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**Transcript**

Feis Lonndain 1948

**Feis Sunday**

June 20th, 1948

AT

**G.A.A. Grounds, Mitcham Stadium**

**Commencing at 3 p.m.**

**Admission by Programme - - One Shilling.**

Curtha ar bun ag Connradh na Gaedhilge in einfeacht leis an

Cumann Luith Chleas Gaedeal.

**Cumann Luith Chleas Gaedheal**

C.C. LONNDAIN (London County Board)

**Championship Hurling.**

**Brothers Pearse**

Green

**V**

**St. Vincents**

(Green & Yellow)

**Kick-off at 4 p.m.**

**Minor Football.**

**Cu-Chulainns**

(Blue)

**V**

**Shamrocks**

(White)

**Throw-in at 3p.m.**

Connradh Na Gaedhilge Lonndain,

 28 John Street, Holborn, W.C.1.

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**= Comortais Rinnce =**

**Comp. 77. Kerry four Hand Reel.**

80. Set B. Scoil Kensington

79. Set A. Scoil Kensington

81. Set C. Scoil Kensington

**First Prize-Silver Shield. Presented by the Gaelic Athletic Association.**

**Comp. 78. Humours of Bandon.**

81. Set C. Scoil Kensington

**Prizes-Medals**

**Comp. 79. Minor Championship - under 12 years.**

**Jig, Reel and Hornpipe and any Set Dance,**

18. P. Crean

170. Margaret Ryan *~~800 J. CLIFORD~~*

53. Anne Marie Haynes *105. M. MOLONEY*

118. M. McAuliffe

88. E. Kehoe

125. E. McGrath

175. B. Savage

**First Prise – A Cup – Presented by Mr C. Smyth.**

**Runner up – A Medal.**

**Comp 80, Junior Championship of London Feis**

**Jig, Reel and Hornpipe**.

190. Maureen Spillane *~~105. M. MOLONEY.~~*

40. Teresa Denning

56. John Hallinan *800. J. CLIFORD*

74. Shelia Goulding *115. P. McDERMOTT*

89. Donough Keogh

126. Nula McMahon *174. J. SAVAGE – 3*

118. Mary McAuliffe *135. T. NEACY*

154. Sheila O’Brien

**First Prize – A Cup – Presented by Mr. F Dwane**

**Runner up – A Medal**

**Comp. 81. Senior Championship of London Feis**

**Jig, Reel and Hornpipe** and any one of the following:

1. **Blackbird, (b) St. Patrick’s Day, (c) Rodney’s Glory**
2. **Humours of Bandon, (e) Job of Journey Work**

**(f) Garden of Daisies**

3. T. Bowler *~~J . CLIFFORD~~*

27. L. Daly

72. Patricia Goulding

155. Josephine O’Brien

176. Cathal Smyth

**Prize – “Fr. Needham” Cup. Runner up – A Medal**

Adjudicator – PEADAR O’RAFFERATY (Belfast).

Comortais Luith Chleas

Comp 82

 Relay Race (4 x 220 yards)

Comp. 83.

 100 yards Race

Comp. 84.

 880 yards Race

Comp. 85.

 Tug of War

Comp. 86

 Long Puck

Comp. 87

 Football Place Kick

Comp. 88. *(1) T. Ryan*

 Veterans’ Race *2. J. Hannigan*

Comp. 89.

~~Egg and Spoon Race~~

Comp. 90.

Three-Legged Race

Comp. 91.

~~Ladies Race – 80 yards~~

Comp. 92. *1. J Savage*

 ~~Boys Race – 80 yards~~ *2. D. McCarthy*

Comp. 93. *195. Junction*

 ~~Girls Race 50 yards~~  *RD*

 *N.19*

 **Judges: T. A. BECKETT**

**LIAM COLLINS**

**BRIAN MAGEE**

**Eire Saor Gaedhalch**

**Agus**

**Criostiul Len Ar Linn**

 It is now more than half a century since the Gaelic League

was founded. By enthusiasm, hard work, and the sacrifice of youthful

lives, the language and the culture of Ireland are in a stronger position

to-day than in the days when Douglas Hyde and Fr. O’Gowney

set forth on their mission: or in those Easter days of 1916 when

Pearse and his comrades proclaimed by force of arms their faith

In an Irish Ireland.

 The task is not yet completed. The struggle goes on. In that

part of Ireland which is free, in the six North-Eastern counties,

awaiting freedom, in America, Australia, South Africa and in the

cities and towns of Britain the flame that represents the ambition of

an independent Gaelic Ireland remains undimmed. To this present

generation of Irishmen and women untouched by the bitterness of

civil strife, has been handed the task of bringing into reality an

Ireland “Gaelic and Free.”

 In this final phase of the struggle, the Gaelic League of

London, co-operating with other Irish organisations in Britain and at

home, plans to play an important part. Our major objective is of

course the language; to preserve it as the spoken language of Ireland,

to encourage its use as a day to day medium of conversation among

Irish men and women in this county, to educate the children of

Irish parents in the history, the traditions and the language, to

provide for the Irish in London Social Centres and entertainments

of a Gaelic nature in a Gaelic atmosphere; to work without ceasing

for the liberation of the six North-Eastern counties.

 In these plans and activities there is a place for you. The

programme that lies ahead will require the active co-operation of

all members. If you are already a member, your task is to proclaim

on every possible occasion your faith in the future of Ireland, to draw

into the League those in your own particular circle who are not already

members, to volunteer your time and energy for the tasks that are

before us. If you are not a member, join this evening. Any of

the Feis Stewards will give you the details of membership. Alter-

natively, write to the League Headquarters at 28 John Street,

Holborn, W.C. 1.

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