

KILKENNY ARTS FESTIVAL AND
FIACH MAC CONGHAIL & RIVER PRODUCTIONS PRESENT

John Banville's

THE BOOK OF EVIDENCE

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Set and costume design Joe Vanek
Lighting design Tina MacHugh
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John Banville's highly-acclaimed novel **THE BOOK OF EVIDENCE** is given a starkly visual and powerful production by film-maker and theatre director Alan Gilsenan. The controversial book tells the gruesome yet seductive tale of Frederick Montgomery, and the dark murder of which he is accused. Declan Conlon gives a compelling portrayal of the innermost sanctum of Freddie's troubled soul. Witty and disturbing, harrowing yet strangely moving, Frederick Montgomery remains one of the most vivid characters of modern Irish literature.

The Book of Evidence is adapted and directed by award-winning film and theatre director Alan Gilsenan, whose documentary **The Ghost of Roger Casement** was recently screened on RTÉ television. Declan Conlon has been widely acclaimed for his recent appearances in Tom Murphy's **A Whistle in the Dark** and in Michael Frayn's **Copenhagen**. He was recently seen on RTÉ in **Any Time Now** and **Bachelor's Walk**.

WATERGATE THEATRE 10-17 AUGUST 8PM
BOOKING 056 52175

Previews Thurs 8 and Fri 9 August 8pm

Matinée Sat 17 August 3pm

Admission €17/€15 Previews €15

