

Cumann Lúit-Cléir Iádebal

Comhairle Lúit-Cléir-Láimhe na h-Éireann

An Comhóil bliantúil 1962

TUARASCÓIL AN RÚNAÍ AGUS CUNTAIS AN AIRSIO 1961.
Tionólad an Comhóil i dTí Oíche Dáiríre, 1 agus 2 Spáir Danmairg, áit Chéad
ar 18-3-62 ag 11 a.m.

AN CLÁR

- (1) Mion-tuairiscí.
- (2) Tuairiscáil.
- (3) Tuairisc an Rúnaí agus Cuntais an Airsio.
- (4) Tosaíocht na h-Oifigeach, 1962.
 - (a) Uachtarán.
 - (b) Runaí.
 - (c) Teachtar ar an Árd Chomhairle C.L.C.G.
- (5) Na Rúin.

NA h-OIFIGIÚ, 1962 :

UACHTARAN: S. O Cathasaigh (Gaillimh), Sean O Slatra (Clair), S. O Briain (Cill Coinnigh), R. Arnold (Cill Manntain), An tAthair E. O Niadh (Ath Cliath), P. O Seachnasaigh (hIar Midhe), An Canonach Ro Oir L. S. O Cearbhaill S.P.V.F. (Luimneac).
RUNAÍ: Seosamh O Loingsigh (Ath Cliath).
TEACHTA AR AN ÁRD CHOMHAIRLE C.L.C.G.: S. O Loingsigh (Ath Cliath).

NA RÚIN

- (1) That the affiliated club at the venue where All-Ireland fixtures are staged receive 20% of the gate receipts up to £10 and 10% of the receipts over that amount. Subject to strict stewarding by the club concerned (Cill Manntain).
- (2) That some award be given to winners of group finals in the Gael Linn competition (Lughbaidh agus h-Iar Midhe).
- (3) That a player who wins a Junior Provincial title shall never again be eligible to play Junior Provincial handball as and from the commencement of the following year's championship. That rules 15 and 58 be accordingly amended (Ath Cliath).
- (4) That the payment of expenses and trophies provided by the Gael Linn are generally unsatisfactory in relation to the help given that body by the handball Association. That Central Council set up a special committee to examine in detail what improved concessions can be secured and that a meeting be arranged with the Directors of Gael Linn to press these claims as soon as possible (Cill Coinnigh).
- (5) That Central Council undertake to provide or assist in the provision of at least one covered alley in each county affiliated to the Handball Association within the next five years and that this matter be given priority over all other Central Council's efforts (Cill Coinnigh).
- (6) That the General Secretary of the G.A.A. be requested to allocate tickets for the All-Ireland hurling and football finals to G.A.A. County Committees for distribution to the County Handball Committee officials (Clair).
- (7) That the General Secretary of the G.A.A. be asked to contact each G.A.A. County Secretary re distribution of tickets for the All-Ireland finals (Clair).
- (8) That the G.A.A. Central Council be requested to instruct each G.A.A. County Committee of their responsibility to foster and encourage handball (Clair).
- (9) That an enquiry be held in order to find out who is responsible for the expenses incurred by player injured in the final of the 1961 S.H.B.S. (Lughbaidh).
- (10) That a full explanation of Insurance cover be forwarded to each county (Lughbaidh).
- (11) That the Directors of Gael Linn be contacted with a view to securing their help in the erection of alleys (Lughbaidh).
- (12) That two votes be taken to decide whether the proposed Kildare motions if accepted, come into operation immediately or that they be postponed until the commencement of the 1963 championships (Cill Dara).
- (13) That the National Anthem be played at all venues for All-Ireland finals (Cill Dara).
- (14) That rule 43 be altered to read "the following championships be promoted once every two years when facilities offer." Each year one championship in softball and handball in each grade be played in both County and All-Ireland championships. In the year that the championship in handball is Singles that the Softball championship shall be Doubles and vice versa (Cill Dara).
- (15) That rule 55 (II) now read "they must be accompanied by an entry fee of 2/6 (Cill Dara).
- (16) That the word Doubles be deleted from rule 56 sections (A), (B), (C) and (D) (Cill Dara).
- (17) That the Irish Handball Association sponsor four tournaments, two in softball and two in handball each year, in each Province. These tournaments to be run on a time and handicap basis (Cill Dara).
- (18) That rule 52 be altered to now read "Time basis in All-Ireland championships". All-Ireland championships to be decided on a time basis system (Cill Dara).
- (19) That rule 56 be amended to now read "Duration of matches." The matches in the All-Ireland championships shall be as follows (A) Senior Handball Singles and Doubles—60 minutes per match. (B) Senior Softball Singles and Doubles—30 minutes per match. (C) Junior Softball Singles and Doubles—30 minutes per match. (D) Junior Handball Singles and Doubles—60 minutes per match. (E) Minor Softball and Handball Singles, and Doubles—30 minutes per match. (F) The matches in County championships shall be as the individual counties decide (Cill Dara).
- (20) That rule 65 be amended to now read "the player or in Doubles players, with the higher number of aces at the end of the prescribed time shall be declared the winners of the match. In the event of the scores being level extra time of five minutes shall be played. Should the scores still be level then further periods of five minutes played until a decision is reached (Cill Dara).
- (21) That rules 62, 63, and 64 be deleted from the Rule books (Cill Dara).
- (22) That rule 81 be amended to read (I) in all matches of 60 minutes duration there shall be a compulsory interval of 5 minutes but not exceeding 5 minutes. There shall be no interval in matches of less than 60 minutes duration (Cill Dara).
- (23) That novel tournaments be sponsored by the Irish Handball Association at one out of every two championship venues. Each heat in this tournament being in the nature of a sprint and being on a time and handicap basis (Cill Dara).
- (24) That the following addendum be added to Rule 43 "All softball championships to be completed before the handball championships commence (Cill Dara).
- (25) That rule 52 be amended to read "that the All Ireland Softball championships be completed before any of the handball championships commence (Cill Dara).
- (26) That the following addendum be added to rule "that the All-Ireland Softball championships be completed before the handball championships commence (Cill Dara).
- (27) That rule 83 be suspended indefinitely (Cill Dara).
- (28) That an entry fee of 1/- per player be charged for the Gael Linn Competition. Proceeds to be allocated to a special fund to meet expenses should the proposed World series materialise (Cill Dara).
- (29) That a special concession be granted to spectators at All-Ireland championship matches, e.g. free raffle on admission ticket (Cill Dara).
- (30) That a special committee be set up to raise funds for the purposes of promoting handball (Cill Dara).
- (31) That a definite practical progressive policy be adopted by the Irish Handball Council (Cill Dara).
- (32) That Rule 15, page 2 Laws and Rules Irish Handball Council be amended to read "A player can play Junior Championship until such time as he wins a Junior All-Ireland Championship. Players who win Junior All-Ireland Handball Championship be deemed senior in that code only, and vice versa." (Tipperary).

COMHAIRLE LIATHROID-LÁIMHE NA h-ÉIREANN

A Cairde Saebeal,

Ói an bliain seo caite an-paráil.

Táim an-buadach do Sae buine a curais liom i rú na bliaina, do'rna bailiú comairle, do Sae Comntai, Comairli Cúige agus don Áirí Comairle Cumann Iúitcleap Saebeal. Fé seo, tá le fáil, tuairpe ar na comórtairi, eintar airis, agus rú.

1961 ALL IRELAND CHAMPIONS

S.S.B.S.	P. Downey (Kerry).
S.S.B.D.	P. Downey and J. O'Brien (Kerry).
S.H.B.S.	J. Maher (Louth).
S.H.B.D.	J. and C. Delaney (Kilkenny).
J.S.B.S.	D. Walsh (Sligo).
J.S.B.D.	J. Coughlan and G. Barry (Offaly).
J.H.B.S.	J. Cleary (Tipperary).
J.H.B.D.	M. Kelly and G. Cronnelly (Galway).
M.S.B.S.	R. Lyng (Wexford).
M.S.B.D.	R. Lyng and P. Lennon (Wexford).
M.H.B.S.	J. Brennan (Kilkenny).
M.H.B.D.	J. Byrne and J. Browne (Kildare).

It is with pleasure that I present the 38th Annual Report of Comhairle Liathroid Láimhe na hÉireann. Reviewing the year's activities, it is evident that handball is continuing to grow in popularity in Ulster and Connacht, while in parts of Leinster and Munster enthusiasm seems to be on the wane. This, however, may be of a temporary nature. The position in Limerick has deteriorated and at present there is only one club functioning. This is really an instance where the help of the G.A.A. County Committee is required to get things moving again. Meath is in the very same position and again I would appeal to the Meath G.A.A. County Committee to take the matter up. Waterford, a county that has handball tradition, has reached its lowest ebb for some years. At present there is only one club affiliated. Wexford and Tipperary still remain the top counties with 13 and 16 clubs respectively. Welcome news from Cork is that the G.A.A. County Committee have undertaken the reorganising of handball and results to date are very encouraging. Eleven clubs are reported functioning and at present a series of tournaments are being run off to further develop interest. It is pleasing to record that the overdue resurgence in Dublin is under way and I have every confidence that the newly elected officers will do everything in their power to regain for the Capital much of its former glory. Kilkenny showed an increase of three clubs on the previous year. Kildare G.A.A. County Committee gave every support to the recent effort to reorganise the county and while early results look very promising I would prefer to wait a while before giving a definite opinion. Leitrim alone, in Connacht, failed to show any degree of progress. However emigration is one of the big difficulties that must be overcome before we can expect any worthwhile results. While the position in Ulster has improved considerably over the past few years it is still very difficult to get any information from the Provincial Council. Mayo continues to gain in strength and plans are afoot for the erection of a new alley at Castlebar. It is the intention to have this alley floodlit. A new alley was opened at Ballyheane and it is to the credit of the club that the work was carried out by voluntary labour. A new alley is presently being erected at Leighlinbridge, Co. Carlow, and should prove a decided asset as at present there is no club affiliated in Carlow. I expect that it will be officially opened within the next month or two. Tullamore alley was completed during the year and this leaves Offaly well equipped with first class alleys.

Championships.

The full championship clar was completed to schedule and we were fortunate that all our matches were played in fine weather. In winning the S.H.B.S. for the first time Joe Maher gave Louth its first Senior title in this particular championship. Kilkennys Joe and Christy Delaney caused possibly the biggest upset of the year when they won the S.H.B.D. in most decisive fashion. Kerry as usual figured prominently in the honours list. Paddy Downey regained the S.S.B.S. title and in partnership with J. O'Brien won the S.S.B.D. Two of the most popular victories of recent years were Galway in J.H.B.D. and Sligo in J.S.B.S. This was the first occasion ever for Galway to win a handball title, while it was also Sligo's first success in J.S.B.S. Offaly's success in J.S.B.D. gave the county its first ever success in this championship. Offaly's only previous All-Ireland success was when P. Murray won the junior singles. J. Cleary of Tipperary was unable to compete in the semi-final but was fit for the final and recorded a clear cut win. Hard luck on Paddy Hickey who carried the county through its semi-final match against Galway. No doubt his turn will come. Wexford's R. Lyng followed in the footsteps of his brother when he won the M.S.B.S. His brother won this title in 1953. In partnership with P. Lennon he also won the M.S.B.D. Kilkenny's J. Brennan in winning M.H.B.S. gave his county their second All-Ireland of the year. Kildare holders of the M.H.B.D. retained it after a very close struggle with Tipperary. J. Browne who partnered J. Byrne was the only change from last years selection.

While on the question of the championships I would point out that referees must be respected and their decisions adhered to. Counties should ensure that their players are fully conversant with all the rules. Rule 67 (II) and (III) is often disputed despite the fact that the rule lays down very clearly that crossing the lines is a transgression.

Gael Linn

Once again the Gael Linn competition proved an outstanding success. M. Kirby of Tuamgraney, Co. Clare, was one of the most impressive winners of recent years. The present competition is under way and this years entry of 976 players is an all time record for any handball competition and an increase of 120 players on last year. With the exception of Munster all Provinces were well represented. Leinster

was top Province with an entry of 472 players while Ulster had 224, Connacht had 144 and Munster 136. I would suggest that for future years a nominal entrance fee be charged, say 1/- per player and the proceeds go to a special fund for the purposes of meeting the cost of any proposed International games in future years.

Hardball.

While Council has made every effort to have a satisfactory hardball manufactured we cannot yet feel happy with the position as the balls in use during the year showed too much variance in bound and hardness. The success of Galway in J.H.B.D. is a just reward for the perseverance of the Connacht Council in sponsoring hardball. It is fitting that in giving Connacht its first hardball title in any grade that it should be achieved during the term of office of the first Galway man to hold the office of president.

Australia

The invitation issued by Mr. P. Brady of Australia apparently had not the authority of the Australian Association despite the fact that he is a member of the Council and assured us that he had authority to act. On his return to Australia the matter apparently died and he chose to ignore all our correspondence. At least we were due the courtesy of a reply from him. In November last year a Mr. Pat Minahan, President, New South Wales, visited this country and had discussions re the possibility of organising a World series. He had a letter of authority from his Association and had already been to America for discussions and reported that the American Association were very enthusiastic. This was confirmed later in a letter received from Mr. C. O'Connell, President of the American Association. The outcome of these discussions was that no country was committed to anything definite but it was agreed that each would report back to their Association with a view to having a world series organised in 1963. The first games to be played in New York as it is the most central point for both Australia and Ireland. The series to be held every second year from 1963 with either Australia or Ireland staging the series in 1965. The proposed suggestions set out that each country pay their own travelling expenses. The country staging the series to meet all hotel expenses and also the travelling expenses within the country.

General.

Counties are reminded that tickets for the All-Ireland Hurling and Football finals are a matter for the various G.A.A. County Committees. The Handball Council are not in a position to meet the various applications from the counties. The G.A.A. Central Council has laid down that each Handball Committee must apply to their respective G.A.A. County Committees.

Arising out of last year's All-Ireland Congress it was decided to set up a special Rules revision committee for the purpose of making recommendations re certain rules that needed revision. You now have a copy of their report before you for your consideration. It is the intention to have the new rule book printed during the year, which will include a list of the All-Ireland champions in the various grades each year since the Association was formed.

County Committees are reminded that it is their responsibility to meet players travelling and hotel expenses (unless otherwise authorised by Council) and claim a refund from Council. During the past year three counties took it on themselves to book into hotels and asked that the accounts be forwarded to Council. No County Committee or any of its players has the authority to use Councils name in any Hotel and Council cannot accept responsibility for accounts of this nature.

Publicity.

Publicity continues to improve and we are indebted to the various National and Provincial papers for their help. No doubt there is still room for improvement and officials are asked to co-operate with the various correspondents. In passing I might mention that the correspondents in turn have a responsibility to the Association. We accept fair and just criticism but do take exception to correspondents setting themselves up as authorities on the up to date handball position when it is well known that in some instances they have not seen any of our important matches for at least a few years.

Financial.

A deficit is shown on the year's working. Teams expenses increased by £12, meeting expenses by £13, and medals and engraving by £13. However as there is still money outstanding for handballs and Affiliation fees the net position is that we are down £139. Generally it was a very satisfactory years working and the members of the Council deserve your thanks for the very efficient manner in which they handled the affairs.

Again we are indebted to the G.A.A. Central Council especially Pdraigh O Caoimh, General Sec., and President Aid O Broin for their continued interest in our welfare.

Our President has now completed his term of office and on your behalf and my own I tender our sincere thanks for a job well done. At all times he was available to further the interests of handball and was just and impartial in his decisions.

The Holy Sacrifice of Mass has been offered for the happy repose of the souls of all deceased members.

Ar son Comhairle Liathroidh Láimhe na hÉireann.

SEOSAMH O LOINGSIGH.

AUDITORS' REPORT

The President and Members of
Irish Amateur Handball Association,
Gaelic Athletic Association,
per Seosaimh uasal O Loingsigh,
Honorary Secretary.

9 PARNELL SQUARE,
DUBLIN,
26th January, 1962.

A Chairde,

We have audited the Books of the Association for the Year ended 31st December, 1961. Enclosed please find General Income and Expenditure Account and Special Tournaments Account together with Balance Sheet, showing the financial position of the Association at 31st December, 1961.

GENERAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

Income of the Year, consisting of Affiliation Fees £12-6-0; Gate Receipts £139-1-3; Grant from Central Council £500 and Sale of Handballs £36-5-6, amounted to £687-12-9. Expenditure of the Year came to £841-3-0. Expenditure exceeded Income by £153-10-3.

As compared with the preceding Year when Income, to the nearest £, exceeded Expenditure by £174, Income was less by £283 and Expenditure was greater by £45. The principal cause for the fall in Income was due to the absence in the account under review of a Special Grant from Central Council which in the preceding year amounted to £300. Partly offsetting this fall there was an increase of £18 in Gate Receipts. On the Expenditure side of the Account Teams' Expenses were greater by £12; the charge for Handballs was greater by £11; the charge for Medals and Engraving Trophies was greater by £13; the charge for Printing and Stationery was greater by £5 and the charge for Meeting Expenses was greater by £13.

SPECIAL TOURNAMENTS INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

Income of the Year, consisting of Grant from Gael Linn to cover Expenses £242-11-1 and Gate Receipts Gael Linn Tournament £55-2-7, came to £297-14-6. Expenditure amounted to £289-2-0. Income exceeded Expenditure by £8-12-6. In the corresponding Tournament of last year Income exceeded Expenditure by £4-1-0.

BALANCE SHEET

The Assets of the Association at 31st December, 1961, amounted to £15-11-3. Liabilities at the same date, including Bank Overdraft, net, £167-13-2, came to £236-3-2. Liabilities exceeded Assets by £220-11-11.

No value has been placed on Cups and Trophies of the Association which are set out on the face of the Balance Sheet for record purposes only. During the year a further Cup, viz. Gaelic Weekly Challenge Cup, was presented to the Association.

The Books were, as usual presented in good order for Audit and were vouched satisfactorily.

Is sinne le meas,

D. O'CONNOR & CO.

IRISH AMATEUR HANDBALL ASSOCIATION, GAELIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION. REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1961.

EXPENDITURE				INCOME			
1961—December 31.				1961—December 31.			
To Teams' Expenses:				By Affiliation Fees:			
Armagh	£	s	d	Antrim	£	s	d
Cavan	20	3	6	Armagh	0	10	0
Galway	18	15	4	Cavan	0	6	0
Kildare	11	12	0	Clare	0	16	0
Kilkenny	2	15	0	Donegal	0	4	0
Kerry	30	15	9	Dublin	0	4	0
Louth	38	7	0	Down	0	12	0
Mayo	30	2	6	Galway	0	4	0
Monaghan	34	10	0	Kildare	0	10	0
Offaly	18	10	0	Kilkenny	0	6	0
Sligo	26	8	0	Kerry	0	16	0
Tipperary	51	18	0	Leitrim	0	8	0
Wexford	65	12	0	Limerick	0	2	0
Players' Expenses paid direct by Council	131	9	9	Louth	0	8	0
Handballs			483 8 1	Meath	0	2	0
Advertising			50 17 8	Mayo	0	18	0
Medals and Engraving Trophies			13 12 9	Monaghan	0	10	0
Insurance on Trophies			67 0 0	Offaly	0	10	0
President's Travelling and Hotel Expenses			2 12 6	Roscommon	0	6	0
Secretary's Travelling and Hotel Expenses			5 18 0	Sligo	0	8	0
Printing and Stationery			22 18 0	Tipperary	1	16	0
Telephone	13	9	5	Waterford	0	2	0
Less: Refund from Gael Linn Tournament Account	3	10	0	Wexford	1	6	0
Postage	11	8	1	Wicklow	0	12	0
Less: Refund from Gael Linn Tournament Account	4	4	0	Westmeath	0	8	0
Chairman's Telephone and Postage Expenses			7 4 1				12 6 0
Meeting Expenses			2 0 0	Gate Receipts:			
Secretary's Honorarium			83 14 6	Aug. 13 at Talbot's Inch	7	8	6
Audit and Accountancy Fee			50 0 0	13 at Newport	13	6	6
Bank Interest, Charges & Cheque Book			10 10 0	20 at Horse & Jockey	3	16	0
Caretaker and Cleaning			4 12 0	27 at Cavan	6	19	0
Photographs			1 0 0	27 at The Commons	9	16	6
Masses			0 5 0	Sept. 10 at Taghmon	19	19	0
			0 10 0	17 at Tuamgrane	27	2	3
			841 3 0	Oct. 1 at The Commons	16	11	0
				8 at Clough	34	2	6
				Grant from Central Council			139 1 3
				Sale of Handballs			500 0 0
				Balance, Excess for Year of Expenditure over Income			36 5 6
							153 10 3
							841 3 0

**IRISH AMATEUR HANDBALL ASSOCIATION, GAELIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.
SPECIAL TOURNAMENTS—REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1961.**

EXPENDITURE				INCOME			
	£	s	d		£	s	d
1961—December 31.				1961—December 31.			
To Refund of Travelling and Hotel Expenses to Venue Championships:				By Grant from Gael Linn to cover Expenses			242 11 11
Arklow	6	7	6	Gate Receipts—Gael Linn			
Armagh	0	12	0	Tournament:			
Ballypatrick	2	10	0	Feb. 2 at Talbot's Inch	1	11	3
Belfast	7	0	0	5 at Croke Park	0	11	0
Ballymote	8	5	0	5 at Ballymore-Eustace	0	2	6
Ballyanne	2	10	0	12 at Croke Park	0	15	0
Clogheen	31	10	0	12 at Tuamgraney	2	3	0
Clogh	1	16	0	12 at Newport	6	0	0
Campile	0	5	0	12 at Loughmacrory	0	17	3
Drogheda	7	12	0	19 at Taghmon	3	7	0
Dunlavin	4	15	0	19 at Delvin	1	6	0
Dungarvan	10	8	6	19 at Horse and Jockey	1	18	0
Drumshambo	7	10	0	19 at Talbot's Inch	1	17	0
Enniscorthy	2	0	0	April 23 at Newport	34	14	7
Galway	7	10	0				55 2 7
Kilbeggan	3	4	9				
Kilmannon	1	10	0				
Letterkenny	6	4	0				
Lurgan	1	10	0				
Mullahoran	9	16	0				
Monaghan	6	1	0				
Newmarket	4	10	0				
Nenagh	2	12	0				
Newport	1	3	6				
Shrule	4	16	0				
Tullamore	12	6	6				
The Commons	1	10	0				
Tralee	12	13	6				
Tuamgraney	13	0	0				
Ullard	2	9	0				
Players' Expenses paid direct by Council	31	9	0				
			215 6 3				
Advertising			3 2 0				
Postage and Telephone			7 14 0				
Telephone Expenses refunded to Venue Secretaries			27 19 8				
Secretary's Travelling and Hotel Expenses			25 0 0				
Handballs			5 3 5				
Meeting Expenses			4 0 0				
Cheque Book			0 16 8				
Balance, Excess for Year of Income over Expenditure			8 12 6				
			297 14 6				297 14 6

**IRISH AMATEUR HANDBALL ASSOCIATION, GAELIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1961.**

LIABILITIES				ASSETS			
	£	s	d		£	s	d
Bank Overdraft, No. 1 Account	183	2	9	Sundry Debtors for:			
Less: Cash at Bank No. 2 Account	15	9	7	Affiliation Fees	2	10	0
			167 13 2	Sales of Handballs	11	18	9
Sundry Creditors for:							14 8 9
Medals	58	0	0	Collectors' Bags, per last Balance Sheet			1 2 6
Audit Fee	10	10	0	For record purposes only:			
			68 10 0	Irish Press Perpetual Challenge Cup in possession of J. & C. Delaney (Kilkenny)			
				Irish Independent Perpetual Challenge Cup in possession of P. Downey & J. O'Brien (Kerry)			
				Purcell Perpetual Challenge Cup in possession of P. Downey (Kerry)			
				Dr. Harty Perpetual Challenge Cup in possession of J. Maher (Louth)			
				Very Rev. Canon Carroll Perpetual Challenge Cup in possession of J. Coughlan & G. Barry (Offaly)			
				New Ireland Perpetual Challenge Cup in possession of M. Kelly & G. Cronnelly (Galway)			
				Dunlop Shield in possession of D. Walsh (Sligo)			
				Elvery Shield in possession of J. Cleary (Tipperary)			
				Comhairle Mumhan Challenge Cup in possession of R. Lyng (Wexford)			
				Gaelic Weekly Challenge Cup in possession of R. Lyng and P. Lennon (Wexford)			
				Gael Linn Challenge Cup in possession of M. Kirby (Clare)			
				Deficiency as at 31st December, 1960	75	14	2
				Add: Excess for Year of Expenditure over Income, General Account	153	10	3
					229	4	5
				Less: Excess for Year of Income over Expenditure, Special Tournament Account	8	12	6
							220 11 11
			236 3 2				236 3 2

We have examined the foregoing Accounts and Balance Sheet of the Irish Amateur Handball Association, have compared them with the Books and Vouchers submitted to us and we certify them to be correct and in accordance therewith.

9, Parnell Square, East, DUBLIN.
26th January, 1962.

D. O'CONNOR & CO.,
Chartered Accountants, Auditors.