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*The delegation met with Mary McAleese, President of Ireland, at her residence*

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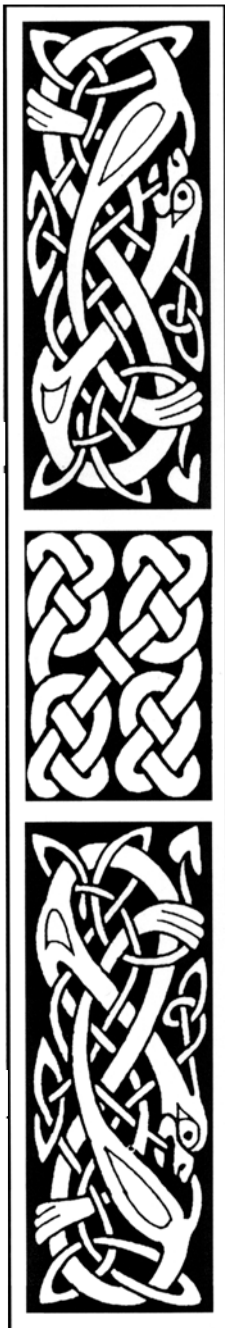
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*Delegates at Dromoland Castle*



*The FWA International Affairs Conference*







and FWA presidents compare notes



Deputy Prime Minister Mary Harney shared insights on investing in Ireland



Jean Kennedy Smith hosted a job White House



Frank McCourt, author of *Angela's Ashes*, was the speaker at the opening dinner



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*Enjoying more Irish hospitality*



*Dining in one of Dublin's very fine restaurants.*



*Waiting to tour medieval Bunnratty Castle*



*Sharing impressions at the end of a busy day*



*Sampling traditional beverages at the Irish Pub night*



*Irish dancing brought a round of applause*



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*Panel members discussed  
"High Growth — High Tech."*



*A presentation on "Ireland: Europe's New Banking  
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*Impromptu concert featured delegates*

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