

...the City Council took into account the great need for the city keep in step with Cork and way, and thus help to keep our situation before the people of the id, as the "shop window of and." This they could do by blishing a Municipal Airfield at nagh, and with some extra tal purchase a few fields to the of the present airfield, thus ging the entrance to about 1½ s from the city. Who knows that when the Boundary Report ngs are issued we may find nagh within the city area; then people may realise the great l for an airfield in Limerick. I sure, Mr. Editor, you will ish this letter, as it is in the s interest you should do so. Yours faithfully,
"AIR-MINDED."

APPY MEETING

DE VALERA AND OLD PUPIL

a visit to the School of Tech- ry, Caltech, Pasadena, U.S.A.. de Valera was surprised to a student of his old school— Christian Brothers, Charleville the person of Professor Quin- son of Mr. J. Quinlan, Ballin- na, Co. Limerick, and nephew ev. Father Quinlan, P.P., Crat- Co. Clare. Professor Quinlan was a Grad- of Cork University, with the es of M.E., M.Sc., and won a lling studentship, and is now on his way to take out his orate in Science. The meeting llustrated in most of the Ame- Press.

AMATEURS ON TOUR

Knockainey Dramatic Society's entation of Dr. MacCarthy's ant three-act comedy, "The o Hand," lives up to the usual standard set by this rural p of players. Already they presented the play with ked success to large audiences Knockainey, Herbertstown, llanders and Galbally, and as unced in another page it will een at Hospital Hall on next ay night, April 11th. Previous is they have produced with ss plays by George Shiels, T. urray, J. B. MacCarthy and ox Robinson.

COUNTING OF VOTES

The counting of the votes for the election of six University members to the Seanad opened at noon to-day in Dublin and is expected to be completed to-night.

To-day also, Mr. Wilfred Browne, Returning Officer, began the counting of the Seanad General Election votes with the aid of his expert staff. The total electorate is 960, composed of members of the Dail and Seanad and of each Co. Council and the four Co. Borough Councils.

BOMBS DROPPED

JEWISH ATTACK ON ARABS

A Jewish 'plane this morning carried out bombing attacks against Arab forces midway between Tel-Aviv and Jerusalem. As a result the main road leading to the Holy City was cleared of Arabs, and the Jews were able to bring much-needed food supplies to the people of Jerusalem.

PACT SIGNED

RUSSIA AND FINLAND

The Russian-Finnish pact, which in recent weeks has been engaging the attention of high officials in both these countries, was, it is stated, ratified this afternoon in Moscow. The pact provides that if Finland is attacked by Germany or an ally of Germany, Russia will go to the Finns' assistance.

MUNSTER CUP RUGBY FINAL

Great interest is being taken in the meeting of Dolphin and Young Munster in this season's final of the Munster Senior Rugby Cup. The match will be played at the Mar-dyke on Saturday, 17th April, with the kick-off at 4 o'clock. A special train will run from the Limerick terminus to Cork on the occasion.

DEATH.

McNAMARA (Limerick) — At his residence, 17 Rutland Street, Morgan McNamara; deeply regretted by wife, brother and sisters (late of McNamara's Estate, Dublin). Funeral from St. Michael's Church on to-morrow (Thursday), at 3.30, to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery.

night, after having greeted his father on his arrival at Shannon Airport from the U.S.A., Dr. Eamon de Valera collided with a commercial van in Clare Street, Limerick. Both vehicles were proceeding in the same direction, and it was when the van was about to turn into Lelia Street that the impact occurred. Both vehicles were damaged, but neither the drivers nor occupants were injured.

After some delay Dr. de Valera proceeded on his journey in another car.

RIVER FEALE SALMON ANGLING

The river Feale, between Kil-morna and Brosna, has never afforded such excellent salmon angling as has been experienced for the past fortnight (writes our Abbeyfeale correspondent). Heavy waters in the upper reaches accounted for this and made it difficult, in flood conditions, for estuary netting. The withdrawal of the fresh water nets helped considerably the advantage in the upper waters. During the week from the 30th March to April 5th several anglers accounted for four salmon; some, six each on a single day's fishing. The average weights were 9 lbs. to 14 lbs. Mr. Gleeson landed one, 19 lbs., between Abbeyfeale and Feale Bridge.

CARRYING ANIMALS BY AIR

Aer Lingus traffic staffs are at present working in co-operation with the Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and the R.S.P.C.A. of Great Britain on researches to determine the ideal method of carrying animals by air at varying altitudes. During the period of experiment, which is under expert veterinary supervision, the carriage of livestock on Aer Lingus passenger and freight routes will be temporarily suspended. Aer Lingus is believed to be the first Airline to have sponsored researches of this nature.

FOYNES SHIPPING.

On Saturday morning, the 3rd inst., the s.s. "Basset Hound" arrived in Foynes Harbour with 700 tons of aviation spirits for the Irish-American Oil Company, and 400 tons for the Irish Shell Oil Co. Next day the s.s. "Pass of Ballater" arrived with 750 tons of kerosene and motor spirit for the Irish Shell Oil Co.