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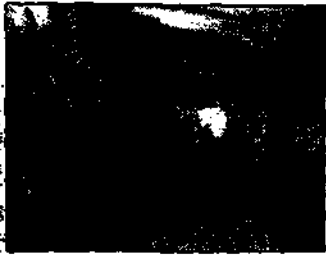
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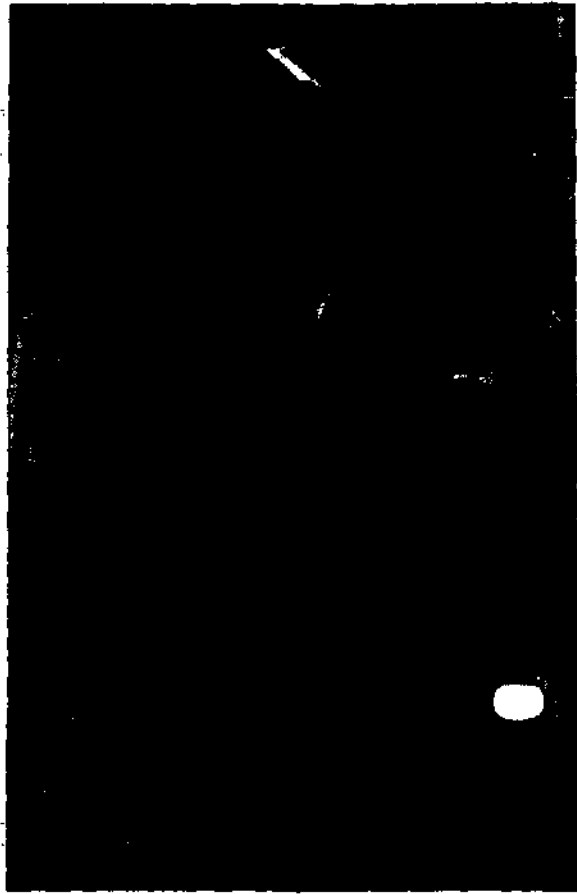
# Accused denies killing RIC man

### Deaths

**CALLAGHAN** - June 24, 1997, at his home, 106 Fergan Park, formerly of Malvern Terrace, Waterside (after an illness bravely borne), Jackie (Ex. Usherbus Inspector, devoted father of Martin, Jacqui, Mark, Glenn and Lynn) and much loved grandfather of Daryn and Paul-Gavin - R.I.P. Funeral from his home, tomorrow Thursday, at 9.40am, for 10.00am, Requiem Mass in St. Joseph's Church, Colliagh, Swinburn afterwards in The City Cemetery. Family flowers only. If wished, donations in lieu of flowers to The Foyle Hospice, 61 Cullinane Road, Our Lady of Knock, pray for him. St. Pevreline, Swinburn. Deeply regretted by the family circle.

**SWINBURN** - June 24, 1997, at Avonside Private Nursing Home, Michael, beloved husband of the late Joan (formerly of Argyll Street and late of Cullinane Park), loving father of Hugh, Ann and Fiona, dear brother of Hugh and Ann. Funeral bearing his son's coffin, Thursday at 9.20am, in St. Patrick's Church, Swinburn for Burial in Mount

## Innocents suffer as police foil



Every boy who was so sexy  
missed by his snowing out, daug-  
ters, son-in-law, daughter-in-law,  
grandchildren and the entire family  
circle. Sacred Heart of Jesus have  
money on his soul. Our Lady of  
Lourdes, intercede for him.

### Lotto

UK: 12, 17, 27, 28, 38, 40.  
Bonus 6. Jackpot: 55m.  
Three winners.  
Ireland: 9, 19, 23, 25, 28,  
42. Bonus 11. Jackpot:  
€500,000. No winners.



It's good to  
talk/deconstruct/obtalk

**Leisure RUD**  
*for legs & sport*

**Sports Department**

## Solicitor tells of overturned life conviction

By Pheilm McAleer

A MAN charged yesterday with the murder of two policemen in Lurgan last week has "strenuously denied" his involvement in the attack.

In a statement issued through his solicitor, Colin Duffy said he knew nothing about the killings.

Duffy (29) had served part of a life sentence for the murder of a former soldier in Lurgan before being freed on appeal last September following a high profile campaign.

He was convicted on the eyewitness evidence of PUP member Lindsay Robb. He was later freed after Robb was found guilty of trying to organise an arms shipment for the UVF.

At the special court in Craigavon yesterday an RUC detective inspector said there was identification evidence against Duffy, of Drummasnoe Gardens, Lurgan.

He was charged with murdering Constable Roland John Graham and Reserve Constable David Andrew Johnston in Lurgan on June 16.

Both men were shot from behind in the head at point blank range.

In appeals for witnesses to the shooting detectives said the gunmen were heavily disguised and wearing wigs.

Duffy entered the dock, handcuffed, and escorted by six uniformed policemen.

The detective inspector said he could confirm Duffy had made a formal complaint about having been charged in the absence of a solicitor.

He said that when arrested, charged and cautioned Duffy denied both charges.

Replying to questions by defence counsel

## Police make a number of arrests following shooting

A NUMBER of people has been arrested following an early morning shooting incident in Derry.

No-one was hurt in the incident shortly after midnight yesterday at Shearwater Way in the Clooney area. Police were called after a number of shots were fired into a house on the estate.

In a follow-up operation, a number of people were arrested in the Waterside area and are helping police with their inquiries. It is not believed the incident was sectarian.

• SHOCK... four-year-old Lyndsey McClune outside her house yesterday after RUC officers sit  
Bill Stewart later said he "deeply regretted" the trauma caused to the innocent family

# Family tells of RUC

By Niall Blaney

A YOUNG Belfast family yesterday spoke their terror at being caught up in a paramilitary attack.

CS Gas canisters were fired through windows of Michael McClune's Arlin Drive home before police stormed the filled house where his wife and two children were sleeping.

An undercover officer - who failed to identify himself - held a gun to McClune's head as his wife screamed: "Man not to shoot him. The couple they were being targeted by paramilitaries later emerged that the security force had stormed the wrong house.

The RUC yesterday apologised to the family for the trauma and said the McClune were "completely innocent".

Police recovered two fully-loaded rifles some distance from the family's and one man was arrested.

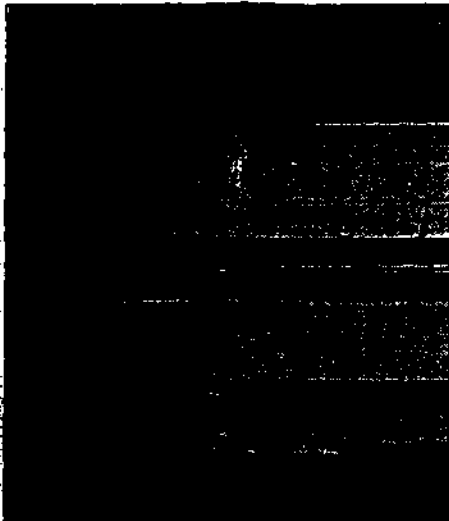
The RUC said it had lured a paramilitary attack after armed men took over a close to Dunmurry.

Mr McClune's wife Eunice (33), daughter Lyndsey (4) and one-year-old son An had to be taken to hospital for treatment.

The 37-year-old Royal Victoria Hospital worker said: "I thought it was a gunner anti-terrorist squad fired CS Gas came straight up the stairs - I thought I was a gunman who had come into shoot me.

"I had been in the front bedroom and my wife and daughter were in the bedroom, while my young son was in his room. I heard what I thought was an explosion and I opened the curtains and saw gunners pointing from the garden. They had masks on.

"There were four coming through the window and I ran in the front room and grabbed my young son and took him to the back bedroom and tried to pull a war across the door.



• DAMAGE... a broken upstairs window in the McClune home through which the RUC fired a CS Gas canister.



• DEADLY... AK47 rifles identical to those recovered by police were put on show. Picture: Ann McManus