Thomas (Tom) Walsh (Boherlahan Dualla)

1920-2014



On Sunday, 15th June 2014, the death took place of Thomas (Tom) Walsh, Tubberadora, Boherlahan. Tom was a member of the famed Walsh family who brought hurling fame to their native Tubberadora way back in the dying years of the nineteenth century. His father, Johnny Walsh won five All Ireland medals with Tubberadora, a feat also equalled by another brother Denis Walsh, while a younger brother Dick Walsh and Tom's own brother John added further All Ireland successes in later years, thus bringing the total family successes to twelve All Ireland medals. Indeed, that famous team trained on the Walsh farm, which is right in the heart of what became known as "the Golden square mile". Tom himself, though never claiming such fame, was nonetheless in his time a regular player of our local club and continued all his life as one of its most ardent supporters. Go ndeanaí Dia Trocaire air.