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very interesting games were witnessed. The meeting between St. Munchin's and the Ancient Order of Hibernians was the outstanding fixture of the initial round, but the honours went to the A.O.H., who won five of the six games played. The Saint's captain, J. Killeen, won an exciting game from T. Moynhan, who at one period was almost a 100 in arrears. Another evenly contested engagement was that between P. J. Daly and C. Mulcahy, the latter eventually succeeding.

At the Legion Club, St. Michael's Social Club made their debut against the home selection, and the Legion won by 4-2.

honours with St. Mary's, while indispositions in their team prevented the Sarsfield Barracks fulfilling their engagement with the holders, St. Michael's Temperance.

The draw for the second round took place yesterday, with the following result:—

- St. Michael's Temperance Society v. Legion Club.
- A.O.H. v. Mechanics' Institute.
- St. Michael's S.C. v. St. Munchin's.
- Drapers' Club v. Sarsfield Barracks.
- St. Mary's a bye.

DEATH OF MR HUGH REID.

We regret to announce the death which took place to-day at his residence, 18 Athlunkard Street, of Mr. Hugh Reid, pig-buyer, after a brief illness. The deceased, who had reached middle life, was extremely popular amongst a large circle of friends and acquaintances. Of a quiet and unassuming disposition, he nevertheless contrived to make a host of friends in the course of his business. He was well known throughout the south of Ireland, and bore an enviable reputation for integrity and straight dealing.

The remains will be removed to St. Mary's Church this evening at 9 o'clock.

CLARE HURLER'S DEATH.

The death occurred in New York of Mr. John Larkin, formerly of Ballyquin, O'Brien's Bridge, Co. Clare, brother of

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City League Match

The Limerick City Chess League continued last week, when the two matches were played:—

ST. MICHAEL'S.

- G. Manning
- W. Stapleton
- P. O'Sullivan
- G. Ryan
- J. O'Mahoney
- J. White

O.C.B.A.

- G. O'Connor
- W. Treacy
- C. Fanning
- F. Carroll
- T. Cantillon
- S. Nicholas

L.P.Y.M.A.

- R. Evans
- T. O'Grady
- L. Despard
- R. Despard
- E. Hollywood
- Ted Christy

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- R. O'Dea
- J. Hayes
- C. Quinn
- T. McInerney
- P. McEvoy
- W. O'Brien

Each club has now played two and the score to date is:—

O.C.B.A., 8 wins; Catholic I wins; L.P.Y.M.A., 6 wns; St. M wins.

The League will be continued when the following two match played off:—
O.C.B.A. (home) v. L.P.Y.M.