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THE THIRTY-FIRST

ANNUAL

General Meeting

WILL BE HELD AT

AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB, EQUITABLE BUILDING,
MELBOURNE,

ON

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23rd, 1907,

AT EIGHT P.M.

BUSINESS :

- To receive Annual Report and Balance Sheet.
- To elect Office Bearers, viz.. Patrons, President,
eight Vice-Presidents, Hon. Treasurer, Hon.
Secretary, two Hon. Auditors.
- Presentation of Championship Medals.

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Joint Hon. Secretaries.

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Colac	Cobram
Corio Bay	Yarrowonga

To the Members of the Victorian Rowing Association.

GENTLEMEN—

Your Committee has pleasure in presenting to you the Thirty-First Annual Report and Balance Sheet.

OPENING OF THE SEASON.

The formal opening of the Season, 1906-7, took place on the Upper Yarra on Saturday, October 6th 1906, when combination eight-oar races were held. A very satisfactory entry, totalling 128, was received, from which 16 crews were formed, and after an afternoon's interesting racing, the winners proved to be :— H. Brasch (M.) stroke, D. Cameron (M.) 7, R. G. Ball (B.) 6, F. Granter (A.P.) 5, P. C. Dowling (B.) 4, D. Brown (F.) 3, R. Cox (A.P.) 2, E. F. Wilkinson (B.) bow ; and the runners up—J. Lawrence (H.) stroke, G. I. Stevenson (Y.Y.) 7, F. Gaudeon (F.) 6, P. Bishop (M.) 5, C. P. Thomas (C.S.) 4, J. L. Kiddle (C.S.) 3, A. W. Massina (H.) 2, W. Rout (E.) bow.

The coxswains' trophies were won by O. Yandell, J. Rowan, A. Connor.

INTERSTATE EIGHT-OARED CHAMPIONSHIP OF AUSTRALIA.

ROWED AT ADELAIDE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, MAY 4TH, 1907.

The 31st Annual Interstate Eight-Oared Race was held in South Australia (this being the second time in that State since the inauguration of the race), all the States of the Commonwealth being represented. Your representatives consisted of James Donald, Albert Park R.C. (stroke); M. Scott, Albert Park R.C. (7); H. J. Whiting, Albert Park R.C. (6); E. James, Banks R.C. (5); V. H. Gard, Banks R.C. (4); T. Bourke, Ballarat R.C. (3); L. Jones, Mercantile R.C. (2); G. Ferguson, Mercantile R.C. (bow). Emergency, W. C. Low, Albert Park R.C.; coxswain, B. Arnold, Albert Park R.C.

The contest resulted in a win for Victoria after a splendid race; Tasmania being second, Queensland third, New South Wales fourth, Western Australia fifth, and South Australia sixth.

In securing this win we record 25 victories out of the 31 races held since 1878.

The arrangements made for the race were all that could be desired, and the thanks of your Committee are due to the South Australian Rowing Association for the hospitality extended to your representatives while in Adelaide. Your Committee also wish to place on record their appreciation of the services rendered to the Association by the eight-oared crew and sculler, who so worthily upheld the prestige of the State; by the selectors, Messrs. Ainley, Shepherd, and Macfarlane; and by the coach of the eight, Mr. J. M. Macfarlane. Praise is also due to Mr. J. J. Fogarty for his able and tactful management of the trip. The crews were as follow:—

VICTORIA.

Colours—Navy blue, blue caps, white V.

	st.	lb.
G. Ferguson (bow)	10	12
L. Jones (2)	10	6
T. Burke (3)	12	0
V. H. Gard (4)	11	12
E. James (5)	12	0
H. J. Whiting (6)	12	0
M. Scott (7)	12	5
J. Donald (str.)	11	10

Cox—B. Arnold.

Coach—J. Macfarlane

Emergency—W. C. Low.

Average Weight—11 st. 9 lbs.

QUEENSLAND.

Colours—Maroon.

	st.	lb.
J. Sullivan (bow)	10	0
J. Anderson (2)	12	3
J. Corday (3)	10	6
M. Sullivan (4)	10	0
F. Sears (5)	11	0
A. W. Bayley (6)	10	0
G. Anderson (7)	12	0
T. Anderson (str.)	12	0

Cox—A. Thorburn.

Coach—P. Sullivan.

Average Weight—10 st. 13½ lbs.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Colours—Yellow, with black swan.

	st.	lb.
W. J. Taylor (2)	10	2
W. H. Farrar (3)	11	12
A. C. Manuelle (4)	10	3
F. L. Davidson (5)	10	13
W. Witte (6)	11	7
S. A. Mews (7)	11	2
T. J. Lovegrove (str.)	10	5

Cox—M. Pamment.

Coach—F. Shaw.

Emergency—L. J. Jones.

Average Weight—10 st. 11 lbs.

TASMANIA.

Colours—Dark blue, light blue Maltese cross, white caps.

	st.	lb.
S. Pedder (bow)	10	10
T. H. Scarborough (2)	10	8
H. Henley (3)	11	8
F. H. Stephens (4)	11	10
A. Perkins (5)	11	13
D. Munro (6)	11	10
C. B. Whitesides (7)	12	4
M. C. Boniwell (str.)	11	8

Cox—C. Colvin.

Coach—Jas. Coogan.

Average Weight—11 st. 7 lbs.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

Colours—Light blue.

	st.	lb.
F. Lindeman (bow)	11	4
E. R. Barker (2)	11	5
F. Proctor (3)	11	0
S. A. Middleton (4)	12	8
H. Hanenstein (5)	12	8
S. C. Wickham (6)	12	6
F. R. Heron (7)	12	8
J. H. D. Goldie (str.)	11	4

Cox—W. Gray.

Coach—Syd. Edwards.

Emergency—W. H. Kolts.

Average Weight—11 st. 12 lbs.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Colours—White, with claret facings, claret cap.

	st.	lb.
R. F. Richardson (bow)	11	11
H. E. Winterbottom (2)	10	10
F. Angus (3)	11	10
T. C. Kellett (4)	12	0
R. H. Wallman (5)	12	5
T. A. Whyte (6)	12	7
P. W. Kennedy (7)	13	0
C. A. Hamilton (str.)	11	8

Cox—C. T. Heritage.

Coach—J. H. Clouston.

Emergencies—C. James and B. S. Penny.

Average Weight—11 st. 13 lbs.

RECORD OF INTERSTATE RACES.

EIGHTS.

YEAR.	WON BY	OTHER COMPETITORS.	ROWED AT	TIME.	YEAR.	WON BY	OTHER COMPETITORS.	ROWED AT	TIME.
1878	Victoria	N.S.W.	Melbourne	M. S.	1896	Victoria	N.S.W. and Q.	Sydney	M. S.
1879	N.S.W.	Victoria	Sydney	20 6	1897	Victoria	W.A. and Q.	Melbourne	17 10
1880	Victoria	N.S.W.	Melbourne	26 45	1898	Victoria	Queensland	Brisbane	16 1
1881	Victoria	N.S.W.	Sydney	18 12	1899	Victoria	N.S.W., S.A., Q.	Melbourne	14 52
1882	N.S.W.	Victoria	Melbourne	20 47	1900	Victoria	N.S.W., Q., S.A.	Brisbane	15 50
1883	Victoria	N.S.W.	Sydney	18 10	1901	Victoria	N.S.W., Q., S.A.	Sydney	17 14
1884	Victoria	N.S.W.	Melbourne	24 5	1902	Victoria	S.A., Q., W.A., N.S.W.	Adelaide	17 7
1885	N.S.W.	Vic., Tas., & Q.	Sydney	19 28	1903	Victoria	Q., S.A., N.S.W., W.A.	Melbourne	14 27 4-5
1886	Victoria	N.S.W.	Melbourne	18 42½	1904	Victoria	S.A., Q., N.S.W., W.A.	Brisbane	17 17 2-5
1887	Victoria	N.S.W.	Sydney	17 12¾	1905	Victoria	Tas., N.S.W., W.A., S.A., Q.	Sydney	16 25
1888	Victoria	N.S.W.	Melbourne	17 46					
1888	Victoria	N.S.W.	Sydney	16 57					
1889	Victoria	N.S.W.	Melbourne	17 30					
1890	Victoria	Q. and N.S.W.	Sydney	18 45½					

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T. Burke (3)	12	0	H. Henley (3)	11	8
V. H. Gard (4)	11	12	F. H. Stephens (4)	11	10
E. James (5)	12	0	A. Perkins (5)	11	13
H. J. Whiting (6)	12	0	D. Munro (6)	11	10
M. Scott (7)	12	5	C. B. Whitesides (7)	12	4
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R. H. Wallman (5)	12	5
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P. W. Kennedy (7)	13	0
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1889	Victoria	N.S.W.	Melbourne	17 30					
1890	Victoria	Q. and N.S.W.	Sydney	18 45½					
1891	Qu'land	N.S.W. and Vic.	Melbourne	18 45					
1892	Victoria	N.S.W. and Q.	Brisbane	19 23					
1893	N.S.W.	Vic. and Q.	Sydney	18 24					
1894	Victoria	N.S.W. and Q.	Melbourne	16 16½					
1895	Victoria	N.S.W. and Q.	Brisbane						

† Two races were rowed in 1888—in April and November.
‡ Distance, 2½ miles.

FOURS.

YEAR.	ROWED AT	WON BY	OTHER COMPETITORS
1888	Sydney	Victoria	New Zealand, Tasmania, New South Wales
1896	Sydney	Victoria	New Zealand, New South Wales

INTER-STATE SCULLING RACE.

The Inter-State Sculling Race was held at Adelaide on the same day as the Eights, and again resulted in a win for your representative, P. C. Ivens, of the Mercantile Rowing Club; D. Green, New South Wales, being second; E. Jack, Tasmania, third; and J. Hill, Western Australia, fourth. The time was 23 minutes 54 2-5 seconds; and the distance, 3 miles 720 yards.

P. C. IVENS (Victoria) Colors—Navy blue, blue cap, white V 10st. 8lb.
D. GREEN (New South Wales) Colors—Light blue 10st. 6lb.

E. JACK (Tasmania) Colors—Dark blue, light blue Maltese cross, white cap .. 10st. 4lb.
J. HILL (Western Australia) Colors—Yellow, with black swan 10st. 6lb.

WINNERS OF AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP SCULLS

1892	...	Rowed at Brisbane	...	...	M. J. Slack (Queensland)
1895	...	rowed at Brisbane	...	...	E. Powell (Victoria)
1896	...	Rowed at Sydney	...	...	M. J. Slack (Queensland)
1897	...	Rowed at Melbourne	...	...	E. Powell (West Australia)
1898	...	Rowed at Brisbane	...	...	J. J. Daley (New South Wales)
1899	...	Rowed at Melbourne	...	...	A. Dennis (Queensland)
1900	...	Rowed at Brisbane	...	...	M. J. Slack (Queensland)
1901	...	Rowed at Sydney	...	...	J. J. Daley (New South Wales)
1902	...	Rowed at Adelaide	...	...	J. J. Daley (New South Wales)
1903	...	Rowed at Melbourne	...	...	T. H. Bourke (Tasmania)
1904	...	Rowed at Brisbane	...	...	T. H. Bourke (Tasmania)
1905	...	Rowed at Sydney	...	...	T. H. Bourke (Tasmania)
1906	...	Rowed at Perth	...	...	P. C. Ivens (Victoria)
1907	...	Rowed at Adelaide	...	...	P. C. Ivens (Victoria).

INTERSTATE CONFERENCE.

Advantage was taken of the presence in Adelaide of representatives of each State to hold a conference for the arrangement of a new series of races, and to settle other matters in connection with these annual contests. It was decided that during the next six years the races should be held as follows, viz:— 1908 at Melbourne, 1909 at Brisbane, 1910 in Tasmania, 1911 at Sydney, 1912 at Perth, 1913 at Adelaide. Any State failing to be represented in any race shall lose its turn for a race on its own water, with the exception that Queensland is to be exempt from visiting Western Australia, and Western Australia from visiting Queensland. It was also decided that the course for the eights in all States should be 3 miles in length, excepting in Victoria, where it should be 2 miles, and that the course for the Sculling race in all States should be 2½ miles.

It was also resolved to hold a Conference each year, at the time of the Interstate Contests, for general purposes.

CHAMPIONSHIP FOUR-OARED RACE.

Rowed on the Lower Yarra on Saturday, November 17th, 1906. Four crews competed—Mercantile No. 1 Crew, Mercantile No. 2 Crew, Albert Park, and Hawthorn. This race proved a very exciting one, and was eventually won by Mercantile No. 1 Crew, consisting of A. B. Sloan (stroke), H. Lindgren (3), W. Potter (2), P. C. Ivens (bow), A. Wickham (cox); Albert Park being second, Hawthorn third, Mercantile No. 2 Crew fourth.

RECORD OF CHAMPIONSHIP FOUR-OARED RACE.

YEAR.	WON BY	NO. OF CREWS ENTERED.	TIME	
			MIN.	SEC.
1888	Wendouree	4	19	32
1889	Melbourne City	4	19	15
1890	Yarra Yarra	5	19	30
891	Yarra Yarra	4	20	40
1892	Yarra Yarra	5	*18	50
1893	Yarra Yarra	4	19	45
1894	Wendouree	4	20	50
1895	Mercantile	3	17	22
1896	Mercantile	3	18	38
1897	Mercantile	2	19	30
1898-9	Albert Park	1	R.	O.
1899-00	Albert Park	2	17	44
1900-1	Mercantile	2	17	47
1901-2	Mercantile	4	15	32 2-5
1902-3	Albert Park	2	14	47
1903-4	Albert Park	3	16	15 2-5
1904 5	Albert Park	3	14	21
1905-6	Albert Park	3	15	5 2-5
1906-7	Mercantile	4	19	40 2-5

*This race was re-rowed a week later, when the time was 13 min. 12 sec.

CHAMPION PAIR-OARED RACE.

The original date fixed for this event was Saturday, 1st December, 1906, but, owing to a lamentable drowning fatality (referred to later on), the race was postponed until Saturday, January 19th, 1907, and resulted in a win for the Mercantile representatives:—J. J. Fogarty (stroke), H. Lindgren (bow), A. Wickham (cox). The other contestants were South Melbourne, Banks, Albert Park, and Hawthorn, who finished in that order; Bairnsdale, owing to an accident, did not finish.

RECORD OF PREVIOUS RACES.

YEAR.	ROWED AT	WON BY	NO. OF STARTERS.
1900-1901	Ballarat	Mercantile	5
1901-1902	Melbourne	Albert Park	4
1902-1903	Melbourne	Albert Park	4
1903-1904	Melbourne	Albert Park	3
1904-1905	Melbourne	Nagambie	3
1905-1906	Melbourne	Mercantile	5
1906-1907	Melbourne	Mercantile	6

CHAMPION SCULLING RACE.

This event was held on Monday, 28th January, 1907, and was won by P. C. Ivens, of the Mercantile Club, in the record time of 16 min. 29 secs., his only opponent being R. Adam, of the same Club.

Mr. Ivens is to be congratulated on the great record he has attained in this race, viz., six successive wins.

RECORD OF CHAMPIONSHIP SCULLING RACE.

YEAR.	WON BY	CLUB.	NO. OF STARTERS.	TIME	
				MIN.	SECS.
1888	J. C. Fitzgerald	Williamstown	4	12	35
1889	J. H. Kerr	Yarra Yarra	5	22	5
1890	J. C. Fitzgerald	Melbourne City	7	21	10
1891	W. J. Bridson	Wellington (N.Z.)	7	20	52

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CHAMPIONSHIP FOUR-OARED RACE.

Rowed on the Lower Yarra on Saturday, November 17th, 1906. Four crews competed—Mercantile No. 1 Crew, Mercantile No. 2 Crew, Albert Park, and Hawthorn. This race proved a very exciting one, and was eventually won by Mercantile No. 1 Crew, consisting of A. B. Sloan (stroke), H. Lindgren (3), W. Potter (2), P. C. Ivens (bow), A. Wickham (cox); Albert Park being second, Hawthorn third, Mercantile No. 2 Crew fourth.

RECORD OF CHAMPIONSHIP FOUR-OARED RACE.

YEAR.	WON BY	NO. OF CREWS ENTERED.	TIME	
			MIN.	SEC.
1888	Wendouree	4	19	32
1889	Melbourne City	4	19	15
1890	Yarra Yarra	5	19	30
1891	Yarra Yarra	4	20	40
1892	Yarra Yarra	5	*18	50
1893	Yarra Yarra	4	19	45
1894	Wendouree	4	20	50
1895	Mercantile	3	17	22
1896	Mercantile	3	18	38
1897	Mercantile	2	19	30
1898-9	Albert Park	1	R. O.	
1899-00	Albert Park	2	17	44
1900-1	Mercantile	2	17	47
1901-2	Mercantile	4	15	32 2-5
1902-3	Albert Park	2	14	47
1903-4	Albert Park	3	16	15 2-5
1904-5	Albert Park	3	14	21
1905-6	Albert Park	3	15	5 2-5
1906-7	Mercantile	4	19	40 2-5

*This race was re-rowed a week later, when the time was 18 min. 12 sec.

CHAMPION PAIR-OARED RACE.

The original date fixed for this event was Saturday, 1st December, 1906, but, owing to a lamentable drowning fatality (referred to later on), the race was postponed until Saturday, January 19th, 1907, and resulted in a win for the Mercantile representatives:—J. J. Fogarty (stroke), H. Lindgren (bow), A. Wickham (cox). The other contestants were South Melbourne, Banks, Albert Park, and Hawthorn, who finished in that order; Bairnsdale, owing to an accident, did not finish.

RECORD OF PREVIOUS RACES.

YEAR.	ROWED AT	WON BY	NO. OF STARTERS.
1900-1901	Ballarat	Mercantile	5
1901-1902	Melbourne	Albert Park	4
1902-1903	Melbourne	Albert Park	4
1903-1904	Melbourne	Albert Park	3
1904-1905	Melbourne	Nagambie	3
1905-1906	Melbourne	Mercantile	5
1906-1907	Melbourne	Mercantile	6

CHAMPION SCULLING RACE.

This event was held on Monday, 28th January, 1907, and was won by P. C. Ivens, of the Mercantile Club, in the record time of 16 min. 29 secs., his only opponent being R. Adam, of the same Club.

Mr. Ivens is to be congratulated on the great record he has attained in this race, viz., six successive wins.

RECORD OF CHAMPIONSHIP SCULLING RACE.

YEAR.	WON BY	CLUB.	NO. OF STARTERS.	TIME	
				MIN.	SECS.
1888	J. C. Fitzgerald	Williamstown	4	12	35
1889	J. H. Kerr	Yarra Yarra	5	22	5
1890	J. C. Fitzgerald	Melbourne City	7	21	10
1891	W. J. Bridson	Wellington (N.Z.)	7	20	58
1892	M. Slack	Breakfast Creek (Q.)	5	22	46½
1893	J. C. Fitzgerald	Electric Telegraph	2	24	13
1894	W. Dawson	Ballarat	6	22	6
1895	E. Powell	Albert Park	3	28	36½
1896	T. Carlyon	Echuca East	4	26	25½
1897	C. Chapman	Wairewa (N.Z.)	2	23	3
1898-9	C. Donald	Albert Park	2	23	19
1899-00	C. Donald	Albert Park	2	—	—
1900-1	C. Donald	Albert Park	3	*19	7
1901-2	P. C. Ivens	Mercantile	3	*19	19½
1902-3	P. C. Ivens	Mercantile	4	*	—
1903-4	P. C. Ivens	Mercantile	4	*18	0
1904-5	P. C. Ivens	Mercantile	2	*	—
1905-6	P. C. Ivens	Mercantile	2	20	55
1906-7	P. C. Ivens	Mercantile	2	16	29

*Distance, 2½ miles.

CHAMPIONSHIP EIGHT-OARED RACE.

Held on the Lower Yarra on March 23rd, 1907, crews representing Albert Park, Banks, and Mercantile competing. Albert Park, after a most interesting race, succeeded in winning from Banks and Mercantile in that order. The winning crew consisted of J. Donald (stroke), M. Scott (7), C. Donald (6), H. J. Whiting (5), C. H. Kohn (4), W. Low (3), J. R. Corteen (2), H. Green (bow), B. Arnold (cox). Time, a record, 12 min. 20 1-5 sec.

RECORD OF CHAMPIONSHIP EIGHT-OARED RACE.

YEAR.	WON BY	NO. OF CREWS ENTERED.	TIME MIN.	SEC.
1889	Albert Park	3	15	20
1890	Banks	3	17	58
1891	Yarra Yarra	3	18	0
*1892	Yarra Yarra	2	—	—
1893	Yarra Yarra	2	15	44
1894	Wendouree	4	17	6
1895	Yarra Yarra	2	17	32
1896	Mercantile	4	17	17½
1897	Mercantile	3	17	55
1898	Banks	3	18	55
1899	Ballarat	4	21	55
1900	Albert Park	3	14	34
1901	Mercantile	2	14	26
†1902	Albert Park	2	—	—
1903	Albert Park	2	13	2 3-5
1904	Ballarat	4	12	21 1-5
1905	Ballarat	3	12	44
1906	Albert Park	3	13	2
1907	Albert Park	3	12	20 1-5

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ANNUAL REGATTA.

The Annual Regatta was held on the Upper Yarra on Saturday, December 15th, 1906, and proved a very successful one.

RESULTS OF EVENTS.

EVENTS.	WINNERS				OTHER STARTERS.
	CLUB.	NAME.	POSITION.	REMARKS.	
MAIDEN SCULLS	Mercantile	A. Lindblade	..	..	Albert Park, Yarra Yarra and Banks
MAIDEN PAIR	Essendon	H. S. Wight	(bow)	D. McNaughton (stroke)	Ballarat, Nagambie, South Melb., Corio Bay, Mercantile, Albert Park, Seymour, Civil Service, Yarra Yarra, Richmond City.
MAIDEN FOUR	Footscray City	G. Brown D. Gordon	(bow) (2)	H. Homersham (3) A. Hansen (stroke)	Corio Bay, Albert Park, Hawthorn, Yarra Yarra, Essendon, Ballarat City, South Melb., Mercantile, Civil Service
MAIDEN EIGHT	Banks	H. G. McWhinney J. Bowden J. MacMillan G. S. Stogdale	(bow) (2) (3) (4)	G. Thomas (5) V. Gard (6) H. Balding (7) B. Goode (stroke)	Richmond City, Civil Service, University, Mercantile, Old Wesley Collegians, Albert Park, South Melb.
JUNIOR PAIR	Footscray City	F. Gaudeon	(bow)	J. Gaudeon (stroke)	Albert Park, Yarra Yarra, Richmond City, Mercantile, Ballarat, Banks
JUNIOR FOUR	Albert Park	W. Weeks W. Righetti	(bow) (2)	W. Wolter (3) J. Forsyth (stroke)	Civil Service, South Melb.
SENIOR PAIR	South Melb.	R. King	(bow)	A. Richards (stroke)	Mercantile, Banks, Hawthorn, Seymour
SENIOR FOUR	Albert Park	H. Green C. H. Kohn	(bow) (2)	M. G. Scott (3) H. J. Whiting (stroke)	Ballarat, Mercantile

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The following Regattas were also held during the season:—Henley-on-Yarra, Seymour, Nagambie, Colac, Footscray, Upper Yarra, Ballarat, Barwon, Bairnsdale, and Paynesville.

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Bairnsdale	..	8	South Melbourne	..	4
Civil Service	..	2			
JUNIOR PREMIERSHIP.					
Albert Park	..	78	Wendouree	..	36
Footscray City	..	66	Civil Service	..	26
Banks	..	50	Ballarat	..	17
Corio Bay	..	16	Mercantile	..	7
Essendon	..	16	South Melbourne	..	6
Bairnsdale	..	8	Richmond City	..	4
Sandhurst	..	3	Cobram	..	2

RECORD OF PREMIERSHIPS.

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I. P. Hughes ..	12	Rep. Yarra Yarra	A. Secomb ..	6	*Rep. Wendouree
C. McDonell ..	12	Joint Hon. Sec.	T. Davies ..	6	Elected Member
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H. A. Hearn ..	11	Elected Member.	C. Champion ..	6	Rep. Ballarat City
J. W. Wright ..	11	Rep. Hawthorn	M. Moran ..	6	Rep. Footscray City
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D. O'Mahony ..	10	Rep. Albert Park	C. Syle ..	4	*Rep. Richm'd City
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W. O. Willis ..	8	Rep. Old Wes. Col. B. C.	F. Wight ..	1	*Rep. Essendon
G. Upward ..	8	Vice-President	C. Monteath ..	1	Vice-President
A. Moses ..	8	Elected Member	C. E. Dyason ..	1	*Rep. University

*Appointed or resigned during the year.

FINANCIAL.

The financial position of the Association must be deemed very satisfactory, as during the past year your Committee has been called upon to finance exceptional items of expenditure, such as repairs to the boat damaged at Adelaide, the postponement of Champion Pair-Oared Race, and the purchase of a best eight. The heavy expenditure incurred in sending the eight-oared crew to compete at Adelaide was greatly lessened by the handsome donation of £25 voted to the Association by the Melbourne Amateur Regatta Association (Henley).

AFFILIATED CLUBS.

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THANKS.

Your Committee heartily thanks those gentlemen who have given donations and subscriptions to carry on the work of the Association, and whose names will be found in the Balance Sheet; also Mr. G. E. Upward, who again kindly presented the Champion Eight Pennant and for his services as umpire; Mr. Enticott, who officiated as starter in champion races; Mr. Shallard for his services as judge, and Mr. E. T. Bradshaw, who acted as time-keeper at all the champion events; Messrs. Young and Jackson, who placed their rooms at the disposal of your Committee for the purpose of holding meetings, &c.; to the Press for the prominence given to reports of regattas, meetings, &c., and general information calculated to further the interests of the sport; and to Messrs. ^{4 mile} Senior and Geo. Stevenson, the Hon. Auditors to the Association.

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BALANCE SHEET, SEASON 1906-1907.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
To Balance at Bank	£54 2 7
„ Club Contributions— Metropolitan.—	
Season 1905-06.—BALANCES.	
Yarra Yarra, £9 10s.; Essendon, £7 1s. 3s.; Richmond, £5, Hawthorn, £3 15s.; Footscray, £2 15s.; Banks, 12s. 6d.	25 10
Season 1906-07.—ON ACCOUNT.	
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Steamer Receipts	0 17 6
Championship Fours— To Entrance Money	2 0 0
Steamer Receipts	2 2 6
Championship Pairs— To Entrance Money	1 10 0
Steamer Receipts	2 0 0
Championship Eights— To Entrance Money	3 0 0
Opening of Season, Melbourne— By Trophies Paid	£8 8 0
Printing and Expenses	3 4 9
Championship Sculls— By Steamer Hire	6 6 0
Championship Fours— By Steamer Hire	6 6 0
Printing	0 14 0
Championship Pairs— By Steamer Hire	6 6 0
Steamer Hire Postponement	6 6 0
Expenses Bairnsdale Crew, as Agreed	8 1 8
Printing	0 14 0
Championship Eights— By Steamer Hire	6 6 0
Printing	0 16 0
Interstate Races, Adelaide— By Purchase of Best and Best Eight-oar Boat, including Dust Cover Case, Washboards, &c. ..	60 0 0
Advance to Manager	80 0 0
Fares	7 0 0
Purchase of Oars	10 12 6
Hire of Sculling Boat	5 0 0
Freight, Insurance, Wharfage, Repairs	23 5 9
Printing Circulars	0 7 6
Annual Regatta— Trophies Paid	62 13 0
„ Paid, Ships' Gig Races	15 15 0
Printing Programmes	8 2 6
Show Cards, Entry Forms	2 0 6
Refreshments	2 9 6
De Gilio's Band	3 0 0
Signs	1 15 0
Police	0 15 0
Purchase Revolver and Cartridges Erecting Fence, Hire of Stake Boats and Sundries	7 3 6
Competitors' Tickets	2 0 6
Damage to Eight-oar Boat, Adelaide, Season 1905-06	16 15 5
By Repair, Cartage, Freight and Insurance	16 15 5
By Championship Medals	18 3 0
Printing Reports and Balance Sheets	6 14 0
Compensation (C. Stamper) for Loss of Sculling Boat Case in Western Australia, Season 1905-06	2 0 0
Late A. E. Hoof—Wreath and Funeral Notices	1 11 0
Members and Ladies' Tickets	2 12 0
Premiership Certificates	3 3 0
Printing Card, Buchan Trophy and Regatta Ribbons	1 4 6
Envelopes	1 12 0
Amateur Sports' Club—Affiliation Fee	1 1 0
Engraving Nash Shield	0 6 0
Postage, Telegrams, Exchanges, Stationery	11 15 7
Entertaining Interstate Crews passing through Melbourne	1 1 0
Insurance on Victorian Eight-oar Boat, Mercantile Shed	0 9 0
Bank Charge	0 10 0
Cheque Books	0 10 0

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Season 1906-07.—ON ACCOUNT.	
Albert Park, £15; Mercantile, £13 14s. 6d.; Civil Service, £11 4s.; University, £11 2s. 6d.; South Melbourne, £8 10s.; Banks, £6 10s.; Footscray, £2 12s. 6d.; Old Wesley Collegians, £2 10s. ..	71 3 6
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Championship Sculls—	
To Entrance Money	0 7 6
Steamer Receipts	0 17 6
	1 5 0
Championship Fours—	
To Entrance Money	2 0 0
Steamer Receipts	2 2 6
	4 2 6
Championship Pairs—	
To Entrance Money	1 10 0
Steamer Receipts	2 0 0
	3 10 0
Championship Eights—	
To Entrance Money	3 0 0
Steamer Receipts	9 13 6
	12 13 6
Interstate Races, Adelaide—	
To Contributed by Crew—Albert Park, 3 reps., £12; Mercantile, 2 reps. and Sculler, £12; Banks, 2 reps., £9; Ballarat, 1 rep., £5	38 0 0
<i>Carried forward</i> ..	£289 15 4

By Steamer Hire	6 6 0	6 6 0
Championship Fours—		
By Steamer Hire	6 6 0	
Printing	0 14 0	7 0 0
Championship Pairs—		
By Steamer Hire	6 6 0	
Steamer Hire Postponement ..	6 6 0	
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Printing Circulars	0 7 6	186 5 9
Annual Regatta—		
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Damage to Eight-oar Boat, Adelaide, Season 1905-06..		
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Special Amateur Regatta—			
Henry Gyles Turner			
F. Paget, Esq., £2 2s.			
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Sale of Oars, University B.C.		37	1
Manager's Refund—Unexpended Advances		10	0
Damage to Best Eight, Insurances Claimed		11	18
Annual Regatta—			
To Entrance Fees	45	5	0
Registration of Coxswains	9	5	0
To Donated by Shipping Companies for Ships' Gig Races—Victorian Stevedoring and General Contracting Co. Ltd., £2 2s.; Dalgety & Co., £2 2s.; Huddart, Parker, £2 2s.; Union Steamship Co. of N.Z., £2 2s.; John Sanderson & Co., £2 2s.; Howard Smith, £1 1s.; Adelaide Steamship Co., £1 1s.; A.U.S.N., £1 1s.; William Crosby & Co., £1 1s.; McIlwraith, McEacharn, £1 1s.; F. W. Prell & Co., £1 1s.; Jas. Patterson & Co., £1 1s.; John Darling & Son, £1 1s.; Melbourne Steamship Co., £1 1s.; Couche, Calder & Co., £1 1s.	21	0	0
Gate Receipts		4	13
Advertising on Programmes		10	3
Sale of Programmes		8	16
		99	3
Regatta Fees, £2 2s. each—Seymour, Colac, Nagambie, Bairnsdale, Ballarat, Painesville, Barwon, Henley, Upper Yarra, Footscray		21	0
Sale of Rule Books		0	1
H. Rowe, Purchase of Oar, Interstate Crew, 1905		1	0
Fine for Breach of Rules, Cobram R. C.		1	1
Deposit on Application for Reinstatement as an Amateur—			
J. C. Fitzgerald	0	10	0
Wm. Harris	0	10	0
Exchange on Cheques		1	0
		0	2
		£475	2
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ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

LIABILITIES.	ASSETS.
To Balance	By Best and Best Eight-oar Boat and Sundries at Cost
Trophy Order Outstanding	Revolvers and Cartridges
	Annual Regattas—
	Corio Bay Rowing Club — Seasons 1901-2-3-4-5-6-7—Registration of Cox
	Barwon Rowing Club—Seasons 1903-4 5-6-7—Registration of Cox
	Murray Rowing Association—Affiliation Fee
	Outstanding—Club Contributions, 1906-07, approximate
	Balance at Bank
£149 2 10	£149 2 10

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