

INVITATION



PIGTOWN

A HISTORY OF LIMERICK'S BACON INDUSTRY



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The Mayor of the City and County of Limerick Cllr Kieran O'Hanlon
invites you and a guest to the launch of

'Pigtown' a History of Limerick's Bacon Industry'

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The four bacon factories of O'Mara's, Matterson's, Shaw's and Denny's made Limerick famous for the quality of its produce and linked city and county in the production of a large scale industry. Based on archival material and oral histories with former workers, the book celebrates one of Limerick's greatest industries. The publication is a collaboration between Limerick Archives and Mary Immaculate College and is an engaging and beautifully illustrated book with many never seen before images drawn from the families of the workers.