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square all of the boys were almost too nervous to get off the coach and do the gig, but once it got under way it was really rock n' roll".

With ten gigs in 13 nights the tour really flew and before too long everybody in the group was saying: "Our last gig is coming up". The last one was massive with television cameras, press reporters and throngs of the public gathering to see this amazing phenomenon from the west — an Irish rock n' roll band called "Treaty 300".

Mr. Ireton went on to explain: "A big party was arranged for Friday and the band had to leave this at 12.30 for the long overnight drive back east to Leningrad. The coach travelled non stop through the night arriving in Leningrad at 7.30 the following morning.

"Having bade our fond farewells to our guides, our drivers and various members of the hosting group who accompanied us to Leningrad, the party was sitting quietly in the departure lounge of Leningrad Airport when the youngest member, singer Rebecca O'Neill, piped up: "Gosh, it all seems like a dream.

"When you think of all the gigs and the friendly people and the strange food and the unusual surroundings and the roaring crowds you just do not know what to think really. It's hard to describe all the fun we have just had in the past two weeks".

## Broker delay

Cal O'Brien, 30 Abbeyview, Adare, was fined £10 on each summons for having no driver's licence, or no insurance disc displayed, on November 14 last, by Justice Aidan O'Donnell, at Rathkeale court.

Mr. Jim Murphy, solr., who appeared for the defendant told the court that his client had not received the disc from his broker on the date in question.



The Boherbuoy Band — making history with their new tape of their music. The photograph is also historic. It was taken in the Savoy when the Boherbuoy was the last band to play there before its demolition.

# Boherbuoy Band on stereo tape

LIMERICK'S historic Boherbuoy Band have realised a lifelong ambition. They have produced a tape of the band's music which is now on sale in the city.

The tape — The Music of the Boherbuoy Band — fulfils a number of objectives.

The band has always wanted to have its music recorded on tape and in 1988 and 1989 the musical standard of the band had risen to a level of excellence which made the recording a desirable possibility.

Pat Phelan, the hon. secretary, explained: "The band had gone from strength to strength and the musical ability was there. All the conditions were right".

Bandmaster Patrick McCormack and chairman Declan Hickey said that the second and possibly the more important objective was to raise funds to help defray the £6,000 cost of the band's new concert dress uniforms.

And now the city has a permanent record of the sound of the band at this

time, the personnel who made up the band and the playing standards of this period.

Mr. McCormack said the idea originated after a radio broadcast recently. The making of the tape now allows anyone who likes to have access to the music of the band.

The tapes costs £5 and can be purchased at Hickey's Pharmacy in St. John's Square or from any member of the band.

traditionally associated with.

Mr. Phelan explained that it is no longer easy to march through the city because of the huge volume of traffic on the roads today. They can only march now on organised occasions.

The composition of the band includes male and female members. The ladies are a recent addition — being admitted in the early '70s — aged between 14 and 17 years.

## Junior

As well as the main band the Boherbuoy has a junior band now, who recently played at one of the concerts in the People's Park, as well as classes for beginners.

Mr. Phelan also stressed that the band has a policy of buying as much of their equipment as possible locally. "We are supported by local people, so we give as much back to local business as we can", he went on.

The tape is an excellent production which really shows the versatility of the Boherbuoy Band. Now, for the first time in the 139 year history of the band, local people can listen to their music whenever they want.

## World

Already copies of the tape have gone all over the world.

Band PRO Ray Heraty said the tape gives a good cross-section of the sort of music the band plays. It features marches, classical, a selection from Broadway shows and modern symphonic works.

Ray said that one of the numbers — Rhythm of the Winds — always reminds him of the city's whistling bridge.

In recent years the band has moved more into the area of concerts rather than marching, which they have been



for the Estonian team to ntry Fair next May, at the Tallinn were: Kalju Jonu (ing Federation); Ziatsen nian Boxing Federation); y (Garda Activities Programir (committee member, on); Peter Ireton (Limerick Erthur, and Raul Luks Boxing Federation).



Garda Sergeant Michael Gallery from Roxboro's Garda Activity Programme, with Lieut. Yuri Urb, of the Estonian police force, and tour guide Iiona Urb, on a tour of police headquarters in Tallinn.

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