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T. Handicap). Ballysimon Road.  
April 27th—Championship (Ten Miles Point-to-Point), on N.C.R.  
May 4th—Casey Cup (25 Miles M.S. Handicap), on N.C.R.  
May 11th — Championship (Ten Miles Massed Start), on Ballysimon Road.

**SPORTS FIXTURES.**

Limerick Championships, at Capamore, in June.  
Munster Championships, at Limerick City (date later).  
All-Ireland Championships, at Dundalk, on August 3rd and 4th.

**MOTHER-GENERAL PASSES AWAY**

The death, has occurred of Rev. Mother Mary Elizabeth Kelly, Mother-General of the Sisters of the Holy Faith, at Glasnevin, Dublin (writes our Newcastle West correspondent). Deceased, who was a native of Offaly, was sister of Mrs. T. Roche, The Square House, Newcastle West. She was aunt of Dr. Wm. J. Roche, Dublin; Lieut. T. F. Roche, Defence Forces; Mr. John Roche, Newcastle West; Sister Mary Benigna, Holy Faith Order; Miss C. Roche and Mrs. P. Murphy, Newcastle West. After Solemn Requiem Mass in the chapel of the Convent of the Holy Faith, the funeral took place to the community cemetery in Glasnevin. The chief mourners included a large gathering of relatives, to whom sincere sympathy will be extended.

**DEATH OF MR. J. O'CARROLL, OLDTOWN**

The death took place recently after a rather prolonged illness of Mr. John O'Carroll, Oldtown, Hospital. Deceased, who was of a quiet and industrious disposition, was very popular in the district and his death at an early age is widely regretted. Sympathy is extended to his bereaved wife and other relatives. His remains were removed to St. John's Church, Hospital, and the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery in the present of a large gathering of mourners, friends and relatives.

nature is tabled for next Convention.

**The Championships—East Limerick the "Home of Hurling."**

Three out of the four divisions shared in the distribution of titles. East Limerick heads the list and consolidates its claim of being the "home" of hurling, as all three hurling titles have gone in that direction. City keeps to the front in the football world, with the minor and senior honours, while the sixth title—the junior football one—rests in West Limerick. Perhaps most noteworthy achievement of the season was Ahane's retention of the senior hurling title. Considered by many to have long since passed their best, the men from the Castleconnell area won their thirteenth title in such ready fashion, that it is hard at the moment to suggest anybody as being likely to dethrone them in the season ahead.

**Ahane Dominated Senior Hurling.**

Taken all round the senior hurling championship was disappointing in the extreme. Ahane dominated the situation and got only one real test, when Croom ran them to a six points margin—5-5 to 4-1—early in the championship. It was a pity that the teams met so early on, for all Croom lacked on that occasion was a match or two together. A wide selection, they failed in team-work and combination. Yet they went very near the mark and had not Peter and Tom Cregan been forced to retire in the third quarter, who knows but we may have had new title holders in this grade. Attendances on the whole were good, with a crowd of £144 turning up for the most disappointing final ever, Rathkeale failing to make a game of it and going under to the tune of 8-7 to 1-1. Lack of club spirit brought about by the wholesale selection of outside junior players, was the outstanding feature of our senior hurling teams, which resulted in such poor and listless displays, but we leave this point for the moment. We will have something to say about it at a later date.

**Football Eclipsed the Hurling.**

The football championship completely eclipsed the hurling competition and here, where we had six or seven teams strong in the running for final honours, games were keen and of the highest standard,