which would offer Limerick people an efficient means of travel into the city centre. I am surprised that Ald Power is adopting that old out-dated adage that cars are more important than people."

He concluded: "To build more and more high rise multi-storey car parks in the city is a recipe for disaster and shows no vision or imagination with regard to what true urban renewal should be about."

Panto AGM
THE Limerick Panto Society will hold its first annual general meeting of the millennium tonight, Monday, at 8.30 in the Garda Club. All members, old and new, are welcome to attend.

Smiling children
IF you think that your child has got a smile to light up the world, then People in Need want you to enter the Smile of Limerick event, which is taking place throughout the county and city in association with Limerick Telethon 2000. All you have to do is submit your child's photo, aged nought to five years, with a £5 entry fee to the People in Need office at 106 O'Connell Street. First prize is a £500 gift voucher. To date Limerick charities have received over £600,000 from the People in Need Trust.

Evening lecture
LIMERICK City Library's evening lecture series continues with a lecture by local historian Tom Donovan on Root and Branch: Looking at Local and Family History. The lecture takes place on March 28 at the City Library in the Granary at 8pm. Everyone is welcome, refreshments will be served and admission is free.