

## FOURS HEAD

### 8 November

The Boat Club sent two crews to the 54th Head of the River Fours held on the four and a quarter mile tideway course from Chiswick Bridge to Putney Bridge. The boys were competing in a field of 550 crews spread over various divisions and alongside many of Great Britain's Olympic champions including Andy Hodge from the Olympic Coxless Four who will be speaking at the Boat Club Dinner in March. The crew of George Rossiter, Jack Maynard, Felix Wood, Andy Hatzis and Rory Copus recorded the Boat Clubs first win at the event by winning their Senior 3 coxed fours division out of 52 competing crews. The

promising result comes on the back of a pleasing tour to the USA where the crews had an opportunity to get some much needed time in the boat. The success will provide some incentive to training as the winter closes in until the first major event on the Boat Club Calendar - The Schools Head of the River held on the same course in March.

The formal prize giving evening is to be held in the coming weeks and is hosted by the event sponsors 'Fullers Brewery'.

The schools second crew produced a creditable 10th place out of 42 crews despite an unfortunate equipment failure. The crew consisted of James Cook, Julius Gerstmeyer, Daniel Boddington and Timothy Richards.

