support, we are confident that we can make a positive and lasting impact and preserve the Center for generations to come.

Thank you for being the driving force behind our non-profit's success, and for making a difference for the entire community. Your support is invaluable, and we eagerly anticipate the journey ahead with you by our side.

Piper Jones Band — Our highlight event for November is the touring Piper Jones band who perform at the Center on Sunday November 19th. Tickets online at IrishCenterSF.org

Annual GAA Dinner — Congratulations to Rose O'Connor and Redmond Lyons who are being inducted in the SFGAA Hall of Fame on November 18th.

Happy Thanksgiving —

Happy Thanksgiving to all our members and supporters!

Liam Reidy, President
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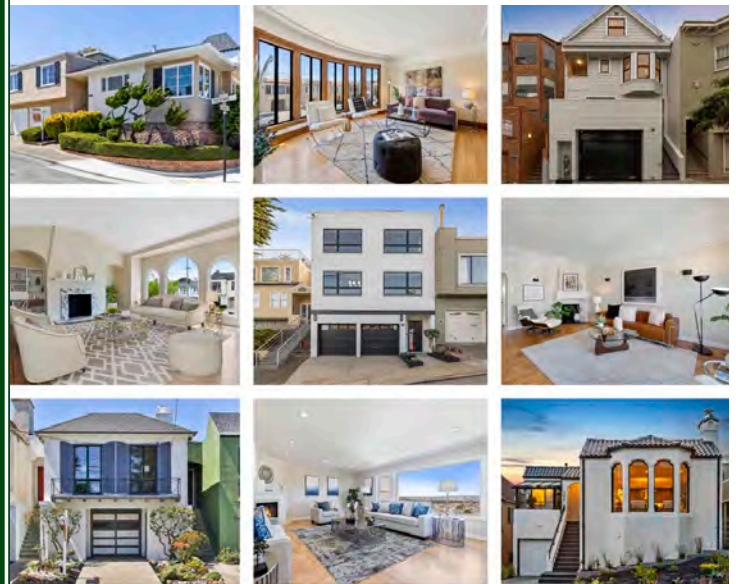


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■ NOVEMBER 4, SATURDAY

- Irish Music Session ~ 5:00pm-7:00pm
All musicians welcome ~ Emerald Pub

■ NOVEMBER 5, SUNDAY

- Ceili ~ 6:30-9:30pm
Comhaltas Members \$15 - NonMembers \$20
Everyone welcome

■ NOVEMBER 11, SATURDAY ~ 10:15am-10:45am

- Library Read Aloud with Ms. Nancy in the Library with a focus on family and ancestors. Colouring sheets, stickers, activity pages plus short stories read aloud from our collection.

• Irish Genealogy Club Zoom ~ 11:00am-1:00pm

2023 club leads: Pati Traktman & Nancy Sanchez
Email: IrishGenealogyClub@gmail.com

• Irish Marvels, Past and Present ~ 2:30-4:30pm

SHared discussion celebrating an emigrant ancestor, or someone who inspires you. Questions? Contact Lisa — Hilmoegleason@gmail.com Email by the 2nd Friday to be added to the Zoom Invitation email list.

■ NOVEMBER 9, THURSDAY

- Biscuits & Books, Live! ~ 4:00-4:45pm

Zoom and shared live on Facebook featuring the library's book sale, collection highlights and community programming.

■ NOVEMBER 18, SATURDAY

- Annual San Francisco GAA Dinner

Tickets & Info: Bertie Penny (415) 244-5531

■ NOVEMBER 19, SUNDAY

- Piper Jones Band ~ 7:00pm

■ NOVEMBER 28, TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 13

SFFD Blood Drive

St. Patrick's Room ~ 8am - Noon

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THURSDAY DECEMBER 15

UICC Member Christmas Social & Monthly Meeting
7:00pm to 8:30pm ~ St. Francis Room

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SATURDAY DECEMBER 16

Holiday Boutique Artisan Fair

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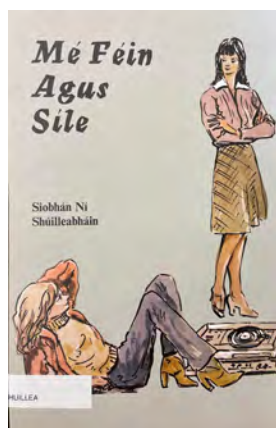


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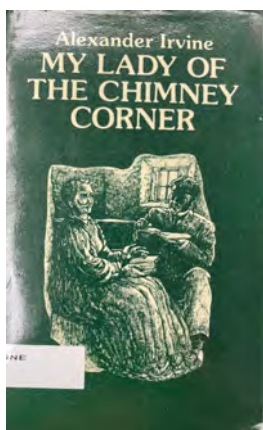
Greetings from the Library ... in the Season of Samhain

Fall has certainly blown in with the wind, if not the fog. Despite the sun, our dehumidifiers are working overtime. It does seem like this autumn has had us watering the plants with the dehumidifier water nearly every day someone is in. We are so grateful for them, the air filters, and temperature control. The season has brought in folk from across the street, the provinces of Ireland, Europe, India and South America. We've found family connections, told tall tales of derring-do by intrepid ancestors, read tales of Fionn and the Wicked Faery of Tara, the Cu Sidhe, Irish Curses and Irish Saints. It's time to add some music into the mix too. Stay tuned.

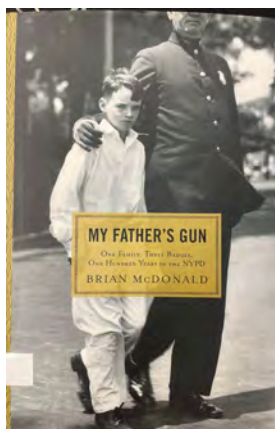
Collection Highlights: Featuring family



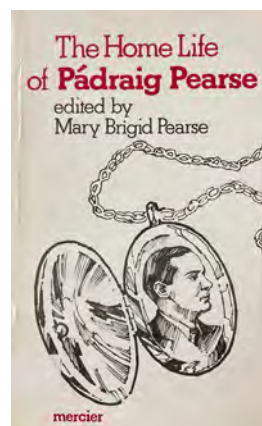
Me Fein agus Sile: i nGaeilge, c. 1976, Two very different sisters share a flat and a mystery in Dublin – if Google Translate hasn't steered me wrong. Read it and let me know!



A memoir of his mother, inspired by her "own strong social and religious convictions". 1980 ed, orig pub. 1913



Brian McDonald, One family, three badges, one hundred years in the NYPD, c.1999



As told by himself, family and friends, c. 1979, orig. pub. 1939

Programming

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Club lead: Lisa Hilmoe ; Email: Lisa Hilmoe,
Hilmoe.gleason@gmail.com by the 2nd Friday to be added to the Zoom Invitation email list.

To a season of family and fun, le séasúr teaghlaigh agus spraoi! *Jennifer Drennan*, Librarian
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National Handball Champion 2023

Congratulations to local handball legend Tom McGrath (Swinford, Co. Mayo) who won his fourth National Handball title with James Silla (Novato, CA) in the Super Masters doubles (small ball) competition at Los Caballeros Sports Village, Fountain Valley on Sunday October 1, 2023 by defeating Gary Scogin (Georgetown, TX) and William Cervantes (Albuquerque, NM). Scores were: 14-21, 21-16, 11-1. Tom plays his club handball with the South End Rowing club here in San Francisco.



National Champions Tom McGrath and James Silla



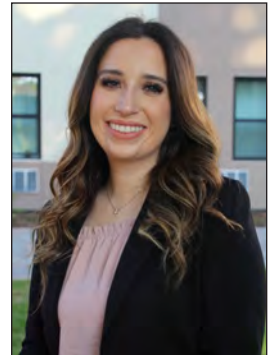
Congratulations!

At the 30th Anniversary St. Ambrose Feis hosted by the Cleary School of Irish Dance in Southern California at the end of September, San Francisco's very own co-Director of the Whelan Academy of Irish Dance, Sheila Whelan Gallagher, had the distinct honor of presenting an award that she herself won in 1994 to her own student, Hannah Logar. Congrats to Hannah and the Whelan Academy for taking home the Eddie Masterson Perpetual trophy!

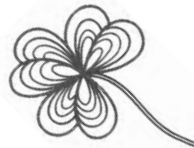
New Irish Dance teacher for the Murphy School

The Murphy School of Irish Dance has the Bay Area's newest TCRG on their teaching staff. Congratulations to Melissa Sheridan on hearing the great news from An Coimisiún, "Comhghairdeas leat. Tá áthas orainn a chur in iúl duit gur éirigh leat insan scrúdú."

With the successful completion of the TCRG/TMRF Atlanta Exam 2023, Melissa will carry on teaching with the Murphy School. No stranger to the SF St. Patrick's Day parade route and any number of UICC events, Melissa looks forward to her new dance chapter as she continues working with young dancers with the very school she started her dancing career! Well done!



Keepers of the Steps committee members Noreen Heavey, TCRG (Boyle School) and Eileen Mize catch up at the East Bay Feis.



Well done to Cormac Gannon and all the organizers and performers at the 12th Annual Fairfax Irish Festival of Music and Dance. So many familiar faces from the UICC stage —what a great showing of music and dance in Marin County!



OUR UICC COMMUNITY



Redmond Lyons, GAA Hall of Fame

UICC Board member, Redmond Lyons, will be inducted into the San Francisco GAA Hall of Fame on Saturday, November 18th, 2023. A native of Louisburgh, Co. Mayo, Redmond was one of the founding members of the Young Irelanders GAA Club when he first came to San Francisco in the early 1980's. He played with them for many years and won both the Junior and Intermediate North American Championship with the club. He also served on the Western Divisional Board at that time. He continues to support the Young Irelanders and GAA in the Bay area, while remaining a staunch Mayo supporter throughout all their quests for Sam.

Three generations at the East Bay Feis

Susan Kellogg (whose great aunt was Elizabeth Piggot—who remembers Ms. Piggot's basement?) with her granddaughter Cassidy Howard (who dances with the Rohan-Murphy School), and her daughter Erin Howard.



Mother-Daughter Friends

Irish dance friends from the Murphy School—Ann Marie Guiney-Porter with daughter Elizabeth; Erin Frakes and daughter Kennedy Frakes and Theresa Flynn Houghton with daughter Anneka Houghton from the Murphy School at the East Bay Feis.



Seen at the October St. Cecilia's Festival

The annual Parkside parish festival raises funds for St. Cecilia's Parochial School.

Jim Horan with parents Rosie and Jim Horan

Mary and Thomas McKeon



Mairead Greene and Mary Fergus



Alisa Belew, TCRG (Healy School); Mary Ann Folan, TCRG (Boyle School); Jennifer Corey, TCRG (Murphy School) cheering on their dancers at the 41st Annual East Bay Feis hosted by the McBride School.



Longtime friend and supporter of the UICC, Cyril Hackett is gearing up for a busy weekend at the Great Pumpkin Patch at 19th and Sloat Boulevard in San Francisco. Cyril has operated the Great Pumpkin Patch and the Emerald Forest Christmas tree lot for the past three decades!



A VERY SUCCESSFUL IRISH FILM NIGHT!



Margaret Baxter & Liam Reidy.



Mary & Kathleen McKeon.



Vera Burke & PJ McGee.

Thanks to all who joined us for a double feature at our Irish Film Night showing of “An Irish Goodbye” and “The Quiet Girl”—two award-winning films offered in partnership with the San Francisco Irish Film Festival and through the support of the Irish Film Festival International Program, Culture Ireland, and The Arts Council in Ireland. We were delighted to bring these amazing Irish films to the big screen at the UICC as a member benefit and look forward to future Film Nights.



Marie Woods , Liam Reidy & Eileen Darcy.



Caiti O'Shea, Lisa Hilmoe and Jo Coffey.



Cathy Mibach & Connie Lynch.



Anne & Cathy McGarvey with Liam Reidy.



Eileen Mize & Kate Gunning.

IN MEMORIAM



PATRICK JOSEPH RYAN — OCTOBER 10, 1920 - SEPTEMBER 29, 2023

Patrick Joseph Ryan passed away peacefully at the age of 102. Born in Kilmogue, County Kilkenny, Ireland to his parents Michael and Catherine Ryan. Patrick was predeceased by his wife, Anastasia Ryan. He is survived by his children, Michael Ryan (Kathy), Katheen Pallas (William), James Ryan (Carol), Mary Baireuther (John), and Patrick Ryan; siblings, the late John, Laurence, Denis, Geoffry, and Michael; grandchildren, the late Michael Ryan Jr., Christen Ryan, Matthew Pallas (Nora), and Anastasia Wilson (Daniel); great-grandson Francis Pallas; and many nieces and nephews located in Canada, France, Ireland, and England.

Pat emigrated to San Francisco in 1958, with his wife Anastasia (nee O'Reilly)(RIP), and four of his kids who were born in Ireland-Michael, Kathleen, Jim and Mary-with youngest child Patrick arriving shortly after they had settled locally. That same year, Pat joined Local Carpenters Union #22 and until 1964 worked for several local Irish contractors building homes. Answering the call to volunteer one weekend from his Local 22 Union, at the Sisters of the Good Shepherd campus in the Portola district, Pat ended up securing a full-time position with the Sisters and worked there between 1964 until his retirement in 1988. Since his retirement he volunteered with the Sisters on various new building projects, remodels, repairs and even has organized gardening days where he involved several of his close friends.

Pat also enjoys working and tinkering with old clocks. I interviewed Pat back in 2020 around the time he celebrated his 100th Birthday, and he told me "my front living room is full of clocks." He enjoyed estate sales in the neighborhood, growing orchids as a hobby and in pre-pandemic times hosted monthly 25 card games for fun in his home. This author spent many nights around the kitchen table playing games into the wee hours of the next day! There was always lots to eat and libations plentiful. He was a most gracious host always, just like the game of house cards in the "old country".

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam dílis.
(*May his faithful soul be at the right hand of God.*)



SHEILA BROSINAN — NOVEMBER 28, 1930 - SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

Sheila (Maurice Pats) Brosnan passed away peacefully in her home, surrounded by family, on September 30, 2023. She is now reunited with her husband, Pat Brosnan. She is survived by her daughter, Noreen Murphy (Daniel); son, Patrick "Kerry" Brosnan (Carol); grandchildren: Gavin (Fahmida), Sarah, Julie (Justin) Murphy, Clare and Mary (James) Brosnan, great-granddaughter, Emma Murphy; and numerous nieces and nephews both here and in Ireland. She is preceded in death by her sisters, Bridget and Joan; and her brothers: Pat, Tim, Mossie and John.

Sheila was born in Killeentierna, Co. Kerry, the sixth child of Maurice and Julia Brosnan's seven children. After her mother's death, Maurice married Mary Griffin and Sheila was blessed with two more brothers, Dennis and Neil. At 17, she immigrated to the US and made a second home in San Francisco's Mission District and though she didn't know it at the time, moved in next door to her future sister-in-law. She could often be found dancing at Knights of the Red Branch or traveling with friends and family.

She always considered Ireland her true home and made sure to travel back every summer. When in the States, she kept Ireland with her, as she served on the board of the UICC, helped run the San Francisco Rose of Tralee Pageant, founded the JFK Girls Pipe Band, and was the first woman to serve as chairperson for the Kerry Club. Later in life, she found daily joy weeding the gardens at the house Pat built in Forestville and baking pies with apples and blackberries picked with her grandchildren. Most days she did so with a song on her lips.

Go ndéana an tighearna trócaire ar a h-anam.
(*May the lord have mercy on her soul.*)

IRISH MUSIC WORKSHOP FOR KIDS

Traditional Irish musician Tara Howley, from Kilfenora, Co. Clare was passing through town in early October and stopped by to help teach a workshop with participants from the youth music program.

Fiddle workshop participants: Seamus Stannard, Ciarán O'Donnell, Tara Howley and Fintan Reidy.



Tara Howley with Roisín Reidy in the tin whistle class.



Tara discusses technique and provides some advice during the fiddle workshop.



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We look forward to welcoming District 7 Supervisor, Myrna Melgar.
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Supervisor Melgar chairs the Land Use and Transportation Committee of the Board and serves on the Public Safety and Neighborhood Services Committee.
She is excited to meet you and answer your questions!

Thursday, November 9, 2023

12 noon Mass
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United Irish Cultural Center
St. Patrick's Room
2700 45th Avenue, San Francisco

Tickets \$30

Advance registration required

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CAIRDE CAFE

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After what is sure to be a busy Thanksgiving holiday, come join us for a relaxing morning with good friends, good food, a cuppa and maybe some slightly competitive games!
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Tuesday, November 28, 2023

10:30 a.m. - 12 noon

United Irish Cultural Center
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For more information, call Christina at 415.752.6006 or email wellness@fiipc.org

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IIPC REMEMBRANCE MASS

Tuesday, November 7, 2023

7.00 pm. Mass

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In Memory of beloved friends and family from our community

Fr. Brendan will read the names of friends and family who are no longer with us as you light a candle in their memory.

If you wish to have someone remembered at the Mass, please visit bit.ly/iipc-remembrance2023, leave a message at 415.752.6006 or email admin@sfiipc.org by Monday, November 6

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A JOURNEY THROUGH IRELAND'S NATIVE TONGUE WITH BREAD AND BUTTER

Irish born writer and documentary maker Manachán Magan presented two sold out shows for his theatrical performance, "Arán & Im," (Bread and Butter) here at the Irish Center in early October. The show was a very unique and engaging experience that celebrated the Irish language, the natural landscape, and Irish food.

During the performance, Manachán baked sourdough bread for 70 minutes, which provided a sensory and interactive element to the event. As he baked the bread, he shared insights into the Irish language, highlighting potent words related to the landscape and phrases that evoke the beauty of the natural world. Much of what Manachán delivered was first hand knowledge of "old Irish words" gleaned from the "old timers" that are often overlooked in academic books. This added an educational and cultural dimension to the event.

The incorporation of freshly-baked bread and butter churned from Irish cream was a lovely touch, connecting the audience with local Irish food traditions. It not only provided a taste of Ireland but also a hands-on experience by allowing the audience to slice the bread and churn their own butter, making the event more immersive.

Overall, "Arán & Im" was a wonderful blend of culture, language, and culinary traditions, making it a rich and memorable experience for those in attendance. Manachán Magan's combination of language and food is a creative and innovative way to celebrate Irish heritage.



Colm O'Riain and James Quinn.



Manachán Magan entertains the sold out crowd at the UICC. Audience participation was part of the Arán agus Im theatre show.



Jennifer Drennan churns the buttermilk to make butter during the show.



Rossa Sheridan and Fergal Moran with Manachán Magan.



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