

# ST. GEORGE DISTRICT AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB

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## 44th Annual Report and Financial Statement

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1965

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# 44th ANNUAL REPORT AND BALANCE SHEET

Presented to Members at the Annual General Meeting  
held at Electricity House, Hurstville  
on Thursday, 20th May, 1965

Gentlemen,

The 44th Annual Report and Balance Sheet of your Club is presented to you tonight and it will reveal, after you have perused it, that during the 12 months we have improved quite substantially on the previous year's performances.

Albert Thomas, once again, proved himself the best athlete in our Club, but his performances were not as good as those of the previous year. The outstanding feature of his running during the year was his winning of the Australian Mile in 4 mins. 5.9 secs. and in doing so he won for the fourth year in succession, which is a record for this event.

Albert's running in the Australian championships gained him selection in the 1964 Tokyo Olympic Games, an honour he gained previously when he represented Australia at Melbourne, 1956, and Rome, 1960. At Tokyo Albert was dogged by illness and his performances were not nearly as good as those in Australia and in the 5,000 metres he could only gain 11th place in the second heat, recording 14 mins. 27.8 secs., and in the second heat of the 1,500 metres he was near the end of the field in the slow time of 3 mins. 54.9 secs.

During the State championships he won the 1 Mile once again in 4 mins. 5.8 secs., the 3 Miles in 13 mins. 44.8 secs. and the 6 Miles in 28 mins. 30.6 sec., which is the first time these three events have been won at a State championship meeting.

During the year Albert has run in practically every State and New Zealand and his best time for the Mile was 4 mins. 3.5 secs. at the Moomba Carnival in Melbourne. One of his best performances during the year was when he beat Ron Clark over the 2,000 Metres in 5 mins. 9 secs., which was only 0.8 secs. outside the Australian record and this time was made just prior to going to Tokyo. Later in the year he again beat Ron Clark over this distance in 5 mins. 19 secs.

Len Chinnery had another excellent year. He won the State Discus 159 ft. 11 ins., Shot Put 50 ft. 7 ins. and during Inter-club he was never once beaten in these events.

Maurice Smith continued to improve and he won the State High Jump at 6 ft. 2 ins. and his performances in Inter-club in this event, also 120 yards Hurdles and the Long Jump have been most gratifying.

Gary Friend is improving in sprinting and he has got down to 10.3 for the 100 yards and in the Mentone Match he won the 220 in 22.8 and he finished third in the State Long Jump, 23 ft. 6½ ins., which was not as good as his previous year in jumping when he cleared 24 ft. 3 ins.

Ron Gribble has had an excellent season and he is the most improved athlete in the Club and his performance in the State 880 Yards by gaining second place in 1 min. 57 secs. was very good, keeping in mind that he also does well in long distance and during the year he ran in two Marathons and his performance in the Australian Marathon of 2 hrs. 41 mins. 52 secs. is his best performance in this event.

Peter Lawler has shown excellent improvement with the Javelin and in the State Title he finished second with a throw of 201 ft. 3¼ ins. Later he finished fifth in the Australian Title with a fine throw of 213 ft. 7½ ins., which is the best performance ever recorded in this event by a St. George athlete. Congratulations, Peter.

St. George had some excellent State Relay Teams. In the 4 x 1 Mile Relay the team: Hancock, Rooke, Proud and Thomas, recorded 16 mins.



56.8 secs., a State record. — (Flashback) — State Championships, University Oval, 4th February, 1933. 4 x 1 Mile Relay. 1st, St. George. Team: Albert Blyth, Alleyn Gainsford, Claude Stark, Gordon Keep. Time: 18 mins. 49.8 secs. A State record.

In the 4 x 880 Yards Relay St. George were beaten inches by Eastern Suburbs and were given the same time, 7 mins. 49.2 secs., the team consisting of Thomas, Taylor, Gribble and Hancock.

Bob Seibokas is one of our most outstanding junior athletes and he has also shown considerable improvement in the Javelin. Last year he threw the javelin 175 ft. 4 ins., but during the past year he won the State Junior Title with a throw of 195 ft. 2 ins., he was second in the Australian Title with 200 ft. 1 in. and then he was invited to compete in the Senior Australian Javelin Championships and with the heavier javelin he threw it 207 ft. 3 ins.

John Hancock is easily our most improved junior athlete. Throughout the year he has run magnificently and he capped a wonderful season when he won the Australian Junior Mile Title in 4 mins. 13.8 secs., but in Inter-club he even ran better still when he recorded 4 mins. 11 secs. for the distance. In the Australian Junior 880 Yards Title he finished third in 1 min. 53.5 secs., which is his best time in this event. Apart from his excellent performances in the Australian Championships he won both the State 880 in 1 min. 55.4 secs. and the Mile in 4 mins. 16.5 secs. Officials of the Club at this stage are wondering whether he will finally emulate Albert Thomas for at this time he is actually running far better times than Albert and it would appear that he will go on improving, especially with more experience.

Peter Dwyer is an outstanding Sub Junior Athlete. He won the State Sub Junior Mile in 4 mins. 27.2 secs. and he also won the St. George Schoolboy  $\frac{1}{2}$  Mile Championship in 2 mins. 0.5 secs., which created Club best on record for Sub Junior.

Our Junior Relay Team, 4 x 880 Yards, consisting of Peter Dwyer, Vic Byrne, Brian Clark and John Hancock, won the State Title in 7 mins. 59.4 secs., which created a Club best on record.

Brian Lawler, one of our most promising Sub-Juniors, finished second in the State 120 Hurdles in 16.5 secs. and he created best Inter-club performance of 5 ft. 7 in. in the High Jump and 8 ft. 6 in. in the Pole Vault. He finished off a good season by representing New South Wales against Queensland in the Sub Junior Match.

Vic Byrne is another promising athlete and during the track season he finished third in the Junior 2 Mile in 9 mins. 41.4 secs.

Ken Barber commenced the season in excellent style when he ran the 100 Yards in 10.3, but towards the end of the season he became jaded and did not run nearly so well, but this fine young athlete will certainly show big improvement next year.

David Stephenson is the most promising juvenile in the State. He has recorded 10.6 for the 100 Yards Inter-club, 10.7 at School and he has run 220 in 24.1. In the State Age Championships he won the 100 Yards in 11.2, 220 in 24.7 and 60 Yards Hurdles in 8.8 secs. David is extremely tall for his age and if he continues improving he could easily develop into one of our outstanding sprinters.

Other young athletes who have performed very well during the season are Jim Hudleston, Larry Tapfield, Mike Benney and George Gunnee.

Inter-club performances this year were considerably better than the previous year, as we were successful in winning the 'D' Grade Inter-club and the Under 15 Years Division 2, and it was sheer bad luck that we did not win the Under 13 Years as Geoff Bryan, our best sprinter, with the 220 Yards won, fell a few yards from the tape, which lost the Match and the Premiership.

'A' Grade again failed after a most promising start when the Premiers, Western Suburbs, only beat us by one point. This decision could easily have been reversed if just a few more of our athletes had



appeared.

We have a most promising Sub-Juvenile in Chris Hunter running in the Under 13 Division. He is the Club Champion for 440 Yards, 880 Yards and 1 Mile and he finished second in the State Half Mile, 2 mins. 25.4 secs. Other good athletes in this Division are Stephen Keegan, Kevin Warrington and Peter Walters.

St. George, by their performance in the 10,000 Metres State Cross Country Championship, when they won the teams' title with 44 points from Western Suburbs, 63 points, established themselves as the best distance team in the State. The team was Thomas, Rooke, Nodwell, Gribble, Taylor and Burnett. In the 10 Miles and 15 Miles we finished third in the teams' events and on both occasions many of our best athletes were absent.

In the State Marathon we finished fourth in the teams' race, Ron Gribble being our first man to finish in tenth place in 2 hrs. 47 mins. 29 secs.

Popular Johnny Nodwell won the State Novice Cross Country Championship in the good time of 26 mins. 51 secs. and for the second year in succession St. George won the teams' race with 27 points, the team being John Nodwell, Jack Burnett, John Hancock and Bob Hingerty.

The St. George distance team is going from strength to strength and it would not surprise if during the next season we eclipse last year's performances.

A most gratifying feature of the year has been our increase in membership from 150 to 212 and the membership is made up as follows:

Senior .....	62
Junior .....	22
Officials .....	17
Life Members .....	4
Sub Juniors .....	107
Total .....	212

There would appear to be more keenness in Club competitions in the last two years, although this can still be improved. I feel that, while it is appreciated a lot of basic training is needed to bring an athlete to good condition, this should not be an obsession to the detriment of Club competition and keenness to assist the Club on every occasion. It must be remembered that Club competition can give the athlete that necessary judgment of pace which is often missing and it also gives the athlete the determination to hang on, which cannot be achieved in training alone.

I am tremendously pleased with the magnificent response by members towards Club costume and the improvement has been so good that the award for the best dressed athlete has become so difficult that it has been recommended that next year this award should not be given.

Congratulations members!

In the last Annual Report I mentioned that Denis Wilson, although only recently elected to the position of General Secretary, was already doing an excellent job and since then he has confirmed what I first thought and the work he has done during the past 12 months has been really magnificent and the Club has been placed on an excellent footing, a noticeable feature during the year being the increased membership from 150 to 212. My very sincere congratulations to you, Denis, and with this I must also couple Dennis Jolliffe, who has also done a very fine job as Treasurer.

I earnestly appeal to all athletes to rally around our executive officers, particularly when they are doing such magnificent work to carry on with the job of good, clean sport to the benefit of all members.

A. GAINSFORD, President.

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## OBITUARY

Since our last Annual Meeting two of our most prominent officials, Mr. James J. Walsh (Patron) and Mr. Ted Ellis (Senior Vice-President) have passed away and we pay tribute to them.

### A TRIBUTE TO THE LATE MR. JIM WALSH

The passing of Jim Walsh on 22nd June, 1964, brought to a close a career in athletics which commenced when he joined the Botany Harriers in 1912. Since 1912 Jim Walsh had a most varied career in athletics and he had the respect of all those athletes and officials who associated with him until his sad death.

During his lifetime he carried out many official duties, he was Secretary of Botany Harriers for seven years and also a Life Member. He was Secretary of the N.S.W. Amateur Athletic Association from 1916 to 1919 and for some years he was a Vice-President of the Association. He managed the N.S.W. team at the Australasian Championships at Hobart in 1922 and for six years he was Secretary of the Union of Old Athletes.

Jim's association with the St. George District Amateur Athletic Club commenced in 1922 when our Club used to hold monthly meetings at his premises in Forest Road, Hurstville. At the 9th Annual Meeting of our Club on 17th March, 1930, he was elected Patron and he held this exalted position until his death.

Also during his athletic career he was a prominent athlete and his best performances were winning the Metropolitan Championships in 1916 and 1917 over 440 Yards and 880 Yards and these Championships were virtually State Championships as these events were abandoned during World War 1.

At all times Jim was prepared to assist members of our Club and he is a figure who will be sadly missed and to his widow and family we extend our deepest sympathy.

### A TRIBUTE TO THE LATE TED ELLIS

When Ted Ellis passed away on 25th May, 1964, our Club lost one of its dearest and most loyal friends.

Ted Ellis joined our Club in the track season of 1930 and during this season he won the following Club Junior Championships:

100 Yards	.....	11.2	seconds
440 Yards	.....	55.2	seconds
880 Yards	.....	2 m. 17.6	seconds

His times for the 440 and 880 established Club records.

During the depression years he was quite a good sprinter and frequently represented St. George in 'A' grade, possibly his best performances being recorded over 440 yards. During these years Ted, like many other members of the Club, passed through very trying financial conditions and it is to his great credit that afterwards he established a most successful business and through this he became particularly well known and respected, especially in the Arncliffe/Rockdale area.

In recent years Ted, with some of his old colleagues of the Club, re-established the old members to great effect and on many occasions the old timers, together with a goodly number of present members, had wonderful social functions together. One of the outstanding efforts of Ted less than two years ago was the arranging of two functions with the Beverly Hills Bowling Club from which our Club received £300.

Apart from Ted's great work in helping the Club, he was probably the most generous donor ever associated with the Club which I can remember. Just one year ago members paid their appreciation to him when they elected him as one of our three Senior Vice-Presidents, and this tribute closes with our deepest sympathy to his wife Bonnie and son Gordon.

A. GAINSFORD.



## ST. GEORGE SCHOOLBOYS' CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

These championships were held at Scarborough Park, Ramsgate, on Saturday, 18th April, in fine weather, although heavy rain the day before had left parts of the course soggy. Entries were very good, approximately 200, due to circularisation of all primary and secondary schools in the St. George District and secondary schools on the fringes of the district. Messrs. Page, Gosling, Burne, L. Jolliffe and Proud assisted by telephoning the schools when it looked as if the postal strike would hold up delivery of the circulars. Courses were effectively flagged by Messrs. Burne, Gosling, Patmore, Jolliffe and Gainsford. Ladies of the Social Committee provided afternoon tea and Mrs. Lawrence did sterling work with the typewriter in typing championship certificates.

The outstanding school was Marcellin College, Randwick, which easily won the Denis Wilson Trophy for the Aggregate Point Score. This trophy will be competed for annually.

### RESULTS

#### 11 Years, $\frac{3}{4}$ Mile

1. R. Scholes, Hurst. Prim. 4m. 5s.
2. A. Costello, Marcellin, 4m. 21s.
3. P. King, M.B. Kog., 4m. 23.5s.

#### 12 Years, $\frac{3}{4}$ Mile

1. J. Costello — Marcellin, 4m. 8.5s.
2. C. Beeson, Pt. Hacking, 4m. 11s.
3. P. Masters, Waverley Prim., 4m. 12.5s.

#### 13 Years, 1 Mile

1. R. Gazal, Marcellin, 5m. 38s.
2. R. Jeffree — Kings Nth., 5m. 38.5s.
3. P. Haney, Marcellin, 5m. 44.5s.

#### 14 Years, 1 Mile

1. A. Hilton, Kingsgrove, 5m. 26s.
2. P. Speis, Marcellin, 5m. 27.5s.
3. C. Easton, Kogarah, 5m. 43s.

#### 15 Years, $1\frac{1}{2}$ Miles

1. K. Saines, Marcellin, 8m. 40.5s.
2. J. Wood, Marcellin, 8m. 40.5s.
3. J. Hudleston, Kog., 9m. 7s.

#### 16 Years, 2 Miles

1. A. Robinson, Canterbury, 10m. 44s.
2. R. Norberry, Marcellin, 10m. 44.5s.
3. J. Miller, St. Pats., Sutherland, 10m. 51s.

#### Open, 3 Miles

1. N. Beeson, Pt. Hacking, 16m. 52.5s.
2. B. Clarke, M.B. Kog., 17m. 32s.
3. D. French, DeL.S., Cronulla, 17m. 48.5s.

#### Teams Championship

1. M.B. Penshurst (M. Bateman, G. Mullane, G. Lloyd, J. Lawrence) 23 pts.
2. M.B. Kogarah — — 40 pts.

#### Teams' Championship

1. M.B. Penshurst (P. Carey, G. Seaborn, P. Dawson, A. Sproule) 33 pts.
2. Marcellin College — 69 pts.
3. Sth. Hurst. Prim. — 76 pts.

#### Teams' Championship

1. Marcellin College (R. Gazal, P. Haney, S. Willcox, J. Pechey) 17 pts.
2. M.B. Kogarah — — 47 pts.

#### Teams' Championship

1. Kogarah (C. Easton, K. Merrill, J. Nicholas, Z. Akmens) 43 pts.
2. Hurstville — — — 51 pts.

#### Teams' Championship

1. Kogarah (J. Hudleston, R. Nacson, R. Simpson, G. Hanson) 50 pts.

#### Teams' Championship

1. Marcellin College (R. Norberry, S. Frazer, D. Harpley, M. Lewis), 40 pts.
2. M.B., Kogarah — — 60 pts.

#### Teams' Championship

1. M.B. Kogarah (B. Clarke, M. Carey, D. Shearing, P. McManus), 28 pts.
2. Narwee — — — 53 pts.



### Aggregate Point Score, Denis Wilson Trophy

1. Marcellin College	51 pts.
2. Canterbury High	11 pts.
3. M.B. Kogarah	} 8 pts.
Kingsgrove High	
Pt. Hacking High	

### DISTANCE SEASON REVIEW BY JOHN BOWERS

This year was very successful, with the Club proving its dominance of the distance season. Attendance by senior athletes in particular at Club events was very good and this helped to foster a vigorous Club spirit.

The disappointing event of the season was the 10 Mile Championship, when our top men for one reason and another were unable to compete.

Albert Thomas was our best runner, although Ron Gribble won the most Club Championships. John Hancock was clearly our best Junior, whilst Vic Byrne and Alan Hilton were, respectively, adjudged to be our best Sub-Junior and Juvenile Athletes.

The point score competitions, based on Club handicap events, was very closely contested as can be seen from the results at the end of this review.

### STATE ROAD RELAY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Canberra, Saturday, 9th May, 1964

#### Senior 4 x 5 Mile

Our three teams finished before the first second team of other clubs and in some instances other clubs' top teams. Kevin Taylor was our fastest runner; he was in our 2nd team because the selectors had no performances from Kevin.

No. 1 Team, 3rd: J. Nodwell, 26m. 31s.; R. Gribble, 26m. 50s.; J. Bowers, 26m. 59s.; R. Proud, 26m. 55s.

No. 2 Team, 6th: K. Taylor, 26m. 0.6s.; D. Wilson, 28m. 41s.; R. Hingerty, 28m. 36s.; G. Freeman, 27m. 58s.

No. 3 Team, 9th: J. Duxbury, 27m. 32s.; G. Page, 29m. 24s.; J. Scott, 30m. 33s.; E. Kelly, 32m. 11s.

#### Junior 4 x 2 Mile

St. George, 3rd: B. Clarke, 11m. 38s.; F. Bathe, 11m. 47s.; W. Payne, 12m. 17s.; J. Hancock, 10m. 36s.

#### Sub-Junior 4 x 1 Mile

No. 1 Team, 3rd: R. Wakely, 5m. 3s.; J. Nobbs, 5m. 30s.; P. Gee, 5m. 30s.; V. Byrne, 4m. 59s.

No. 2 Team, 8th: W. Sakey, 5m. 30s.; B. Arch, 6m. 31s.; I. Ison, 5m. 47s.; G. Lloyd, 5m. 43s.

#### Juvenile 4 x 1/4 Mile (Non Championship)

St. George, 2nd: G. Derricott, 3m. 59s.; N. Lynch, 4m. 13s.; P. Ison, 4m. 28s.; A. Hilton, 3m. 51s.

Alan Hilton had the fastest lap in the event.

### N.S.W. NOVICE CHAMPIONSHIPS — RAMSGATE

Saturday, 23rd May, 1964

John Nodwell ran into prominence with the best race of his career to win the State Novice title and the Club title in the good time of 26m. 51s. Others in the team which won the Teams' Race were Jack Burnett, 7th, 28m. 04s.; John Hancock, 10th, 28m. 34s.; 14th, Bob Hingerty, 29m. 07s.. Other performances: 18th, G. Page, 29m. 41s.; 21st, G. Hingerty, 30m. 06s.; 36th, B. Kelly, 32m. 05s.; 43rd, W. Lake, 36m. 44s.

### **Senior 5 Mile Scratch Race**

1st, A. Thomas, 25m. 21s.; 4th, K. Taylor, 27m. 10s.; 6th, R. Gribble, 27m. 20s.; 7th, J. Bowers, 27m. 43s.; 9th, G. Freeman, 28m. 00s.; 15th, R. Proud, 30m. 53s.

### **Handicap Junior 2 Mile**

3rd, W. Payne, 11m. 44s.; 10th, B. Clarke, 11m. 41s.

### **Handicap Sub-Junior 1 Mile**

5th, P. Gee, 5m. 25s.; 13th, I. Ison, 5m. 53s.; 15th, R. Eastwood, 5m. 45s.; 19th, G. Lloyd, 5m. 58s.

### **Handicap Juvenile 1 Mile**

9th, A. Staples, 5m. 58s.; 10th, P. Ison, 5m. 59s.; 12th, P. Maddigan, 6m. 10s.; 14th, N. Lynch, 5m. 57s.

## **N.S.W. 15-MILE CHAMPIONSHIP — CENTENNIAL PARK**

**Saturday, 6th June, 1964**

Our team, with 43 points, was placed third behind Randwick. Botany, 31 points, and Ryde-Hornsby, 34 points. The team: R. Gribble, 8th, 1 hr. 25m. 13s.; J. Bowers, 11th, 1 hr. 26m. 51s.; G. Freeman, 14th, 1 hr. 28m. 22s.; J. Nodwell, 17th, 1 hr. 29m. 33s.

## **N.S.W. SCHOOLBOYS' C.C. CHAMPIONSHIPS — RAMSGATE**

**13th June, 1964**

The Club acted as hosts for these championships and the Harrier Board was very happy with the way we marked the course, etc.

## **STATE MARATHON CHAMPIONSHIPS — BOTANY**

**20th June, 1964**

St. George team, with 27 points, were placed fourth behind R-B., 14 points; R.H., 17 points; W.S., 20 points. The team was: R. Gribble, 10th, 2 hr. 47m. 29s.; J. Burnett, 12th, 2 hr. 53m. 29s.; G. Page, 15th, 3 hr. 00m. 58s.

Club athletes did well in the supporting handicap events. Brian Kelly, 2nd Senior/Junior 2 Mile; Greg Lloyd 1st, Ian Ison 3rd. Sub-Junior 1 Mile; John Whelan 1st Juvenile 1 Mile.

## **FAIRFIELD OPEN — FAIRFIELD**

**4th July, 1964**

Albert Thomas won the Senior 4 Mile Handicap event and also took fastest time in 19m. 40s.

## **McCAFFREY CUP DAY — HABERFIELD**

**11th July, 1964**

St. George retained the McCaffrey Cup by convincingly beating Western Suburbs in all divisions. A popular innovation was the award of pennants to winners and placegetters of each division; there were four divisions in the Senior Event.

## **AUSTRALIAN MARATHON CHAMPIONSHIPS — BOTANY**

**18th July, 1964**

Ron Gribble was the only St. George athlete to compete in these championships. Ron ran his best ever marathon to finish 13th in 2 hr. 41m. 52s. Only Albert Thomas has run faster than Ron over the marathon distance.



## N.S.W. CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS — CENTENNIAL PARK

1st August, 1964

### Senior 10,000 Metres.

For the first time since 1949 St. George won the coveted 10,000 Metres Cross Country Teams' Race, which was very pleasing indeed. The teams results:

1st, St. George No. 1, 44 points. A. Thomas, 4th, 35m. 50s.; M. Rooke, 8th, 36m. 59s.; J. Nodwell, 11th, 37m. 44s.; R. Gribble, 15th, 38m. 19s.; K. Taylor, 16th, 38m. 30s.; J. Burnett, 17th, 38m. 40s. Reserves: G. Freeman, 20th, 38m. 57s.; J. Bowers, 31st, 40m. 11s.

2nd, Western Suburbs, 63 points; 3rd, Eastern Suburbs, 71 points; 4th, St. George No. 2, 122 points. R. Hingerty, 30th, 40m. 11s.; D. Wilson, 33rd, 40m. 18s.; G. Page, 43rd, 41m. 24s.; P. Thornton, 46th, 41m. 42s.; J. Scott, 53rd, 43m. 20s.; B. David, 57th, 44m. 07s.

### Junior 5,000 Metres

Our team was placed second in this event. 1st, Sutherland, 23 points. 2nd, St. George (J. Hancock, 3rd, 18m. 27s.; B. Clarke, 8th, 19m. 18s.; M. Carey, 21st, 21m. 06s.; W. Payne, 31st, 23m. 17s.), 36 points. 3rd, R.A.N.A.T.E., 38 points.

### Sub-Junior 3,000 Metres

Teams result: 1st, Sutherland, 13 points. 2nd, St. George, 31 points (V. Byrne, 5th, 10m. 32s.; P. Dwyer, 7th, 10m. 36s.; R. Wakely, 16th, 11m. 24s.; P. Gee, 17th, 11m. 25s.). 3rd, Randwick-Botany, 31 points.

### Juvenile 1,500 Metres

Teams result: 1st, Sutherland, 11 points. 2nd, St. George, 25 points (A. Hilton, 5th, 4m. 28s.; N. Lynch, 12th, 4m. 43s.; G. Derricott, 17th, 4m. 49s.; P. Ison, 18th, 4m. 52s.). 3rd, Western Suburbs, 42 points.

## N.S.W. 10 MILE CHAMPIONSHIP — RANDWICK RACECOURSE

15th August, 1964

Teams result: 1st, Western Suburbs, 55 points. 2nd, Eastern Suburbs, 98 points. 3rd, St. George, 108 points (R. Gribble, 13th, 54m. 26s.; J. Bowers, 16th, 54m. 48s.; G. Freeman, 27th, 56m. 46s.; R. Hingerty, 28th, 56m. 55s.; D. Wilson, 32nd, 57m. 36s.; G. Page, 36th, 58m. 25s.).

Brian Clarke ran well in the Junior 2 Mile event to be placed 2nd in 10m. 20s.

## RANATE OPEN — QUAKERS HILL

22nd August, 1964

The Club had few entries in this open, which was conducted as open scratch teams races, and therefore, were unable to field teams.

## CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS — RAMSGATE

5th September, 1964

### Senior 5 Mile Road

1st, R. Proud, 25m. 58s.; 2nd, R. Gribble, 26m. 08s.; 3rd, J. Bowers, 26m. 11s.

### Junior 2 Mile Cross Country

1st, J. Hancock, 10m. 19s.; 2nd, B. Clarke, 10m. 35s.

### Sub-Junior 1 Mile Cross Country

1st, P. Dwyer, 4m. 44s.; 2nd, I. Ison, 5m. 08s.; 3rd, R. Eastwood, 5m. 12s.

### Juvenile 1 Mile Cross Country

1st, A. Hilton, 5m. 13s.; 2nd, N. Lynch, 5m. 17s.; 3rd, G. Derricott, 5m. 37s.

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## POINT SCORE

Senior			Junior		
1st, J. Bowers	50	Pts.	1st, B. Clarke	57	Pts.
2nd, G. Freeman	48	"	2nd, J. Hancock	22	"
3rd, G. Page	38½	"	3rd, E. Bathe	20	"
Sub-Junior			Juvenile		
1st, I. Ison	57	Pts.	1st, N. Lynch	55½	Pts.
2nd, R. Eastwood	45	"	2nd, A. Staples	50	"
3rd, P. Gee	37	"	3rd, P. Ison	46	"

## FASTEST TIMES POINT SCORE

Senior			Junior		
1st, R. Gribble	3		1st, B. Clarke	5	
1st, A. Thomas	3				
Sub-Junior			Juvenile		
1st, V. Byrne	5½		1st, N. Lynch	4	

## ST. GEORGE DISTRICT SCHOOLBOYS' TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

**Held at Jubilee Oval, Kogarah on Saturday, 12th September, 1964**

Once again a very successful day's athletics was had by many of the Districts' primary and secondary schools. The Club was able to render every assistance to the organiser, Mr. Fred Larcombe, who, with his fellow school teachers, kept things moving.

For the first time in a number of years a complete printed programme of the day's events was published.

Mr. George Gosling once again did magnificent work in collecting all the equipment for the championships. To all the school teachers and Club members who acted as officials, thank you.

These championships will, I feel, remain our most important single venture each year, as from these championships come our future members.

In all, 23 records were created or equalled during the day. The best performances were by Tony Cashman, of Kogarah High, who lowered his Open 120 Yards Hurdles record of 14.5 secs. and David Stephenson, Kogarah Marist Bros., who lowered the 13 Years 100 Yards record by 0.5 secs. to 10.7 secs.

Marist Bros., Kogarah, once again, by winning every division of the Secondary Competition, retained the A. A. Gainsford Shield.

Sans Souci Public School very convincingly won the Primary Schools' Aggregate to retain the L. B. Williams Shield.

## RESULTS

### OPEN

#### 100 Yards

1. P. Hill (East Hills) 10.3s.
2. A. Cashman (Kogarah)
3. R. Saunders (Narwee)

#### 1 Mile

1. M. Carey (M.B., Kog.) 5m 10.0s.
2. G. Lloyd (Kings D.L.S.)
3. G. Frawley (M.B., Kog.)

#### 440 Yards

1. B. Clarke (M.B., Kog.) 53.0s.
2. J. Crump (Syd. Tech.)
3. J. Smith (St. John's, Lakemba)

#### Long Jump

1. R. Saunders (Narwee) 18ft. 3in.
2. S. Clark (James Cook)
3. J. Smith (St. John's, Lakemba)

**Javelin**

1. M. Sweeney (M.B., Kog.) 128ft. 11in.
2. R. Baldwin (Syd. Tech.)
3. K. Wright (Syd. Tech.)

**880 Yards Walk**

1. D. Cossart (Hurst.) 4m. 2.8s. Record
2. I. Overton (Belmore)
3. I. Duncan (Hurst.)

**880 Yards**

1. B. Clarke (M.B., Kog.) 2m 8.6s.
2. K. Hadfield (Syd. Tech.)
3. P. McManus (M.B., Kog.)

**Triple Jump**

1. S. Clark (James Cook) 37ft. 10½ ins.
2. B. Clarke (M.B., Kog.)
3. R. Cleminson (Narwee)

**120 Yards Hurdles**

1. A. Cashman (Kog.) 14.5s. Record.
2. D. Crowe (Kingsgrove Nth.)
3. S. Clark (James Cook)

**Discus**

1. R. Baldwin (Syd. Tech.) 91ft. 4in.
2. K. Wright (Syd. Tech.)
3. A. Cashman (Kog.)

**220 Yards**

1. P. Hill (East Hills) 23.6s.
2. A. Cashman (Kog.)
3. D. Crowe (Kingsgrove Nth.)

**High Jump**

1. R. Cleminson (Narwee) 5ft. 2in.
2. B. Saunders (Narwee)
3. M. Sweeney (M.B., Kog.)

**Shot Put**

1. R. Baldwin (Syd. Tech.) 40ft. 11ins.
2. B. Clarke (M.B., Kog.)
3. K. Wright (Syd. Tech.)

**Relay (4 x 110 Yards)**

1. James Cook, 47.2s.
2. Marist Bros., Kog.
3. Narwee

**16 YEARS****100 Yards**

1. G. Skinner (M.B., Kog.) 10.7s.
2. C. Foster (St. John's, Lak.)
3. T. Forman (Syd. Tech.)

**1 Mile**

1. A. Robinson (Cant.) 4m. 35.0s. Record
2. R. Norbury (M.B., Rand.)
3. Peter Dwyer (M.B., Kog.)

**Triple Jump**

1. J. Murray (Narwee) 38ft. 10½ins.
2. G. Crawford (D.L.S., Revesby).
3. G. Kellett (James Cook)

**220 Yards**

1. C. Foster (St. Johns, Lak) 24.3s.
2. P. Cogens (M.B., Rand.)
3. P. Dwyer (M.B., Kog.)

**90 Yards Hurdles**

1. T. Forman (Syd. Tech.) 12.3s.
2. P. Cozens (M.B., Rand.)
3. B. Lawler (Kings, D.L.S.)

**Discus**

1. R. Morgan (Hurst.) 79ft. 3ins.
2. Paul Dwyer (M.B., Kog.)
3. G. Lloyd (D.L.S., Kings)

**Relay (4 x 110 Yards)**

1. Marist Bros., Kog. 47.8s.

**440 Yards**

1. Peter Dwyer (M.B., Kog.) 54.0s. Record
2. Paul Dwyer (M.B., Kog.)
3. G. Kellett (James Cook)

**High Jump**

1. B. Lawler (Kings, D.L.S.) 5ft. 2ins.
2. I. Duncan (Hurst.)
3. R. Bombell (M.B., Kog.)

**Shot Put (8 lb.).**

1. J. Ledbrook (D.L.S., Kings) 39ft. 9ins.
2. R. Gardner (D.L.S., Kings)
3. R. Bombell (M.B., Kog.)

**880 Yards**

1. Peter Dwyer (M.B., Kog.) 2m. 00.5s. Record
2. K. Robinson (Cant.)
3. R. Norbury (M.B., Rand.)

**Long Jump**

1. R. Whitton (M.B., Kog.) 17ft. 10½ins.
2. Paul Dwyer (M.B., Kog.)
3. J. Murray (Narwee)

**Javelin**

1. R. Morgan (Hurst.) 131ft. 1in.
2. J. Murray (Narwee)
3. J. Craig (Syd. Tech.)



## 15 YEARS

### 100 Yards

1. M. Jackson (Kog.) 11.1s.
2. K. Barber (Kingsgrove)
3. D. Arnett (Narwee)

### 1 Mile

1. T. Lonard (St. Marys) 4m. 59.5s.
2. J. Schumacher (M.B., Kog.)
3. C. Scarpinato (Cant.)

### Shot Put (8 lb.)

1. N. Eccles (Narwee) 37ft. 2ins.
2. P. Levy (James Cook)
3. T. Appleby (Hurst.)

### 220 Yards

1. M. Jackson (Kog.) 25.1s.
2. K. Barber (Kings Nth.)
3. J. Hudleston (Kog.)

### 90 Yards Hurdles

1. K. Dimon (M.B., Kog.) 13.6s.
2. G. Crawford (D.L.S., Revesby)
3. A. Hetherington (Narwee)

### Discus

1. S. Jackman (Kings Nth.) 95ft. 11ins. Record.
2. T. Appleby (Hurst.)
3. G. Brown (Syd. Tech.)

### 440 Yards

1. K. Barber (Kingsgrove) 55.4s.
2. J. Hudleston (Kog.)
3. J. Schumacher (M.B., Kog.)

### High Jump

1. K. Dimon (M.B., Kog.) 5ft. 3ins.
2. A. Hetherington (Narwee)
3. G. Crawford (D.L.S., Revesby)

### Javelin

1. N. Eccles (Narwee) 118ft. 10ins. Record
2. S. Jackson (Kings Nth.)
3. T. Appleby (Hurst.)

### 880 Yards

1. T. Lonard (St. Marys) 2m. 13.1s.
2. T. Shelton (St. Johns, Lak.)
3. T. Appleby (Hurst.)

### Long Jump

1. G. Crawford (D.L.S., Revesby) 19ft. 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ ins.
2. K. Barber (Kingsgrove)
3. P. Degnan (M.B., Kog.)

### Relay (4 x 110 Yards)

1. Marish Bros., Kog., 49.4s.
2. Narwee High
3. Revesby De La Salle

## 14 YEARS

### 100 Yards

1. C. Pickin (M.B., Kog.) 11.4s.
2. S. Freeman (Narwee)
3. R. Buckfield (Kog.)

### High Jump

1. B. Johnson (Narwee) 4ft. 11ins.
2. G. McGill (Syd. Tech.)
3. P. Cassell (M.B., Kog.)

### 220 Yards

1. C. Pickin (M.B., Kog.) 25.0s.
2. R. Formosa (M.B., Kog.)
3. R. Butterfield (Kog.)

### Long Jump

1. C. Pickin (M.B., Kog.), 16ft. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ins.
2. B. Smith (Syd. Tech.)
3. G. McGill (Syd. Tech.)

### 880 Yards

1. A. Crockett (Syd. Tech.) 2m. 11.1s. Record
2. C. Easton (Kog.)
3. R. Formosa (M.B., Kog.)

### Shot Put (6 lb.)

1. J. Holland (M.B., Kog.) 41ft. 3ins.
2. L. Gibson (Hurst.)
3. T. Skorski (D.L.S., Kings)

### 90 Yards Hurdles

1. J. Jenari (M.B., Kog.) 13.0s. Record
2. G. McGill (Syd. Tech.)
3. L. Gibson (Hurst.)

### Relay (4 x 110 Yards)

1. Marist Bros., Kogarah, 51.3s.

## 13 YEARS

### 100 Yards

1. D. Stephenson (M.B., Kog.) 10.7s. Record
2. P. Van Gulik (D.L.S., Banks.)
3. P. Langshaw (Kings Nth.)

### 880 Yards

1. R. Jeffree (Kings Nth.) 2m. 22.6s.
2. N. Lynch (Narwee)
3. I. Grimish (Narwee)

**High Jump**

1. W. Hood (Narwee) 4ft. 6ins.
2. [N. Lynch (Narwee)  
(G. Bevan (D.L.S., Revesby))

**220 Yards**

1. D. Stephenson (M.B., Kog.) 25.6s.
2. P. Van Gulik (D.L.S., Banks.)
3. N. Lynch (Narwee)

**Long Jump**

1. G. Beavan (D.L.S., Revesby)  
16ft. 6ins. Record.
2. N. Mollica (Revesby Sth.)
3. N. Lynch (Narwee)

**Shot Put (6 lb.)**

1. M. Williams (Hurst.) 36ft. 10ins.  
Record
2. P. Feldman (Syd. Tech.)
3. R. Austin (D.L.S., Kingsgrove)

**60 Yards Hurdles**

1. D. Stephenson (M.B., Kog.) 9.1s.  
Record
2. C. Beavan (Revesby D.L.S.)
3. K. Gibson (Hurstville)

**Relay (4 x 110 Yards)**

1. Marist Bros., Kog., 53.1s.
2. Narwee High
3. St. John's, Lakemba

**12 YEARS (SECONDARY)****100 Yards**

1. [J. Peek (St. John's, Lak.) 12.4s.  
(R. Jones (Syd. Tech.))
3. S. Peterson (M.B., Kog.)

**High Jump**

1. R. Fitzpatrick (Cant.) 4ft. 7ins.  
Record.
2. P. Glanville (Syd. Tech.)
3. A. Mascinkas (Syd. Tech.)

**220 Yards**

1. J. Peek (St. John's, Lak.) 29.5s.
2. R. Jones (Syd. Tech.)
3. B. Wilcoxson (Cant.)

**Relay (4 x 110 Yards)**

1. Syd. Tech. High, 56.1s. Record.
2. Marist Bros., Kogarah, 'A'
3. Marist Bros., Kogarah, 'B'

**880 Yards**

1. J. Peek (St. John's, Lak.)  
2m. 31.1s. Record.
2. P. Screen (Blakehurst)
3. S. Keegan (M.B., Kog.)

**Long Jump**

1. J. Okiasa (St. John's, Lak.) 14ft.  
6ins.
2. M. O'Brien (St. John's, Lak.)
3. P. Culshaw (M.B., Kog.)

**60 Yards Hurdles**

1. A. Mascinkas (Syd. Tech.) 9.9s.
2. G. Sykes (Syd. Tech.)
3. R. Kennedy (Kings Nth.)

**12 YEARS (PRIMARY)****100 Yards**

1. G. Hughes (St. John's, Lak.)  
12.0s.
2. S. Welsby (McCallums Hill)
3. P. Kerney (M.B., Kog.)

**High Jump**

1. G. Costelloe (Brighton) 4ft. 6ins.
2. G. Wirth (Sans Souci)
3. B. Beavan (Revesby D.L.S.)

**220 Yards**

1. G. Hughes (St. John's, Lak.)  
27.9s. Record.
2. S. Welsby (McCallums Hill)
3. D. Liney (M.B., Kog.)

**Long Jump**

1. J. Ferrier (Bexley) 15ft. 1in.
2. K. Howe (Revesby D.L.S.)
3. G. Wirth (Sans Souci)

**880 Yards**

1. R. Scholes (Hurst.) 2m. 36.2s.
2. C. Skelton (St. John's, Lak.)
3. C. Milne (Brighton)

**Relay (4 x 110 Yards)**

1. St. John's, Lakemba, 56.4s.
2. Sans Souci
3. Revesby De La Salle

**60 Yards Hurdles**

1. S. Welsby (McCallums Hill),  
9.8s. Record.
2. G. Wirth (Sans Souci)
3. B. Beavan (Revesby D.L.S.)



## 11 YEARS

### 100 Yards

1. A. Croft (Ramsgate), 12.4s.
2. S. Gee (Peakhurst)
3. G. Bryan (Brighton)

### High Jump

1. G. Bryan (Brighton),  
4ft. 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ ins. Record.
2. P. Osborne (Revesby)
3. G. Ford (M.B., Kog.)

### Long Jump

1. T. Munro (Bald Face), 14ft.  
2ins.
2. P. O'Grady (Sans Souci)
3. S. Gee (Peakhurst)

### Relay (4 x 110 Yards)

1. Sans Souci, 58.2s.
2. Peakhurst
3. Kingsgrove De La Salle

## 10 YEARS

### 50 Yards

1. D. Coe (Peakhurst), 7.0s.
2. P. O'Grady (Sans Souci)
3. P. Jones (Bexley)

### Relay (4 x 55 Yards)

1. Sans Souci, 31.2s.
2. Peakhurst
3. St. John's, Lakemba

## 9 YEARS

### 50 Yards

1. M. Alderton (Ramsgate), 7.1s.
2. R. Letton (Sans Souci)
3. P. Miller (Penshurst)

### Relay (4 x 55 Yards)

1. Sans Souci, 33.0s.
2. Bexley
3. Baldface

## 8 YEARS

### 50 Yards

1. G. Nightingale (Pens. West.)  
7.4s.
2. P. Harris (Connell's Pt.)
3. G. Breen (Connell's Pt.)

### Relay (4 x 55 Yards)

1. Sans Souci, 35.0s. Record.
2. Peakhurst
3. Bexley

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## DIVISION PENNANTS AND SHIELDS

### A. A. Gainsford Shield for Secondary Schools Aggregate

Kogarah Marist Brothers' High School.

### L. B. Williams Shield for Primary Schools Aggregate

Sans Souci Public School.

#### Secondary Senior Pennant

1. Marist Bros., Kog. .... 64 pts.
2. Sydney Technical .... 57 pts.
3. Narwee .... 31 pts.

#### Secondary Juvenile Pennant

1. Marist Bros., Kog. .... 118 pts.
2. Sydney Technical .... 78 $\frac{1}{2}$  pts.
3. Narwee .... 52 pts.

#### Primary Aggregate

1. Sans Souci .... 69 pts.
2. Peakhurst .... 34 pts.
3. St. John's, Lakemba, 32 pts.

#### Primary Senior Pennant

1. Sans Souci .... 33 pts.
2. St. John's, Lakemba, 32 pts.
3. Brighton .... 26 $\frac{1}{2}$  pts.

#### Secondary Junior Pennant

1. Marist Bros., Kog. .... 118 pts.
2. Narwee .... 51 pts.
3. Hurstville .... 39 pts.

#### Secondary Aggregate

1. Marist Bros., Kog. .... 30 pts.
2. Sydney Technical .... 159 $\frac{1}{2}$  pts.
3. Narwee .... 134 pts.

#### Primary Junior Pennant

1. Sans Souci .... 35 pts.
2. Peakhurst .... 20 pts.
3. Bexley .... 13 pts.

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# TRACK SEASON REVIEW

## INTER-CLUB COMPETITION

We had mixed success, winning D Grade, and Under 15 Years, Div. II. Competitions. Individually, some of our athletes excelled. Ken Barber equalled the best performance of 10.3 secs. in the Under 17 Years; Brian Lawler, best performance of 15.5 secs. Under 17 Years 120 Yards Hurdles. David Stephenson created a new Inter-club record of 10.6 secs. for the Under 15 Years 100 Yards; Albert Thomas, 4m. 10s. (mile); Maurice Smith, 6 ft. 2 ins. (High Jump); Len Chinnery, 51 ft. 7 ins. (Shot), 153 ft. 11 ins. (Discus), all had best performances in the Senior Competition.

Due credit must go to the team managers, Messrs. Dennis and Reg Jolliffe, who looked after the Juniors at Erskineville Oval and Mr. George Gosling, who managed the Senior teams at Sydney Athletic Field.

Points scored by athletes at Inter-club were tabulated and it is interesting to note that in the Senior Competition Mike Benney was the most prolific point scorer. Mike has also improved his performances considerably in the sprints and long jump.

### Senior Competition

(A, D and E Grades combined)

1. M. Benney ..... 161 pts.
2. G. Friend ..... 98 pts.
3. M. Smith ..... 95 pts.

### Under 17 Years

1. K. Barber ..... 161 pts.
2. B. Lawler ..... 143 pts.
3. L. Tapfield ..... 82 pts.

### Under 15 Years

1. L. Gibson ..... 222 pts.
2. D. Stephenson ..... 155 pts.
3. S. Crozier ..... 75 pts.

### Under 13 Years

1. P. Walters ..... 136 pts.
2. G. Bryan ..... 116½ pts.
3. S. Keegan ..... 76 pts.

## SENIOR INTER-CLUB COMPETITION

By George Gosling

In selecting three teams for the Senior Competition this year it was considered that St. George would really come into its own. More especially when the Inter-club Board saw fit to grade the club with a D Grade team instead of C Grade, which was desired by most of the officials of the Club.

We gained first place in the D Grade but could not do any better than second last in A and E Grades of the competition.

This situation does not really indicate our strength nor the calibre of our athletes. When you consider that we would have more champions and potential champions in our Club than any other club in Sydney, it is most disheartening.

Gentlemen, I am afraid it is the same story as last year, we have the talent but cannot get the support.

What is the answer? It is in your hands entirely.

### A GRADE

The athletes who supported us during this competition did very well, especially in the middle distance events, but competitions cannot be won without sprinters, walkers and hurdlers.

Len Chinnery did extremely well this year, as he won every event in which he started in the shot and discus, which also included the State Championship. Bob Seibokas and Mal Lutton also were prominent in throwing events.

Albert Thomas always performs well when he competes for us, but unfortunately, we cannot rely on him for inter-club support.

John Hancock had a very good season and gained many valuable points for the Club.



Ron Gribble would have had his best season ever this year.

Garry Friend and M. Smith gained valuable points together with J. Nodwell, D. Jolliffe, L. Jolliffe, R. Proud, F. Thornton, K. Taylor, G. Gunnee, D. Wilson, K. Gowen, B. McMorrine, and of course, we cannot overlook the old stalwart, John Bowers, who does a lot of talking plus a lot of moaning but usually does the right thing for his Club.

#### **D GRADE**

Congratulations for a good win. The team performed up to expectations, of course you must realise that we were able to use some of our best athletes in D. Jolliffe, L. Jolliffe, R. Hingerty, V. Byrne, M. Benny, B. Clarke and supported by A. Granland, J. Stammers, R. Ravenscroft, R. Soper, D. Donohue, D. Wilson, M. Smith, J. Bowers and G. Friend.

#### **E GRADE**

We should have done much better than fifth place, but lacked numbers to fill the teams for competition.

The main performers were A. Boyce, J. Stammers, D. Donohue, K. Moore, M. Vollmer, P. McWilliams, M. Benny, J. Byrne.

I hope I have not painted too glum a picture, but can honestly say that we have a fine club of young athletes who show good sportsmanship and spirit on the field and it looks well for the future of our Club.

### **JUNIOR INTER-CLUB COMPETITION AT ERSKINEVILLE OVAL**

**By Dennis Jolliffe**

#### **Under 17, Division I.**

Athletes in our Under 17 team performed very well, but unfortunately lack of numbers prevented them from gaining a higher place than fourth. K. Barber, whilst only 15 years old, had performances of 10.3 in the 100 Yards, 23.9 in the 220 Yards, 54.7 in the 440 Yards, 19 ft. 3½ ins. in the Long Jump and 40 ft. 8 ins. in the Triple Jump. B. Lawler recorded 8 ft. 6 ins. in the Pole Vault, 15.8 in the 120 Yards Hurdles, 5 ft. 7 ins. in the High Jump and 91 ft. 0 ins. in the Discus Throw. Other athletes who performed well were D. Cossart, 8.16.3 in the 1 Mile Walk; L. Tapfield, 27.9 in the 220 Yards Hurdles; and J. Nobbs, 116 ft. 8½ ins. in the Javelin. J. Hudleston, G. Lloyd, I. Ison, I. Coyle, P. Levy, W. Jordan, A. Staples, J. Williams and B. Arch also scored points in this grade.

#### **Under 15, Division II.**

The under 15 team won the Inter-club Premiership on the last day of the finals, after trailing 60-72. It was the team spirit of the boys which enabled them to win by the narrow margin of four points, and had not each boy done what was asked of him, the team would have been beaten. On the last day we only won three of the seven events contested, excluding the Relay, but depth in all events enabled us to bridge the gap.

Perhaps the most outstanding athlete was D. Stephenson, who, whilst only 13 years old, recorded 10.6 in the 100 Yards, 24.1 in the 220 Yards and 14.8 in the 120 Yards Low Hurdles. L. Gibson was the most prolific points scorer in this grade with performances of 16 ft. 0 ins. in the Long Jump, 13.2 in the 90 Yards Hurdles, 41 ft. 0 ins. in the Shot Put and 82 ft. 2 ins. in the Discus Throw. He also competed in the 100, 220, 440, High Jump, Triple Jump and 120 Yards Low Hurdles, and scored over 200 points for his club. A. Hilton had excellent performances of 2.13.3 in the 880 Yards and 4.58.9 in the 1 Mile. Another athlete who did not start until the season was well



advanced was S. Crozier, who ran 58.5 for the 440 Yards, jumped 4 ft. 9 ins. in the High Jump, and indicated natural ability in other events. N. Lynch jumped 36 ft. 4½ ins. in the Triple Jump, and H. Williams recorded 9.43 in the 1 Mile Walk. Other athletes who competed in this grade were K. Payne, N. Parker, R. Cheong, R. Gardner, P. Madigan, M. Hourigan, G. Derricott, R. Maddison, M. Byrne, N. Miley, P. Ison, R. Holly and J. Kenny.

Those athletes who fulfilled conditions to qualify for the premier-ship team were D. Stephenson, L. Gibson, N. Lynch, G. Derricott, A. Hilton, H. Williams, M. Byrne, N. Miley, P. Ison, R. Holly and S. Crozier.

### **Under 13, Division III.**

This team was very unlucky to lose the premiership as it was leading 37 to 30 after the first day of the final. G. Bryan was leading in the 220 Yards with about 20 yards to go when he tripped and fell. This unfortunate incident resulted in the team losing the premiership. Geof has been a keen athlete throughout the season and has competed regularly in every event with the exception of the 880 Yards and the 1 Mile. He has had performances of 12.0 for 100 Yards, 29 ft. 4¾ ins. in the Shot Put, 4 ft. 4 ins. in the High Jump and 15 ft. 9 ins. in the Long Jump. P. Walters also competed regularly in these events and when Geof fell in the 220 Yards in the finals, ran through strongly to record 27.4, the fastest time by a St. George athlete in this division. S. Keegan, C. Hunter and K. Warrington formed a strong middle distance team and frequently shared honours gaining first, second and third outright in this division. S. Keegan had the best mile performance of 5.26.7, whilst C. Hunter recorded 2.27.5 in the 880 Yards.

The enthusiasm shown by the boys in this team was tremendous. With only three runners required for the 220 Yards and four for the 100 Yards, there were frequently nine or 10 boys wanting a run. Athletes who competed in this division were G. Bryan, K. Warrington, J. Whelan, S. Keegan, P. Robson, N. Miley, P. Byrne, R. Osborn, M. Taylor, C. Hunter, P. Walters, S. Wallis, J. Stuart, C. Keeth and R. Warrington.

### **SUB-JUNIOR INTERSTATE CHALLENGE, N.S.W. v. QLD.**

**IN SYDNEY ON 23rd, 24th JANUARY, 1965**

Four St. George athletes were selected to compete in the Team Trials, viz., K. Barber, D. Cossart, L. Tapfield and B. Lawler. Only B. Lawler gained a place in the team and finished third in the 120 Yards Hurdles in 16.0 secs.

### **STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS, 23rd, 24th JANUARY, 1965**

St. George athletes were very prominent in these championships, especially the middle distance events. In the Senior Mile Saints had five out of ten finalists, Albert Thomas winning, M. Rooke fourth, R. Proud fifth, K. Taylor sixth, R. Gribble eighth. In the Senior 880 Yards there were again five St. George finalists. Ron Gribble ran a very creditable second for his first major placing in a State individual championship. We were all disappointed when Ron was not selected for one of the State teams.

Our middle distance strength in depth was shown by the State Relay placings:—

4 x 880 Yards: 1st, Eastern Suburbs, 7m. 49.2s.; 2nd, St. George, 1 (A. Thomas, K. Taylor, R. Gribble, J. Hancock), 7m. 49.2s.; 3rd, St. George 2; 4th, St. George 3.



4 x 1 Mile: 1st, St. George 1 (J. Hancock, M. Rooke, R. Proud, A. Thomas), 16m. 56.8s., State Resident Record; 2nd, Eastern Suburbs, 16m. 57.0s.; 3rd, St. George 2, 17m. 54.4s.



L. to R.: M. ROOKE, R. PROUD, A. THOMAS, J. HANCOCK

Other major placings were:—

#### Senior

1st: A Thomas, 1 Mile, 4m. 05.8s.; 3 Miles, 13m. 44.8s.; 6 Miles, 28m. 30.6s.\*

1st: H. L. Chinnery, Discus Throw, 159ft. 11ins.; Shot Put, 50ft. 7ins.

1st: M. Smith, High Jump, 6ft. 2ins.

2nd: R. Gribble, 880 Yards, 1m. 57.0s.

2nd: P. Lawler, Javelin Throw, 201ft. 3½ins.

3rd: G. Friend, Long Jump, 23ft. 6½ins.

3rd: R. Gribble, G. Hingerty, G. Friend, B. Kelly, 1 Mile Medley Relay, 3m. 36.8s.

\* Note that sectional times of 18m. 50.0s. and 23m. 41.0s. for the 4 and 5 Miles were accepted by the Executive as Club best on record marks.

#### Junior

1st: J. Hancock, 880 Yards, 1m. 55.4s.; 1 Mile, 4m. 16.5s.

1st: R. Seibokas, Javelin Throw, 195ft. 2ins.

1st: P. Dwyer, V. Byrne, B. Clarke, J. Hancock, 4 x 880 Yards; Relay, 7m. 59.4s.

2nd: B. Clarke, 880 Yards, 2m. 1.5s.

3rd: V. Byrne, 2 Miles, 9m. 41.4s.

#### Sub-Junior, 6/7th February, 1965

1st: P. Dwyer, 1 Mile, 4m. 27.2s.

2nd: B. Lawler, 120 Yards Hurdles, 16.5s.

#### N.S.W. AGE CHAMPIONSHIPS, 20th FEBRUARY, 1965

The following Club members gained major placings in these championships:—

C. Hunter, 2nd, U13, 880 Yards, 2m. 25.4s.

D. Stephenson, 1st, U14, 100 Yards, 11.2s.; 1st, U14, 220 Yards, 24.7s.;

1st, U14, 60 Yards Hurdles, 8.8s.

N. Lynch, 2nd, U14, 880 Yards, 2m. 20.7s.

J. Huddleston, 2nd, U16, 440 Yards, 55.1s.

L. Tapfield, 2nd, U16, 90 Yards Hurdles, 12.3s.

K. Barber, 3rd, U16, Long Jump, 18ft. 10½ins.



## INTERSTATE MATCH, N.S.W. v. VICTORIA, 13th, 14th FEBRUARY, 1965

Five Club athletes were in the State Team which made the trip to Melbourne. In the match Albert Thomas fared the best with a first in the Mile, recording 4m. 5.1secs. Len Chinnery was placed second and third respectively in the Shot Put and Discus Throw with distances of 51ft. 4½ins. and 156ft. 4ins. Peter Lawler, fourth in the Javelin Throw with 202ft. 4½ins.; Maurice Smith, fifth in the High Jump, clearing 6ft. 2ins., and John Hancock fifth in 880 Yards, were the other members of the team.

## AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS AT HOBART 20th and 21st February, 1965

A. Thomas, L. Chinnery, P. Lawler, M. Smith, J. Hancock and R. Seibokas were selected in the State Team. This is the first time the N.S.W. Association has sent an official Junior Team to the Australian Championships and the only juniors having their expenses paid were Hancock and Seibokas. Both of these athletes performed extremely well for their State. John Hancock won the Junior Mile in fine style in 4m. 13.8secs. and finished third in the Junior 880 Yards to record 1m. 53.5s. Bob Seibokas threw 207ft. 3ins. in the Senior Javelin event to be placed seventh, whilst his best throw in the Junior event with the lighter implement was 200ft. 1in., which gained him second place.

Peter Lawler, in the Senior Javelin, was placed fifth with a throw of 213ft. 7½ins., with the exception of one foul all his throws were over 205ft. Maurice Smith cleared 6ft. 0 ins. with ease, but could not improve on this and was placed eighth in the High Jump.

Albert Thomas contented himself with a second place in the 3 Mile event, the time 14m. 8.8s., being indicative of the conditions. The next day Alby turned it on with a strong finish to take his fourth Australian Mile Title, time 4m. 5.9s. Len Chinnery found it necessary to withdraw from the team for personal reasons, which was a disappointment to him and to us.

## HURSTVILLE OVAL

This year has seen a vast improvement in the condition of the Hurstville Oval tracks and due credit must go to the groundsmen. Attendance by younger members has been very good and the competition keen, although there was a falling off of sub-juniors during and after the examination period. It was gratifying to see our senior sprinters and jumpers, viz., Maurice Smith, George Gunnee, Mike Benney, Lindsay Jolliffe, Dennis Jolliffe, competing on Tuesday nights.

## POINT SCORE — HURSTVILLE OVAL

Sub-Juvenile		Juvenile	
1st, P. Walters	69 pts.	1st, L. Gibson	56 pts.
2nd, S. Keegan	52 pts.	2nd, K. Gibson	46 pts.
3rd, G. Bryan	40 pts.	3rd, R. Mayer	38 pts.
Sub-Junior		Open	
1st, K. Barber	63 pts.	1st, M. Benny	56 pts.
2nd, G. Hudleston	35 pts.	2nd, M. Smith	54 pts.
3rd, L. Tapfield	33 pts.	3rd, G. Gunnee	42 pts.

## COACHING

Coaching was carried out on Wednesday afternoons between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. and whilst enjoying some success was not as well attended by athletes as hoped. Mr. Roy Patmore was prominent in coaching both boys and girls and was the mainstay during the season. Messrs. George Avery, Doug McBain, Steve Hill, Frank Thornton, Dennis Jolliffe and Jim Heath also did good service in coaching our aspiring athletes.

## MATCH AGAINST SUTHERLAND D.A.A.C., 19th JANUARY, 1965

Hurstville Oval was the venue for this match, which also provided competition for the respective ladies' clubs.

The outstanding performances on the evening were a 4m. 18.8s. mile by John Hancock, which smashed the Club Junior Record; and fine jumping by Maurice Smith, who cleared 6ft. 0ins. to equal the Senior Club High Jump Record.

Final point scores were:—

Open: St. George, 83 points; Sutherland, 31 points.

Sub-Junior: Sutherland, 58 points; St. George, 31 points.

Juvenile: St. George, 51 points; Sutherland, 16 points.

Sub-Junior: St. George, 46 points; Sutherland, 30 points.

## ALBERT THOMAS BEATS ALLEYN GAINSFORD'S 1928 RECORDS ... HURSTVILLE OVAL

By A. Gainsford

When Albert Thomas created many records at Hurstville Oval on 9th March, 1965, he eclipsed all my best on record performances over 7, 8, 9, 10 Miles and 15,000 Metres and also Club records for 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 Miles, 10,000 and 15,000 Metres.

These records were the oldest running records with the Club and I pass to Albert my sincere congratulations for his very fine runs.

My Australian and State records were established at University Oval on 4th September, 1928, and for the sake of the record it was not until 2nd August, 1947, that Don Campbell broke my 10,000 Metres Australian time by running 32.39.8 in his attempt on my 10 Mile time and Dave Power beat my State 7, 8, 9 and 10 Mile times when he ran the 10 Mile in 50.21 on 26/8/56 at the E. S. Marks Ground.

Comparison of Albert's and my times are as follows:—

	Thomas	Gainsford
	M.S.	M.S.
1	4.44	5.24
2	9.37	10.18
3	14.37.3	15.35
5,000	15.9.7	
4	19.40.4	20.56.4
5	24.47.7	26.21
6	29.58.2	31.49
10,000	31.6.4	*†32.58
7	35.12.2	* 37.14.8
8	40.32.3	* 42.41.4
9	45.54.6	* 48.9.2
15,000	47.38.1	*†49.55.4
10	51.0	*†53.31.6

\* Australian records.

† State records, 4/9/28.

## CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

26th January, 9th and 16th February, 1965

The best individual race of these championships was the Senior Mile in which the runners were bunched for the greater part of the distance. Albert Thomas, holding Ross Proud and Mal Rooke at bay to take the title.

John Hancock ran a lone race to take the Junior Mile Title in 4m. 20.4s. John also won the Senior 880 Yards in 1m. 56.4s. A Junior Club Record.



The outstanding Sub-Juvenile was Chris Hunter, who won the 440, 880 and 1 Mile in 65.4s., 2m. 30.1s. and 5m. 33.1s. respectively.

Mal Rooke held the Senior Club 3 Mile record for several weeks after recording 14m. 44.6s. in this event.

## RESULTS

### Senior

100 Yards: M. Smith, B. Kelly, L. Jolliffe, 11.3s.  
220 Yards: G. Friend, G. Gunnee, B. Kelly, 23.3s.  
440 Yards: M. Benney, M. Vollmer, D. Wilson, 54.3s.  
880 Yards: J. Hancock, K. Taylor, J. Bowers, 1m. 56.4s.  
1 Mile: A. Thomas, R. Proud, M. Rooke, 4m. 16s.  
3 Mile: M. Rooke, J. Bowers, R. Gribble, 14m. 44.6s.  
High Jump: M. Smith, L. Jolliffe, D. Jolliffe, 5ft. 8ins.  
Long Jump: G. Friend, D. Jolliffe, M. Smith, 21ft. 7ins.  
Triple Jump: L. Jolliffe, M. Binney, M. Smith, 42ft. 5ins.

### Junior

1 Mile: J. Hancock, P. Dwyer, V. Byrne, 4m. 20.4s.

### Sub-Junior

100 Yards: K. Barber, J. Hudleston, L. Tapfield, 11.4s.  
220 Yards: K. Barber, J. Hudleston, L. Tapfield, 24.4s.  
440 Yards: K. Barber, J. Hudleston, L. Tapfield, 54.9s.  
880 Yards: P. Dwyer, A. Staples, G. Young, 2m. 5s.  
High Jump: J. Nobbs, B. Lawler, 5ft. 4ins.  
Long Jump: K. Barber, B. Lawler, L. Tapfield, 20ft. 6ins.  
Triple Jump: K. Barber, B. Lawler, J. Williams, 40ft. 6ins.  
Shot Put: B. Lawler, L. Tapfield, J. Williams, 33ft. 4ins.

### Juvenile

100 Yards: D. Stephenson, S. Crozier, L. Gibson, 11.4s.  
220 Yards: D. Stephenson, S. Crozier, L. Gibson, 24.3s.  
440 Yards: L. Gibson, N. Lynch, G. Derricott, 60.2s.  
880 Yards: G. Derricott, N. Lynch, E. Maddison, 2m. 15.2s.  
1 Mile: N. Lynch, G. Derricott, M. Hourigan, 5m. 16.2s.  
High Jump: S. Crozier, L. Gibson, K. Gibson, 4ft. 10ins.  
Long Jump: L. Gibson, S. Crozier, H. Williams, 16ft. 1½ins.  
Triple Jump: G. Derricott, H. Williams, L. Gibson, 35ft. 4ins.  
90 Yards Hurdles: L. Gibson, J. Kenny, 13.2s.  
Shot Put: L. Gibson, K. Gibson, P. Gadsby, 40ft. 0ins.

### Sub-Juvenile

100 Yards: G. Bryan, P. Walters, C. Hunter, 12.9s.  
220 Yards: P. Walters, K. Warrington, S. Turner, 30.2s.  
440 Yards: C. Hunter, P. Walters, K. Warrington, 65.4s.  
880 Yards: C. Hunter, K. Warrington, P. Nickerson, 2m. 30.1s.  
1 Mile: C. Hunter, K. Warrington, J. Jones, 5m. 33.1s.  
High Jump: P. Walters, G. Bryan, 4ft. 2ins.  
Long Jump: R. Hempel, P. Walters, P. Foster, 14ft. 4ins.  
90 Yards Hurdles: P. Walters, R. Hempel, 15.0s.  
Shot Put: P. Walters, C. Hunter, P. Nickerson, 26ft. 6ins.

The following club champions were decided on the results of the last two days of Inter-club competition:—

### Senior

Discus Throw: L. Chinnery, 145ft. 0½ins.  
120 Yards Hurdles: M. Smith, 16.1s.  
220 Yards Hurdles: M. Smith, 26.3s.  
Javelin Throw: P. Lawler 203ft. 5ins.  
440 Yards Hurdles: M. Benney, 61.0s.  
Shot Put: L. Chinnery, 50ft. 5½ins.  
3,000 Metres Steeplechase: J. Nodwell, 9m. 59s.

### **Junior**

120 Yards Hurdles: M. Benney, 19.1s.  
220 Yards Hurdles: M. Benney, 27.5s.  
Javelin Throw: R. Seibokas, 200ft. 4ins.  
Shot Put: B. Clarke, 33ft. 0ins.

### **Sub-Junior**

120 Yards Hurdles: B. Lawler, 17.5s.  
220 Yards Hurdles: J. Williams, 29.3s.  
Javelin Throw: J. Nobbs, 94ft. 9ins.  
Pole Vault: B. Lawler, 8ft. 6ins.

### **Juvenile**

Discus Throw: S. Crozier, 69ft. 5ins.

### **SPECIAL AWARDS**

**The Hurstville Council Trophy** — Outstanding Senior Athlete, 1964/65, A. Thomas.  
**The Robert Nash Trophy** — Most Improved Senior Athlete, 1964/65, R. Gribble.  
**The A. L. Blackshaw Trophy** — Outstanding Junior Athlete (Performance, Sportsmanship and Deportment), 1964/65, J. Hancock.  
**The R. A. Jolliffe Trophy** — Most Improved Sub-junior, 1964/65, B. Lawler.  
**The National Fitness Trophy** — Outstanding Sub-junior, Scarborough Park, 1964, V. Byrne.  
**The E. A. Williams Trophy** — Most Improved Juvenile, 1964, Cross Country, N. Lynch.  
**The G. Gosling Trophy** — Outstanding Sub-junior, 1964/65, P. Dwyer.  
**The R. Towers Trophy** — Most Improved Junior, 1964/65, J. Hancock.  
**The G. Page Trophy** — Outstanding Juvenile, 1964, Cross Country, A. Hilton.  
**The A. Gould Trophy** — Outstanding Juvenile, 1964/65, D. Stephenson.

### **The Jim Mitchell Sports Trophy Awards**

**Best Attired Track Athlete**, G. Derricott.  
**Best Attired Distance Athlete**, R. Gribble.  
**The F. Wilson Award** — Outstanding Sub-juvenile, 1964/65, C. Hunter.  
**The J. Heath Awards** — Most Improved Senior Hurdler, M. Smith.  
Most Improved Sub-junior Hurdler, B. Lawler.

## **MATCHES AGAINST MENTONE A.A.C.**

This financial year has seen two track and field matches against Mentone A.A.C. The success of these meetings has been ensured by the enthusiasm of the athletes and the organisation of Mr. John Burne who acted as team manager when we visited Victoria and organiser of the more recent match in Sydney.

Personally, it was a pleasure to be able to sit back and relax with no worries at all about any aspect of the visits.

Our thanks go to the St. George Leagues Club for the manner in which they entertained the Club and its guests on the Saturday night after the more recent match.

The following members billeted a visitor: L. Haward, G. Friend, M. Rooke, V. Byrne, K. Taylor, J. Stammers, G. Derricott, B. Lawler, P. Dwyer, J. Burnett, J. Hancock, R. Nash, J. Bowers, B. Kelly, R. Gribble, F. Wrightson, J. Burne, D. Wilson, G. Page, and we thank them and their parents for making the visitors so welcome.



Below are the reports submitted by Mr. Burne:—

### **VISIT TO MENTONE A.A.C., VICTORIA**

A most enjoyable trip was made on the weekend of the 4th and 5th April, 1964, by 14 members of this Club to an athletic meeting against the abovementioned Mentone Club — even though we were beaten 75 points to 48 points.

The team travelled on the "Southern Aurora", and on arrival in Melbourne were met by Mentone athletes and officials who had arranged for the team to be billeted. The match was held on the Saturday afternoon on the Mentone Club grounds.

One of the main reasons for our defeat at this meeting was the lack of competitors in the pole vault, shot put and javelin events, with only one competitor in some other field games.

Early on Saturday evening the team was given a civic reception by the Mayor and Mayoress of Mordiallac at the Town Hall, after which it broke up into two sections, going either ten-pin bowling or dancing.

Before being returned to the "Southern Aurora" on the Sunday evening, the team was taken on an all-day barbecue to Ferntree Gully in the Dandenongs.

It had previously been decided that the point score for that meeting and all future meetings would be 6, 4, 3 and 1 for track events, and 6 and 3 for field events and relays.

After lengthy discussions it was agreed that there would be only one meeting per year — track meeting at Mentone, 1964; track meeting in Sydney, 1965; and the first cross country meeting in 1966 with the location to be decided.

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate all the members of the team on their gentlemanly behaviour at all times during this visit.

The following athletes made the trip to Victoria:—

John Bowers, Vic Byrne, John Hancock, Brian McMorrine, Brian Kelly, Ron Gribble, Ian Sharp, John Nodwell, Geoff Duxbury, Kevin Taylor, Ray Ewing, Greg Page, Gary Friend, John Burne (Manager).

#### **Performances**

120 yards Hurdles: J. Bowers, 3rd; B. McMorrine, 4th.

2 Miles: J. Nodwell, 3rd; J. Bowers, 4th.

Pole Vault: No competitor.

Shot Put: I. Sharpe, 2nd.

1 Mile Walk: B. McMorrine, 1st; G. Page, 3rd.

100 yards: B. Kelly, 2nd; I. Sharp, 4th.

440 yards: B. Kelly, 3rd; J. Hancock, 4th.

880 yards Invitation: J. Duxbury, 1st.

Long Jump: G. Friend, 1st.

1 Mile: J. Duxbury, 2nd; J. Nodwell, 3rd; J. Hancock, 4th.

4 x 220 yards Relay: B. Kelly, G. Friend, I. Sharpe, R. Gribble, 1st.

### **VISIT OF THE MENTONE AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB Weekend 27th-28th March, 1965**

On the Saturday morning a team of 22 athletes were met at Central Station. In the morning, they were taken to view Sydney from the A.M.P. Building after which they inspected the Opera House. During the afternoon the athletic meet was held at Moore Park Cinder Track over the second series of events in which we were very fortunate to come out the victors. Final points being 78 to 71.

In the evening, the senior members of the team, together with the executives of our Club, were guests of the St. George Leagues Club, which was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone who attended.



On the Sunday, the Mentone lads were taken to Katoomba for a picnic where they went for a walk to the bottom of the Katoomba Falls returning by scenic railway. In the evening they boarded the "Southern Aurora" at 8.00 p.m. for their journey to Melbourne.

On speaking to the Manager, John Clements, and a couple of officials, they expressed their sincere thanks for the manner in which they were treated by our Club during their stay. One point which I would like to make was the lack of enthusiasm and co-operation by several of our own Club athletes, as I felt that for a home side to only win by 7 points in a track meet is very poor.

I would like to thank all the officials and athletes who assisted me, as organiser, to make this weekend a success. Also a thank you to all the Club members who billeted a visitor from the Melbourne Athletic Club.

John Burne, Hon. Organiser.

### RESULTS

- 3,000 Metres Steeplechase Invitation:** 1, T. Boland (E.S.), 9m. 36s.; 2, J. Bowers (St. G.), 9 m. 48.6s. (Club record); 3, V. Byrne (St. G.), 10m. 37.6s.
- 200 yards:** 1, G. Friend (St. G.), 22.8s.; 2, I. Whittaker (Men.); 3, A. Smith (Men.).
- 1 Mile Walk:** 1, R. Smith (Coburg), 9m. 2.3s.; 2, G. Sluce (Men.); 3, L. Haward (St. G.).
- 120 yards Hurdles:** 1, M. Smith, 15.4s.; 2, I. Whittaker (Men.); 3, M. Benney (St. G.).
- High Jump:** 1, M. Smith (St. G.), 5ft. 10in.; 2, L. Jolliffe (St. G.); 3, G. Langton (Men.).
- Discus:** 1, G. Priestley (Men.), 98ft. 5½in.; 2, R. Chesman (Men.); 3, M. Benney (St. G.).
- 880 yards:** 1, M. Dunn (Men.), 1m. 54.0s.; 2, J. Hancock (St. G.); 3, K. Taylor.
- 2 Mile:** 1, M. Rooke (St. G.), 9m. 28.0s.; 2, J. Burnett (St. G.); 3, B. Gerrard (Men.).
- Javelin:** 1, G. Friend (St. G.); 2, A. Smith (Men.); 3, M. Smith (St. G.).
- 440 yards Hurdles:** 1, G. Sluce (Men.), 1m.; 2, M. Benney (St. G.); 3, G. Priestley (Men.).
- Long Jump:** 1, G. Friend (St. G.), 21ft. 1½in.; 2, I. Whittaker (Men.); 3, M. Smith (St. G.).
- 4 x 110 yards Relay:** 1, Mentone, 45.4s.; 2, St. George.

## SOCIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

by A. Gould

The social activities of the Club was severely restricted during the year, owing to the distinct lack of enthusiasm shown by the members.

Several car trials were held, but were complete failures as there were only six cars at each trial.

At the ball last year, although socially and financially successful, attendance was far below the previous year; it is to be hoped that the Club members will rally to this year's ball. I must stress very strongly that if the Social Committee is to function properly, it must have the full support of all members.

Unfortunately, this year the Social Committee was only able to assist the women's and men's club to the extent of £20 each. I would like to thank the Social Committee (Mesdames F. Poynter, M. Lawrence, A. Gorman and Messrs. John Burne, Dennis Jolliffe, Arthur Gould) for their work throughout the year.

I must record with regret the resignation from the Social Committee of Mrs. F. Poynter, Messrs. J. Burne and D. Jolliffe. These three people have served on this Committee for a number of years and are mainly responsible for the tremendous success of our Club balls each year.



We are sorry that they have relinquished their positions, but we thank them very sincerely for their valuable services in the past. I hope that some other Club members will come forward to serve on this Committee which financially is our most important.

D. Wilson.

## CLUB MEMBERSHIP

It is pleasing to report once again that our membership has risen to 212, made up as follows:—

Sub-Juniors .....	107	(68)
Juniors .....	22	(17)
Seniors .....	62	(54)
Officials .....	17	(8)
Life Members .....	4	(4)
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	212	(151)

The figures in brackets represent last year's membership.

## EQUIPMENT

The major purchase during the year was 15 (No.) hurdles which, with the Ladies' Club's hurdles, allow us to conduct hurdle events at Hurstville Oval. Hurstville Council have been very co-operative; a new jump-off board has been installed for the jumping pit, a pole vault box is ready for use next season. Mr. George Carruthers has been instrumental in providing the Club with a quantity of foamed plastic for jumping mats. Rockdale Council have built a jumping pit at Scarborough Park and John Burne is constructing a pole vault box.

Equipment Officer, George Gosling, has maintained our equipment in good order, but will probably call upon some assistance during the winter to renovate items such as hurdles which suffer some damage in handling.

Members are reminded that equipment can not be loaned to individuals for training purposes and it is recommended that where implements are necessary, they be purchased by the individual member. Discounts can be arranged by the Secretary.

## EXECUTIVE

All members of the Executive can be congratulated on a job well done. The major achievement was the drafting of the revised Club constitution which took a number of winter evenings to complete.

Our thanks go to the St. George Rugby Union Football Club for the use of their premises for Club meetings.

The production of our constitution has been possible due to the efforts of Messrs. Carruthers, Gosling and Figgins. Copies of the constitution are available on application to the Secretary.

## A.A.A. OF N.S.W.

Our President, Mr. Gainsford, was re-elected as Senior Vice-President of the Association, and delegate to N.S.W. Olympic Council which in turn re-elected him as one of its members of the Australian Olympic Federation. Mr. George Carruthers who acted as manager of Harrier Board fixtures and also as organiser of the Australian Marathon Championships, did a magnificent job. St. George Club manned two of the four feeding stations for the marathons. Messrs. Barber, Eggleton, Hunter, Short, and Mr. and Mrs. Cossart, acted as officials throughout the track season.

Mr. Doug McBain was appointed as assistant manager-coach of the State team to the Australian Championships.



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## COMMUNITY SERVICE

The Club was asked to assist in the Foundation for Aboriginal Affairs Door-Knock Appeal and five members, Dennis Jolliffe, Vic Byrne, Brian Clarke, John Burne and Denis Wilson, acted as collectors in a section of the Hurstville Municipality. On the occasion of the Winston Churchill Memorial Appeal, response by members was poor, leaving Greg Page and John Bowers, married men with plenty of their own work to do, to do the work of half a dozen or more. Mr. George Carruthers organised collections for this appeal in several sub-divisions of the Rockdale Municipality.

It is most important for a Club of our position to show good community spirit and the members who actively supported both these worthwhile causes are to be congratulated.

## DELEGATES

The elected delegates to the Association and its Board were all conscientious. However, I feel, we are not getting sufficient voice in the affairs of the State body, and I should like to see more of our delegates standing for election to the Executive of the Association and the Boards.

## FINANCE

Our finance position remains very good, although not as rosy as last year. It was not possible to arrange for a bowls day this year, but we are hopeful that this can be accomplished during the next year.

John Bowers once again raised a substantial sum for the Club funds with his refreshments. I would like to thank our Treasurer for his valuable assistance during the year and our Auditor, Mr. R. Towers, for his work on our behalf.

## REPORT FROM U.S.A.

Our four members at Oklahoma City University (Greg Glynn, Ian Sharpe, Jeff Duxbury, David Chisholm) correspond regularly with some of our members, but this report is included to give Club members in general the "latest".

Greg has been throwing over 200ft. in training, but at this stage has not had very much competition. Jeff writes "We had a most successful cross-country and won nine out of nine meets. We won our State championship and went to the nationals in Michigan and Chicago. Our track season has officially been going for about five weeks now and already Dave, Ian and I have chalked out some good performances. I have run a 1.52.3 to date, a 50.8 and have run about three races over a mile in 4.16.0, and also met Ron Clarke at the Mason-Dixon Games (Indoors—Boards) at Louisville, Kentucky. I ran fifth in the mile in 4.16.0. Have won most of my races in Freshman Division. Dave has run a 4.14 mile to date; a 1.57.5 880; and 9.24 2-mile. Dave has been working on speed work lately in an effort to be able to kick at the end of a race."

Ian writes: "My best broad jump so far is only 23ft. 2in., but in four out of six meets have exceeded 23ft. It appears that I will return to Australia as a 440 runner as I have already run 51.1s. and am hopeful of getting under 50s. in the next couple of weeks."

## WALKING

The Club's walking for some years has been extremely weak, but last year it received a boost when Brian McMorris joined the Club. Unfortunately for Brian and the Club, illness over the last year has seriously interfered with his walking, but we hope he will be back to his old form during the coming winter season.



David Cossart, who has developed into a very capable young walker, was selected to compete in the Under 16 Years Jubilee Shield Interstate Schoolboy Walking Championships held on 23rd May, 1964, in Victoria. Although David was disqualified, I am sure he benefited from the experience and we can expect him to continue to improve during his time in Victoria at the Army Apprenticeship School.

Les Haward, a very experienced walker who is willing to coach any aspiring walkers, will be competing in the Walkers' Club winter season.

### **SCARBOROUGH PARK NATIONAL FITNESS ASSOCIATION**

For many years now we have been affiliated with the Scarborough Park National Fitness Association and have used their hall as our cross country season headquarters. The existing hall will shortly be replaced by a much larger structure which will provide better toilet and dressing room accommodation as well as meeting rooms. It is understood that gymnasium equipment will be available.

Rockdale Municipal Council is financing the building programme, but some £2,000 has to be found by the National Fitness Association which will be relying to a large extent on the support of the affiliated organisations, viz., St. George D.A.C., Ramsgate United Football Club and Scarborough Social Club. Your President and Secretary are organising the Building Fund Appeal and all members are asked to support them.

### **ST. GEORGE LADIES' CLUB**

We thank the officials of the Ladies' Club for their assistance in running the Tuesday night competitions at Hurstville Oval. On the occasions of our Schooboy's Championships, the ladies have always lent a much appreciated hand.

The two Clubs have combined in the coaching and social fields to their mutual benefit and we trust this will continue during the next year.

### **CONCLUSION**

It is gratifying to be able to say that the past year has been a year of progress. Much still remains to be done; I would like to see coaching more actively pursued particularly during the winter period.

The help given by the parents of our younger members who acted as officials is much appreciated and I hope more parents will come forward in the next year.

As always, at this time of the year, it is difficult to be able to mention all the people who have directly or indirectly helped the Club during the year, but we are indeed grateful to the donors of our various awards. I also must make special mention of the fine work done by John Burne and Dennis Jolliffe in measuring and mapping all the courses at Scarborough Park.

Personally, I am grateful for the helpful advice received from the older more experienced members of the Club. I feel that at present we have the right blend of experience and youthful enthusiasm.

I thank all members for their support and co-operation throughout the year.

D. WILSON, Hon. General Secretary.

### **RECORDS**

The Club's records list has been expanded with the addition of sub-juvenile (under 13 years) and juvenile (under 15 years) Club records. The former novice (under 14 years) record list has been suspended.

All athletes are reminded that it is their responsibility to inform the Secretary, preferably in writing, when they have equalled or bettered an existing record.



Club records can only be made where St. George Club has complete control, i.e., at the St. George Schoolboys' Championships or Club Championships. Records generally can not be created during Tuesday night track competitions as these are handicap events. The correct procedure, when an athlete wishes to attempt to break a Club record, is for an application, in writing, to be made to the Secretary for the event to be conducted. At least three weeks notice is desirable. In this way, officials can ensure that the event is run under record conditions.

## CLUB RECORDS

### SENIOR BEST ON RECORD REGISTERED IN ANY CLASS OF COMPETITION IN AUSTRALIA

100 Yards	J. Mumford	9.8s.	1937
220 Yards	J. Mumford	21.5s.	1937
440 Yards	J. Mumford	48.4s.	1937
880 Yards	J. Bailey and F. Thornton	1m. 51.8s.	1956-7
1 Mile	A. Thomas	3m. 58.3s.	1964
2 Miles	A. Thomas	8m. 33.0s.	1963
3 Miles	A. Thomas	13m. 20.4s.	1964
4 Miles	A. Thomas (3.2.65)	18m. 50.0s.	1965
5 Miles	A. Thomas (3.2.65)	23m. 41.0s.	1965
6 Miles	A. Thomas	28m. 21.0s.	1957
7 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	35m. 12.2s.	1965
8 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	40m. 32.4s.	1965
9 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	45m. 54.6s.	1965
10 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	51m. 00.0s.	1965
1 Mile Walk	E. Austen	6m. 45.0s.	1924
3 Miles Walk	E. Austen	22m. 13.0s.	1924
7 Miles Walk	E. Austen	55m. 49.2s.	1924
120 Yards Hurdles	J. Lester	14.5s.	1957
220 Yards Hurdles	G. Gedge	23.9s.	1950
440 Yards Hurdles	G. Gedge	53.6s.	1952
Long Jump	B. C. Dickinson	24ft. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	1938
Hop, Step and Jump	B. C. Dickinson	51ft. 3 $\frac{7}{8}$ in.	1935
High Jump	N. Meredith	6ft. 7in.	1963
Pole Vault	F. Barchmann	12ft. 0in.	1962
	C. Oates	12ft. 0in.	1948
	F. Eggleton	150ft. 4in.	1958
Hammer (16-lbs.)	H. L. Chinnery	165ft. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	1962
Discus	H. L. Chinnery	53ft. 1in.	1964
Shot Put	P. Lawler (20.2.65)	213ft. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	1965
Javelin	A. Thomas	2hr. 29m. 4s.	1963
Marathon	A. Thomas	8m. 1.4s.	1960
3,000 Metres	A. Thomas	13m. 50.0s.	1964
5,000 Metres	A. Thomas	29m. 23s.	1956
10,000 Metres	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	47m. 38.2s.	1965
15,000 Metres	A. Thomas	3m. 42.6s.	1964
1,500 Metres			
3,000 Metres			
Steeplechase	D. Chisholm	9m. 8s.	1962
Mile Medley Relay	D. Wilson, F. Thornton, J. Burne, M. Miles	3m. 28.3s.	1959
50 Kilometres Walk	R. Hingston (30.10.26)	5hr. 45m. 21.8s.	1926
4 x 880 Relay	A. Thomas, D. Wilson, F. Thornton, J. Burne (24.1.59)	7m. 46.8s.	1959
4 x 1 Mile Relay	J. Hancock, M. Rooke, R. Proud, A. Thomas (6.2.65)	16m. 56.8s.	1965

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# SENIOR CLUB RECORDS REGISTERED WHERE ST. GEORGE CLUB HAS COMPLETE CONTROL

100 Yards	G. Gedge	10.1s.	1953
220 Yards	G. Gedge	22.3s.	1951
440 Yards	G. Gedge	49.8s.	1955
880 Yards	J. Duxbury	1m. 55.7s.	1957
1 Mile	A. Thomas	4m. 7.8s.	1961
2 Miles	A. Thomas	9m. 17.0s.	1955
3 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	14m. 37.4s.	1965
4 Miles	A. Thomas	19m. 15.8s.	1955
5 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	24m. 47.8s.	1965
6 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	29m. 58.2s.	1965
7 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	35m. 12.2s.	1965
8 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	40m. 32.4s.	1965
9 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	45m. 54.6s.	1965
10 Miles	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	51m. 00.0s.	1965
1 Mile Walk	E. Austen	7m. 15.0s.	1924
3 Miles Walk	C. Laughton	23m. 44.6s.	1928
120 Yards Hurdles	B. Stubbs	15.3s.	1955
220 Yards Hurdles	G. Gedge	24.0s.	1951
440 Yards Hurdles	M. Miles	57.6s.	1957
Long Jump	B. C. Dickinson	23ft. 4 1/2 in.	1939
Hop, Step and Jump	B. C. Dickinson	48ft. 0 in.	1937
High Jump	N. Meredith	6ft. 0 in.	1962
	M. Smith (19.1.65)	6ft. 0 in.	1965
Pole Vault	C. Oates	11ft. 0 in.	1948
Hammer (16-lbs.)	F. Eggleton	123ft. 0 in.	1955
Shot Put (16-lbs.)	H. L. Chinnery	49ft. 9 in.	1962
Discus	W. Mackenzie	128ft. 10 1/2 in.	1936
Javelin	A. Hakelis	185ft. 8 in.	1956
5,000 Metres	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	15m. 9.7s.	1965
10,000 Metres	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	31m. 6.4s.	1965
15,000 Metres	A. Thomas (9.3.65)	47m. 38.2s.	1965
3,000 Metres			
Steeplechase	J. Bowers (27.3.65)	9m. 48.6s.	1965

## JUNIOR BEST ON RECORD

100 Yards	K. Short	10.1s.	1953
220 Yards	C. Clarke	22.2s.	1954
440 Yards	T. McCarthy	49.6s.	1957
880 Yards	J. Hancock (20.2.65)	1m. 53.5s.	1965
1 Mile	J. Hancock (21.2.65)	4m. 13.8s.	1965
2 Miles	M. Rooke	9m. 27s.	1962
120 Yards Hurdles	K. Short	14.9s.	1954
220 Yards Hurdles	G. Gedge	24.9s.	1949
Long Jump	G. Friend	24ft. 3 in.	1964
Hop, Step and Jump	B. C. Dickinson	48ft. 6 in.	1932
High Jump	N. Meredith	6ft. 4 1/4 in.	1963
Discus	M. Lutton	131ft. 10 1/2 in.	1962
Javelin	G. Glynn	213ft. 7 in.	1963
Shot Put (12-lbs.)	I. Denivon	46ft. 5 1/2 in.	1963
Pole Vault	A. Briggs	10ft. 6 in.	1951
1 Mile Walk	W. McAllister	7m. 18.0s.	1953
1,500 Metres	B. Toovey	4m. 7.4s.	1955
1,500 Metres			
Steeplechase	M. Rooke	4m. 37.0s.	1962
440 Yards Relay	T. Gleeson, T. O'Reilly, G. Gedge, R. Estella	43.4s.	1949
880 Yards Relay	T. Gleeson, T. O'Reilly, G. Gedge, R. Estella	1m. 31.7s.	1949

1 Mile Medley

4 x 880 Yards

D. Wilson, M. Miles, C. Clark,  
K. Short 3m. 30.4s. 1953  
P. Dwyer, V. Byrne, B. Clarke,  
J. Hancock (2.2.65) 7m. 59.4s. 1965

### JUNIOR CLUB RECORDS

100 Yards	K. Short, C. Clark	10.2s.	1953
220 Yards	C. Campbell, G. Gedge	23.2s.	1947-9
440 Yards	F. Thornton	53.1s.	1949
880 Yards	J. Hancock (9.2.65)	1m. 56.4s.	1965
1 Mile	J. Hancock (19.1.65)	4m. 18.8s.	1965
2 Miles	K. Taylor	9m. 47.4s.	1959
120 Yards Hurdles	B. Webb	15.1s.	1957
220 Yards Hurdles	B. Miles, J. Lester	25.7s.	1956
Long Jump	P. Ford	22ft. 0in.	1947
Hop, Step and Jump	B. Dickinson	46ft. 0in.	1933
High Jump	N. Meredith	6ft. 0in.	1961
Discus	M. Lutton	131ft. 0in.	1963
Javelin	G. Glynn	192ft. 1in.	1963
Shot Put (12-lbs.)	G. Glynn	45ft. 0in.	1962
Pole Vault	E. Watson, H. Briggs	9ft. 6in.	1944
	J. Tasker	9ft. 6in.	1963

### SUB-JUNIOR BEST ON RECORD

100 Yards	C. Chamberlain	10.0s.	1954
220 Yards	K. Short	23.2s.	1952
440 Yards	R. Jolliffe	51.7s.	1957
880 Yards	R. Jolliffe	2m. 00.1s.	1957
1 Mile	J. Hancock	4m. 30.1s.	1963
90 Yards Hurdles	K. Short, J. Lester	11.2s.	1952-4
120 Yards Hurdles	B. Lawler (3.1.65)	15.3s.	1965
220 Yards Hurdles	S. Clark (15.2.64)	26.4s.	1964
High Jump	D. Jolliffe	5ft. 8in.	1954
Long Jump	D. Jolliffe	21ft. 8½in.	1954
Hop, Step and Jump	D. Jolliffe	45ft. 2in.	1954
Shot Put (8-lbs.)	P. Phillips	61ft. 10¼in.	1959
1 Mile Walk	J. Thomas	7m. 58.3s.	1962
Discus	B. Lawler (19.12.64)	91ft. 0in.	1964
Javelin	R. Penfold (18.1.64)	162ft. 4in.	1964
Pole Vault	B. Lawler (9.1.65)	8ft. 6in.	1965

### SUB-JUNIOR CLUB RECORDS

100 Yards	C. Chamberlain	10.0s.	1954
220 Yards	K. Short	23.2s.	1952
440 Yards	D. Harvison	53.8s.	1948
880 Yards	P. Dwyer (12.9.64)	2m. 00.5s.	1964
1 Mile	R. Jolliffe	4m. 41.4s.	1957
90 Yards Hurdles	K. Short	11.5s.	1952
High Jump	L. Jolliffe	5ft. 8in.	1958
Hop, Step and Jump	D. Jolliffe	45ft. 2in.	1954
Long Jump	D. Jolliffe	21ft. 8½in.	1954
Shot Put (8-lbs.)	P. Phillips	58ft. 9in.	1959

### JUVENILE CLUB RECORDS (Comm. 1964)

100 Yards	D. Stephenson (12.9.64)	10.7s.	1964
220 Yards	D. Stephenson (9.2.65)	24.3s.	1965
440 Yards	L. Gibson (16.2.65)	60.2s.	1965
880 Yards	G. Derricott (9.2.65)	2m. 15.2s.	1965
1 Mile	N. Lynch (20.1.65)	5m. 16.2s.	1965
High Jump	B. Stubbs	5ft. 0in.	1950
Long Jump	B. Bushnell	16ft. 11in.	1960



Hop, Step and Jump	G. Derricott (16.2.65)	35ft. 4in.	1965
90 Yards Hurdles	L. Gibson (9.2.65)	13.2s.	1965
Shot Put (6-lbs.)	L. Gibson (16.2.65)	40ft. 0in.	1965

#### SUB-JUVENILE CLUB RECORDS (Comm. 1964)

100 Yards	G. Bryan (26.1.65)	12.9s.	1965
220 Yards	P. Walters (9.2.65)	30.2s.	1965
440 Yards	C. Hunter (16.2.65)	65.4s.	1965
880 Yards	C. Hunter (9.2.65)	2m. 30.1s.	1965
1 Mile	C. Hunter (26.1.65)	5m. 33.1s.	1965
High Jump	P. Walters (26.1.65)	4ft. 2in.	1965
Long Jump	R. Hempel (9.2.65)	14ft. 4in.	1965
90 Yards Hurdles	P. Walters (9.2.65)	15.0s.	1965
Shot Put (6-lbs.)	P. Walters (16.2.65)	26ft. 6in.	1965

#### SENIOR BESTS ON RECORD

#### OVERSEAS AND CLUB OVERSEAS REPRESENTATIVES

10,000 Metres C.C.	C. Weeks	Wellington	1925
10,000 Metres Walk	E. E. Austen (disqual.)	Paris	1924
10,000 Metres C.C.	A. A. Gainsford	Wellington	1925
Hop, Step and Jump	B. C. Dickinson	Berlin	1936
440 Yards Hurdles	G. Gedge, 53.9s.	Auckland	1950
Marathon	C. Smeal, 2hr. 52m. 23s.	Helsinki	1952
880 Yards	J. Bailey, 1m. 48.8s.	Los Angeles	1956
1 Mile	J. Bailey, 3m. 58.1s.	Los Angeles	1956
1 Mile	A. Thomas, 3m. 58.6s.	Dublin	1958
2 Miles	A. Thomas, 8m. 32s.	Dublin*	1958
3 Miles	A. Thomas, 13m. 10.8s.	Dublin*	1958
1,500 Metres	A. Thomas, 3m. 42s.	Sweden	1958
1,500 Metres	A. Thomas, 3m. 46.8s.	Rome	1960
3,000 Metres	A. Thomas, 8m. 5.2s.	Helsinki	1958
5,000 Metres	A. Thomas, 14m. 6.2s.	Rome	1960

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**Statement of Receipts and Payments for the year ended 31st March, 1965**

RECEIPTS				PAYMENTS			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Cash at Bank as at 1-4-64 .....	220	12	10	Printing, Postage and Stationery .....	107	4	0
Cash on Hand as at 1-4-64 .....	41	0	0	Phone .....	23	2	4
Petty Cash on hand as at 1-4-64 .....	3	11	0	Affiliation Fees and Registrations to A.A.A. ....	94	12	0
				Promotions—			
Annual Subscriptions .....	178	5	0	Schoolboy Championships—Track .....	17	9	6
Donations .....	31	18	0	Hire of Hurstville Oval, 1964-65 .....	50	0	0
Promotions—				Hire of Hall, Scarborough Park .....	7	10	0
Social Fund .....	20	0	0	Entries in Opens, State Championships, Relays and Interclub Teams .....	33	0	0
Refreshments—J. Bowers .....	35	0	0				
Refreshments—Other .....	13	8			107	19	6
Schoolboy Championships—Track .....	58	7	0	General—			
Schoolboy Championships—C.C. ....	4	19	6	Rentals .....	14	7	
Refund of Gate Takings—Hurstville Oval, 1963-64 Season .....	32	15	4	Donations in lieu of Rentals .....	5	8	0
Share of Loss on Carnival received from Sutherland D.A.A.C. ....	5	2	7	Other Donations, Presentations and Wreaths	13	9	0
Hurstville Oval Gate Takings, 1964-65 .....	110	8	6	Trophies and Open Orders .....	40	13	11
Competition—C.C. ....	20	9	0	Purchase of Pennants .....	2	15	2
Share of Rental of Hall—Scarborough Park, by St. George D.W.A.A.C. ....	10	0		Purchase of Equipment .....	43	4	2
Entries in Opens and State Championships	19	15	0	Hire, Repairs and Maintenance of Equip- ment .....	11	5	0
				Purchase of Refreshments .....	1	9	4
	308	0	7	Team Expenses, Hobart .....	45	0	0
General—				Refund to St. George D.W.A.A.C. re Cost of Badges .....	24	10	0
Sale of Badges .....	18	14	6				



Sale of Club History Books .....	10	0	
Sale of Athletic Magazines—Commission ..	1	15	3
Bank Interest .....	6	16	8
Arrears of Subscriptions .....	2	15	0
Fund for Entertainment on Bowls Day, 1963-64 .....	18	18	0
Reimbursement from A.A.A. for repairs of Shield .....	1	15	0
			<u>51 4 5</u>
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Alterations to Badges .....	13	8	6
Bowls Day Entertainment Expenses .....	25	8	0
Entertainment Expenses, Mentone A.A.C. ..	22	18	0
			<u>250 3 8</u>
Cash at Bank as at 31-3-65 .....	234	0	8
Cash on Hand as at 31-3-65 .....	13	7	2
Petty Cash on Hand as at 31-3-65 .....	4	2	6
			<u>251 10 4</u>
			<u>£834 11 10</u>

### Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 1965

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#### LIABILITIES

	£	s.	d.
Club Funds .....	479	0	4
Sundry Creditors .....	12	10	0
			<u>£491 10 4</u>

#### ASSETS

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Equipment .....	250	0	0			
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				225	0	0
Sundry Debtors .....				15	0	0
Cash at Bank .....	234	0	8			
Cash on Hand .....	13	7	2			
Petty Cash on Hand .....	4	2	6			
				251	10	4
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