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Cllr. Frank Leddin  
ffic lights at Parnell  
Corporation officials  
to pedestrians who  
side at present being  
ty. This Friday the



uncillor Leddin: "Re-  
ve the green arrow."

## Let there be light

outhill Community Council  
ed on Limerick Corpora-  
to implement the "agreed"  
n for improvements to the  
ating system in Keyes Park,  
a recent meeting. Lighting  
the back courts is particu-  
y bad, it was stated by Mr.  
nmy Allen, P.R.O., and the  
poration agreed to have  
rectified last February.  
he council noted with sat-  
isfaction that part of the over-  
plan for the lighting around  
church area was now  
rily completed and would  
n be in operation.

## Support

outhill Community Council  
s passed a resolution sup-  
ting Cllr. Michael Crowe's  
n campaign to buy Mungret Col-  
e and retain it as a sport-  
g complex for the young  
ople of Ireland. The coun-  
cillors appealed to the community

# LIMERICK'S 'NEW LOOK' HOTEL

BY JOHN

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**T**HE FIRST phase of  
the planned £65,000  
re-development of the  
Royal George Hotel in  
O'Connell Street, Lime-  
rick, has been completed  
and the new 50-seater  
coffee shop opens on this  
Friday.

The second phase, consist-  
ing of an exclusive lounge bar  
and grill downstairs, is due to  
commence next week.

Said Mr. Bobby Kennedy,  
director, Royal George Hotel:  
"Within the next eight months  
our hotel will have taken on  
a completely different appear-  
ance and it is our intention  
to make it into one of the  
most modern of its kind in  
Limerick."

## Anticipated

It is anticipated that the  
coffee shop, said to be the  
first of its kind in Limerick,  
will generate a lot of traffic  
in and out of the hotel.

This will deal exclusively in  
tea and coffee, with sand-  
wiches, biscuits and cakes. A  
full breakfast can be had in  
the mornings, and a special  
luncheon will operate from  
12.30 to 3 p.m.

Mr. John Likely, general  
manager, told the Leader that  
they felt there was a need for  
this type of business in the  
city's main shopping centre  
— "where people can have a  
quick snack at low cost".

The reception area is to be  
made smaller and a new resi-  
dents' lounge is to be intro-  
duced in the present foyer.

## MY LIFE AND TIMES

From page 19:

took an excellent circumstance to  
allow you to walk through it  
again until closing time. And if  
you had money, and how rare  
those occasions were in those  
days, you had to inveigle one  
of the Dunes to bring the  
sweets on their way back from  
dinner. The accident of location  
lay heavily on the souls of the  
Dunne family. They were born  
and lived beside the school and  
it would take a really genuine  
excuse to keep them away.  
Weather and clime made no dif-  
ference to the accident of loca-  
tion.

Neither rain or wind or snow,  
no natural cause could stop them  
from walking a hundred paces

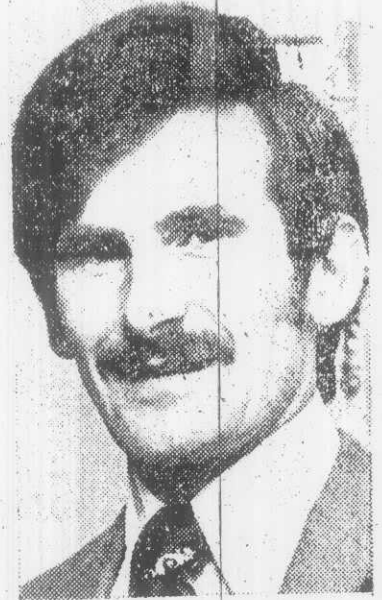
The ballroom is at present  
being extended, taking in the  
existing bar.

Continued Mr. Kennedy:  
"There has been tremendous  
interest in the future of the  
Royal George since it was an-  
nounced that we were to re-  
open with all the usual facil-  
ities. All the plans have now  
been drawn up and sanctioned  
and it is a case of full steam  
ahead."

## Famous

Commented Mr. Likely: "The  
Royal George has always been  
a famous landmark in Lime-  
rick and it will continue to  
play a major role in the com-  
mercial life of this city."

He said that they had en-  
joyed a good summer season  
and indications were that the  
establishment was about to  
recapture all its former glory.



Mr. Likely: recapturing  
glory.



1946 — 1975

Two significant dates in the history of the Limerick  
jeweller, Bee Moynihan Ltd., of 2 O'Connell Street,

1946 — The opening of the firm: a brave decision just  
after World War II.

1975 — An interior renovation job — a new showroom  
emerging: nicely carpeted, gleaming chandeliers  
hanging from the ceiling, new attractive show-  
cases. In fact, a pleasant showroom, making  
shopping much easier and certainly more com-  
fortable.

At the same, what makes us different?

1. We believe we have the selection of goods, whether  
you wish to purchase something literally at 85p or  
£1600.00, we can supply — and, incidentally, at all  
prices we want your custom.
2. Because of our association with Stephen Faller  
(Exports) Ltd., Industrial Estate, Galway, one of Ire-  
land's leading Mail Order companies, we have access  
to any product they have in stock. Faller's have  
one of the largest, if not the largest, stock of Water-  
ford Glass, Royal Doulton figures, Lladro figures,  
Doulton, Minton, Wedgwood and Aynsley China  
tableware.
3. We know our prices are at least as good as anyone  
else — we have the added advantage of selection and  
comfort.