

Schoolboys Soccer

15 LEAGUE... Mick Sadlier, Billy Hayes, David Brown and Willie Johnson...

LEAGUE TABLES Under-16... Under-14... Under-13 and Under-12

Inter firm soccer fixtures

Mon, 18/5/70 - Sh. Development v. E.S.B. (Ard.), 6.45 p.m. Southill.

Schools' GAA

West... 2-1... Vocational... 2-0... Ryan's v. Roadstone...

Limerick Boat Club's First Regatta, 1870

THE Limerick Boat Club initiated two regattas in 1870. The first of these, the funds of which were subscribed by the club alone, was of a local character, and took place on the evening of Friday, June 17, 1870.

The first rowing matches of the Limerick Boat Club since the establishment of that numerous and influential body were held last evening. They were organised with the view of inaugurating the establishment of their clubhouse and other possessions...

The President acted as judge and starter, assisted by the Captain of the club, Captain Funnell. Both gentlemen occupied seats in one of the handsome barges of the club, and were rowed by members in uniform.

The first race started was for fishing cots. This was followed by a race for fishing gondolas. The third race was the great event of the evening. It was an open boat race between the club and the local crews.

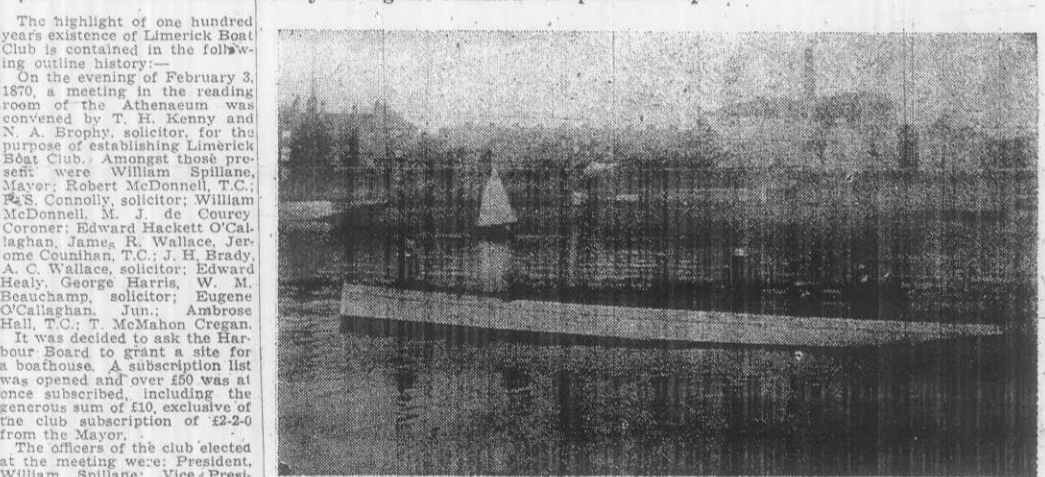
The highlight of one hundred years existence of Limerick Boat Club is contained in the following outline history: On the evening of February 3, 1870, a meeting in the reading room of the Athenaeum was convened by the T.H. Kenny and N.A. Brophy, solicitor...



An interesting picture, taken about 1871 and now published for the first time, of the original L.B.C. boathouse on Wellesley Pier. Old masted schooners may be seen at the quayside in the background.

A Century of Service in the Best Traditions of Sportsmanship LIMERICK BOAT CLUB CELEBRATES ITS CENTENNIAL YEAR

TO-DAY we congratulate Limerick Boat Club on its hundred years in rowing. The club can look back with pride on a century of achievement and service in sport, and on a record that down through all the years has been characterised by the highest standards of sportsmanship.



The training launch used by Limerick Boat Club in 1902.

The present boathouse was built the following spring. The list of members numbered 84 in 1870. The last two original members, T.H. Kenny and Archibald Murray, died in 1927.

The Union

Forerunner of the Irish Amateur Rowing Union, the Irish Amateur Rowing Association had Limerick Boat Club as one of its founders in 1883. L.B.C., however, in common with some other clubs, regarded the practice of awarding money prizes as repugnant to the sport and seceded from the Association.

Annual Regatta

The club instituted two regattas in 1870, one of a local character, the funds of which were generously contributed by the club alone, and the other a public regatta to which it donated a magnificent trophy, the Limerick City Challenge Cup.

Bruce Murray

Woven into the tradition of the club is the name of Bruce Murray, oarsman, coach and President, who succeeded W.G. Robinson, LL.B., as Secretary in 1882, and continued in that office for over half-a-century.



Mr. Denis O'Shaughnessy presents the Limerick Leader Cup to Mr. Austin Reid, St. Munchin's School coach, after the team had been successful in the 1970 Fours Rowing League. Also included are members of the St. Munchin's Schools' crew, from left: Colm McAleenan, Ger Gough, Frank O'Neill, Patrick O'Neill, cox, and Gerard O'Neill, and Mr. R. A. Roche, centre.



MONKSTOWN HOSPITAL. Originally the Rathdown Infirmary, Monkstown Hospital came to its present site in 1835. A small hospital with 26 beds it treats over 2,000 out-patients a year and is an important asset to its community.

Irish Sweeps Derby Sweepstake

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