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PROGRAMME

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## VICTORY

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Prior to the establishment of the Irish Free State Irishmen were not permitted to compete in the Olympiads as representatives of their own country and the services of a number of our outstanding athletes were eagerly sought after by the British and United States Olympic Teams. It happened, therefore, that the British Olympic team which appeared in the Marble Stadium at Athens for the Olympiad in 1906 included such famous Irish Athletes as O'Connor, Leahy and Daly. On arrival in Athens these Irishmen endeavoured to persuade the Olympic Committee to give representation to Ireland and Peter O'Connor had a conversation with Prince George of Greece who, while sympathetic with the Irish viewpoint, told him that it was not possible for the Committee to accede to the request as separate representation could not be given to Ireland until she attained her independence. Peter O'Connor went on to win an Olympic Crown in the Hop, Step and Jump event, and Con Leahy also gained a Laurel Wreath by winning the High Jump. The Officials of the British Olympic Team claimed that these successes represented British victories since Ireland was not a Nation and so could not claim recognition or representation at the Olympic Games. On the announcement of O'Connor's victory the Union Jack was raised on the official flag pole, but Peter had with him an Irish flag embossed in gold with the words "Eire go Brath" on one side, a large harp on the other side, a flag which he still retains. There happened to be a flagless pole near him, so immediately after the hoisting of the Union Jack, Peter—an adept climber—"Shinned up the pole" and unfurled the Irish flag, and Con Leahy who had a similar flag did likewise, actions which aroused the enthusiasm of the spectators.



As many sportsmen know Peter O'Connor the Olympic Champion of those days, is to-day the well-known Waterford Solicitor, to whom the "Hibernian" acknowledges its thanks for permission to relate this outstanding incident associated with the 1906 Olympiad.

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Clonliffe Harriers and the sportsmen of Ireland, extend a hearty welcome to all the visiting athletes, and their officials, on the occasion of their visit to Dublin for the Clonliffe two-day International Sports, and trust that their short stay will be a very happy and memorable one.

Clonliffe Harriers og Írlands sportsmenn onsker et hjertelig velkommen till alle de besøkende atleter og deres funksjonærer i anledning av deres besøk i Dublin til Clonliffe's to dagers internasjonale sportstevne og håber sikkert at deres korte opphold vil bli meget vellykket og minneverdig.

De Clonliffe Harriers en de sportliefhebbers van Ierland heten alle bezoekende atleten en hun begeleiders hartelijk welkom bij gelegenheid van hun bezoek aan Dublin voor de Twee Clonliffe Internationale Sportdagen en hopen, dat hun kort verblijf in Ierland als een aangename herinnering lang in gedachte zal blijven.

Tha Buidheann Ruith Clonliffe agus Giomanaich na h-Eireann ag cur fáilt' agus furan air na Buidheannan Cluiche a tha air chuairt aca, agus tha iad an dechas gum bi iad toilichte as an turas ath-ghearr so thun ur cladaichean, agus gum bi sud fada nan cuimhne.

Estynwn croeso cynes oddiwrth y Clonliffe Harriers a phobl hwliog iwerddon, i'n cyfeillion hwyliog ai awrdwiodau, ar fi ymweliad a iwerddon, ar wyl genedlarthol Clonliffe. Gan fawr gobeithio bydd eich ymweliad byr yu an hapus a byth gofiadwy.

Clonliffe Harriers en de sportmannen van Ierland wensen de atleten en hun officieren van harte welkom bij gelegenheid van hun bezoek aan Dublin voor de Clonliffe tweedaagse internationale sportgebeurtenissen en hopen dat hun kort verblijf zeer gelukkig en gedenkwaardig moge zijn.

Clonliffe Harriers et les sportifs Irlandais souhaitent de tout coeur la bienvenue aux athlètes visiteurs ainsi qu'à leurs officiels à l'occasion de leur visite à Dublin pour les deux journées sportifs internationales de Clonliffe et espèrent que leur court séjour en Irlande sera très heureux et mémorable.



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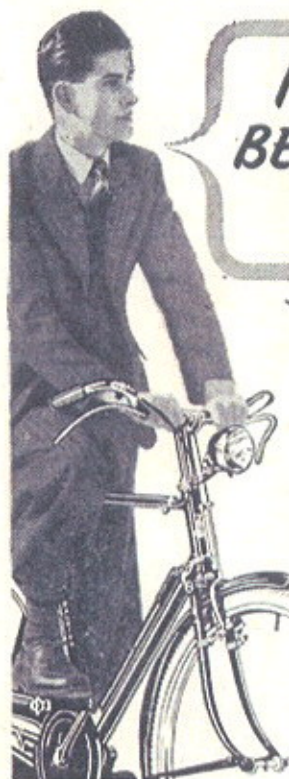
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## Order of Events

- P.M.
1. 7.30—100 YARDS OPEN HANDICAP. HEATS.
  2. 7.40—100 YARDS OPEN HANDICAP (LADIES). HEATS.
  3. 7.50—100 YARDS INTERNATIONAL SCRATCH. HEATS.
  4. 7.55—880 YARDS NOVICES SCRATCH RACE I.
  5. 8. 0—880 YARDS NOVICES SCRATCH RACE II.
  6. 8. 5—100 YARDS OPEN HANDICAP. FINAL.
  7. 8.10—100 YARDS OPEN HANDICAP (LADIES). FINAL.
  8. 8.15—100 YARDS INTERNATIONAL SCRATCH. FINAL.
  9. 8.20—440 YARDS CYCLE INVITATION SCRATCH. HEATS.
  10. 8.30—440 YARDS INTERNATIONAL SCRATCH.
  11. 8.35—MILE INVITATION SCRATCH.
  12. 8.45—440 YARDS CYCLE INVITATION SCRATCH. FINAL.
  13. 8.50—120 YARDS HURDLES INTERNATIONAL SCRATCH. HEATS.
  14. 8.55—80 METRES HURDLES SCRATCH. LADIES.
  15. 9. 0—HIGH JUMP INTERNATIONAL. SCRATCH.
  16. 9.15—BROAD JUMP INTERNATIONAL. SCRATCH.
  17. 9.20—INTERNATIONAL ROAD RACE FINISH. Approx.
  18. 9.30—120 YARDS HURDLES INTERNATIONAL SCR. FINAL.
  19. 9.35—MEDLEY RELAY RACE INTERNATIONAL. HEATS.  
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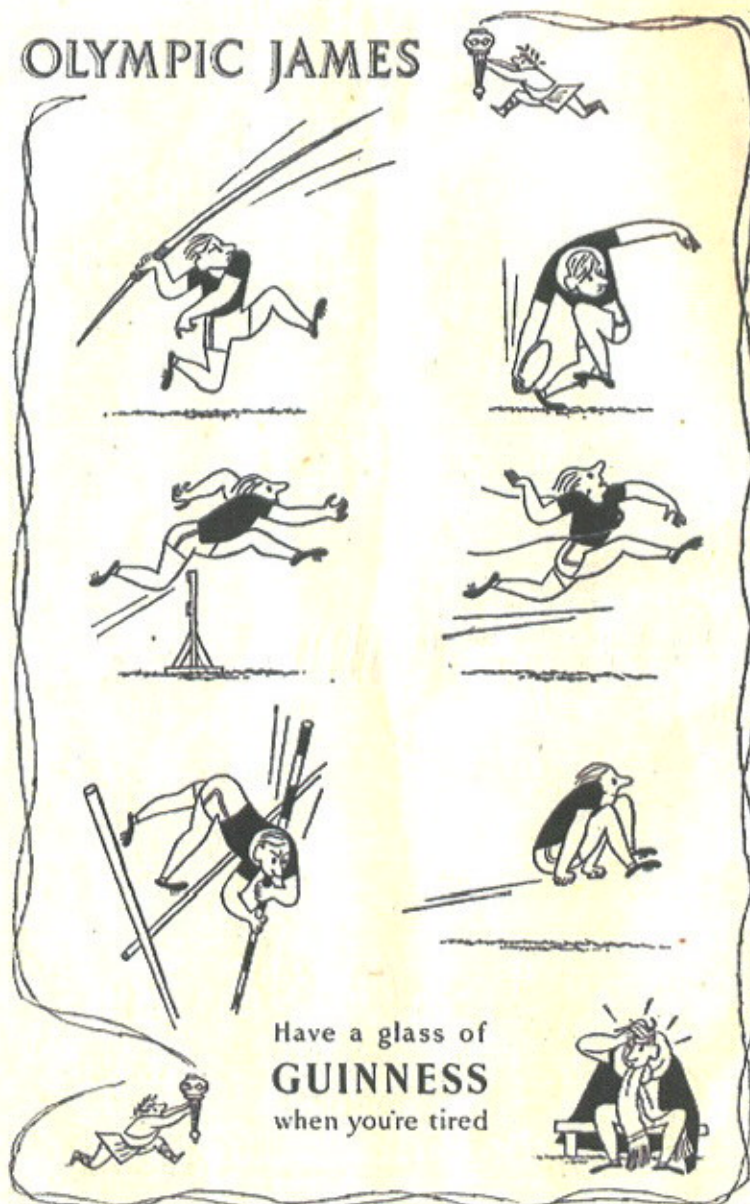
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# OLYMPIC JAMES



Event No. 1—7.30 p.m.

## 100 YARDS OPEN HANDICAP

(Firsts and Seconds in Heat run in Final)

### HEAT I.

13	D. D. Rippard, D.U.H. & A.C.	...	...	6½ yds.
1	E. Broy, Donore Harriers	...	...	8 "
2	D. Ringrose, Civil Service A.C.	...	...	8 "
14	A. Tanham, Crusaders A.C.	...	...	10 "
10	J. N. Lowe, Clonliffe Harriers	...	...	10 "
3	L. T. Palmer, Donore Harriers	...	...	10 "

Won by..... 2nd..... 3rd..... Time.....secs.

### HEAT II.

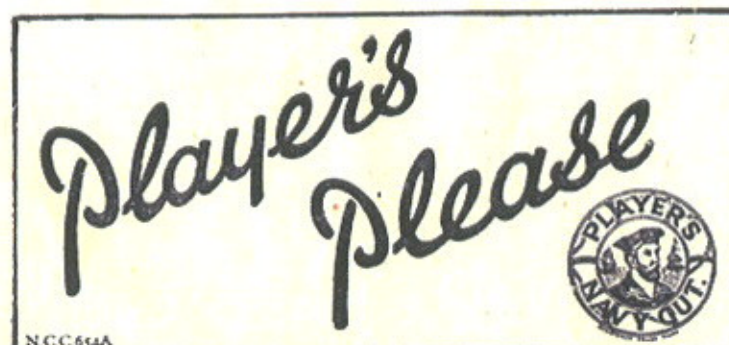
5	E. R. Plant, Clonliffe Harriers	...	...	4 yds.
4	J. A. Rodgers, Queen's Univ. A.C.	...	...	6½ "
11	T. O'Shea, Clonliffe Harriers	...	...	8 "
15	D. J. Ipstein, Royal College Surgeons A.C.	...	...	8 "
17	G. Hollywood, D.U.H. & A.C.	...	...	10 "
6	J. C. Diffley, Clonliffe Harriers	...	...	10 "

Won by..... 2nd..... 3rd..... Time.....secs.

### HEAT III.

16	J. J. Daly, Crusaders A.C.	...	...	4½ yds.
8	P. J. Brabazon, Burton Harriers	...	...	6½ "
9	J. G. Palmer, Donore Harriers	...	...	8 "
19	J. Bray, Clonliffe Harriers	...	...	8 "
18	R. Griffen, D.U.H. & A.C.	...	...	9 "
7	M. McMahon, Civil Service A.C.	...	...	9½ "
12	P. J. Costello, Civil Service A.C.	...	...	10 "

Won by..... 2nd..... 3rd..... Time.....secs.







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Event No. 2—7.40 p.m.

100 YARDS OPEN HANDICAP (LADIES)

(First and Second in Heat run in Final)

HEAT I.

11	S. Cheesman, Great Britain	Scratch
14	M. Kernahan, Queen's Univ. A.C.	3 yds.
4	V. Kennedy, Short & Harlands W.A.C.	8 ..
7	P. Kelly, Crusaders A.C.	10 ..
1	J. Donegan, Crusaders A.C.	11 ..
Won by	11	2nd 4 3rd 7 Time 11.6 secs.

HEAT II.

10	F. Blankers-Koen, Holland	Scratch
12	J. M. Upton, Great Britain	Scratch
5	D. Saunders, Crusaders A.C.	7½ ..
2	P. Kennedy, Short & Harlands W.A.C.	8 ..
9	V. Spencer, Crusaders A.C.	9 ..
Won by	10	2nd 2 3rd 5 Time 11.2 secs.

HEAT III.

13	O. J. Tyler, Great Britain	Scratch
6	M. Horne, Queen's University A.C.	6 yds.
3	W. McDougall, Short & Harlands W.A.C.	7½ ..
8	M. Spray, Crusaders A.C.	8½ ..
12	M. Scott, Liverpool A.C.	9 ..
Won by	14	2nd 3 3rd 8 Time 11.4 secs.

Event No. 3—7.50 p.m.

100 YARDS INTERNATIONAL SCRATCH—HEATS

(First Three in each Heat run in Final)

HEAT I.

19	F. Linssen, Belgium	
25	J. A. Gregory, Great Britain	
33	Haldor Hansen, Norway	
62	R. Plant, Clonliffe Harriers	
64	J. J. Daly, Crusaders A.C.	
75	K. Anderson, Great Britain	
Won by		2nd..... 3rd..... Time.....secs.

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# HEAT II.

- 43 Rene Valmy, Franco
- 52 W. J. Dwyer, U.S.A.
- 63 R. J. Myles, Crusaders A.C.
- 65 L. Crowe, Clonliffe Harriers
- 76 J. McCann, St. Mary's C.B.S., Belfast.
- 77 J. Lammers, Holland

Won by.....52 2nd.....77 3rd.....65 Time.....10.0secs.

Event No. 4—7.55 p.m.

## 880 YARDS NOVICES SCRATCH—RACE I

- 1 G. Smyth (13), Clonliffe Harriers
- 2 J. C. Power (1), Civil Service Harriers
- 3 E. Donnelly (7), Cooleroo A.C.
- 4 J. Darmody (14), Cooleroo A.C.
- 5 Patk. Kelly (5)
- 6 Mick Dunne (4)
- 7 R. M. Graham (2), Donore Harriers
- 8 W. Walshe (12), Civil Service Harriers
- 9 D. J. Longford (8), D.U.H. & A.C.
- 10 G. J. Hartigan (6), D.U.H. & A.C.
- 11 K. McKee (3), Clonliffe Harriers
- 12 M. F. McGarry (9), Clonliffe Harriers
- 13 P. Tanham (11), Crusaders A.C.
- 14 K. Blackmore (10), Clonliffe Harriers
- 30 S. O'Casey (15), Civil Service Harriers
- 33 T. Parnell (16), Civil Service A.C.

Won by..... 2nd..... 3rd..... Time.....mins. ....secs.

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