

Limerick's Surprise For This Evening's European Cup-Tie

Limerick sparked off a big surprise this morning for their European Cup-tie this evening when it was announced that Leo O'Reilly, who fractured two small bones in his face last Sunday, would lead the attack, and that Joe Casey, usually a defender, would play at outside-right. Pat Skelly comes on in goal, Des McNamara takes over at right-half, and Dick O'Connor is switched to the left wing.

The Limerick players sat in the stand at Thomond Park last evening spotting the moves of the Young Boys, Berne, in their work-out. It was an impressive show as the visitors, in their black and amber track suits, moved friskily to the commands of one-time German international, Albert Sing, the trainer with three bullets in his tummy since World War II.

AFTER the Limerick team was announced, an officer of the club said: "We have plumped for experience." With Skelly back in goal it is fancied that the side will be strengthened, though it cannot be overlooked that young Fitzpatrick is the makings of a great keeper. Player-coach Fenton who served Stanley Matthews so well and for so long in the Blackpool colours with passes that make the "greats" said: "Our boys have plenty of enthusiasm and I think they will put up a good show."

The Limerick camp was happier to-day with the news that O'Reilly would be in action at centre-forward. Some pain-killing injections were expected to work the oracle in having the attack leader as energetic as usual. O'Reilly is suffering from fractures of two small bones below the left eye as a result of a collision with Shamrock Rovers' keeper, who was suspected to have had too much "elbow grease" for the fearless man in the number nine jersey.

CASEY ON THE WING

To see diminutive Joe Casey operating on the right wing is nothing new to Limerick followers. He played so successfully there some years ago that he was made a regular for a few games. I expect that he will not let the side down as he is a bundle of energy and all positions come alike to him. The inclusion of Des McNamara at right-half will give the defence added strength as he is a never-say-die mover and a good tackler. Joe Casey will probably give the halves as much help as possible on his side of the pitch against the goal-crashing Young Boys' forwards, and help in some way to subdue Allemann at times.

The extreme left wing will be nothing new to Dick O'Connor, and the entire side looked upon very much as the "under-dogs" may knock the vaunted visitors off their trot.

SUITED BY RAIN.

The copious rain to-day should have the effect of turning the sod "heavy" at Thomond Park. This will suit the Limerick players and help to bog down the smart and fleet-footed Young Boys, who showed skill, speed and fitness to the full in their workout last evening. Young Boys did about an hour's training. Most impressive individuals were Eich, the veteran goalkeeper, who was severely tested for nearly 20 minutes by trainer Albert Sing, and Allemann, the "flying" left winger, who, in the words of a local "could do anything with the ball." Young Boys, with seven internationals among them, showed great accuracy in delivering a pass and in accepting it. They are quick to turn on the ball and all are individual stars who depend on solid teamwork for desired results.

THE OUTSTANDING MEN

Limerick have been told to watch the only German, Ernest Wechsberger, in the side. He packs a powerful shot which has made him a leading goalscorer in Swiss soccer. He can also play at inside-forward or on the right wing and was formerly a goalkeeper in the Austrian League. Tony Allemann the left winger, is a noted sprinter and a wonderful ball player. Eugen Meier the captain of the side, has played over 30 times for Switzerland and is a great player. The centre-half, Leon Walker who came from Young Boys' juniors. One could go on praising the members of the visiting side for their prowess and capabilities in the international field and for their achievements in winning the Swiss championship so often despite the formidable opposition. They showed their power last season when beating the German champions, Eintracht, in one leg of the European Cup. You know what Eintracht did to Glasgow Rangers, whose defence tottered badly in both matches in which a total of 12 goals was conceded.

BIG TASK

So the magnitude of Limerick's task cannot be underestimated. Young Boys, with a victory over Manchester United, under their belt, will play havoc with Limerick if they are allowed to settle down. Limerick's hopeful policy will be to chase the ball, keep on the run, and give the visitors no time to develop the movements that finish in the net.

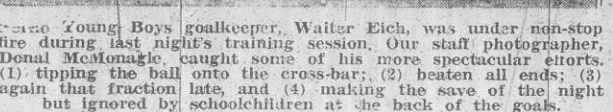
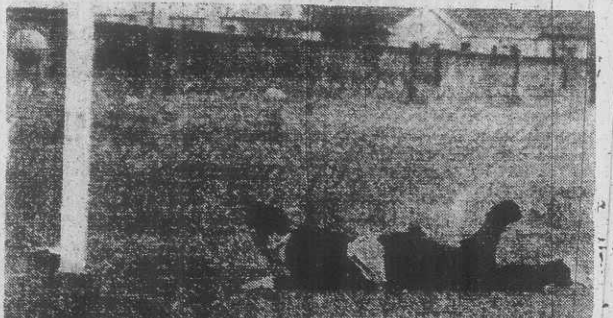
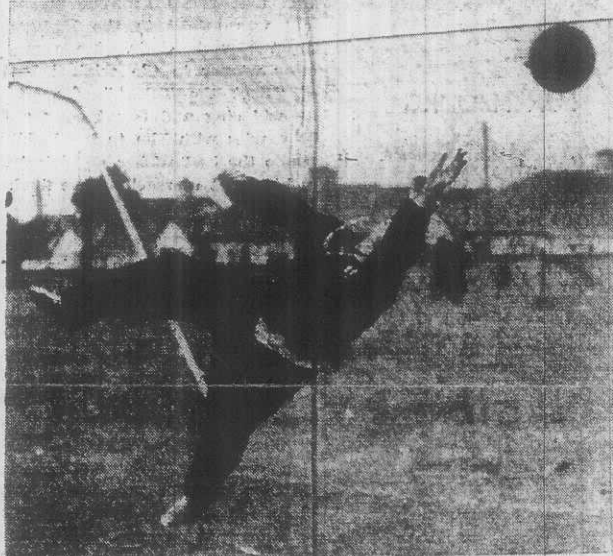
If Limerick put up anything like a respectable show, it will be doing a good day's work for League of Ireland soccer. The home side will be urged on too by a train-load of followers from Dublin. Young Boys will not be without support as about 70 supporters have travelled from Switzerland via Dublin Airport.

IN TRAINING

The Limerick players trained again at Thomond Park yesterday and were at the ground again this morning. They looked fit and well and hopes are high that the pre-match schemes of Team Manager

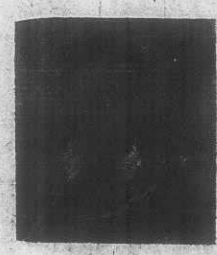
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McNamara		McCarthy		
Casey	Lynam	O'Reilly	Wallace	O'Connor
Alleman		Wechsberger		Durr
	Meier		Schneider	
Rey	Bigler	Walker	Fuhrer	Schneider
		Eich		
YOUNG BOYS				

Pre-Match "Peppering"



Sonny Price, and player-coach and officials at a dinner in the Ewan Fenton, will come up to ex-Shannon Airport Restaurant. The match will be televised by the Spanish referee and lines-a Swiss radio unit, and a "tape" men turned up at Thomond Park yesterday and were impressed by the condition of the pitch. They saw the Young Boys in training. Soccer Survey commentator. To-night the Limerick club will be hosts to the Young Boys' team best of luck!

LIMERICK'S STANDARD BEARERS!



SKELLY Goal



CRAWFORD Left-full



CLINTON Right-full



FENTON Left-half (Capt.)



MCCARTHY Centre-half



MCMNAMARA Right-half



O'CONNOR Outside-left



WALLACE Inside-left



O'REILLY Centre-forward

SOCCER

JUNIOR LEAGUE (2nd Round)

At Caledonian Park-Caledonians v. Limerick B, 11 a.m. T. Kennedy, Prospect v. Shelbourne, 3.30 p.m. P. Kieley.
At Rangers Park - St. Michael's v. Ballynnty Rovers, 12 noon. S. Collins, Island United v. Pike Rovers, 3 p.m. T. Power.
At Wembley Park-Fairview v. Geraldines, 12 noon. T. Brown, Star Rovers v. Rangers United, 3 p.m. M. Carroll.
At Shelbourne Park-Astor Athletic v. Wembley Rovers, 12 noon. E. Cleary.
At Show Ground, Ennis-Ennis v. Janeshoro' United, 3.30 p.m. P. Moloney.

MINOR CUP (First Round)

Limerick v. Fairview Rangers, Markets Field, Tuesday, 6th Sept, at 7 p.m. P. Moloney.
Astor Athletic v. Shelbourne, Shelbourne Park, Tuesday, Sept. 6th, 7 p.m. E. Cleary.
Geraldines v. Star Rovers, Cals Park, Tuesday, 6th Sept, at 7 p.m. T. Kennedy.
Byes-Ballynnty Rovers, Rangers United, Wembley Rovers, Pike Rovers, Janeshoro'.

Second Round

Rangers United v. Janeshoro' United, Cals Park, Wednesday, 7th Sept. W. Keane.
Astor Athletic or Shelbourne v. Wembley Rovers, at Shels. Park, Friday, 9th September. J. O'Donnell.
Limerick or Fairview v. Pike Rovers; if Limerick at Rangers Park; if Fairview at Wembley Park, Friday, 9th Sept, 7 p.m. M. Carroll.
Geraldines or Star Rovers v. Ballynnty Rvs.; if Geraldines at Cals Park; if Star Rvs. at Wembley Park, Friday, 9th September, 7 p.m. T. Brown.

REVINGTON TOO STRONG FOR RIVERSIDE (BY "CL")

At Shelbourne Park on Monday evening Revington Rovers registered a good 2-0 win over Riverside Athletic in an under 15 game.

Both sides gave promise of better things to come, more especially Revington Rovers, who gave a grand exhibition of team work. Riverside also played some neat football but generally their attacks broke down near the goal area.

The first half was exciting with Revington just about deserving of their one goal lead at the interval. Riverside tried hard for an equaliser in the second period but it was Revington who scored again through McDonnell, five minutes from time.

Peter and Brendan Murray, together with J. Shields, were Revington's best defenders, while up front the versatile Myles O'Reilly, L. Haas and McDonnell were most prominent.

J. O'Shea and N. Fitzgerald were Riverside's heroes in defence, and in attack they were best served by G. Cronin, E. Doran and R. O'Brien.

Limerick Exiles Arrive At Shannon

A specially chartered TWA flight from New York touched down at Shannon at 2.30 this afternoon. The flight had been chartered by the Limerick hurling and football teams in New York. They will play a series of games with local teams while on vacation. The flight was in charge of Mr. J. Neville, and there were 91 passengers aboard, including 81-year-old Mrs. Plunkett of Limerick City, Mick Tynan and Ralph Prendergast, former county hurlers. The party will return to the U.S. on September 26th.

MARKET PRICES

Butter-3/6 to 3/8 per lb.
Hen eggs-3/6 to 4/- per doz.
Duck eggs-3/6 to 3/9 per doz.
Chickens-16/- to 21/- per pair.
Ducks-12/- to 15/- per pair.
Old Fowl-7/- to 9/- per pair.
Eating apples-1/- to 1/6 per doz.
Cooking apples-9d. to 1/3 per doz.
Potatoes-Kerr Pinks, 2/2 to 2/6 per st.
Eye Hay-£10 per ton.
Upland Hay-£9 per ton.
Oaten Straw-£8 per ton.
There were 58 calves in market on Saturday, they sold from 100/- to 350/- each.

LIMERICK STOCK LIST

TO-DAY'S PRICES	
3 1/2 p.c. War Loan	102 1/2
5 1/2 p.c. National Loan	102 1/2
3 1/2 p.c. Exchequer Bonds	84 1/2
5 1/2 p.c. Development Loan	97
BANKS	
Bank of Ireland	350
Munster	77/6
Nationals	61/-
MISCELLANEOUS	
Guinness Ord.	66/3
Imperial Chemicals	66/7 1/2
Shells	131/3
Imperial Tobacco	62/6

THE MASCOT



Five-year-old Ewan Fenton, Fenton, son of Limerick's player-coach, was at Thomond Park last night to watch the

TO-DAY RACIN

RIPON

3.0-CURFEW HAY GRANVILLE GRETA
LUMINOIR (25/1) L. Encore (5/1) ... J. Barney Fagan, Cloudy Devon Queen, Silver Jane, Star Singer.
Won by 2 lts. and sh
3.30-BOROUGHBRIDGE MISS UNIVERSE (10)
Aspidistra (6/1) ... Light of the Avenue
Also ran-After Me, I Times, Delousia, Dr. Martial LRW, Planet.
Won by 1 1/2 lts. and 3

RIPON CESAREWITZ FINAL TEST (4/1) ... Master of Arts (7/4 f) Easter Gala (100/6) ... Also ran-Adam Bede, Bright Prefect, Persial 7 ran; Distance; short

NEWTON AB

2.15-HAYTOR H'CAP SIR TOM (7/1) ... Sashway (6/1) ... T. B Dignmoor (10/1) ... R. Also ran-Cuban T (fav. 7/2), Secret Soci Knot, Combatant, T The Dell, Vals Orphan Won by 1 lt. and 3 l

2.45-EAST DEVON WEATHER PERMITT

Politics (10/1) ... M Prune (7/1) ... M. Also ran-Anniversai 4 ran
Won by 8 lengths; b

3.15-MANATON S. HURDLE-2

ROYAL CRUISE (7/1) Hialeah (5/2f) ... Irish Pete (8/1) Mr. Also ran-Whitehea Lady So Gay, Chusa Chiel, Portfollo.
9 ran. *Won by 2l.

3.45-H'CAP. CH

COROLANTY LASS Y Tipost (7/1) ... Sunavon (2/1 f) ... Also ran-Admiral more Lady, Rydon's S Kilreague Gorse, Ba Wax.
11 ran. Distance; 3

BALLINGA MACRA FEIRME

A suggestion that Feirme should promote vigorous programme of education was made by Hickey (Feenagh E former President of the at a meeting of the Crick Executive of Macra held at Croom.

Mr. Hickey said he t the whole programme of Feirme would have to be financed. He thought it much emphasis on c and they should mak Macra na Tuaithe in Macra na Feirme wo cater more, he said, a group between 20 an years, and leave some petitions they are now to Macra na Tuaithe.

COULD PLAY BIG

Macra na Feirme co big part, he said, in agriculture, and, the fi country. He was incl view that a committee established at national level should investigate the whole set-na Feirme. He thought Feirme should deal things as education o production and marketi

The Secretary (Mr. said that Macra na Tusa for the age group up and Macra na Feirme to cater for those betw 25 years, who are too ol na Tuaithe. Macra na said, was only a train for Macra na Feirme. in for economics, he would be forgetting t whom they must tra speak in public, take p petitions and social acti

DECISION OF ME

Mr. K. Curtin (Abbe that people who want with economics could National Farmers' Assoc deal with economics.

Mr. Hickey said that 25 to 35 years was more about serious matters of than competitions, and task of Macra na Feirme them on economics. After further discu Hickey proposed that th Council set up a commit gain from the branches the country whether th the policy of Macra na E catering for the needs of farmers for the present ticularly from the point