in, being much too good for scratchmen: Harry orman—an Irish champion many times over—in the 3 handicap, and yesterday at Ballyhooley, Co Cork, on his tenth Irish title when scoring a run-away win Nobel Johnston, St. Finbar's, Cork, and Willie Neman, street, in the 2 miles contest.

nerick athletes collected their of firsts over the week-end is, indeed, pleasing to record ocal riders alled the first two in the City Wheelers 50 kilos race at the North Circular yesterday afternoon. Eighteen old Brian Kelly "photoed" ahead of his Limerick Club colleague, Jim Mangan, was pipped on the line by halfel.

ly's win was full of merit. The ition included the holder, lan Brosnan, Castleisland, and Aherne (do.), who won three s of the recent Ras Tailteann who, at the end of the 1,000, was second in general classion.

was a 24-lap contest, and eight home Sean O'Connor (Tralee) eading by 100 yards. When he is ahead by 50 yards more, an and Kelly appeared to little chance of getting into fighting line. However, with laps to go, the local riders lying well up with O'Connor. The final dash, Mangan made irst break, but he was beaten to superior finishing burst of O'Connor was third eight his back.

Limerick Road Club, Mallow and Tralee had threatened to Ger Doherty, the third Limerider home, just failed to in front of the third Castled man in a "field" of 20.

was an an uneventful week-end rish half-mile champion, P. J. llivan (Regional A.C.). He was icapped out of his depth at ge Park on Saturday and did laish the course, and at Bally-ly he also pulled up.

## FOUR FIRSTS

sterday, at Lisvernane, Glen of low, Kilmallock's Pat McAuliffe easily the outstanding perforwinning the 220, 440, 880 and jump events, and being second er Slattery (Herbertstown) in 100 yards race. Slattery, too, nguished himself, filling second in the 220 and long jump and a third in the high jump.

other Herbertstown runner,



Ewan Fenton, new half-back on the Limerick team.



crowd in his efforts to catch I whose B.S.A. was undoubted fastest thing on the course.

Local riders were very may the picture, the most successing Don Kelly (250 Dot). MacEoin (350 B.S.A.) and Murphy (250 James), but the gallant, undoubtedly, being Harrington (500 Ariel). Despivery short experience on the Ariel, Harrington set out giant-killing expedition cale to end in glory or disaster. glory there was, while the initial limerickman led the field for three laps of the National, and disaster was narrowly averted when the looped the loop at high spethe iump coming into the state of the loop at high spethe iump coming iu

Many other riders fell off heat of battle, but, happily body was seriously hurt. I Buchahan, who travelled all the trom Derry with his friend, I Whyte and a pair of 250 Gi had nothing to show for hibut a black eye. Both we down again for the next Dale scramble on September 4th Results in Brief.

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"Slow" Graded Scratch I

1, J. Thomas, 'Tullamore
Greves); 2, A. Sheehy, Rhod
Dot); 3, M. F. Murphy, Lir
(147 James).

Medium-graded Scratch Rt A. M. Prittie, Birr (324 Det); Peat, Dublin (247 F.B.); 3, MacEoin, Limerick (348 B.S.)

E Harris, Clondalkin (499 B 2 G. P. Scarlett, Dublin (246 3, J. K. Barkley, Dublin (246 General Handicap—1; Peat Kelly, Limerick (246 Dot); Dunne, Dublin (247 F.B.).

Grand National -1, Harr

Scarlett; 3, Barkley.

## LIMERICK'S LEADING BO) TURNS PRO

Limeric K's leading at boxer, Christy Kelly, Francis, has turned sional and may have hi fight in paid ranks in the City Hall on Friday, Septended to the City Hall on Friday, Septended

Kelly, who was runner Peter Laverty for the Iris weight title two years ago, managed by Cork-based Mackin, Mr. Mackin says