

The Brixham fishing smack "Compare" has been sunk in collision with the London motor vessel, Vinemoor, owned by the Moor Line, Ltd, during a dense fog off the Lizard. One of the smack's crew was rescued. Three are missing.

## ALARMING TRAIN ACCIDENT.

### Engine Crashes into Signal Post.

A local passenger train on the L.M.S. Railway, from Leicester to Burton, was derailed last night between Moira and Woodville. The engine crashed into a signal post, and the line was ploughed up.

It is officially stated nobody was hurt.

## MR COSGRAVE

### And the Economic War.

Mr Cosgrave declared at the Fine Gael Ard Fheis in Dublin to-day that the economic war between Britain and the Free State must be concluded honourably.

## HITLER AND GERMAN NAVAL RESTRICTIONS.

It is thought in London that Herr Hitler will raise during the Berlin discussions with Sir John Simon the Treaty restrictions on German naval construction.

## TRAPPED IN LORRY CABIN.

### Two Men Burnt to Death.

Two men were burned to death to-day when they were trapped in the cabin of a lorry which caught fire after overturning in a ditch at Yarnton, near Oxford.

## ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT DANCE.

Institute was also presented to Mr O'Lea, who was the winner this year.

The occasion was availed of for a very pleasant chess re-union, at which there was a large gathering of players from the city clubs.

A lightning Chess Tourney was held, for which the prize was a valuable work on chess presented for the competition by Mr J. Creevey, Irish chess champion, and autographed by him. There were 16 competitors, and Mr S. Gewartz emerged winner, with Mr L. Despard runner up.

During the evening all the players were entertained to tea by the members of the Catholic Institute Chess Club.

As a result of the re-union it is expected there will be a big stimulus in the game in the city, and with that object in view the following committee was appointed to arrange competitions and act as a selection committee—Messrs J. C. O'Kelly (Catholic Institute), L. Despard (P.Y.M.A.), and W. Treacy (O.C.B.A.)

## TRAGEDY AT CITY HOME.

Yesterday morning a tragic discovery was made in the City Home and Hospital, when the body of Michael Coffey, aged 53 years, was found lying outside his bed in his room by an inmate of the institution. He had a deep wound in his throat and near the body was an open blood-stained razor. The deceased occupied a position in the Home as male attendant for a long number of years and was a quiet inoffensive man.

An inquest into the tragedy was held in the evening by Dr R. M. Clery, County Coroner.

The evidence showed that deceased had been peculiar in his demeanour on Tuesday, but was in his customary good health. He had no friction with any person in the place, but appeared to suffer from delusions that some people were up against him.

The Coroner recorded a verdict of suicide while temporarily insane.

Sergeant Griffin appeared for the authorities, and Mr T. O'B. Kelly, solr., on behalf of the Institution.

## CLARE ROAD COLLISION.