

# IRISH FREEDOM CAMPAIGN



Sectarian beatings, by the R.U.C. are common place in Nationalist Communities

The events of the past two and a half weeks, once again highlight that the Orange state is irreformable. Having seen David Trimble, with the support of the British government giving full support to the sectarian humiliation of the Nationalist communities of the Garvaghy Road, and the Lower Ormeau in Belfast, we have once again witnessed how repression, force and Loyalist terror is the democracy and peace which Unionist look for.

And the follow up of R.U.C. terror firing over 6,000 plastic bullets at Nationalist protesters, and the murder of Dermot Mc Shane can only be identified to the existence of state terrorism in the six counties.

**END PARTITION**



**Orangemen stand off in Dumree intimidating the National  
Community if Garrvahy Road**

## **Sectarian Orange Marches**

*The Orange Order insists on parading through areas where they are unwelcome due to their sectarian ideology. The RUC picks and chooses which marches to reroute. When they decide to let one through any and all means necessary are used to achieve this end.*

*However nowadays the people in these nationalist communities refuse to accept this lying down and are resolute in their opposition to Orange marches. The Irish Freedom Campaign supports these communities in their campaign to keep their streets free of provocative sectarian marches.*

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At the first meeting of the Irish Freedom Campaign, a series of aims (or guidelines) were adopted by those members present, to outline the goals and possible achievements of the campaign in the coming future.

■ Firstly it was recommended that the Irish people as a whole have the right to Self-Determination without foreign interference, or veto's. And from this the Irish people working democratically together would decide their own future.

An end to Partition should be iminent, as a unconditional British withdrawal (both military and politically).

■ The Irish people have a right to Civil Liberties, and the Irish government should have no powers to impose or infringe unjust laws which are undemocratic.

There should be an end to all repressive laws both North and South of the Border, and the immediate disbandment of the sectarian R.U.C. and R.I.R. in the six occupied counties.

An End to all forms of Extradition, which has for years been exporting Irish people to the cruel unjust system of the British Empire.

■ All Irish people should have the right to **'Equality of Opportunity'**.

There must be an End to all Sectarian Discrimination, and all Irish people should have the right to religious and political Liberties.

**'Parity of Esteem'** (A consistency of equality, in the right to express and practice cultural traditions, and no discrimination in any form against native languages, or cultural practices that are non sectarian).

■ Fair treatment to all Irish Political Prisoners, until their unconditional release.

■ That we believe in democracy, and are against the selective censorship which has been in the past imposed to defeat movements campaigning against partition, and the unjust laws which have infringed people's Civil Rights.

We are against all Biased electoral laws and boundary fixing.

# NO EXTRADITION TO BRITISH INJUSTICE

You would think, that after the appalling series of blatant cases of injustice meted out to Irish people by the British justice system, no one would dare suggest that Irish people should be sent from this state to face that most viciously anti-Irish and unjust system. Particularly when those charged in relation to the national question are to be the victims. We remember well the case of the Birmingham Six, the Maguire Seven, Judith Ward and the Guilford Four, but less publicised were the more recent cases of the Beechmount Five and Ballymurphy Seven or the Casement Accused or indeed the ongoing campaigns over Colin Duffy and Danny McNamee.

British justice hasn't changed you are still likely to suffer adversely as an Irish person under its heavy hand. For this reason, if no other and there are many others, no Irish person should be subjected to that system by any Irish government.

The reason why extradition is so important to the British is that by extraditing Irish people to Britain the government here is seen internationally to be acknowledging the right of Britain to govern the six counties and giving a clean bill of health to the British justice system. We are opposed for the very same reason. The first public meeting organised by the Irish Freedom Campaign was on this subject.

Write to the Minister for Justice and your TD to object to this crazy process.

Currently facing court proceedings seeking their extradition are Nessan Quinlivan, and Angelo Fusco.

**THE DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING OF  
THE IRISH FREEDOM CAMPAIGN IS**

**AT CONNOLLY HALL, CORK CITY**