

## Our Sports Summary

### TENNIS AT TIMARU.

#### ST. JOHN'S V. CATHEDRAL CLUB.

The Cathedral Tennis Club, Christchurch, arrived in Timaru on Saturday, 31st ult., and played a match with St. John's Club on Easter Monday. The weather was ideal, the courts were in good order, and some excellent games were witnessed by a large attendance. The local club provided dainty refreshments on the ground, and also invited the visitors to dinner at the "Wentworth." Mr. Dix, in a neat speech, heartily thanked the members of St. John's Club for its hospitality. The president (Mr. J. G. Venning) suitably replied. The result of the play is as follows (visitors' names mentioned first):—Ladies' singles: Miss G. Baker v. Miss E. Kane, 3-7; Miss O. Steinmetz v. Miss D. Dennehy, 4-7; Miss D. Steinmetz v. Miss V. Dennehy, 7-4; Miss N. Donnell v. Miss G. Lynch, 3-7; Miss D. Smith v. Miss P. Jefferson, 4-7; Miss M. Wall v. Miss N. Callaghan, 6-7. Gents' singles: J. J. O'Brien v. F. McGrath, 3-9; C. Dix v. G. Gamble, 1-9; H. Upjohn v. S. Mason, 2-9; J. O'Malley v. F. G. Doyle, 9-5; C. McAloon v. T. Egan, 9-3; J. Flood v. F. Mangos, 9-8. Ladies' doubles: Misses Baker and O. Steinmetz v. Misses Kane and D. Dennehy, 5-7; Misses D. Steinmetz and Donnell v. Misses V. Dennehy and Lynch, 6-7; Misses Smith and Wall v. Misses Jefferson and Callaghan, 6-7. Men's doubles: O'Brien and Dix v. McGrath and Gamble, 2-9; Upjohn and O'Malley v. Doyle and Mason, 3-9; McAloon and Flood v. Egan and Mangos, 3-9. Combined doubles: Miss Baker and O'Brien v. Miss Kane and McGrath, 2-7; Miss O. Steinmetz and Dix v. Miss D. Dennehy and Gamble, 2-7; Miss D. Steinmetz and Upjohn v. Miss V. Dennehy and Mason, 6-7; Miss Donnell and O'Malley v. Miss Lynch and Doyle, 6-3; Miss Wall and Flood v. Miss Callaghan and Mangos, 3-7; Miss Smith and Dix v. Miss Jefferson and Cronin, 2-7. Totals: Cathedral Club, 5 sets and 106 games; St. John's Club, 19 sets and 108 games.

### HOLY CROSS COLLEGE, MOSGIEL.

#### 23rd ANNUAL SPORTS.

The Holy Cross College annual sports were held on Easter Monday, in the Mosgiel recreation grounds. Despite the somewhat boisterous weather conditions, the times were up to the standard, and the numerous events were got off with commendable promptness. There was a large number of interested spectators. The results were:—Senior broad jump: Jas F. Henley 1, H. Trehey 2, N. O'Sullivan 3; distance 19ft 2in. Junior broad jump: J. Walls 1, C. Robins 2, J. Dowdall, J. O'Malley, G. Brittenden 3; distance 16ft 4in. Intermediate (100 yds.): J. McKay 1, J. Rohan 2, P. Herlihy 3. Junior championship (100yds): C. Robins 1, P. Nesdale 2; J. O'Malley 3. H.C.C. senior championship: J. S. O'Brien 1, F. McMahon 2, R. McCormack 3. Junior hop-step-and-jump: Jno Fletcher 1, P. Nesdale 2, J. Dowdall 3; distance 35ft 9in. Senior hop-step-and-jump: P. Herlihy 1, J. S. O'Brien 2, F. McMahon 3; distance 43ft. Shot putt: T. Hally 1, R. McCormack 2, J. McKay 3; distance 33ft 9in. 880yds (½-mile) open: J. McKay 1, J. Fletcher 2, H. Trehey 3. Siamese race: D. Nolan and B. Doherty 1. Senior high jump: R. Henry 1, G. McLeod 2, W. Stevenson 3; height 5ft 3in. Junior high jump: B. Doherty 1, A. W. O'Rielly 2, J. O'Malley 3; height 4ft 7½in. Senior 220yds: J. S. O'Brien 1, J. Henley 2, J. McKay 3. ½-mile walk: G. McLeod 1, H. Trehey 2, B. Doherty 3. H.C.C. sheffield (120yds): J. S. O'Brien 1, T. Hally 2, J. Henley 3. Junior 100yds: G. Brittenden 1, P. Nesdale 2, J. O'Malley 3. 440yds (open): H. Trehey 1, J. Fletcher 2, J. McKay 3. Junior 220yds: G. Brittenden 1, J. Fletcher 2, J. Dowdall 3. Chain-stepping: J. Dowdall and M. Hartigan 1, E. Joyce 3.

### STAR OF THE SEA COLLEGE (SEATOUN, WELLINGTON) SPORTS.

The Seatoun Preparatory College held its annual sports at Seatoun Park on Saturday the 7th inst. His Grace Archbishop Redwood and several of the clergy, parents, and supporters were present. Afternoon tea was provided for the visitors, and musical selections were rendered by

the Irish Pipe Band under the direction of Bandmaster Krohn. The officials for the day were:—Starter, Mr. S. G. Hale; judges, Messrs. F. A. Lavin, J. Griffin, W. Poole, D. Lutz, H. J. Doyle, P. Cairns, Captain A. J. Duffy acted as M.C. The senior championship was won by R. Jones with 20 points, G. Perrett second with 10 points, and D. Palmer third with 5 points; intermediate championship, P. Flood, 20 points, 1; J. Leach, 5 points, 2; E. Duncan, 4 points, 3. Results:—50yds senior handicap: K. Evans 1, J. Jamieson 2. 50yds intermediate: Devere Morley 1, B. O'Brien 2. 50yds junior: M. Walsh 1, M. Cowen 2. 50yds championship (senior): R. Jones 1, G. Perrett 2, D. Palmer 3. Intermediate: P. Flood 1, J. Leach 2, E. Duncan and Jack Jamieson 3. 25yds handicap (juveniles): N. Duncan 1, L. Cowen 2, Q. Johnston 3. High jump (senior championship): R. Jones 1, G. Perrett 2. High jump (senior handicap): E. Connolly 1, K. Evans 2. 100yds senior handicap: K. Evans 1, Jim Jamieson 2. 100yds senior championship: R. Jones 1, D. Palmer 2, G. Perrett 3. 75yds championship (intermediate): P. Flood 1, E. Duncan 2, J. Leach 3. 75yds handicap (intermediate): A. Thorne 1, J. McDonald 2. 220yds championship: R. Jones 1, G. Perrett 2, D. Palmer 3. 220yds handicap: K. Evans 1. 220yds intermediate walk: J. McDonald 1, I. Watkin 2. 220yds junior walk: M. Walsh 1, M. Cowen 2, A. Moleta 3. High jump (intermediate championship): P. Flood 1, D. Palken and J. Jamieson equal 2. Sack race (senior): B. East 1, D. Palker 2. Sack race (intermediate): J. Leach 1, J. McDonald 2. Sack race (junior): P. O'Brien 1, M. Walsh 2. 50yds juvenile handicap: L. Cowen 1, M. Doyle 2. Long jump (senior championship): W. Connolly 1, D. Palmer 2, G. Perrett 3. Long jump handicap (senior): E. Connolly 1, K. Evans 2. Long jump championship (intermediate): P. Flood 1, Jack Jamieson 2, J. Leach 3. Long jump handicap: J. McDonald 1, D. Morley 2. 220yds walk (senior): T. Hindmarsh 1, E. Connolly 2, S. Lyons 3. Team relay race: Tokaanu Team 1, Stratford 2, Hawera 3. 25yds (juveniles) won by Gerard Blake.

The arrangements for the sports—a lengthy, though well arranged programme—was, as on previous occasions, in the capable hands of Captain A. J. Duffy, to whose patience and enterprise in the college physical culture classes and recreation the students are much indebted. To Captain Duffy's training the keen competition that was so marked in the various events at the sports, and the creditable records may, in a great measure, be attributed. The Reverend Mother and Sisters of Mercy desire to tender their sincerest thanks to the energetic committee, as also to all the others who assisted to make the occasion such a great success.

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## Glasgow Cross

The effort to save the old Tolbooth steeple in connection with the proposed alterations at Glasgow Cross has (says an exchange) a peculiar interest for Glasgow Catholics: it was near the Tolbooth steeple, where the Gallowgate and High Street tramlines cross, that the Ven. Father John Ogilvie, S.J., was martyred in 1615. Last year many Catholics made their way to the Cross on March 10, at 4 p.m., the day and hour of the venerable Jesuit's martyrdom—to make an act of devotion to his memory; and the number of pilgrims will certainly be increased this year owing to the quickening of interest in the lives of the martyrs of Scotland caused by the work of the Scottish Martyrs' Committee.

Speaking in London on a recent Saturday, Sir Thomas Paxton, Lord Provost of Glasgow, who has taken a leading part in the movement to preserve the old steeple, said that one could not understand the attitude of those who wished to remove such ancient landmarks, because, in all conscience, very few were left. And one would have thought that the vandalism of their ancestors, who ruthlessly demolished the Bishop's Castle, the Western Tower of the Cathedral, and other beautiful and historic relics, would have been a lesson to the present generation.—It is a lesson that Catholics do not require to be taught. The destruction of the places mentioned—as also the deaths of the Scottish martyrs—was the work of the "Reformers." And some of the successors of those vandals would appear to-day to have learned but little in the direction of toleration.

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