

## De Valera and Fianna Fail in Power

### Keywords

Oath

Economic War

Blueshirts

Constitution

Bunreacht na hEireann

Anglo Irish Agreement

Bord na Mona

Aer Lingus

De Valera destroyed the treaty by getting rid of the oath and passing a law that the king had no say in Irish affairs.

Economic War = When taxes were put on goods by Britain and Ireland. De Valera put taxes on coal. The British put taxes on butter and beef.

Blueshirts = The Irish Fascists led by O Duffy

Bord na Mona and Aer Lingus were set up to  
create jobs

**Constitution** = Laws of a country. The new one  
that DeValera wrote was called Bunreacht na  
hEireann

**Anglo Irish Agreement 1938** = Peace treaty.  
They agreed to reduce taxes and give back the  
treaty ports.