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My Dad had a friend a bit older than him who wanted to sell his red bike which was too small for him. He was selling it for 1 pound. My Dad had saved up 1 pound from his Communion money. Granddad told my Dad to make a bargain for the bike. He finally got the bike for 50 pence. He painted the bike blue with a brush and he minded it for years.

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Drumshanbo, Leitrim 1944

My Great Grandad worked in a jam factory in Drumshanbo town. The factory was called Lairs. In that time they had no electricity but they did have a steam turbine. My Great Grandad's job was to keep the steam turbine going. The left over electricity went to all the houses in the town. My Great Grandad and Grandad put the wires up to send the electricity to all the houses. Lairs jam factory was built in 1935. The factory is now closed 24 years. (closed since 1988.)

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