

A MAN who was jailed at Limerick Court last week for assaulting a garda, was given a further six months this week for a similar offence.

Richard Birmingham, 304, O'Malley Park, was jailed for six months for assaulting a garda, criminal damage and being drunk and disorderly early last Christmas Day.

Judge Gerard Haughton ordered the sentence to run concurrent with the six month sentence Mr Birmingham received last week for assault against another garda and being drunk and disorderly.

Mr Birmingham contested the charges, claiming that he was beaten by gardai. Two other co-defendants, Shiela Kiely, 352, O'Malley Park, and Thomas Moran, 231, Swallow Drive, Southill, were fined.

Ms Kiely, a sister of the defendant, and Mr Moran, a brother of Mr Birmingham's girlfriend, were both charged with assaulting Garda Brian Curran and being drunk and disorderly on the same night.

Garda Molloy, said that at approximately 12.25am on Christmas Day last he and Gda Curran went to the

# Do you know the mystery mayors . . . ?



By **DYMPHNA BRACKEN**

Do you recognise any of the faces on this page?

If you do, City Hall wants to hear from you.

They are currently known as the unidentified mayors of the city.

Mayor O'Sullivan this week made a special plea to people interested in local history and the families or relatives of former mayors to jog their memories in an effort to have the former civic leaders identified.

Maybe the style of dress, she said, will help.

The photographs are at present in the City Gallery in Pery Square.

The permanent mayoral collection hung in the gallery before Christmas.

The Mayor's appeal

comes as preparations are commencing to celebrate the city's charter of 1197.

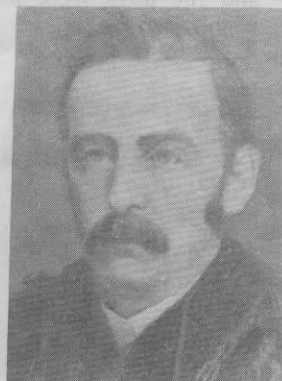
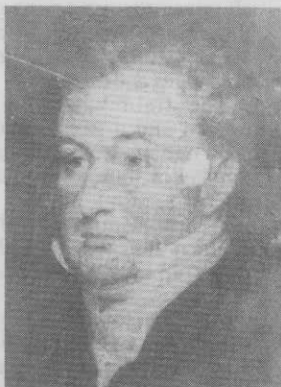
"It would be appropriate if those men who made their own valuable contribution to the city could be identified and included in any exhibitions planned for 1997," she said.

The first mayor of the city was Adam Sarvant.

Former mayor, Jim Kerry, through his local history contacts, has already made efforts to identify the mayors.

"It is such a pity that those men have not been identified to date so I hope that people reading this will be able to help," said Mayor O'Sullivan.

Anybody with information should contact the Mayor's office in City Hall or Deputy Kemmy.



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