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ANNUAL REPORT

AND BALANCE SHEET

SEASON 1971-72

THE VICTORIAN ROWING ASSOCIATION

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	Elected	Retires		Elected	Retires
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P. J. Thomson	1970	1972	K. H. McConville	1971	1973
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	Elected	Retires		Elected	Retires
J. W. Bradshaw	1970	1972	R. G. Harding	1971	1973
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E. Woolcock	1970	1972			

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THE VICTORIAN ROWING ASSOCIATION

The Ninety-sixth Annual General Meeting of the Victorian Rowing Association will be held at the Amateur Sports Club of Victoria, 14 McKillop Street, Melbourne 3000, on Saturday, 26th August, 1972, at 8 p.m.

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BUSINESS

1. To confirm the Minutes of the Ninety-fifth Annual General Meeting, held on Saturday, 28th August, 1971.
 2. To receive the Ninety-sixth Annual Report and Balance Sheet.
 3. To elect Office-bearers, viz., President, eight Vice-Presidents and two Honorary Auditors.
 4. Presentation of Premiership Certificates.
 5. Presentation of Championship Medallions.
 6. To consider amendments to the Rules and Regatta Regulations and Laws of Boat Racing, of which due notice of motion has been given.
- (a) Submitted by the Executive Committee:—

RULES

Amend that part of Rule XXXIV relating to relegation in the Junior Premiership by adding after shall be relegated to Second Division" the following clause—

"Notwithstanding anything in the previous paragraphs in relation to promotion and relegation between the First and Second Division for the Junior Premiership the winning club in Second Division or the last club in First Division shall not be promoted or relegated respectively unless the points scored by the winning club in the Second Division exceed the points scored by the last club in First Division."

Amend Rule VII by the addition of Clause (m), viz.:

VII (m) The regatta equipment owned by the Association shall be available for hire by each Regatta Committee at the rates fixed from time to time by the Committee of the Association and subject to the following conditions:

1. Application must be made to the Honorary Secretary of the Association at least 30 days prior to the date of the regatta.
3. The Regatta Committee must arrange for its nominated representative to collect the equipment at a time and place nominated by the Honorary Secretary of the Association and to return the equipment in good order and condition (fair wear excepted) at the time and place nominated by the Honorary Secretary of the Association.

Add Rule XXXV.2—

- (a) A club which at the commencement of the Regatta Racing Season, i.e., 1st September in each year, has less than 10 (10) competitive members may with the approval of the Executive Committee combine with another club which has less than ten (10) competitive members to compete in qualifying regatta races for Lightweight Eights, Lightweight Fours, Maiden Eights, Maiden Fours, Junior Eights, and Junior Fours during the forthcoming Regatta Racing Season.
- (b) The combining clubs must submit a joint application to the Honorary Secretary of the Association not later than fourteen (14) days prior to the closing date of entries for the first regatta at which a crew from the combined clubs wishes to compete.
- (c) The application shall state:—
 1. The competitive members of each club available for selection at 1st September.
 2. The uniform, colours, number and name under which the combined crews shall compete.
 3. The club responsible for submitting entries, making substitutions and paying fees and penalties (if any).

- (d) If subsequent to receiving approval to compete from the Executive Committee either or both clubs recruit new competitive members such additional members shall not cancel the approval for the competition of the combined crew or crews of the two clubs for the remainder of the season.
- (e) Clubs which have been granted permission to combine for a Regatta Racing Season shall not during the course of such season be permitted to combine with any other club.
- (f) Entries for Championship events from the combined clubs shall be accepted as being an entry from one club.
- (g) Premiership points shall be awarded according to club representation in the combined crews.

REGATTA REGULATIONS AND LAWS OF BOAT RACING.

Regulation 7.

Delete that part of Regulation No. 7 referring to Non-starters and substitute therefor:

Non-starters in any event must notify the Secretary of the Regatta.

Penalties:

1. Non-starters who notify the Regatta Secretary before the day of the regatta — No Fine.
2. Non-starters who notify the Regatta Secretary on the day of the regatta more than one hour before the time fixed for starting such event — Fine up to \$2.
3. Non-starters who notify the Regatta Secretary within one hour of the time fixed for starting such event — Fine up to \$5.
4. Non-starters who fail to notify the Regatta Secretary of their scratching — Fine up to \$10.

Regulation 6 (f).

Amend the last sentence to read:—

The entrance fee for each competitor, including the aforementioned levy in any race rowed under these regulations and laws or under the control or with the approval of the Association shall not exceed \$1.00 and shall not be less than 30 cents.

Regulation 28 (b).

Amend to read:—

Regatta Association shall provide a trophy order on trophy to a minimum value of five (5) times the amount of entry fee paid per oarsman for each oarsman and coxswain of the winning crew in each event provided that no trophy order or trophy shall be of a value less than \$3.

Add Regulation 26 (c)—

- (i) A crew competing in a qualifying regatta race for which such crew is ineligible under the Rules of the Association shall be disqualified and lose any premiership points it may have won in such race for which it is ineligible and the club shall return the trophies or the equivalent value thereof to the Association for presentation to any other club which may be adjudged the winner.
- (ii) If because the qualifying regatta race for which such crew is ineligible under the Rules of the Association was conducted in heats and any other competitor was deprived of the opportunity of contesting the final, resulting in the event being declared NO RACE, the club responsible for boating the ineligible crew shall be debited with the number of premiership points which another club has been deprived of the opportunity of winning and the trophies or equivalent value thereof shall be returned to the Regatta Committee, who shall return the entry fees to all competing crews which were eligible to start in the event which was declared NO RACE.
- (iii) A club represented by a competing crew in a qualifying regatta race for which such crew is ineligible under the Rules of the Association shall be fined \$10 in respect of each crew.

- (b) Submitted by Banks Rowing Club—
REGATTA REGULATIONS AND LAWS OF BOAT RACING.

Regulation 2 (x).

Amend to read—

Anyone who has been in a winning representative Interstate crew, or who has been in a crew which won a National Championship, or who has been selected in a representative National crew (except where the event won or selected for, respectively, was for a restricted class such as school, college, university, junior, lightweight or under-age) shall not be eligible to row in a junior, maiden or novice race.

7. Honoraria.
8. General Business.

As due notice has not been given,, no further motions may be submitted, but recommendations may be made to the Committee. All members of the Association are eligible to attend the Annual General Meeting.

W. J. WATERFIELD, Honorary Secretary.

22nd July, 1972.

NINETY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT AND BALANCE SHEET OF THE VICTORIAN ROWING ASSOCIATION

To the Members, Victorian Rowing Association.

Gentlemen,

Your Committee takes pleasure in presenting the Ninety-sixth Annual Report, together with the audited Balance Sheet and Accounts for the year ended 30th June, 1972.

The year under review was both busy and successful on the local scene, but a little disappointing from the inter-State aspect. At the King's Cup regatta, held on the Huon River at Franklin, Tasmania, the eight-oared crew was overshadowed by a classy crew from New South Wales, and the sculler went down to the New South Wales sculler; however, the lightweight four-oared crew managed to keep the flag flying when they led from start to finish to win the Penrith Cup.

At the National Regatta held on Lake Kurwongbah at Petrie, Queensland, Victorian crews were only successful in winning the Coxed Pair-oared and Lightweight Eight-oared events.

Two Victorian oarsmen, K. P. Jelbart and W. J. Baillieu, have been selected in the rowing team to represent Australia at the XX Olympiad at Munich in August, 1972, and we are confident that they will acquit themselves well, and we wish all of the team every success in their quest for Olympic gold.

Monash University are to be congratulated on retaining the Oxford and Cambridge Cup at the Inter-Varsity regatta held at Taree, New South Wales.

Melbourne University are also to be congratulated on winning the Sir Fred. J. Schonnell Cup for lightweight fours, for the fourth consecutive time, at the same regatta.

The State Senior and Junior First Division Premierships were won by Mercantile Rowing Club, and your congratulations are extended to the Club.

Congratulations are extended to Melbourne University Boat Club for winning the Lightweight Premiership.

Footscray City Rowing Club won the Junior Second Division Premiership and will graduate to the Junior First Division for the coming season, and congratulations are extended for their successful efforts.

The Australian Rowing Council, through its members, and in particular its Honorary Secretary, Mr. R. G. Blundstone, O.B.E., and our delegate, Mr. A. W. McLiesh, again did their utmost to promote the sport of rowing in this country, and the present international standing of the sport is tangible evidence of the results of their work. The thanks of the Association are extended to the aforementioned persons.

Early in the season a fire completely destroyed the Footscray City Rowing Club shed and fleet, but members of the club, and other Association clubs, especially Essendon Rowing Club, have taken action to alleviate some of the needs which have arisen as a result of the fire, and they are all to be commended for their efforts.

During the season it was most encouraging to have the Bendigo Rowing Club conduct a successful non-qualifying regatta, their first for many years, and we look forward to greater things from this club in the future.

The season closed on a bright note with the announcement that a new rowing club had been formed at Horsham, and we eagerly await its development and wish it success.

Members of the Old Oarsmen's Association continued their support of your Association and we are indeed lucky to have such a fine body of "retired" oarsmen who continue to be interested in the sport, and who show that interest by their attendance at regattas and by their donations to the Association and Victorian crews. Your thanks are offered to the members and executive of the Old Oarsmen's Association.

Set out below is a table showing the membership of the Association over the past five years:

	1971-72	1970-71	1969-70	1968-69	1967-68
Metropolitan	1422	1433	1478	1568	1542
Country	748	650	690	620	628
	<u>2170</u>	<u>2083</u>	<u>2168</u>	<u>2188</u>	<u>2170</u>

It is pleasing to note the increase in membership of country clubs, and it is hoped to see a like improvement from metropolitan clubs during the coming season.

A more detailed review of the season's activities is set out below:

AUSTRALIAN EIGHT-OARED CHAMPIONSHIP (THE KING'S CUP)

The King's Cup Regatta was conducted over a 2000 metres course on the Huon River at Franklin, Tasmania. Heats and repechages were held on Friday, 3rd March, and the finals on Saturday, 4th March, 1972.

Conditions were extremely bad for the heats and the finals were rowed into a strong head wind.

Victoria was represented by D. B. Bishop, 13.8 (Monash), bow; D. M. Michelmore, 14.3 (Yarra Yarra), 2; K. P. Jelbart, 14.4 (Monash), 3; W. J. Baillieu, 14.7 (Monash), 4; J. R. Harry, 14.10 (Mercantile), 5; G. H. Boykett, 13.5 (Mercantile), 6; P. M. Guest, 13.12 (Mercantile), 7; D. Palfreyman, 12.10 (Mercantile), stroke; A. E. Maginn (Mercantile), cox; D. G. A. Douglas, 14.10 (Mercantile), and E. C. Vahl Meyer, 13.4 (Monash), emergencies; D. E. Boykett and P. Cayser (Mercantile), joint coaches.

Mr. E. Woolcock, of Yarra Yarra Rowing Club, was manager of the team.

The results of the heats and repechage, held on Friday morning and afternoon respectively, were:—

First Heat: 1st, New South Wales; 2nd, Western Australia; 3rd, Victoria. Time, 6.08.7. Margin, 3.1 sec.

Second Heat: 1st, South Australia; 2nd, Queensland; 3rd, Tasmania. Time, 6.24.37. Margin, 5.24 sec.

Repechage: 1st, Victoria; 2nd, Western Australia; 3rd, Tasmania. Time, 7.39.30. Margin, 3.37 sec.

The Final on Saturday morning was won by New South Wales from Western Australia, Victoria and South Australia in that order. The winning time was 6.53.4. The margins were 6.1 sec. between first and second and 2.3 sec. between second and third.

New South Wales took the lead approaching the 500 metre mark after Western Australia had led narrowly from the start.

Victoria trailed South Australia in last place until half-way, where they began a determined bid to catch the leaders, but New South Wales proved too strong and raced away from all but Western Australia, to record a good win in the head wind conditions.

Following the regatta, the Old Oarsmen's Association conducted their usual Victorian supporters' Buffet dinner to honour our crews.

The traditional picnic was held on the Sunday and both competitors and the strong group of Victorian supporters were able to renew friendships in the accepted King's Cup manner.

The organising committee are to be congratulated on their efficiency and the people of Franklin and Hobart are to be thanked for their generous hospitality.

AUSTRALIAN SCULLING CHAMPIONSHIP (PRESIDENT'S CUP)

K. F. Leach (13 st. 0 lb.), of the Mercantile Rowing Club, was selected to represent Victoria.

Results of the heats and repechage were:—

First Heat: 1st, E. Hale (Tasmania); 2nd, T. McNair (Western Australia); 3rd, N. Talbot (South Australia). Time, 7.21.9. Margin, 8.2 sec.

Second Heat: 1st, K. Leach (Victoria); 2nd, G. Petelin (Queensland); 3rd, I. Lee (New South Wales). Time, 7.32.6. Margin, 15.5 sec.

Repechage: 1st, I. Lee (New South Wales); 2nd, N. Talbot (South Australia); 3rd, T. McNair (Western Australia); 4th, G. Petelin (Queensland). Time, 8.23.6. Margin, 5.8 sec.

In the Final, K. Leach (Victoria) led up to the 1700 metres, but could not withstand the fast finish of I. Lee (New South Wales), who went on to win the race from K. Leach, with E. Hale (Tasmania) 3rd, and N. Talbot (South Australia), 4th. The winning time was 8.16.2 and the winning margin 3.9 sec.

AUSTRALIAN LIGHTWEIGHT FOUR-OARED CHAMPIONSHIP (PENRITH CUP)

Victoria was represented by A. L. Hart (Barwon), bow; J. R. Sykes (Corio Bay) 2; A. G. McKinley (M.U.B.C.), 3; T. C. Johnston (M.U.B.C.), stroke; R. W. England (Monash), cox; P. A. Armitage (Barwon), emergency; S. L. Gladman (Barwon), coach.

Results of the heats and repechage were:—

First Heat: 1st, New South Wales; 2nd, Queensland; 3rd, Tasmania. Time, 7.08.1. Margin, 7.1 sec.

Second Heat: 1st, Victoria; 2nd, South Australia. Time, 7.21.3. Margin, 9.5 sec.

Repechage: 1st, South Australia; 2nd, Queensland; 3rd, Tasmania. Time, 7.58.3. Margin, 2.9 sec.

In the Final, Victoria led all the way to win by 5.3 sec. from New South Wales, with South Australia 3rd and Queensland 4th. The winning time was 7.48.6.

Congratulations are extended to the New South Wales eight and sculler on winning the King's Cup and President's Cup respectively, and to the Victorian crew who retained the Penrith Cup.

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Lake Kurwongbah, Petrie, Queensland. 1st and 3rd April, 1972.

Australian Champion Four with Cox:

1st, Haberfield Composite; 2nd, Joondalup (W.A.); 3rd, Adelaide University.
Time, 6.18.

Australian Champion Four without Cox.

Sydney Composite. Rowover.

Australian Champion Pair with Cox.

1st, Barwon; 2nd, Torrens; 3rd, Lindisfarne. Time, 7.23.2.

Australian Champion Pair without Cox.

1st, Sydney; 2nd, Haberfield-Mosman; 3rd, Corio Bay. Time, 6.50.2.

Australian Champion Double Scull.

1st, Haberfield-Glebe; 2nd, Sydney University-Colleagues. Time, 7.15.6.

Australian Champion Lightweight Eight.

1st, Melbourne University; 2nd, Drummoyne; 3rd, Haberfield. Time, 6.00.6.

Australian Champion Lightweight Four without Cox.

1st, Haberfield; 2nd, Drummoyne; 3rd, Barwon. Time, 6.32.1.

Australian Champion Lightweight Pair without Cox:

1st, Balmain; 2nd, Haberfield; 3rd, Melbourne University. Time, 7.10.1.

Australian Champion Lightweight Single Scull.

1st, Sydney; 2nd, Queensland University; 3rd, Haberfield. Time, 7.24.4.

Australian Champion Lightweight Double Scull.

1st, Haberfield No. 1; 2nd, Balmain; 3rd, Haberfield No. 2. Time, 7.12.5.

Australian Champion Junior Eight:

1st, Sydney University; 2nd, Mosman; 3rd, Lindisfarne. Time, 6.01.8.

Australian Champion Junior Four with Cox.

1st, Nepean; 2nd, Sydney University; 3rd, Wendouree. Time, 6.43.9.

Australian Champion Junior Single Scull.

1st, Sydney University; 2nd, Mercantile; 3rd, Haberfield. Time, 7.49.5.

Australian Champion School Eight.

1st, Aquinas (W.A.); 2nd, B.G.S.; 3rd, B.B.C.

Australian Champion School Four with Cox.

1st, B.B.C.; 2nd, N.S.W. Combined Schools; 3rd, St. Joseph's (Geelong).
Time, 7.00.6.

VICTORIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Victorian Eight-oared Championship (Norwich Shield). (Holders, Monash University Rowing Club.)

Rowed on Lake Wendouree, Ballarat, January 8, 1972. Course, 2000 metres.
Won by Sydney Composite Crew. Time, 5.53.8.

M. Shaw bow, G. Pearce 2, J. Clark 3, R. Paver 4, R. Curtin 5, I. McWhirter 6,
M. Morgan 7, B. Curtin stroke, A. Grover cox, A. R. Callaway coach.

Won by 1 length from Mercantile, with Monash University 3rd, Lindisfarne
(Tas.) 4th, and Yarra Yarra/Mercantile 5th.

Other starters were M.U.B.C. and Banks.

Victorian Four-oared Championship. (Holders, Monash University Rowing Club.)

Rowed on Lake Wendouree, Ballarat, March 13, 1972. Course 2000 metres.
Won by Monash University/Yarra Yarra Composite crew. Time, 7.22.0.

D. M. Michelmore bow, J. G. L. McKeand 2, D. B. Bishop 3, W. J. Baillieu
stroke, R. W. England cox, R. L. Moore coach.

Won by $\frac{3}{4}$ length from Mercantile with M.U.B.C./Yarra Yarra Composite 3rd
and Wendouree 4th.

Victorian Pair-oared Championship. (Holders, Monash University Rowing Club.)

Rowed on Lake Wendouree, Ballarat, March 13, 1972. Course, 2000 metres.
Won by Barwon Rowing Club. Time, 8.21.3.

R. Garrard bow, R. Fitch stroke, 9. Gardner cox.

Won by 3 lengths from Corio Bay No. 1, with Corio Bay No. 2, 3rd and
South Melbourne 4th.

- Victorian Sculling Championship.** (Holder, K. Leach, Mercantile Rowing Club.)
Rowed on Lake Wendouree, Ballarat, January 8, 1972. Course, 2000 metres.
Won by K. Leach, Mercantile Rowing Club, by 1 length from E. Hale (Lindisfarne, Tas.), with J. Sykes (Corio Bay), 3rd; P. Rowe (Haberfield), 4th, and R. Garrard (Mercantile) 5th. Time, 7.20.5.
Other starters were P. Holzer (Mercantile), J. J. Bennett (Banks), R. Reddel (Haberfield), L. Koekoek (Power House), G. Petelin (Commercial), P. F. Edwards (Melbourne) and R. Fitch (Barwon).
- Victorian Junior Eight-oared Championship.** (Holders, Melbourne University Boat Club.)
Rowed on Lake Wendouree, Ballarat, February 19, 1972. Course, 2000 metres.
Won by Mercantile Rowing Club. Time, 6.47.3.
J. Briggs bow, H. Sorg 2, C. Williams 3, P. McNamara 4, P. Benjamin 5, R. Dawson 6, B. Parmenter 7, R. Hochstrasser stroke, C. Jones Cox, K. McConville coach.
Won by 1 length from Melbourne University, with Barwon 3rd, Banks 4th, and Bendigo 5th.
- Victorian Junior Four-oared Championship.** (Holders, Melbourne University Boat Club.)
Rowed on Barwon River, Geelong, December 11, 1971. Course, 2000 metres.
Won by Mercantile Rowing Club.
H. Sorg bow, P. Holzer 2, B. Parmenter 3, R. Dawson stroke, C. Jones Cox, K. McConville coach.
Won by 6 lengths from Essendon, with Wendouree 3rd, and South Melbourne 4th.
Other starters were Monash University, Melbourne University, Bendigo, Torrens, Banks and Power House.
- Victorian Junior Pair-oared Championship.** (Holders, Essendon Rowing Club.)
Rowed on Lake Wendouree, Ballarat, March 13, 1972. Course, 2000 metres.
Won by Barwon Rowing Club. Time, 8.35.0.
J. F. Bateman bow, L. Jjubanovic stroke, R. Gardner Cox.
Won by $\frac{3}{4}$ length from Footscray City, with Mercantile 3rd and Dimboola 4th.
Other starters were Melbourne University, Banks, Bendigo, Hawthorn, Essendon, Ballarat and Wendouree.
- Victorian Lightweight Eight-oared Championship.** (Holders, Melbourne University Boat Club.)
Rowed on Lake Wendouree Ballarat, March 13, 1972. Course, 2000 metres.
Won by Melbourne University Boat Club. Time, 6.56.2.
D. E. Yates bow, I. D. Harbeck 2, R. J. Stewart 3, M. A. Feddersen 4, C. D. Low 5, A. G. Michelmore 6, A. G. McKinley 7, T. C. Johnston stroke, D. B. England Cox, R. Zahara coach.
Won by 2 lengths from Barwon, with Mercantile 3rd and Power House 4th.
- Victorian Lightweight Four-oared Championship.** (Holders, Melbourne University Boat Club.)
Rowed on Lake Wendouree, Ballarat, January 8, 1972. Course, 2000 metres.
Won by Barwon Rowing Club. Time, 6.51.5.
K. M. Chandley bow, P. J. Morgan 2, P. A. Armitage 3, A. L. Hart stroke, G. Hunter Cox, S. L. Gladman coach.
Won by 2 feet from Melbourne University, with Corio Bay 3rd, Torrens 4th, and Buckingham 5th.
Other starters were Haberfield, Footscray City, Melbourne, Murray Bridge, Mercantile, Wendouree, Power House and South Melbourne.
- Victorian Lightweight Pair-oared Championship.** (Holders, Footscray City Rowing Club.)
Rowed on Barwon River, Geelong, December 11, 1971. Course, 2000 metres.
Won by Footscray City Rowing Club.
A. Chalmers bow, R. Hall stroke, M. Kwaitkowski Cox, K. Bourke coach.
Won by 8 lengths from Melbourne, with Melbourne University 3rd and Corio Bay 4th.
Other starters were Wendouree No. 1, Bendigo, Corio Bay No. 2, Wendouree No. 2, Richmond and Power House.

Victorian Lightweight Sculling Championship. (Holder, J. Sykes, Corio Bay Rowing Club.)

Rowed on Barwon River, Geelong, December 11, 1971. Course, 2000 metres.
 Won by J. Sykes, Corio Bay Rowing Club, by $\frac{1}{2}$ length from J. Ward (Rutherglen Lake).

Victorian Country Eight-oared Championship. (Holders, Barwon Rowing Club.)
 Rowed on Barwon River, Geelong, March 18, 1972.

Won by Barwon Rowing Club.
 J. F. Bateman bow, P. J. Morgan 2, P. McHugh 3, L. Ljubanovic 4, J. Murray 5, K. M. Chandley 6, A. L. Hart 7, P. A. Armitage stroke, G. Hunter coach.
 Corio Bay were 2nd, with Bell Park 3rd.

Victorian Country Four-oared Championship. (Holders, Corio Bay Rowing Club.)
 Rowed on Barwon River, Geelong, March 18, 1972.

Won by Barwon Rowing Club.
 K. M. Chandley bow, P. J. Morgan 2, A. L. Hart 3, P. A. Armitage stroke, G. Hunter cox.
 Corio Bay were 2nd.

Victorian Country Pair-oared Championship. (Holders, Corio Bay Rowing Club.)
 Rowed on Barwon River, Geelong, March 18, 1972.

Won by Corio Bay Rowing Club.
 J. R. Sykes bow, J. R. Watt stroke, B. Horney cox.
 Barwon were 2nd, with Dimboola 3rd.

Victorian Country Lightweight Four-oared Championship. (Holders, Barwon Rowing Club.)
 Rowed on Barwon River, Geelong, March 18, 1972.

Won by Barwon Rowing Club.
 K. M. Chandley bow, P. J. Morgan 2, P. A. Armitage 3, A. L. Hart stroke, G. Hunter cox.
 Corio Bay were 2nd, with St. Joseph's 3rd.

PREMIERSHIP POINTS

SENIOR.

	Points	Wins		Points	Wins
Mercantile	66	21	South Melbourne ..	10	3
M.U.B.C.	37	10	Yarra Yarra	9	0
Monash University	36	9	Corio Bay	4	2
Barwon	14	7	Rutherglen	2	2

LIGHTWEIGHT.

	Points	Wins		Points	Wins
M.U.B.C.	52	8	Footscray City	8	3
Barwon	36	6	Wahgunyah	8	2
Mercantile	26	4	Wendouree	8	3
Corio Bay	22	8	Bendigo	6	3
Power House	22	5	Hawthorn	6	2
Melbourne	14	5	South Melbourne ..	2	1

JUNIOR FIRST DIVISION.

	Points	Wins		Points	Wins
Mercantile	190	31	Banks	50	11
Hawthorn	102	26	Barwon	49	12
Bendigo	78	16	Wendouree	46	13
Corio Bay	56	17	M.U.B.C.	32	12
Power House	54	14	Yarra Yarra	26	4

JUNIOR SECOND DIVISION.

	Points	Wins		Points	Wins
Footscray City	36	11	Rutherglen	8	3
Monash University	16	4	Richmond	6	2
South Melbourne	14	4	Wahgunyah	6	2
Albert Park	12	3	Ballarat	4	2
Warrnambool	12	3	Ballarat City	4	1
Essendon	10	3	Dimboola	4	2
Lake Colac	8	2	Latrobe University	4	1
Corowa	8	2	Melbourne	2	1
Preston	8	2			

For the 1972-73 season, Footscray City will move into the Junior First Division and Yarra Yarra will change to the Junior Second Division.

ASSOCIATED PUBLIC SCHOOLS

On Friday and Saturday, 7th and 8th April, the Public Schools' Head of the River Regatta was conducted on the Barwon River, Geelong, and resulted in a fine win by Wesley College. Xavier College and Melbourne Grammar filled 2nd and 3rd places respectively.

Our congratulations are extended to Wesley College and their coach, Mr. A. Mitchell.

VICTORIAN HIGH SCHOOLS

The 20th Annual Regatta was held on the Henley course on Friday, 14th April. The Head of the River race for first crews was won by Bell Park High School. Winning crews in the other events conducted at the regatta are as follows: — Geelong High School (2nd eights), White Hills Technical School (3rd eights), Melbourne High School (1st fours), Yarrowonga High School (2nd fours), Bendigo High School (3rd fours), White Hills Technical School (4th fours), Beaufort High School (5th fours), and Colac High School (6th fours).

Our congratulations are extended to the successful crews in all events.

UNIVERSITY ROWING

Australian Universities' Rowing Championships.

The Championships were held on the Manning River at Taree, N.S.W., with heats and repechages on Friday, 26th May, and the finals on Saturday, 27th May, 1972.

The eight-oared championship for the Oxford and Cambridge Cup was again won by Monash, by 1½ lengths from Sydney, Queensland, Melbourne and Western Australia in the winning time of 7.33.0.

The lightweight four-oared championship for the Sir Fred. J. Schonnell Cup was won by Melbourne, nearly 6 lengths ahead of Queensland, N.S.W., Sydney and Monash.

The coxswainless pair-oared championship for the Carlton and United Goblets was won by Sydney from Melbourne, Adelaide, Queensland and N.S.W. in the winning time of 9.57.0.

The sculling championship for the W. D. and H. O. Wills Trophy was won by the title holder, E. Hale (Tasmania) from P. Hoban (N.S.W.).

Inter-Collegiate Rowing.

The Mervyn Bournes Higgins Trophy for first eights was won by Ormond College with Trinity College 2nd, Queens College 3rd, and Newman College 4th. (Trinity College, winners of the Losers' Final, exercised their right to challenge Queens College, second in the Winners' Final, and defeated Queens College by ½ length.)

The Malcolm Russell Norton Shield for second crews was won for the seventh consecutive year by Ormond College, who defeated Queens College by 1½ lengths in the final.

The Clive Disher Challenge Cup for annual competition between Extra Collegiates and Monash University, was won by Monash University by 2½ lengths.

The John Lang Cup for annual competition between Extra Collegiates and the winning Inter Collegiate first crews was won by Ormond College by 2 lengths. Ormond College second crew defeated the Extra Collegiate second crew by 6 feet.

REGATTA AND CHAMPIONSHIP DATES

SEASON 1972 - 1973.

1972

October

- 7 Preston
- 14 Metropolitan
- 21 Banks

November

- 11 Morwell.
- 18 Dimboola
- 19 V.R.A. Horsham Promotion
- 25 V.R.A. Melbourne.

December

- 2 Upper Yarra
- 9/10 Championships (Senior Four, Senior Pair, Lightweight Eight, Junior Four)
Venue: Ballarat
- 26 Nagambie
- 30 Yarrawonga

1973

January

- 1 Rutherglen
- 20 Universities
- 27 Footscray
- 29 Albert Park (and Champion Junior Pair, Lightweight Pair, Lightweight Scull, Pair without Cox)

1973

February

- 10 Bendigo
- 17 Colac
- 24 Barwon

March

- 3 Henley on Yarra
- 10 Ballarat
- 11/12 Championships (Senior Eight, Senior Scull, Junior Eight, Lightweight Four).
Venue: Ballarat.
- 17 Head of the Yarra
- 24 Yea
- 31 Scotch Mercantile

April

- 6/7 Public Schools' Head of the River
- 14 Public Schools' Junior Regatta.
- 21 Mildura
- 23 Wentworth

May

- 4/5 King's Cup, Murray Bridge, South Australia.

OFFICIALS' PANEL

In recent seasons the number of Regattas on the rowing calendar has increased and it is, of course, the hope and object of your Association that the number of oarsmen competing at these Regattas will also increase. This, in turn, has placed greater demands on the services of the Association's officials and particularly on a limited number of them for, although there are now many members holding Officials Licences, some, through business, family and other reasons, are unable to make themselves available on more than one or two occasions during the year.

The primary object of the Panel and of its officials is to provide the best and fairest racing possible for the competing oarsmen. They are entitled to nothing less.

The Panel believes that there must be many former oarsmen who are unable to devote sufficient time to coaching, but who might give the present oarsmen the benefit of their help and experience as officials. During the year two series of examinations have been held and the Panel is grateful for the support shown by members of the Association. Four new licences were issued following the first series of examinations and the second series were under way as this Report went to press. The Panel is ready to hold further tests at any time when a sufficient number of members are ready to present themselves and those who are interested are urged to get in touch with the Secretary of the Association or with Mr. J. L. Hardie, of the Banks Rowing Club, who has recently been appointed Secretary to the Panel.

AUSTRALIAN AMATEUR ROWING COUNCIL

RESUME OF ACTIVITIES.

Office-bearers:

The following office-bearers were elected:—

President: A. L. Southcott (South Australia).

Honorary Secretary: R. G. Blundstone, O.B.E. (Tasmania).

Honorary Treasurer, L. E. Stepto (N.S.W.).

Honorary Auditor: K. Cummins (N.S.W.).

Australian Olympic Federation and British Commonwealth Games Association—

Delegates: Sir Harold Alderson, Kt., M.B.E., K.St.J. (N.S.W.), and R. G. Blundstone O.B.E. (Tasmania).

London Representative: M. Burge-Phillips.

Continental Representative F.I.S.A.: W. J. Rogers.

Grading Committee: R. R. Aitken (Victoria), M. Grace (N.S.W.), and L. Southcott (South Australia).

Umpire Referees Committee: R. R. Aitken (Victoria), O. Rosevear (N.S.W.) and J. E. Hutchinson (Queensland).

F.I.S.A. Congress — Copenhagen, Denmark:

Messrs. J. G. Parr and N. F. Wilkinson, of Victoria, attended the Congress as Australian delegates.

Lightweight Rowing:

Resolved that the A.A.R.C. move, and support any move, for the inclusion of Lightweight rowing on the program for the Olympic Games and the World Rowing Championships.

Financing of Equipment — Overseas Tours:

Resolved that the A.A.R.C. approach a large company with a view to them lending the money required for purchase of equipment. On completion of the Championships, the equipment to be sold and the proceeds returned to the company. In this way the company would ultimately only be donating the difference between purchase and sale prices.

F.I.S.A. Congress — Munich, Germany:

Messrs. L. E. Stepto (N.S.W.), R. G. Blundstone (Tasmania) and A. W. McLiesh (Victoria) were elected delegates to the Congress.

Mail Vote re Observers at Council Meetings:

Resolved that each Constituent State Association be permitted to send along one active oarsman to a Council meeting, who would be allowed to speak on items nominated by them, that are on the Agenda. Such persons shall have no vote and their time of speaking will be at the discretion of the Chairman.

Mail Vote re Monthly Newsletter:

Resolved that the A.A.R.C. forward to each State Association a monthly newsletter giving any information on International and Australian rowing matters to hand, including any notices of motion, dates of international regattas and championships, Australian State championships; in fact any rowing matters of interest to the States.

Mail Votes re King's Cup Regatta:

Finally resolved that the King's Cup regatta will be conducted annually in accord with existing A.A.R.C. Rules.

Mail Votes re Early Departure of Olympic Rowing Team:

Resolved that the Australian Olympic Eight, emergencies and coach will depart on 15th July for pre-Olympic competition overseas. The four-oared crew with coxswain, coach and team manager will depart with the Australian Olympic athletes on August 5. Also resolved that a special fund be organised to raise the finance required for the early departure of the eight.

Australian Rowing Team — Olympic Games, Munich:

The following crews will represent Australia:—

Eight: M. Shaw (N.S.W.), bow; G. Pearce (N.S.W.), 2; K. Jelbart (Vic.), 3; R. Paver (N.S.W.), 4; R. Curtin (N.S.W.), 5; J. Clark (N.S.W.), 6; M. Morgan (N.S.W.), 7; B. Curtin (N.S.W.), stroke; A. Grover (N.S.W.), cox; A. Callaway (N.S.W.), coach.

Four with Cox: J. Lee (N.S.W.), bow; P. Shakespeare (W.A.), 2; C. Stevens (N.S.W.), 3; P. Wilkinson (N.S.W.), stroke; V. Bowery (N.S.W.), cox; L. Robinson (N.S.W.), coach.

Pair without Cox and Team Emergencies: K. Mackney (N.S.W.) and W. Baillieu (Vic.).

Mr. R. C. Hemery, of Western Australia, is Sectional Team Manager and M. Morgan (N.S.W.) is Olympic Rowing Captain.

DECISIONS OF THE VICTORIAN ROWING ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, SATURDAY, 28th AUGUST, 1971.

The meeting approved the payment of Honoraria totalling \$130 to the Honorary Secretaries, Honorary Treasurer and Honorary Assistant Secretary.

The following amendments were adopted:—

Amend Constitution Clause XI (d) and Rule XV to meet Lightweight Four expenses from the King's Cup Fund, elect a Manager and State Selectors, define seat fees and the equipment to be supplied by the Association.

Amend Rule XXXIV to allow for two divisions in the Junior Premiership competition.

A motion to amend Rule VII re regatta equipment owned by the Association was defeated.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

Decisions of the General Committee included:—

Regatta Programme:

The regatta and championship dates, venues and programmes were fixed and the regattas grouped into series.

Delegate to Amateur Rowing Council:

Mr. A. W. McLiesh was appointed.

Delegate to Amateur Sports Club:

Mr. A. W. McLiesh was appointed.

Delegate to Victorian Sports Council:

Mr. S. R. Jeffery was appointed.

Officials' Panel:

Messrs. R. R. Aitken, N. W. Cairnes, J. J. Donald, R. B. Duncan, W. T. Morrison and B. L. Smith were appointed.

Junior Rowing Sub-Committee:

Messrs. F. G. Rickards, P. J. Downey, D. H. Boykett, G. J. Hardie, D. Palfreyman, R. A. Ross and G. Revell were appointed for three years.

Investments:

The following investments were approved:—
B.H.P., \$3,000; Alliance Holdings, \$1000; Australian Guarantee Corporation, \$1000; Brambles Industries, \$1000; Repco Ltd., \$1000; I.A.C., \$2000; C.U.B., \$1000; Mercantile Credits, \$1000.

Victorian Manager King's Cup Squad:

Mr. E. Woolcock was appointed.

Victorian Selectors Eight and Sculler:

Messrs. D. H. Boykett and J. G. Howden were appointed.

Coach of Victorian Eight:

Messrs. D. H. Boykett and P. Cayser were appointed as joint coaches.

Victorian Lightweight Four Selectors:

Mr. K. McConville and Dr. M. A. Schapper were appointed.

Coach of Victorian Lightweight Four:

Mr. S. L. Gladman was appointed.

South Melbourne Rowing Club:

A request for a change of registered colours was approved.

V.R.A. Regatta Equipment:

Conditions for hiring of equipment were approved.

Notification of Non-starters at Regattas:

Regatta Regulation 7 was amended to alter the times and penalties applicable to notification of non-starters.

Donation:

\$500 to fund for the early departure of Olympic Eight. Rehabilitation of

Rehabilitation of Smaller Clubs:

A sub-committee of Messrs. M. S. Williams, R. J. March, M. Rowan, R. B. Duncan, J. Burford, P. Watkin, B. Dalton, A. Ross, F. Conway and W. Waterfield were appointed.

Regatta at Horsham:

Conduct of a promotional regatta by the Association was approved.

Metric Distances:

Adopted that regattas held on the Upper Yarra course conduct their events over the following distances:—

2000m. — Senior, Junior and Lightweight Senior events.

1500m. — Maiden, Maiden Lightweight, Novice Eight and Four events

and that other regatta committees inform the Association of available metric distances on their courses, having the previous distances and events in mind.

Post Entries:

Adopted that Post Entries be not accepted for events at qualifying regattas under the jurisdiction of the Association.

Services Rendered:

The Committee wishes to thank most sincerely all those clubs and members who volunteered their services and lent equipment to the Association during the year. In a report such as this it is virtually impossible to properly convey individual acknowledgments, but it is considered that the following persons and organisations deserve special mention:—

Messrs. R. M. Cole and S. G. Richardson, for acting as Honorary Auditors.

Mr. P. H. Marxsen, for acting as Secretary to the Permit Committee.

Mr. K. S. Cusworth, for services as Honorary Registrar.

Messrs. G. O. Harris and S. G. Richardson, the Association's Trustees.

Dr. Harry Ireland, Honorary Medical Officer, for services rendered to the 1972 King's Cup Squad.

Mr. J. L. Hardie, who towed the King's Cup boats to Tasmania and return. Yarra Yarra Rowing Club, for the use of their boat trailer to transport boats to Tasmania.

Mercantile Rowing Club, for the use of equipment for the King's Cup squad.

Barwon Rowing Club, for the use of equipment for the Penrith Cup squad.

M.U.B.C., for the use of equipment for the Penrith Cup squad.

Members of the Officials' Panel and Licensed Officials, who continued to ensure a high standard of regatta and championship racing.

Messrs. W. R. B. Todd, S. H. Newcomb, R. Wilson and J. Barber, for publicising the sport through the daily press.

The A.B.C. and commercial television and radio stations both in the city and country who allotted time to rowing.

The Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, Melbourne City Council, Ballarat City Council, Ballarat Rowing Association, Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust and Geelong Rowing Association, for their assistance and co-operation in connection with the conduct of championships and regattas throughout the season.

DONATIONS

The Association extends sincere thanks to the following, who supported Victorian rowing through their most generous donations:—

Old Oarsmen's Association of Victoria, Estate of the late George Adams (Tattersall's), Gilbeys Australia Ltd., Dr. Clive Disher, Crestknit Ltd., L. T. Nettlefold, C. Seward,, Estate of late Marcus Burke.

OBITUARY

With regret, the deaths of the following Association members are recorded:—

- Mr. H. B. Kirsch, Melbourne Rowing Club.
- Mr. O. McKay, Essendon Rowing Club.
- Mr. H. W. Irving, Ballarat and Bendigo Rowing Clubs.
- Mr. W. L. Taylor, Dimboola Rowing Club.
- Mr. B. Brooks, Hawthorn Rowing Club.
- Mr. W. R. Turnbull, Mercantile Rowing Club.
- Mr. B. Kelly, Melbourne and Yarra Yarra Rowing Clubs.
- Mr. C. Hayton, Banks Rowing Club.
- Mr. K. H. Boykett, Mercantile Rowing Club.
- Mr. J. N. Robertson Mercantile Rowing Club.
- Mr. W. G. Pitt, Mercantile Rowing Club.
- Mr. J. Coleman, Hawthorn Rowing Club.
- Mr. R. A. Cooper, Mercantile Rowing Club.
- Mr. H. Duncan, Albert Park Rowing Club.
- Mr. A. Lindblade, Mercantile Rowing Club.
- Mr. A. S. Smith, Yarra Yarra Rowing Club.

Our condolences are extended to the families of the deceased.

EXECUTIVE AND GENERAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Sixteen Executive and eleven General Committee meetings were held during the year. Attendances were:—

Executive: J. L. Hardie, W. J. Waterfield, 16; E. Woolcock, 15; J. W. Bradshaw, N. W. Cairnes, 14; P. J. Downey, N. F. Wilkinson, 12; R. G. Harding, S. R. Jeffery, 11; R. J. March, 8; J. R. Harry, 4. Average attendance, 12.

General: G. D. Clegg, J. R. Elliott, R. N. McKay, A. W. McLiesh, R. G. Mitchell, G. H. Nicholson, F. G. Rickards, W. J. Waterfield, E. Woolcock, 11; R. R. Aitken, N. W. Cairnes, A. M. Currie, K. S. Cusworth, W. A. Dennis, G. J. Hardie, J. R. Jopling, W. D. Parkinson, F. Peters, T. Rodda, P. Watkin, M. S. Williams, 10; J. D. Beach, J. J. Donald, R. B. Duncan, J. L. Hardie, R. J. March, P. H. Marxsen, D. S. Stirling, F. S. Way, E. C. White, N. F. Wilkinson, 9; D. H. Boykett, J. W. Bradshaw, B. Dalton, P. J. Downey, S. R. Jeffery, W. J. Ramsbottom, W. R. B. Todd, 8; M. J. Bushby, F. Conway, J. Coghlan, P. Guy, K. H. McConville, W. T. Morrison, T. Murphy, F. X. O'Connor, A. S. Smith, B. L. Smith, K. J. Wickham, 7; R. G. Harding, R. W. Lahey, J. G. Parr, J. R. Sawyer, 6; J. Burford, W. P. Gurry, G. B. Stewart, 5; T. C. Johnston, R. D. McPhail, S. H. Newcomb, P. Van Prooyen, J. Stuckey, 4; J. D. Castle, R. F. Hammon, J. R. Harry, R. A. Ross, E. Stranger, R. S. Zahara, 3; I. J. Albert, B. Adam, A. Culhane, A. L. Hart, J. D. L. McKeand, M. Rowan, 2; B. F. Bade, W. E. John, M. J. O'Brien, M. Owen, J. P. Palmington, F. W. Rickards, S. Ruglen, B. Tregoning, 1. Average attendance, 49.

On behalf of the Committee,

W. J. WATERFIELD, Honorary Secretary.

VICTORIAN ROWING
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND

RECEIPTS.

To: **Bank Balance 1st July, 1971—**

Administration Account	\$2,272.57
King's Cup Investment Fund	715.68
Trophy Account	132.52
International Rowing Fund	334.04
A.A.R.C. Capitation Account	273.63

\$3,728.44

Administration—

Affiliation Fees	1,965.35
Registration Fees	521.40
Fines and Hirings	813.04
Staging Dues — Reimbursement	126.00
Printing, etc. — Reimbursement	221.92
Trophy Orders — Reimbursement	2,539.80
Tow Path — Reimbursement	1,625.00
Interest	53.18
Weight Bags	30.05
Sale Olympic Pens — Reimbursement	200.00
Sundry	3.50

8,099.42

Championships and Regattas

1,545.20

Interstate Championships—

Donations	350.00
Interest — Dr. Disher Fund	60.00
Interest — King's Cup Investment Fund	3,347.64
King's Cup Levy	507.23
Seat Fees	950.00
Transfer from Penrith Cup Account	492.96
Sale Oars	200.00
Refund Expenses	106.60
Donation Penrith Cup Fund	100.00
Sundries	31.00

6,145.43

Redemption Loans

5,800.00

International Rowing Fund—

Transfer from Championship Fund —	
St. Catherine's	939.33
Interest — Dr. Disher Fund	61.50
Interest — Investment Fund	1,269.20

2,269.03

\$27,587.34

ASSOCIATION

DISBURSEMENTS, SEASON 1971-72

EXPENDITURE.

By: Administration—

Affiliation Fees	\$60.00	
Cartridges, W. Bags and Insurance	179.21	
Staging Dues	126.00	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	594.58	
Trophy Orders	2,774.80	
Honoraria	130.00	
Donation	50.00	
Olympic Pens ..	200.00	
Tow Path	2,000.00	
Equipment Costs	67.38	
Sundry	7.20	
		<u>\$6,189.17</u>

A.A.R.C.—

Capitation Fees	644.20
Championships and Regattas	629.65

Interstate Championships—

Accommodation — Franklin	1,369.72	
Travelling Expenses	995.50	
Hirings	200.00	
Manager's Expenses	126.94	
Transport Boats	307.00	
Insurance and Claim	166.34	
Purchase Boat	2,738.11	
Purchase Oars	448.50	
Petrol	44.27	
Embroidery Pockets	46.47	
		<u>6,442.85</u>

Investments

9,106.80

International Rowing Fund—

World Championship — 1970, Balance Exp. ..	250.00
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Balance at Bank and Deposits 30th June, 1972—

Administration Account	1,574.19	
King's Cup Investment Fund	1,111.46	
Trophy Account	132.52	
International Rowing Fund	1,353.07	
A.A.R.C. Capitation Account	53.43	
Penrith Cup Fund	100.00	
		<u>4,324.67</u>

\$27,587.34

KING'S CUP

To: Balance 1st July, 1971—			
Investments — King's Cup		\$35,129.38	
Investments — A. J. Shepherd Bequest		2,000.00	
Bank and Deposits		715.68	
		<hr/>	\$37,845.06
Administration Account Transfer			3,000.00
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			\$40,845.06

INTERNATIONAL

To: Balance 1st July, 1971—			
Investments ..		\$14,551.60	
Bank and Deposits		334.04	
		<hr/>	\$14,885.64
International Fund Surplus			2,019.03
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			\$16,904.67

A.A.R.C. CAPITATION

To: Balance 1st July, 1971—			
Bank and Deposits			\$273.63
Administration Accounts			424.00
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			\$697.63

TROPHY

To: Balance 1st July, 1971—			
Investments		\$1,144.50	
Bank and Deposits		132.52	
		<hr/>	\$1,277.02

PENRITH

To: Donation			\$100.00
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ASSOCIATION

To: Balance 1st July, 1971			\$3,304.57
Purchase Boat		\$2,738.11	
Purchase Oars		448.50	
Purchase Loud Hailers		45.00	
		<hr/>	3,231.61

\$6,536.18

INVESTMENT FUND

By: Interstate Championship Loss		\$297.42
Balance 30th June, 1972—		
Investments	39,436.18	
Bank and Deposits ..	1,111.46	
		40,547.64
		<u>\$40,845.06</u>

ROWING FUND

Balance 30th June, 1972—		
Investments	\$15,551.60	
Bank and Deposits	1,353.07	
		\$16,904.67
		<u>\$16,904.67</u>

ACCOUNT.

By: A.A.R.C. — Affiliation Fees		\$644.20
Balance — Bank and Deposits 30th June, 1972		53.43
		<u>\$697.63</u>

ACCOUNT.

By Balance 30th June, 1972—		
Investments	\$1,144.50	
Bank and Deposits ..	132.52	
		<u>\$1,277.02</u>

CUP FUND.

By: Balance 30th June, 1972 — Bank and Deposits		\$100.00
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FUNDS.

By: Sale Oars		\$200.00
Depreciation—		
Loud Hailers	\$10.00	
Oars	148.50	
Boat	238.11	
Trailer	10.0	
		406.61
Excess of Expenditure over Receipts		698.38
Balance 30th June, 1972		5,231.19
		<u>\$6,536.18</u>

BALANCE SHEET

LIABILITIES.

King's Cup Investment Fund	\$40,547.64
International Rowing Fund	16,904.67
A.A.R.C. Capitation Account	53.43
Trophy Account	1,277.02
Association Fund	5,231.19
Penrith Cup Fund	100.00
	\$64,113.95

ASSETS.

Bank and Deposits—

King's Cup Investment Fund	\$1,111.46
International Rowing Fund	1,353.07
A.A.R.C. Capitation Fund	53.43
Trophy Account	132.52
Penrith Cup Fund	100.00
Association Fund	1,574.19
	\$4,324.67

Investments—

King's Cup Investment Fund	39,436.18
International Rowing Fund	15,551.60
Trophy Account	1,144.50
	56,132.28

Property—

Stationery	10.00
Typewriters	80.00
Filing Cabinets	40.00
Scales	25.00
Coaching Launch	260.00
Loud Hailers	125.00
Starting Guns	60.00
Trailer	70.00
Oars	400.00
Boat	2,500.00
Boat Rack	87.00
	3,657.00

\$64,113.95

We have examined the Accounts and Records of the Association and found that the Receipts and Expenditure Accounts and Balance Sheet are properly prepared and, in our opinion, correct. We have obtained all information and explanations required.

S. GRAHAM RICHARDSON	}	Honorary Auditors.
ROBERT COLE, A.A.S.A., F.T.I.A.		

N. F. WILKINSON, Honorary Treasurer.

Melbourne, 1st July, 1972.