ACCCESSING IRISH NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

How to access Irish Newspaper Archive

1. On www.kilkennylibrary.ie click *Our Services* tab. Select *Online Library* from list.



2. Select Online Newspapers.



3. Click the **IrishNewsArchive** link. Alternatively, type <u>www.irishnewsarchive.com</u> into the browser address bar.

The archive is only accessible in library branches.

TO BROWSE NEWSPAPERS

To browse newspapers by edition

1. Click **Browse**. Select your preferred newspaper from the *Select Title* dropdown list on the sidebar.



2. Select the **year** from the top bar.



3. Select the **month** from the sidebar. (For daily newspapers, select **day** from *Day of the Week* dropdown).

4. To read, click on newspaper, or +/ - buttons to zoom in and out on the

KEYWORD SEARCH

To search the newspaper archive

1. To search within one, or multiple newspaper titles, click on **Search/Results** on the top bar.

2. Enter your keywords in the sidebar.

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3. From *Filter by Title* dropdown list, <u>untick</u> *All Titles*. Select newspaper(s) you wish to search.

4. Use *Limit date range*, to narrow search dates: click on calendar icon to select year/ month/ day. Enter a start and end date.



VIEWING SEARCH RESULTS

To read the results of a search

• To view the article: Double-click on the article to view the text in a pop-out window. Increase font size if necessary.



• To view the article in the newspaper: Click on the newspaper image in the search result.

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The relevant newspaper page opens, with the search result highlighted. Click on the page to zoom in.

Click **Search/ Results** on the top bar to get back to the list of search results.

PRINT/DOWNLOAD/ EMAIL FROM THE ARCHIVE

To print

- **To print a full page:** first, download the page as a PDF (save button). Open PDF in Adobe Acrobat Reader to print.
- To print an article: click on the Scissors icon. Select area to print. Click Crop Selection. Open PDF to print/ save.



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Irish Newspaper Archive

- Free access in library branches to over 50 Irish newspapers, from 1700s to current editions
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- ✓ Browse complete newspapers, or search using keywords & filters
- ✓ Snip, print, email or download full pages or articles, as PDF
- ✓ Great tool for family history researchers, history students (primary source material)
- o Kilkenny People 1895 current
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- Munster Express 1860 current

