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AIRPORT HISTORY

Shannon Airport became the world's first customs-free airport when An Tanaiste, Mr Sean Lemass, Minister for Industry and Commerce, signed the order declaring Shannon Airport customs-free to the world.

The first plant to avail of the customs-free facilities at the airport was an American Overseas cargo aircraft.

Capt W R Hostettlen, European Chief Pilot of the Company, was greeted on arrival by Mr Lemass, first to leave Shannon on the historic occasion was the Pan-American Clipper Courier (Capt Boland).

On duty during the afternoon for the first time were four clearance officers of the Department of Industry and Commerce, who had replaced the customs officers.

CHAMPIONS

The Limerick hurling team overwhelmed New York by 6-3 to 0-8 before a crowd of 15,000 under a broiling sun at the Yankee Stadium.

this was Limerick's second successive win over New York. They were awarded the massive silver cup, given by James Reeves and earned the right to be called world champions.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Limerick County Committee of Agriculture awarded