

of the Limerick v. Drúincondra match will be displayed on the ground.

The "12th's" Win.

By 3-2, the 12th. Battalion established themselves as the best Army combination in Munster when they won the final of the Southern Command tournament. Their opponents—Command H.Q.—shared the first-half honours, with the score 2-2. Scorers for the Limerick team were Pte. O'Brien (2), and Pte. McMarlow. Pte. Tierney also showed up well with the scorers.

The match, which was played at the Camp Field, Cork, attracted a fine attendance, and they enjoyed some grand football.

While congratulations will be extended to the "12th" in keeping up the 7th Brigade tradition, there is also a pat on the back for the men behind the scenes—Corporal Peter Dunne and Sergeant Allen.

NEW WEST LIMERICK COMPANY

Amongst a number of new private companies recently registered was that of Nash's Garage, Ltd., registered on February 11th. The following details of the new company appear in the current issue of "The Commercial Compendium":—Registered office—not stated (Eire). Nominal capital—£15,000 divided into 15,000 shares of £1 each. Objects—to acquire the business of garage and motor works carried on by David Nash, at Newcastle West, Co. Limerick, under the style of "Nash's Motor Works," together with all or any of the real and personal property and assets of the proprietor of that business used in connection therewith or belonging thereto.

Names and descriptions of subscribers to memorandum and Articles of Association:—

Subscribers of one share each:—David Nash, North Quay, Newcastle West, Co. Limerick, garage proprietor; Joseph S. Greene, Reens, Ardagh, Co. Limerick, garage manager.

Names of first Directors—David Nash and Mary Nash, both of Rathaneane, Newcastle West, and Joseph S. Greene, Reens, Ardagh.

Tire passed a vote of congratulation to Very Rev. Canon Leahy, P.P., on his appointment as Canon of the Diocese of Limerick and made him a presentation on the occasion of his elevation to this high office.

with this trophy.

The Secretary, Mr. M. O'Connor, announced that Mr. Kemp, unfortunately, was being transferred to England in the near future, and as a token of appreciation he was presented with a beautiful walnut clock by the members.

The music was very capably provided by Miss McDonnell's band and much of the success of the dance is due to the untiring efforts of the Social Secretary, Mr. J. Garry.

DEATH OF MR. M. O'KEEFFE, NEWCASTLE WEST

The death has occurred after a short illness of Mr. Michael O'Keeffe, Bishop Street, Newcastle West, who passed away at the Co. Infirmary, Limerick, on Saturday, 12th inst. Member of an old and esteemed West Limerick family, deceased was only 39 years, and the sad news of his death has occasioned widespread regret. Deceased was an enthusiastic supporter of the national movement, and at the last General Election was West Limerick Director of Transport for the Clann na Poblachta Party, of which he was a prominent member. He was for a number of years Hon. Secretary of the Newcastle West G.A.A. and one of the leading members of the former senior hurling team. Deep sympathy will be tendered to his brother, Mr. D. O'Keeffe, Chief Officer of Newcastle West Auxiliary Fire Service, and to the other bereaved relatives. There was a very large and representative attendance at the funeral to Churchtown cemetery on Sunday. The officiating clergy were:—Rt. Rev. Mgr. Hannan, P.P., V.G.; Rev. M. Quinn, P.P.; Rev. M. Ryan, P.P.; Rev. D. Costelloe, C.C.; Rev. M. Kelly, C.C., and Rev. Father Power, C.C. Chief mourners included:—Mrs. O'Keeffe (mother); Dan O'Keeffe (brother); Mrs. O'Shea, Mallow (aunt) and family; Mrs. Moroney, the Sheehan family, Limerick; Miss K. Doody, Limerick; the Browne family, Mallow; P. and M. Roche, Coolcappa, etc. (cousins).

BALLINA FAIR.

The Ballina February fair held last week was larger than the previous week and prices all round were much higher. Quotations:—Cattle, yearlings—£15 to £18; 1½-years-olds, £25 to £27; 2 and 2½-year-olds, £28 to £32. There were only a few cart loads of bonhams, which realised from £7 10s. to £8 per bonham.

Dear Sir,—I have been instructed by my Committee to register our indignation at the treatment meted out to Cardinal Mindszenty. We feel that the feeble protests and Diplomatic representations made by the various Governments without requisite action are of no avail and can only lead to a recurrence of this travesty of justice.

The nation has subscribed over £50,000 to the Anti-Partition Fund, but has remained smugly oblivious to the threat to its Church and Christianity, without which the advance of Communism and the theft of freedom and peace must surely succeed.

We are, in an effort to kindle the fire of protest in Limerick, applying the profits of our weekly dance on the 18th inst. to an offering of Masses for the safety of the exiled Cardinal, and strongly exhort the other sporting institutions in the country to follow suit.—Yours faithfully,

JAMES P. GAVIN,
Hon. Dance Secretary, Limerick Boat Club, and Limerick Ladies' Hockey Club.
Limerick Boat Club, Sarsfield Bridge, Limerick, 15th Feb., 1949.

ATTRACTIVE "SHOW"

The Fethard Players with their De Luxe Pantomime, "The Erin Curtain," are visiting Limerick on Sunday next at the Savoy. Two performances, a matinee at 3 and the night show at 8.30, will be staged, and it is certain that this superbly dressed and most unusual show will provide first-class entertainment. The producers have worked into the plot many local topicalities and parodies pertaining to Limerick, and it is learned that wit, comedy and song will be the highlights. Early booking is advisable.

KNOCKED DOWN BY BULL

While engaged in bringing a bull to his employer's residence at Garrynoe, Kilmallock, James Clifford was knocked down by the animal, receiving injuries which necessitated treatment by a doctor. It was found upon examination that he was not seriously hurt, although he appeared to be in a semi-conscious condition for some time.

NEXT COURT FOR HOSPITAL

It has been announced that there will be no Court held at Hospital during the present month. All matters pending will stand adjourned until the Court in March.