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'Black '47' - An Gorta Mór

"Black '47" is now showing in cinemas throughout Ireland and overseas. This film, directed by Lance Daly, portrays Ireland during 1847 the worst year of the Great Famine of 1845-51/52.

Paul Whitington of the 'Irish Independent' summed up this film nicely—"Black 47 succeeds magnificently in evoking the misery of the Famine while simultaneously treating us to a rattling adventure yarn. Its ambition is admirable."

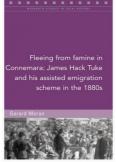
While, movies and novels provide a dramatized portrayal of the most catastrophic event ever to befall the Irish people, family historians and local historians seeking to discover the real story are fortunate to have publications like the 'Maynooth Studies in Local History' published by Four Courts Press.

There are now 139 volumes in the series in print and many cover the famine years, for example, three of the latest volumes deal with BEFORE, DURING and AFTER the Great Famine (An Gorta Mór).

BEFORE: We have the story of an improving landlord, alas they were all too few. 'Thomas Bermingham - Nineteenth-century Irish land agent and 'Improver' by Cathal Smith [ISBN: 978-1-84682-720-4: 64pp: P/bk: ills: Price €9.95: Web Price €8.95] No. 138. This study investigates the career of Thomas Bermingham, a professional land agent who was widely known in his day for his management of the Clonbrock estates in Galway and Roscommon between 1826 and 1843. It focuses on Bermingham's efforts to manage and 'modernize' the Clonbrock estates. In the process, new light is shed upon the history of both Irish land agents and the culture of 'improvement' that rose to prominence throughout rural Ireland during the first half of the 19th century.

DURING: We have a study on one of the areas hardest hit by the Famine – west Cork. 'The Great Famine in Kinsale' by Catherine Flanagan [ISBN: 978-1-84682-723-5: 64pp: P/bk: ills: Price 9.95: Web Price £8.95] **No. 134.** This book examines the impact





Two of the latest volumes on the Famine

of the Great Famine on the people of Kinsale and surrounding countryside. It shows how famine, death and disease took their toll on one class in particular – the poor. The Kinsale workhouse was hopelessly overcrowded and, in early 1847, the parish priest of Kinsale described members of his flock as starving creatures – worn, emaciated and feeble – in whose skeletal faces he could scarcely recognize a single feature. These conditions precipitated a chain of social dislocation, emigration, disease and death.

AFTER: Many localised famines occurred right throughout the 19th century and especially in the poorest parts of the country. 'Fleeing from famine in Connemara- James Hack Tuke and his assisted emigration scheme in the 1880s' by Gerard Moran [ISBN: 978-1-84682-721-1:64pp:P/bk:ills:Price €9.95: Web Price €8.95] No. 135. Between 1882 and 1884, the English Quaker and philanthropist James Hack Tuke assisted nearly 5,000 people, mainly families, to emigrate from Connemara – paying for their passage and arranging for their settlement in Canada and the United States. The objectives of the Tuke Fund were to remove the surplus population and create viable holdings for those who remained, and initiate chain migration.

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DATA PROTECTION

The Board on May 3rd 2018 adopted the following resolution on the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) - *Res:* 18/05/1380

"That, the Board, in order to make arrangements for compliance with the European Union's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) which comes into force on May 25th 2018, agrees to place a notice in 'Ireland's Genealogical Gazette' advising Members that the Society holds the following records on its Members (1) Name; (2) Address; (3) Telephone Number; (4) Email Address and (5) the name of the Associate Member, if applicable, and that such records are **only used** for the purpose of contacting Members on Society matters and for the dispatch of the Monthly Newsletter and the Annual Journal and furthermore, that these records are only held by the Director of Membership Services and are inaccessible to all other persons and that, the Society does not share this information with any other individual or organisation." Records are also held for **contractual necessity** to deliver paid services.

The Great Famine in Kinsale Catherine Flanagan

Just published by Four Courts Press

OPEN MEETINGS

Dún Laoghaire Further Education Institute

Cumberland Street, Dún Laoghaire

Tuesday 11 September—20.00hrs

Tuesday 9 October—20.00hrs

Royal Marine Hotel

Marine Road, Dún Laoghaire

Wednesday 26 September—10.30hrs

Wednesday 24 October—10.30hrs

Contribution €3.00 p.p.

(including Tea/Coffee at the Morning Meeting)

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CULTURE NIGHT

The Society will be participating in Culture Night again this year at the **DLR Lexicon** on Friday September 21st 2018.

Eddie Gahan and his excellent team will be out in force to provide **Free Family History Advice** to visitors at the wonderful new Library in Dún Laoghaire. The DLR Lexicon is located on the seafront overlooking the magnificent 19th century harbour and Dublin Bay.

So if you're in Dún Laoghaire or indeed, in the Dublin region, call by the DLR Lexicon from 17.00hrs to 22.00hrs to meet the team.

GENEALOGY HELP CENTRE

Did you know that this Society operates a "Help Centre" for those researching their family history?

Family history need not be a lonely pilgrimage of discovery with many bumps in a very twisty road of pitfalls. Many of these research problems appear as impenetrable "brick walls" but they are rarely new problems. Many have overcome such and progressed their research with the help and advice of others.

The Society's "Help Centre" is open to the public twice weekly where you can discuss your research problems with experienced researchers who will take you through the available resources. For times and directions please see page 4 of this newsletter.

Have you visited An Daonchartlann at the DLR Loughlinstown Leisure Centre?

Maynooth Studies in Local History—136, 137 & 139

Here are a further three of the 2018 batch of six of the Maynooth Studies in Local History series published by Four Courts Press under the general editorship of **Dr. Raymond Gillespie** of the National University of Ireland, Maynooth (NUIM). The first two bring us to County Westmeath. 'The Parnell split in Westmeath - The bishop and the newspaper editor' by Michael Nolan [ISBN: 978-1-84682-719-8: P/bk: 64pp: ills: Price €9.95: Web Price €8.95] No. 136. This book tells the story of the Parnell split in Westmeath and argues that it was part of a wider revolt by a section of the Catholic middle class against the dominant role of the Church in the politics of the county. The dispute in Westmeath was characterized by the enmity between the local Catholic bishop Dr Thomas Nulty, a passionate anti-Parnellite, and Parnellite newspaper editor John P. Hayden. Hayden was representative of the emergent Catholic middle class and a thorn in the side of Nulty long before Parnell's divorce became an issue in Irish politics. When the Parnell crisis broke the two were pitted against each other once again. In the ensuing struggle, Hayden used his newspaper, the Westmeath Examiner, not just to support the Parnellite cause but also to roundly condemn his clerical opponents, prompting the bishop to ban the faithful from reading the paper. Although the bishop and his clergy emerged as the clear winners in the Parnell dispute, Hayden was far from vanquished. Following the death of Nulty in 1898, he went on to play a prominent role in the constitutional nationalist movement, both in Westmeath and in his native Roscommon.

Tristernagh Priory, Co. Westmeath - Colonial monasticism in medieval Ireland' by Tadhg O'Keeffe [ISBN: 978 -1-84682-718-1: P/bk: 64pp: ills: Price 69.95: Web Price 68.95] No. 137. Little remains of the Augustinian priory of Tristernagh, Co. Westmeath, founded by Geoffrey de Costentin around the year 1200 and dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Its domestic buildings were apparently lost in the two centuries after its dissolution in 1536, but its church remained largely intact until shortly before the end of the 18th century when the landlord who owned the site embarked on a programme of demolition. Although some medieval fabric survived, an important link with the world of the Middle Ages was severed. Medieval sources allow an evaluation of the role of the priory and its community in the Anglo-Norman settlement of the west midlands. Study of its architecture, based on the fragmentary physical remains and on two late 18th-century illustrations, reveals its church to have been an important early Gothic work, and is a reminder that, even in such frontier locations as the western half of the lordship of Meath, Anglo-Norman colonialism had an aesthetic manifestation.

The last in the series for 2018 the significance of the memorial blown up in Derry City in 1973 leaving an empty, but nevertheless powerfully symbolic, plinth today. 'The Walker Testimonial and symbolic conflict in Derry' by Heather Stanfiel [ISBN: 978-1-84682-722-8: P/bk: 64pp: ills: Price €9.95: Web Price €8.95] No. 139. How did one 19th-century memorial to a 17th-century figure come to be so significant in the city of Derry that it would generate conflict for nearly 200 years? How has the struggle over its symbolism been borne out over that time? Who perpetuates it, and to what end? This book explores these questions and takes as its central focus the history and commemoration of the Walker Testimonial as a means of examining the social and cultural tensions of memory and identity in Irish and Northern Irish history.

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DONATIONS TO THE SOCIETY

The past eighteen months have been extremely challenging for the Society. The closure of the facility at the Carlisle Pier and the relocation to

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Loughlinstown placed a heavy burden on the Society's financial reserves.

It must be remembered that the Society is funded largely by its Membership

Fees and the kind donations received from Members and friends at home and overseas.

The Society is a Registered Charity in Ireland and is currently considering options for fund raising and grant applications. The possibility of crowdfunding for specific projects is being considered. However, in the meantime it was decided to appeal to our Members and friends for help in defraying these exceptional costs.

Donations can be made on-line via the Society's website or by cheque payable to the *Genealogical Society of Ireland* and sent to: **Shane O'Brien, MGSI,** Director of Finance, GSI, Coolevin, Ballybrack, Co. Dublin, A96 C9F7. The Board would like to sincerely thank

the Members and friends of the Society who have already donated. *Many Thanks!*

IRISH GRANTS OF ARMS

It is now ten years since the publication of the *National Cultural Institutions (Amendment) Bill, 2008* by Senator Alex White. This Bill was drafted in consultation with this Society with the aim of regularising the position of Irish grants of Arms between April 1943 and May 2005.

The *National Cultural Institutions Act, 1997* was only commenced by the Minister in May 2005 and although this provides a legal basis for the granting of arms by the Chief Herald of Ireland, it did not address the position of grants made between April 1943 and May 2005.

This very unsatisfactory position remains as it can only be remedied by amending legislation to give official recognition to the grants by successive Chief Heralds of Ireland since the transfer of the contents of the 'Office of Arms' in Dublin Castle to the Irish State in 1943. The legal functions of the office were transferred to London.

Local History Reviews

'Spring/Summer 2018 Dublin Historical Record', Editor Dr. Séamas Ó Maitiú; published by the Old Dublin Society.

Articles featured in this issue of the Dublin Historical Record, which has the wider world of Dublin's industrial business and economic life as a common theme, include 'Around the Town' by Dr. Séamas Ó Maitiú; 'The Leading Manufacturing Firms in 1920s Dublin' by [Professor] Frank Barry; 'Dublin's precious relic recovered' recalls the recovery of the heart of St. Lawrence O'Toole stolen from Christchurch Cathedral, Dublin, in 2012; 'The lost village of Milltown and its houses' by Patrick Salmon; 'Buried in the archives: A history of Dublin undertakers and their records from the late eighteenth century to the present' by Lisa Marie Griffith & Ciarán Wallace; 'A Huguenot in late seventeenth century Dublin: the world of David Cossart and his family' by [Professor] Raymond Gillespie; 'So Many Sweet Flowers: From Clontarf to Killiney - Watson's Nurseries 1882 -1967' by Bernardine Ruddy; 'Three Whiskies and a Coffey' by Kurt Kullmann; 'World War 1 servicemen from Capel Street, Dublin' by Clare Beausang; 'Pre-Famine Dublin: A Calamity Waiting to Happen?' by Vincent Ruddy; 'The Friar's Walk, Tallaght' by Tomás Maher; 'The case of the Fenian Joe Poole' by Robert Delaney, and Book Notices and Re-

Copies of this issue of the Dublin Historical Record can be ordered from the Society by email on olddublinsociety@gmail.com, from Books Upstairs, D'Olier Street, Dublin, or at meetings of the Society. Back issues are also available.

James Scannell

AN DAONCHARTLANN

The Society's Archive and Research Centre— An Daonchartlann—located at the rear of the DLR Leisure Centre at Loughlinstown, Co. Dublin, has an impressive collection of books, journals, research papers, archival records, mircoform, CD and digital resources.



Many of the overseas family history journals, for example, contain wonderful information on the Irish abroad. Access to this exceptional body of research on the Irish overseas is not readily available to the public elsewhere in this country. The Society's original archival collections include school and other institutional

registers, deeds, land records and assorted family papers.

In addition, the facility offers online access to a number of the popular pay-for-view websites that have become essential for genealogical research.

One of the most important collections held at the facility is the complete set of the *Archival Records of the Irish Jewish Community* compiled by Stuart Rosenblatt, PC, FGSI, President of the Genealogical Society of Ireland.

These records are freely available to the GSI Members and for a modest daily research fee to non-Members. New Members are always most welcome

For directions to the facility please see page 4 of this newsletter. (Photo by Tom Conlon)

In Brief.... GSI MEMBERSHIP

Join this Society on-line at www.familyhistory.ie Please note that GSI Membership is open to all interested in genealogy and related subjects. Discounted membership rates available for under 25s and students at recognised genealogy courses.

PARKING AT DFEI

Car-parking facilities at the Dún Laoghaire Further Education Institute. The best option is to use public transport. Dublin Bus nos. 7, 7A, 46A and 75 all serve the college or streets adjacent to the college—Lower George's Street, York Road, Clarence Street. The DART (suburban rail) services to Salthill & Monkstown. On street car-parking is usually available in the area also. Members are asked to consider 'car pooling' for each month's open meeting. For details on the Institute and its courses please checkout www.dfei.ie courses please checkout www.dfei.ie

DISCOUNTS

Exclusive discounts for the Members of the Society are available for online genealogical services and publica-tions, including, Findmypast, Forces War Records and from Flatcapsandbonnets.com. To avail of any of these Member discounts, please contact Barry O'Connor, FGSI, by email: membership@familyhistory.ie

IDEAL GIFT IDEAS

Genealogists and local historians love books! So if you have a birthday gift to buy—think books by our Members. Much of the research for these books was undertaken at the Society's Archive & Research Centre—An Daonchartlann.

'Victorian Dún Laoghaire' by Tom Conlon—excellent local history of the town and the first to deal extensively with the poor and "the courts" where they lived. Price: €20.00

'Labour in Kingstown, 1890-1920' by Charlie Callan—explores a much neglected subject—the working class of Kingstown (now Dún Laoghaire and the development of organised labour and its political representation. Price: €10.00 (published privately contact: chascallan@gmail.com)

'Twice Built—The Construction of St. Patrick's Church, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, 1861-66' by Tom Conlon. An intriguing story of "church politics" surrounding the building of a parish church in Dublin. Price €12.00





Some of the Archival Collections in An Daonchartlann, Loughlinstown. (Photo: Tom Conlon)

JAMES SCANNELL REPORTS...

RMS LEINSTER 1918-2018

Cormac Lowth will present 'The Sinking of the RMS Leinster' to the Dún Laoghaire Borough Historical Society at 20.00hrs on Wednesday 19 September in the Royal Marine Hotel, Marine Road, Dún Laoghaire, Co. Dublin. All welcome – entrance €3.00

Philip Lecane will present 'Torpedoed! The Sinking of the RMS Leinster' in Terenure Library, Templeogue Road, Terenure, Dublin 6, at 18.30hrs on Monday 24 September. Admission free but booking required - Email: terenurelibrary@dublincity,ie or call 01-4907035.

James Scannell will present his lecture 'The Sinking of the RMS Leinster 1918' at 20.00hrs on Monday 24 September in Arás Chronáin, Irish Cultural Centre, Watery Lane, Clondalkin, Co. Dublin. All welcome.

Philip Lecane will present 'The Sinking of the RMS Leinster' in Malahide Library, Malahide, Co. Dublin, at 18.30hrs on Thursday 27 September. Admission free but booking required -Email: <u>library.events@fingal.ie</u>.

Guy Warner will present 'The Sinking of the R.M.S. Leinster - the war at sea around Ireland 1914 - 1918' at 15.00hrs on Sunday 7 October in the Phoenix Park Visitors Centre, Dublin 7. Admission free.

OLD DUBLIN SOCIETY

On Wednesday 12 September at 18.00hrs Dr. Leeann Lane will present 'Dorothy Macardle: unlikely republican' in the Conference Room of Dublin City Library & Archive, 138-144 Pearse Street, Dublin 2. Admission free – all welcome.

Dr. Diarmuid Ó Gráda will present 'Georgian Dublin: The Forces That Shaped a City' at 18.00hrs on Wednesday 26 September in the same venue.

BRAY CUALANN HIST. SOC.

Ms. Bernardine Ruddy will present 'Watsons Nurseries: Clontarf to Killiney 1884 – 1967' at 20.00hrs on Thursday 20 September in the Royal Hotel, Main Street, Bray, Co. Wicklow. All welcome – admission €5.00

Joseph E.A. Connell Jr. will present 'Michael Collins and the Guerrilla War during

the War of Independence' at 20.00hrs on Thursday 27 September in the same venue. All welcome - admission €5. This is a special one-off presentation by this noted Florida based historian and contributor to History Ireland magazine.

STH FESTIVAL OF HISTORY

The 5th Festival of History – 30th La Touche Legacy Weekend takes place in Greystones Golf Club, Whitshed Road, Greystones, Co. Wicklow. Friday 21 September - 16.00hrs: Official Opening by George Jones, Chairman of the La Touche Legacy; 16.15hrs: 'Irish Votes for Women', Rosemary Cullen; 16.45hrs: 'The Enemy Within The Spanish Flu in County Wicklow 1918 -1919', Noel Campbell;

Saturday 22 September - 10.00hrs: 'The Part Played by the Periodical 'Dublin Opinion' in Providing a Safety Valve for Public Opinion in the new Irish State', Felix Larkin; 11.00hrs: 'The Era of Eamon de Valera', David McCullagh; 11.45hrs: Jim Brennan Memorial Lecture: 'The Life and Career of Averil Deverell, Greystones resident and the First Woman to Practice at the Bar in Ireland', Liz Golthorpe

KILMACUD-STILLORGAN LHS

Trevor White will present 'The Life and Times of Alfie Byrne' at 20.00hrs on Thursday 13 September to the Glenalbyn Sports Club, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin. All welcome – Contribution €3.00

FOXROCK LHC

John Porter will present 'Pearl and Alfonso - A Foxrock and Spanish connection in the 1920s and 1930s' at 20.00hrs on Tuesday 18 September in Foxrock Parish Centre, rear Rockrock R.C. Church, Foxrock, Co. Dublin. James Scannell will give a short talk 'A Deansgrange Civil War Murder Incident.' All welcome – admission €5.00

THIS SOCIETY AT A GLANCE

The Society's objective is to promote an awareness, appreciation and knowledge of our genealogical, heraldic and vexillological heritage at home and overseas amongst our diaspora.

The GSI widely acclaimed as being the most active voluntary genealogical organisation in Ireland hosting Monthly Lectures each month throughout the year and eleven Morning Open Meetings from January to November each year. These are open to the public- everyone is welcome!

We publish a Monthly Newsletter, Annual Journal, operates an Archive and Research Centre and promote genealogy, heraldry and vexillology at events around Ireland through our very active 'Outreach Programme' offering 'Free Family History Advice' to the public, active retirement groups, ladies' clubs and all sorts of community

The Society has a collaborative academic research project with the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, RCSI. The Irish DNA Atlas project was co-designed by population geneticists at the RCSI and this Society coming together to collect DNA samples from individuals with four generations of ancestry linked to specific areas across the island of Ireland. This research has been funded through an Award from Science Foundation Ireland.

We have two 'specialist branches' one for heraldry and the other for vexillology (flags)—the only organisation in Ireland promoting this aspect of our cultural heritage. We maintain a very active on-line presence promoting sustainable contacts with our diaspora

We also campaign to obtain better public access to our genealogical heritage and records held by the State or other agencies. However, as a registered charity, none of the above would be possible without the generosity of our Members who, through their Annual Subscriptions and volunteerism, provide these services throughout the year.

PLEASE help us to do more by joining the Society-new Members always welcome or by making a donation, no matter how small, to the Society—please see page 2 of this newsletter. Many thanks!

TRACING YOUR IRISH ANCESTORS

by John Grenham, MA, MAPGI, FIGRS, FGSI The Society strongly recommends to anyone embarking on their family history quest that one essential piece of kit must be, without doubt, a copy of the latest edition of 'Tracing Your Irish Ancestors'. Please checkout the website www.gillmacmillan.com Price €22.99 [RRP].

Précis of the August Lecture

"If those trees could speak" by Frank Tracy – the story of an ascendancy family in Ireland

As usual this lecture was packed with facts and interesting pieces of information and delivered in Frank's very easy style with plenty of insightful and amusing observations to enliven the subject.

When Frank was a young lad in the Scouts he would often camp in the Dublin Mountains near the Hellfire club in an area referred to as Massy's Wood. Nobody seemed to know much about the Massy family and this aroused Frank's curiosity, so he set out to find out as much as he could about the Massy family.

The Massy family came to Ireland in the form of Lieutenant General Hugh Massy in 1649 with Cromwell who paid his adventurers in land, as England was bankrupt after Charles 1. The result of this land grant was that many of the soldiers were not interested in the land and wanted payment. This led to the second Hugh Massy trebling the family's landholdings, mainly in Limerick. He built a church at Duntrileague. Frank went on to cover the various subsequent Massy's so much so that in 1776 the fourth Massy was made a Baron. Hugh 2nd Baron Massey married an heiress in 1760 and this helped clear all the family debts and he died in 1790.

Frank told us about the first case of *Criminal Conversation* held in Ireland between Rev Charles Massy and Lord Headfort in July 1804, which was won by Massy and he was awarded £10,000 – a fortune at that time. Luke White who was a self-made man, believed to be the richest man in Ireland had a daughter Mathilda who married the 4th Baron Hugh Massy in 1826. This brings us to Killakee House which was near the Hellfire Club. This property along with others came in to the possession of the Massy family through the marriage to Mathilda. Luke White had a son Samuel who married but did not leave an heir. Samuels's death was followed quickly by his wife, so the properties fell to Mathilda who under law was not entitled to own land, consequently the land fell into the ownership of Lord Massy.

The 4^{th} Baron died and his son took over at an early age of nine but he too died young. John Thomas Massy took over the title in 1874 as the 6^{th} Baron Massy of Duntrileague inheriting the Massy/ Whites estates of 34,000 acres plus Killakee House, Hermitage, Lareen House and Massy Lodge.

He loved being a Lord and lived the lifestyle, rarely photographed wearing the same clothes.

He sold off land under the early Land Acts making him extremely rich, however there was no income coming into the family and the consequences of this was felt later on. He spent money very freely on cars and we were shown several photos of new cars and a charabanc to carry all his hunting party friends about. The 6th Baron died in 1915. Hugh Somerset 7th Baron Massy succeeded to the title.

At this stage the family fortunes were very bad and Killakee was put up for sale in February 1916. The Hermitage was burnt down by the IRA in 1920. On the 15th May 1924 the bailiff entered Killakee House and evicted Lord Massy, the 8th Baron Massy of Duntrileague. Massy had married Margaret Moran, a widow with three children and they had a child of their own also called Hugh the 9th baron Massy. She supported him through the years, he was known as the penniless peer.

The talk finished off with the slide of the headstone of Hughie Massy born 1921 and died 5th August 1995 the 9th Baron Massy, Cosby, who was the son of Hugh and Margaret.

This talk can viewed on line at https://www.voutube.com/watch?v=qW7BwYlcAFM&feature=voutu.be

There was a Q& A session following the talk and all in all this was a well-received talk about a most absorbing subject. Many thanks to Frank.

Tony O'Hara, MGSI

Checkout the Society's website www.familyhistory.ie

AN DAONCHARTLANN IN LOUGHLINSTOWN

Travel Information for visitors to the An Daonchartlann, Loughlinstown Leisure Centre, Loughlinstown Drive, Loughlinstown, Co. Dublin, A96 XP60.

 $\bf DART \& DUBLIN BUS —$ Dún Laoghaire DART Station—Bus 111 & 7A from Crofton Road, Bus Stop no. 2036 to Loughlinstown Park, Bus Stop no. 3222

LUAS & DUBLIN BUS—Bride's Glen (Green Line) - Bus 111 from outside the Luas station, Bus Stop no. 7639 to Loughlinstown Park, Bus Stop no. 3222

DUBLIN BUS from City Centre—O'Connell Bridge, Bus Stop no. 273 or Nassau Street, Bus Stop no. 405—Bus 7A to Loughlinstown Park, Bus stop no. 3222

DRIVING— From the M50 - at Junction 16 follow the signs for Loughlinstown. Straight on through Cherrywood and over the N11 flyover. Signposted at the second traffic lights beyond the flyover on Wyattville Road turn right into Loughlinstown Drive. Follow this twisty road for about 1km to Loughlinstown Leisure Centre (very large buildings on right). GSI is behind these buildings. From N11 southwards - after Cabinteely junction, and Topaz garage move to left lane and exit left to Wyattville Road. At the second traffic lights on Wyattville Road, turn right into Loughlinstown Drive and follow as above. Checkout www.dlrleisure.ie/Loughlinstown

Mobile Phone Offer for GSI Members



The GSI arranges various discounted products for its Members. The Board has agreed to make the following available in conjunction with THREE. The two options are as follows:

1. The price plan is NOW only £28.91 including VAT. In the plan you get the following calls, texts.

- <u>Unlimited</u> calls to any Irish mobile network.
- <u>Unlimited</u> texts to any Irish mobile network.
- <u>Unlimited</u> calls to Irish landlines.
- 5GB of internet data.
- 100 international mins & 100 international texts.

This plan is a 24 month contract and would come with a FREE SMART PHONE—Samsung Galaxy J3 2016 or a HTC Desire 530. Another option is a SIM ONLY offer which consists of......

ONLY offer which consists of......
2. The price plan is NOW only €19.99 including VAT. In the plan you get the following calls, texts.

- <u>Unlimited</u> calls to any Irish mobile network.
- <u>Unlimited</u> texts to any Irish mobile network.

- <u>Unlimited</u> calls to Irish landlines
- 5GB of internet data.
- 100 international mins and texts.

This plan is an 18 month contract. If you would like to avail of either of the above offers please contact **CONOR** at Conor@threegovstaff.com or by phone on 01.687 6013 (Conor Dalton)

Please Note: Your current membership of the Society will be subsequently verified to THREE by the GSI Director of Membership Services in accordance with RES: 17/04/1302

GSI LECTURE PROGRAMME

On Tuesday September 11th — Using the Irish Newspaper Archive search effectively—Andrew Martin, Irish Newspaper Archive

On Tuesday October 9th—The Records of St. Michael's Dun Laoghaire and their relevance to family and local history—Jim Ryan

On Tuesday November 13th—Genealogy as a contribution to Local History—Billy Saunderson

All WELCOME—Contribution €3.00

Please note the advice regarding 'Parking at DFEI' on panel to the left on page 3. We welcome your comments on the lecture programme.

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The Board is limited to ten Members with a quorum of six. [Note: 'RF' signifies a 'reporting function' for a Non-Executive Officer].

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