

CARDIFF ATHLETIC CLUB



Annual Report

for the year ended

30th April 1958

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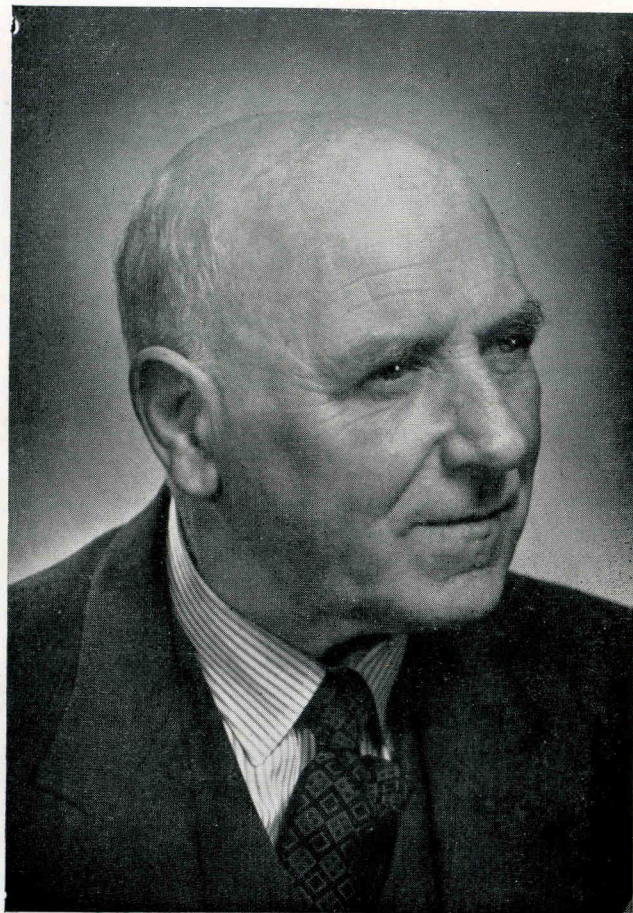
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President of the Cardiff Athletic Club

CARDIFF ATHLETIC CLUB

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Those marked * are Trustees of the Club and as such are *ex-officio* members of the Committee.

To retire in 1958

D. E. DAVIES
D. HERBERT
H. JOHNSON
G. J. LEWIS
L. M. SPENCE
D. A. WALL
J. WOODFIELD

To retire in 1959

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HOCKEY—E. C. HALL

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FOOTBALL COMMITTEE.

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Club Captain : E. THOMAS

Captain of Athletic XV : P. NYHAN

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W. B. CLEAVER	D. M. JAMES	H. REES
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Captain of Club : J. O. WEBB

Captain of 2nd XI : G. GIBSON

Captain Reserve XI : G. ECCLES

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Captain "B" XI : L. K. MORGAN

Captain Extra "B" XI : A. CHAPMAN

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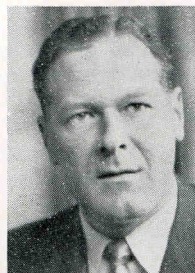
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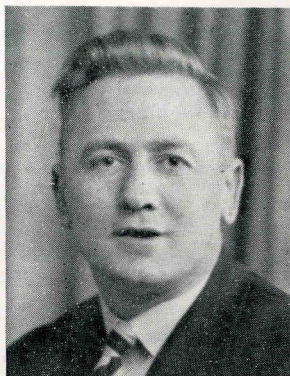
CLUB CAPTAINS



E. F. COUZENS
(Bowls)



J. O. WEBB
(Cricket)



E. THOMAS
(Rugby)



D. J. O'BRIEN
(Hockey)



F. P. DAVIES
(Lawn Tennis)

CARDIFF ATHLETIC CLUB

Annual Report by the Chairman of the Management Committee

THE ACCOUNTS. An examination of the Income side of the Accounts reveals the fact that Football Gates produced only £9,170, that is more than £2,000 less than in 1956/57 and the lowest since the war. There were many contributory causes for this, but the two most important were that owing to a re-arrangement of the International match versus Ireland, we played Newport at home on the same day as the game in Dublin and that on Easter Saturday when we met the Barbarians the weather was very bad. It is however very pleasing to note that Membership Income at £7,780 reached a new high record and that Season Tickets produced £300 more than last year.

The total income was only £148 less than in 1956/57, despite the fall in revenue from Football Gates.

Consideration of the Expenditure side of the Accounts shows that the item "Upkeep of Grounds, Stands and Plant" at £1,973 was nearly £1,700 less than in the previous year. It will not be possible to maintain this low figure as in the near future a considerable amount of work will have to be undertaken on the Stands and Buildings. The increased cost of "Salaries and Wages" is partly due to Statutory Increases and partly to the necessity for paying wages adequate to meet the increased cost of living.

A surplus of £4,673 under all the circumstances is satisfactory but must not be regarded with complacency. Your Committee has decided to increase the rates for Season Tickets and the prices of admission to matches in order to ensure that the Club shall continue to maintain its high standard. Old Age Pensioners and Boys will, however, be charged only 6d. to the field as in the past.

The Balance Sheet as at 30th April, 1958, shows that the balance of expenditure on the South Stand amounting to £5,757 has been written off against General Reserve and in addition the £417 spent by the Club on the Dining Room in the North Stand has been written off.

The Development Account Fund of £254 is included in the item "Lloyd's Bank Limited of £3,717."

In accordance with the agreement with the Glamorgan County Cricket Club, £1,000 of the Interest Free Loan of £6,000 was repaid.

SOUTH STAND. The Committee in conjunction with the Welsh Rugby Union is constantly considering how to afford protection to spectators in the Stand from the rain. Many schemes have been examined and members may be assured that as soon as a practicable, economically sound plan is submitted it will receive immediate and sympathetic consideration.

DINING ROOM IN NORTH STAND. This has been completely re-modelled and re-decorated and the Club expresses its thanks to the Glamorgan County Cricket Club, the Welsh Rugby Union and the Empire Games Organisation for their financial help in accomplishing this.

DEVELOPMENT FUND. The Committee decided that it would be prudent to build up a Fund for future development and sanctioned the promotion of three Sweepstakes each year. Messrs. L. M. Spence and H. J. Bartlett undertook to act as Promoters. The first Sweepstake on the Grand National showed a profit of £254. It is hoped that members will support the promoters in their future efforts in this connection for the Club.

DONATIONS. Once again the Club is proud to state that it has assisted Junior Rugby in Cardiff and District to the extent of £480.

CATERING. It will be noted that Catering last year produced a Surplus of approximately £300. Many members are unaware of the fact that the Club provides lunches or snacks on most days and this amenity is proving increasingly popular.

EMPIRE AND COMMONWEALTH GAMES. By the time this Report is published the Games will be but a memory—a pleasant and proud one we hope. Your Committee has done its best to ensure that every visitor to the Club, especially those from overseas, shall receive a warm welcome. Special Honorary Membership Cards were sent to all officials.

SECTIONAL REPORTS. The Committee commends to your attention the Reports of the various Sections, all of which are in a flourishing state.

OBITUARY. Mr. A. Hayes, a Vice-President, and one of our oldest members, has passed on; the Club will miss his cheery personality especially at Annual General Meetings.

APPRECIATION. The Committee once again expresses its thanks and appreciation of the work done by the Honorary Secretaries, Officers and Committee Members of the Sections. It is not realised by many how much time, skill and energy these devote to the work of the Club and how much they contribute to its success. I am grateful to the members of the Management Committee for their assiduity and support; it has been a pleasure to work with them.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT for the Year ended 30th April, 1958

EXPENDITURE		1957	INCOME		1957
£		£		£	
To Upkeep of Ground, Stands and Plant	..	1,973	By Football Gates	..	9,710
" Salaries and Wages	..	3,482	" Season Tickets	..	5,009
" Football, Away Match Expenses	..	3,699			14,179
" Football, Home Match Expenses	..	2,223			70
" Stationery, Telephone and Postages	..	1,314	" Welsh "Seven-a-Side" Tournament	..	50
" Advertising	..	638	" Welsh Rugby Union Grant	..	929
" Share of Gates	..	1,272	" Profit on Sale of Programmes	..	350
" Gatekeepers, Police and Firemen	..	1,125	" Less Donation to Cardiff & District Rugby Union	..	579
" Rents and Rates	..	1,410	" Share of Gates	..	1,389
" Water, Light and Heat	..	534	" Members Subscriptions	..	16,267
" Laundry	..	258	" Cricket Collections	..	7,780
" Cleaning Materials and Window Cleaning	..	296	" Ground Earnings and Rents	..	343
" Players' Outing, Dinner, Dance and Photographs	..	453	" B.B.C. Fees	..	31
" Football Equipment	..	593	" Competition Fees	..	31
" Loud Speaker Rental	..	75	" Catering Concession	..	43
" Insurance	..	84	" Dividend: Arms Park (Cardiff) Greyhound Racing Co. (1956) Ltd.	..	70
" Players' Injury Compensation	..	49			
" Medical Expenses	..	151	" 3% Savings Bonds	..	26
" Donations	..	135	" South Wales (East) & Mon. Trustee Savings Bank	..	18
" Sectional Expenses	..	961	" Post Office Savings Bank	..	8
" Rating Fee	..	—	" Lloyds Bank Limited	..	185
			" Building Society	..	—
			" DONATION: Arms Park (Cardiff) Greyhound Racing Co. (1956) Ltd.	..	1,000
					1,237
£18,027	To Bar Purchases	..	£18,209		
3,720	" Catering	..	1,069		
	" Bar Wages and Expenses	..	3,780		
	" DEPRECIATION: Furniture, Fittings and Equipment	..	357		
	To Income Tax	..	23,415		
	" Excess of Income over Expenditure	..	487		
21,747			487		
4,424			—		
£52,900			£52,752		

BALANCE SHEET as at 30th April, 1958

LIABILITIES		£	£	ASSETS		£	£
GENERAL RESERVE:				Club House at Cost			30,903
Balance as at 1st May, 1957	..	25,800		Club House Furniture, Fittings and Equipment	..	3,568	
Less Balance of Expenditure on South Stand	..	5,757		at Cost	..	357	
		20,043		Less Depreciation	..	—	3,211
Less Share of Alterations to Dining Room	..	417	19,626	Total Expenditure on South Stand	..	15,757	
				Less Transfer off to 30th April, 1957	..	10,000	—
LOAN:						5,757	
Glamorgan County Cricket Club	..	5,000	5,000	Bowls Pavilion	..	25	
Development Account	..	254	254	Motor Rollers, Mowers, etc.	..	10	
CREDITORS:				Office Furniture and Equipment	..	10	
Subscriptions prepaid	..	2,253		INVESTMENTS:			45
Trade Accounts and Accrued Expenses	..	4,251		3% Savings Bonds 1965-75	..	1,500	
Income Tax on Surplus to date	..	700	7,204	2,000 1/- Ordinary Shares Fully Paid—Arms Park (Cardiff) Greyhound Racing Co. Ltd.	..	100	
				The Cardiff Arms Park Co. (1956) Ltd., 230 £5 "A" Shares	..	79	
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT:				Post Office Savings Bank	..	439	
Balance as at 1st May, 1957	..	10,881		South Wales (East) and Mon. Trustee Savings Bank	..	736	
Add Excess of Income over Expenditure for the year ended the 30th April, 1958	..	4,673	15,554	Lloyds Bank Ltd. Deposit Account	..	2,404	
				LOAN: Cardiff Arms Park Co. Ltd.	..	—	
				CURRENT ASSETS:			
				Stocks	..	1,114	
				Debtors and Prepaid Expenses	..	1,760	
				Lloyds Bank Ltd.	..	3,717	
				Cash in hand	..	130	
						6,721	
						£47,638	

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CARDIFF ATHLETIC CLUB

We, the undersigned, having had access to all the Books and Accounts, Funds and Effects of the Cardiff Athletic Club, and having examined the foregoing Balance Sheet and Income and Expenditure Account, and verified same with the Accounts and Vouchers relating thereto, hereby sign the same as being correct, and in accordance with the Bye-Laws.

RICHARD DAVIES & CO.,

Chartered Accountants.

CARDIFF, CARDIFF, 1st July, 1958

CARDIFF RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

Annual Report for the Season 1957-58

From the point of view of results the Season was the best since 1954/55 and the team finished at the head of the unofficial Welsh Championship Table. This was in no small measure due to the splendid example set by the Captain, Eddie Thomas, who proved to be one of the outstanding captains of recent years. He played consistently well throughout the season, encouraging his side by the hard-working example he set. He worked as efficiently for the good of the Club off the field as on it, and proved to be a valuable member of the various Committees on which he served.

The big match of the season was against the Australian Touring Side. This took place in December and Cardiff gained a well deserved victory after an excellent game by 13 points to 11. The Aussies playing record for the Tour was a disappointing one but in the match against Cardiff they looked a much better side than subsequent results proved them to be. They were however, a grand bunch of sportsmen, very popular both on and off the field. The Club is very grateful to the Lord Mayor of Cardiff, Alderman J. H. Morgan and to the Hon. Anthony Berry, for the magnificent hospitality so graciously extended to our Australian friends and the Club.

In the first half of the season, the First XV lost only two matches, to Cambridge at Cambridge by 10 points to 6 and at Gloucester by 3 points to nil.

In the second half of the season five games were lost and in addition the R.A.F. defeated us in an unofficial match by 5 points to 3. There were, however, compensations in the fine win against a very strong Barbarian XV by 14 points to 6 and victories over the Harlequins and Northampton to complete a highly successful Easter programme.

After Easter the team proceeded on the customary Cornish Tour. On this occasion the party flew from Rhoose on Saturday morning and 50 minutes later arrived in Cornwall and was enjoying coffee at Penzance at 11.00 a.m.

This method of travelling has much to commend it from the point of view of economy of time and money. The first two games against Penzance and Cambourne were narrowly won but against St. Ives we suffered an unexpected defeat. However, the Cardiff party lost no time in congratulating the St. Ives Club on its first victory over Cardiff.

On the last Saturday of the season the Annual Welsh Seven-a-Side Tournament was staged at Cardiff for the first time. It proved an interesting and entertaining day which was enjoyed by the very large crowd present. Players and officials co-operated magnificently and the organisation was so good that all matches started to time and everything ran smoothly. The Cardiff "Seven" could not, unfortunately, be as strong as the Committee would have liked it to be; Cliff Morgan, Gordon Wells, Roddy Evans, Ken Richards and others being unavailable. Newport defeated us and in turn were defeated by Ebbw Vale in the Final. The winners demonstrated the value of physical fitness as it was undoubtedly this attribute which enabled them to triumph over the experienced Newport team.

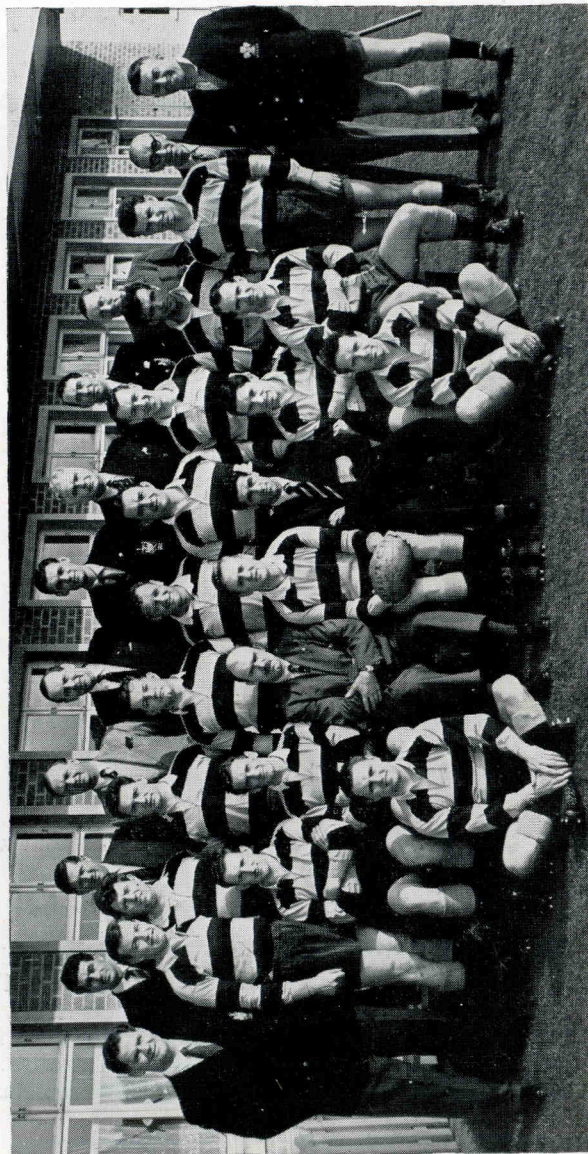
The Club added three new Internationals, namely, Alun Friday, Howard Nicholls and J. D. Evans, to its already long list. These three great Clubmen were thoroughly deserving of the honour bestowed on them. Other players to add to their number of Caps during the season were Cliff Morgan and Roddy Evans.

The Barbarians side which toured South Africa during May included three Cardiff players, Cliff Morgan, Gordon Wells and Roddy Evans. Two new Barbarians elected from the Club were John Nelson and J. D. Evans and we congratulate them on the honour.

It is always sad to see players retiring from the game but this season it has been particularly so, for we witness the departure of that great half-back combination, Cliff Morgan and Rex Willis, and those fine forwards Eddie Thomas and Geoff. Beckingham. Cliff's electrifying runs down the field will be greatly missed but his prowess will be long remembered by all. There surely can have been no player more loyal to the game and the Club than Rex.

CARDIFF RUGBY CLUB—Season 1957-58

First Fifteen



Back Row Standing (left to right) : A. D. CROSTER, W. H. WILKINS, D. A. BROWN, L. M. SPENCE, S. JUDD, H. JOHNSON, T. L. WILLIAMS, L. B. JONES.
Middle Row Standing (left to right) : T. HOLLEY, L. WILLIAMS, M. GOUGH, K. JONES, C. HOWE, G. BECKINGHAM, J. D. EVANS, H. NICHOLLS, D. HAYWARD, C. WILLIAMS, D. E. DAVIES, G. DAVIES.
Front Row Sitting (left to right) : A. I. FRIDAY, W. R. WILLIS, G. L. PORTER (Chairman), E. THOMAS (Captain), R. F. TROTT (Hon. Sec.), C. MORGAN, C. D. WILLIAMS.
Sitting on Ground (left to right) : K. THOMAS, G. JOHN.

For many years the names of Eddie Thomas and Geoff. Beckingham have appeared on the list of those with most appearances. It will be difficult to replace these four great players.

At the end of the season a full Cardiff side played a Mid-District XV at Pontypridd and a substantial sum was obtained for the widow of the late Mike Fitzgerald who died so tragically.

It is with regret that we note the death of John Maunder who at the height of his rugby career met with a serious accident at work.

The Committee is continuing its policy of reducing the number of fixtures.

Top scorer for the season once again was Alun Friday with 2 tries, 1 dropped goal, 23 penalty goals and 25 conversions—a total of 128 points.

Most tries were scored by Howard Nicholls, 20; Gordon Wells, 14; and Glyn John, 13.

The greatest number of appearances were made by Colin Howe, 41; Geoff. Beckingham, D. J. Hayward, Glyn John and Kingsley Jones. 39 each; J. D. Evans, Alun Friday and C. D. Williams, 36 each; and Eddie Thomas, 35.

First Team Caps were awarded to: D. J. Hayward, Kingsley Jones, Ken Thomas and Cenydd Williams.

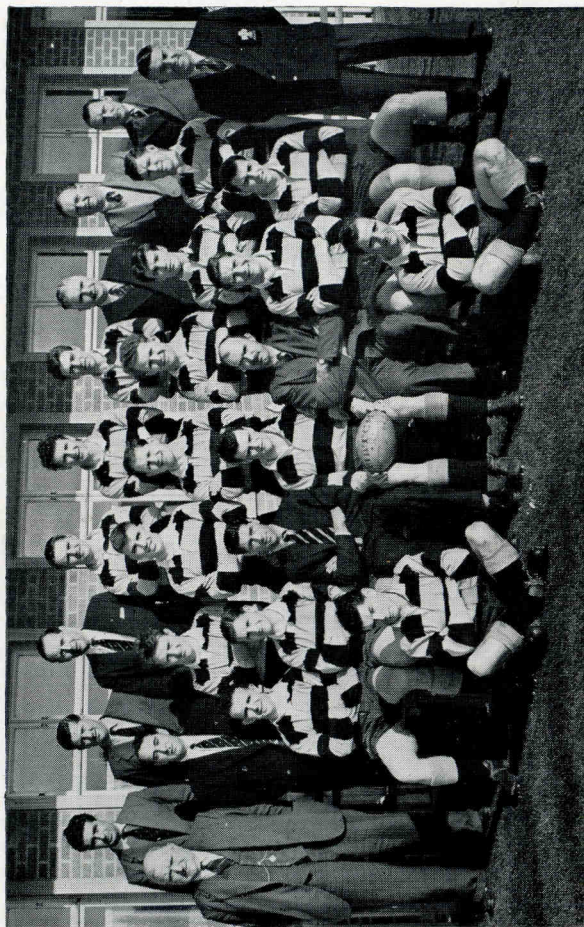
REPORT OF THE ATHLETIC XV

Season 1957-58

The Athletic VX under the able captaincy of Peter Nyhan had a very successful season winning 27 matches and losing only 3; to Newport United twice, and Bristol United once.

The Side played very attractive football in the highest Cardiff tradition. On several occasions it included International players.

Outstanding victories were gained against Christchurch by 72 points to 5; Pontnewydd, 44 points to 6; Wasps Vandals, 32 points to 0; and Cardiff Medicals, 32 points to 3.



Back Row Standing (left to right) : A. D. CROSTER, W. H. WILKINS, L. M. SPENCE, K. THOMAS, C. HOWE, R. GLASTONBURY, H. JOHNSON, D. A. BROWN, L. B. JONES.

Middle Row Standing (left to right) : T. SPILLANE, T. L. WILLIAMS, T. DONOVAN, G. DAVIES, V. DAVIES, B. SADLER, G. SPEAR, J. D. NELSON, G. DAVIES.

Front Row Sitting (left to right) : D. C. MURPHY, B. MARK, R. F. TROTT (Hon. Secretary), P. NYHAN (Captain), G. L. PORTER (Chairman), P. GOODFELLOW, G. T. ELLIS.

Sitting on Ground (left to right) : P. THOMAS, C. BUCK.

Once again the difficulty of running a successful team is illustrated by the fact that no fewer than 64 players were called on during the season.

The top scorer was George Spear with 1 try ; 6 penalty goals ; and 43 converted goals—a total of 107 points.

Most tries were scored by D. C. Murphy 13, and R. Glastonbury 11.

Appearances were : R. Glastonbury, 25 ; Cliff. Howes, 22 ; Peter Thomas and G. T. Ellis, 21 ; George Spear, 21 and 10 with the First XV ; D. C. Murphy, 15 and 14 with the First XV.

Athletic Caps were awarded to : V. Davies, G. T. Ellis, R. Glastonbury, Cliff. Howe, George Spear and Peter Thomas.

ANNUAL REPORT OF JUNIOR XV

Season 1957-58

The Junior XV had a very good season, one which compared very favourably with that of previous years. However, of the 29 games arranged only 18 were actually played. Many had to be cancelled owing to the demands made on the team by the Cardiff and District Youth Rugby Union, which at the end of the season was in the Final of the Crawshay Cup with 12 members of the Junior XV in the team.

Three players, E. Willams, J. Regan and T. McCarthy, were selected for and represented Wales, and for the fourth year in succession the Junior XV were the winners of the Cardiff and District Youth Seven-a-Side Tournament.

Elwyn Williams captained the side in a very able manner. The opposition was as usual very strong, and the high standard of sportsmanship which one associates with the Cardiff Club prevailed.

The Junior XV demonstrated its real value as a proving ground for the Senior XVs as the majority of players from last season's Junior Team played regularly for the Athletic XV, and in some cases for the First XV, and it is hoped that subsequent seasons will follow a similar pattern.

Record : Played 18. Won 14. Lost 2. Drawn 2.

Points for 252. Points against 58.

RECORD OF RESULTS **SEASON 1957-58** **CARDIFF FIRST FIFTEEN**

Date	Opponents	H. or A.	Rslt.	Score for						Score against					
				G.	T.	DG	PG	MG	Pts.	G.	T.	DG	PG	MG	Pts.
1957															
Sept. 4	Cardiff&Dist.R.U.	H	Won	3	5	..	1	..	33	..	1	..	..	..	3
" 7	*France Centre XV	H	Won	1	3	..	..	..	14	..	1	..	..	1	6
" 11	G-Cp. WalkersXV	H	Won	..	1	..	1	..	6	..	..	..	1	..	3
" 14	Bective Rangers	H	Won	..	2	..	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	3
" 19	Pontypool	..	A	Won	..	2	1	..	9	..	1	..	..	..	3
" 21	Neath	..	H	Won	1	1	..	2	14	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 25	Ebbw Vale	..	A	Drn.	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	3
" 28	Aberavon	..	H	Won	1	2	..	2	17	1	..	..	1	..	8
Oct. 3	Swansea	..	A	Won	1	..	..	2	11	..	..	..	2	..	6
" 5	Newport	..	A	Won	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 9	Penarth	..	H	Won	2	4	..	1	25	..	1	..	..	..	3
" 12	Northampton	..	A	Won	1	..	1	..	8	..	1	..	..	..	3
" 19	Newport	..	H	Drn.	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	3
" 26	Cambridge Univ.	A	Lost	..	1	..	1	..	6	2	..	..	..	..	10
Nov. 2	Oxford Univ.	..	H	Won	1	1	..	1	11	1	1	..	..	..	8
" 9	Llanelly	..	H	Won	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	1	..	..	3
" 16	Wasps	..	A	Won	..	2	..	..	6	..	..	1	..	..	3
" 18	Bective Rangers	A	Drn.	..	3	..	..	..	9	..	2	..	1	..	9
" 23	Gloucester	..	H	Won	..	3	..	1	12	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 30	Bristol	..	A	Won	..	5	..	1	18	..	1	..	1	..	6
Dec. 7	Swansea	..	H	Won	..	2	..	1	9	..	1	..	..	..	3
" 14	AUSTRALIA	..	H	Won	1	2	..	1	14	1	1	..	1	..	11
" 21	Rosslyn Park	..	A	Drn.	1	1	..	..	8	1	..	..	1	..	8
" 26	Wasps	..	H	Won	2	4	..	..	22	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 27	Watsonians	..	H	Won	1	..	..	1	8	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 28	Gloucester	..	A	Lost	..	..	..	..	0	..	..	..	1	..	3
1958															
Jan. 4	Moseley	..	A	Won	1	2	..	1	14	..	..	1	..	..	3
" 11	Bristol	..	H	Won	2	2	..	1	19	..	2	..	1	..	9
" 18	London Welsh	A	Lost	..	1	..	1	..	6	1	..	1	..	..	8
" 25	Cheltenham	..	Cancelled owing to frost												
Feb. 8	Aberavon	..	A	Won	..	4	..	..	12	..	1	..	2	..	9
" 15	Cheltenham	..	H	Won	3	5	..	..	30	..	..	..	..	..	0

Cardiff First Fifteen—continued

Date	Opponents	H. or A.	Rslt.	Score for						Score against									
				G.	T.	DG	PG	MG	Pts.	G.	T.	DG	PG	MG	Pts.				
1958																			
Mar. 1	Newport	..	A	Drn.	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	3
" 8	Bridgend	..	H	Won	1	1	..	1	..	11	..	..	..	..	0
" 15	Newport	..	H	Lost	..	1	..	1	..	6	1	1	1	1	14				
" 19	Penarth	..	A	Won	2	1	..	..	..	13	..	1	..	..	3
" 22	Coventry	..	A	Drn.	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	1	..
" 27	Neath	..	A	Drn.	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	1	..
" 31	Llanelly	..	A	Lost	..	..	..	1	..	3	1	..	..	1	..
Apr. 5	Barbarians	..	H	Won	1	2	..	1	..	14	..	1	..	1	..				
" 7	Harlequins	..	H	Won	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	0
" 8	Northampton	..	H	Won	2	1	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	1	..
" 12	Penzance-Newlyn	A	Won	..	2	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	1	..
" 14	Camborne	..	A	Won	1	2	..	..	..	11	..	2	..	..	6
" 15	St. Ives	..	A	Lost	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	6
" 19	Bath	..	H	Won	1	2	..	2	..	17	..	..	..	..	0
" 23	Bridgend	..	A	Drn.	1	..	..	..	..	5	1	..	..	..	5
" 30	Pontypool	..	H	Lost	1	1	..	..	..	8	1	1	1	1	14	
EXTRA CHARITY, ETC. MATCHES (not included in records)																			
1957																			
Sept. 16	Boro' of Rhon. XV (at Ystrad)	A	Won	2	4	..	..	..	..	22	..	..	..	..	0
Oct. 22	Harlequins (F/Lit. Wh. City)	..	A	Drn.	1	..	..	..	..	5	1	..	..	..	5
" 29	Bristol (F/Lit Bristol)	..	A	Drn.	..	1	..	2	..	9	..	..	..	3	..	
Dec. 4	Combined Serv.	H	Won	2	1	..	..	..	..	13	1	1	..	..	8
1958																			
Feb. 26	R.A.F.	..	H	Lost	..	1	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	5
Apr. 21	Mid-District XV	A	Drn.	..	2	..	..	..	..	6	..	1	..	1	..
TOTAL					33	73	4	29	..	483	11	24	6	22	1	214
WELSH SEVENS (CARDIFF)																			
Apr. 26	Abertillery	..	Won	2	1	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	0
	Newport	..	Lost	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	1	1	..	..	8

* Provinces of Limousin and Auvergne.

Captain : Eddie Thomas

Vice-Captain : Cliff Morgan

Record for season :

Played
47

Won
32

Lost
7

Drawn
8

SCORERS

Cardiff First Fifteen

Tries 106. Howard Nicholls, 20; Gordon Wells, 14; Glyn John, 13; Ken Thomas, 9; Gareth Griffiths, 6; W. R. Evans, 5; C. D. Williams, 5; D. C. Murphy, 4; D. J. Hayward, 3; Colin Hewitt, 3; Cenydd Williams, 3; C. L. Davies, 2; Cliff Morgan, 2; Peter Nyhan, 2; A. Friday, 2; Eddie Thomas, 2; Glyn Williams, 2; Alan Barter, 1; M. Collins, 1; T. Donovan, 1; P. Goodfellow, 1; M. Gough, 1; Colin Howe, 1; Kingsley Jones, 1; Ken Richards, 1; Lloyd Williams, 1.

Converted Goals 33. Alun Friday, 25; George Spear, 6; M. Gough, 2.

Penalty Goals 29. Alun Friday, 23; George Spear, 5; M. Gough, 1.

Dropped Goals 4. Ken Richards, 2; Alun Friday, 1; George Spear, 1.

CARDIFF ATHLETIC FIFTEEN

Date	Opponents	H. or A.	Rslt.	Score for						Score against					
				G.	T.	DG	PG	MG	Pts.	G.	T.	DG	PG	MG	Pts.
1957															
Sept. 7	Senghenydd ..	A	Won	1	2	..	..	..	11	..	..	..	1	..	3
" 11	*Newport H.S.O.B.	H	Won	4	1	..	1	..	26	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 14	Old Iltydians ..	A	Won	4	2	..	..	..	26	..	..	..	2	..	6
" 21	Neath United ..	A	Won	2	3	..	..	..	19	..	..	..	1	..	3
" 28	Pencoed ..	A	Won	2	2	..	..	..	16	..	2	..	..	..	6
Oct. 5	Newport United	H	Lost	..	1	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	5
" 9	Old Penarthians	A	Drn.	..	..	..	..	..	0	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 12	Pontnewydd ..	H	Won	7	2	..	1	..	44	..	..	1	1	..	6
" 19	Christchurch ..	A	Won	12	4	..	..	..	72	1	..	..	..	..	5
" 26	Barry ..	H	Won	2	2	..	..	..	16	..	1	..	..	..	3
Nov. 2	Bedwas ..	A	Won	2	3	..	1	..	22	1	1	..	..	..	8
" 9	Pontnewydd ..	A	Won	1	..	..	3	..	14	2	..	..	1	..	13
" 16	Wasps Vandals	H	Won	4	4	..	..	..	32	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 23	Gloucester Utd.	A	Won	3	2	..	..	..	21	..	..	..	2	..	6
" 30	Bristol United ..	H	Won	3	2	1	..	..	24	..	1	..	..	..	3
Dec. 7	*Swansea Athletic	H	Won	..	2	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 14	*Quins Wands.	H	Won	2	2	..	..	..	16	..	2	..	..	..	6
" 21	Steel Co. of Wales	A	Drn.	..	..	..	..	..	0	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 26	Llandaff ..	A	Won	1	..	..	1	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 28	Gloucester Utd.	H	Won	..	3	..	1	..	12	..	..	..	2	..	6
1958															
Jan. 11	Bristol United ..	A	Lost	1	..	..	1	..	8	1	1	..	1	..	11
" 18	Bath United ..	H	Won	..	2	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	0
" 25	Neath United ..	H	Cancelled owing to frost												
Feb. 8	Pencoed ..	H	Cancelled Ground unfit owing to snow												
" 15	Cilfynydd ..	A	Won	..	2	..	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	3
" 22	Cardiff Medicals	A	Won	4	4	..	..	..	32	..	..	..	1	..	3
Mar. 1	Wrexham ..	A	Won	2	3	..	..	..	19	..	..	..	1	..	3
" 8	Barry ..	A	Won	..	2	..	1	..	9	..	..	1	..	..	3
" 15	Newport United	A	Lost	..	..	..	2	..	6	..	2	1	..	..	9
" 22	Cilfynydd ..	H	Won	..	2	..	2	..	12	1	2	..	..	..	11

Cardiff Athletic Fifteen—continued

Date	Opponents	H. or A.	Rslt.	Score for						Score against					
				G.	T.	DG	PG	MG	Pts.	G.	T.	DG	PG	MG	Pts.
1958															
Apr. 5	Totnes	A	Won	1	3	..	2	..	20	1	1	..	..	..	8
„ 7	Cardiff H.S.O.B.	H	Won	..	3	..	1	..	12	..	1	..	..	..	3
„ 12	Old Iltydians ..	H	Drn.	1	..	..	1	..	8	1	1	..	..	..	8
„ 23	Newport H.S.O.B.	A	Won	2	1	..	..	..	13	..	1	..	..	..	3
„ 29	Senghenydd ..	H	Won	..	2	..	1	..	9	..	1	..	..	..	3
				61	61	1	19	..	548	9	18	3	13	..	147

Captain : Peter Nyhan

Record for season :

Played	Won	Lost	Drawn
33	27	3	3

* At Sophia Gardens

SCORERS

Cardiff Athletic Fifteen

Tries 122. D. C. Murphy, 12; R. Glastonbury, 11; Colin Hewitt, 9; Ken Thomas, 9; R. Parsons, 7; Cenydd Williams, 7; G. T. Ellis, 6; Peter Nyhan, 6; C. L. Davies, 5; Brian Mark, 5; J. D. Nelson, 5; Gareth Griffiths, 4; Ken Richards, 4; Lloyd Williams, 3; G. Buck, 2; D. J. Dodd, 2; P. Goodfellow, 2; Eddie Lewis, 2; Howard Nicholls, 2; M. Smith, 2; C. D. Williams, 2; Alan Barter, D. C. Butler, C. Davies, Graham Davies, Vernon Davies, J. Hooper, S. Hughes, Dafydd James, Cliff Howe, H. Powell, J. Regan, Ken Regan, G. Spear, P. Thomas, R. Willis, 1 each.

Converted Goals 61. George Spear, 43; Dafydd James, 7; Ken Richards, 4; M. Gough, 3; D. C. Murphy, 2; C. Davies, 1; C. Hewitt, 1.

Penalty Goals 19. George Spear, 6; Ken Richards, 3; C. Davies, 3; M. Gough, 2; Gwyn Hopkins, 2; J. Mahoney, 1; D. C. Murphy, 1; Alun Friday, 1.

Dropped Goals 1. Colin Hewitt, 1.

CAPTAINS AND VICE-CAPTAINS Rugby—First XV

	Captain	Vice-Captain
1876-7	T. S. DONALDSON SELBY	W. D. PHILLIPS
1877-8	E. C. FRY	W. D. PHILLIPS
1878-9	R. H. FOA	W. D. PHILLIPS
1879-80	W. D. PHILLIPS	B. E. GIRLING
1880-1	W. D. PHILLIPS	B. R. MANN
1881-2	B. E. GIRLING	W. D. PHILLIPS
1882-3	W. D. PHILLIPS	W. H. TREATT
1883-4	H. J. SIMPSON	W. D. PHILLIPS
1884-5	H. J. SIMPSON	W. D. PHILLIPS
1885-6	F. E. HANCOCK	A. F. HILL
1886-7	W. M. DOUGLAS	A. J. HYBART
1887-8	C. A. YOUNG	A. F. HILL
1888-9	A. F. HILL	C. S. ARTHUR
1889-90	C. S. ARTHUR	S. H. NICHOLLS
1890-1	W. E. O. WILLIAMS	D. W. EVANS
1891-2	D. W. EVANS	F. N. JONES
1892-3	T. W. PEARSON	A. LEWIS
1893-4	N. BIGGS	R. B. SWEET-ESCOTT
1894-5	A. F. HILL	R. B. SWEET-ESCOTT
1895-6	R. B. SWEET-ESCOTT	F. MILLS
1896-7	J. E. ELLIOT	S. BIGGS
1897-8	S. BIGGS	E. GWYN NICHOLLS
1898-9	E. GWYN NICHOLLS	T. DOBSON
1899-1900	E. GWYN NICHOLLS	H. V. P. HUSSEY
1900-1901	E. GWYN NICHOLLS	J. BLAKE
1901-2	H. B. WINFIELD	D. L. BOWEN
1902-3	H. B. WINFIELD	C. STRANAGHAN
1903-4	E. GWYN NICHOLLS	C. F. BIGGS
1904-5	C. F. BIGGS	W. NEILL
1905-6	PERCY F. BUSH	GEO. NORTHMORE
1906-7	PERCY F. BUSH	GEO. NORTHMORE
1907-8	RHYS T. GABE	J. BROWN
1908-9	PERCY F. BUSH	F. SMITH
1909-10	J. L. WILLIAMS	F. SMITH
1910-11	R. A. GIBBS	J. PUGSLEY
1911-12	L. M. DYKE	J. A. POWELL
1912-13	W. SPILLER	W. J. JENKINS
1913-14	W. J. JENKINS	R. F. WILLIAMS
1914-19	EUROPEAN WAR	
1919-20	F. GACCON—W. J. POWELL	W. J. JENKINS
1920-21	CLEM LEWIS	R. A. CORNISH
1921-22	R. ARTHUR CORNISH	I. RICHARDS
1922-23	Dr. T. WALLACE	I. RICHARDS
1923-24	IDRIS RICHARDS	T. A. JOHNSON
1924-25	T. A. JOHNSON	D. E. DAVIES
1925-26	D. E. DAVIES	W. J. DELAHAY
1926-27	W. J. DELAHAY	D. E. DAVIES
1927-28	B. R. TURNBULL	B. O. MALE
1928-29	B. O. MALE	K. P. TURNBULL
1929-30	S. C. CRAVOS	H. POOLE
1930-31	B. R. TURNBULL	S. C. CRAVOS
1931-32	HOWARD POOLE	H. M. BOWCOTT
1932-33	TOM LEWIS	B. R. TURNBULL
1933-34	GRAHAM JONES	R. GABE-JONES
1934-35	R. GABE-JONES	
1935-36	A. SKYM	T. STONE
1936-37	T. STONE	L. M. SPENCE
1937-38	L. M. SPENCE	T. STONE
1938-39	A. H. JONES	H. REES
1939-40	W. WOOLLER	W. E. N. DAVIS
1940-41	WORLD WAR No. 2	
1941-42	JACK MATTHEWS	R. BALE
1942-43	JACK MATTHEWS	LES. MANFIELD
1943-44	HAYDN TANNER	BLEDDYN WILLIAMS
1944-45	HAYDN TANNER	BLEDDYN WILLIAMS
1945-46	BLEDDYN WILLIAMS	FRANK TROTT
1946-47	BLEDDYN WILLIAMS	BLEDDYN WILLIAMS
1947-48	W. E. TAMPLIN	REX WILLIS
1948-49	Dr. JACK MATTHEWS	SID. JUDD
1949-50	W. REX WILLIS	SID. JUDD
1950-51	BLEDDYN WILLIAMS	REX WILLIS
1951-52	SID. JUDD	G. ROWLANDS
1952-53	M. COLLINS	G. GRIFFITHS
1953-54	P. L. GOODFELLOW	CLIFF MORGAN
1954-55	E. THOMAS	
1955-56		
1956-57		
1957-58		

CARDIFF CRICKET CLUB

ANNUAL REPORT for Season 1957

The Season 1957 saw the greatest number of wins obtained by the Club since the war. The weather was mainly favourable and the "Six-a-Side" Knock-out Tournament was the only event to be abandoned without a ball being bowled.

The First XI played 24 games. The Sunday team had a full Fixture List but it was decided to cancel the home Wednesday fixtures in order to rest the ground as much as possible. The usual evening Knock-out Tournament was held and once again was won by the Club.

We were once again represented in the Weston-super-Mare Six-a-Side Knock-out Tournament. Two trips were made to the Somerset resort. On the first occasion as mentioned above no play was possible because of the inclement weather. On the second visit play was possible but the Club side was defeated and the Tournament was won by Somerset.

At Whitsun the Annual Gloucester Tour took place in beautiful weather, but it did not seem as popular in its shortened form as the four match tour was.

The First XI played 24 games, won 13, lost 3, drew 4, and 4 were abandoned.

The best win was against Newport, a strong side which we defeated by nine wickets. The double was achieved against Pontymister and victories were recorded against Bristol Imperial, St. Fagans, Abergavenny, Stroud, Pontypridd, Aberystwyth, Panteg, Widnes, Monmouth and Pembroke County.

The general policy we adopted was to put our opponenets in to bat first and then go all out to exceed the total they made. The result was that we had some very exciting finishes and only four matches were drawn.

The outstanding batsmar. was Jim Pleass, whom we were delighted to receive back to the Club after his period of service with the County. His experience with the bat and in the field proved invaluable and his innings of 111 not out against St. Fagans was as delightful an exhibition of batting as could be seen in any class of cricket. Ross Johnson, the Vice-Captain was consistent in the middle of the batting order and he proved an extremely useful member of the side. We extend very hearty congratulations to Peter Gatehouse on his selection for the County. He was our most successful bowler and took 38 wickets. John Riches was second in the Bowling Averages and other good bowling performances were registered by Alan Thomas and Alun Priday.

The fielding generally was of a very high standard and contributed considerably to the high number of victories.

The outstanding player in the Knock-out Tournament was Gwyn Davies who batted well in all the rounds. The bowling was shared with equal success by Peter Gatehouse, Alun Priday and Stan Manuel.

At the close of the season a dance was held in the Club House and was a great success. It is hoped that this function will become an annual event.

We acknowledge with gratitude the fine work put in behind the scenes by the Chairman, W. J. Evans, who was also the First XI umpire and a team selector. Our congratulations go to him on his election to the International Panel of Referees. We are also grateful to our efficient Hon. Secretary, Wyndham Lewis, Len Thomas, the First XI scorer, Brian Kempson and Frank Shanahan, the Second XI umpires, F. Brookes, the Second XI scorer and O. Herbert, for his services on the Selection Committee.

The playing record of the side can be considered a good one, in a season marred by poor weather.

The Second XI in one of its defeats was beaten by the Crick-howell team for the first time.

Five wins against Pontypridd, St. Fagans, Newport, Barry, and Penarth gave the playing record an "air of achievement." Seldom are these clubs, the cream of the local opposition, all beaten in one season.

Personal performances are remembered for the consistent batting through the season of Arthur Oaten, N. K. Contractor, Lionel Butler and Lionel King. Lionel King was certainly in his last season a rare delight. In the bowling R. H. Stephenson performed nobly and consistently.

It is now known that two members of the side have decided to retire and so in this, their last season, it is opportune to thank them for their generous and happy co-operation. Lionel King, who as a wicket-keeper-batsman has served the club since 1938, was a cricketer who will always be remembered by those who played with him, gay, generous and a happy spirit, he was the sort of batsman, a captain dreams of. Told to quicken the rate of scoring, he would generally try to double it, in an audacious and delightful manner. The Second team has lost some of its character, a lot of its ability, and one of the finest clubmen in cricket.

Ken Osment, who retires also, was a character of a different kind, for he was a tough uncompromising batsman and an eminently successful one. Many runs came his way by careful concentration; a hard hitting batsman when he wished, but above all, he was a bowlers' headache. As a wicket-keeper, we found him keen, efficient and fair.

Two well-liked characters in one club, different as chalk from cheese now with one interest—golf! We wish them well.

As the 1957 Summer was one of the finest for many years the Reserve XI had a very enjoyable and successful season. 19 games were arranged; 7 were won, 3 lost, 6 drawn and 3 cancelled. Of the three lost two were on Saturdays following Bank Holidays when it was difficult to put a team in the field. Victories were achieved against such good sides as Pontyminster, Newport, Southerndown and Bridgend.

The side has many young members who are making such good progress that vacancies will have to be found for them in the Senior sides in the near future. This influx of young keen players augurs well for the success of the Club in coming seasons.

FIRST XI
BATTING AVERAGES FOR 1957

Name	Innings	Not Out	Runs	Highest Score	Average
J. Pleass	12	4	492	*111	61.50
R. Johnson	12	2	353	* 67	35.30
K. Wilby	11	0	276	51	25.10
B. Joseph	4	1	72	* 53	24.00
J. Webb	11	1	232	39	23.20
A. Pleass	14	2	271	* 56	22.60

* Signifies not out

BOWLING AVERAGES FOR 1957

Name	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
P. Gatehouse	159.1	50	335	38	8.81
J. D. Riches	110.1	28	275	27	10.18
A. Thomas	119.2	23	340	29	11.72
A. Priday	161.3	44	365	29	12.58

CATCHES

L. Hughes, 12; R. Johnson, 10; A. Thomas, 9; J. Webb, 8;
G. Davies, 6; A. Priday, 5; K. Wilby, 5.

CARDIFF C.C. SECOND XI. SEASON 1957

RECORD

Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Abandoned
19	8	3	5	3

BATTING

(Qualification : 7 Innings)

Name	Innings	Highest Score	Not Out	Total	Average
K. G. Osment	7	41	3	153	38.25
A. Oaten	11	66	0	286	26.00
N. K. Contractor	8	79	0	198	24.75
L. King	12	55	1	235	21.40
L. Butler	15	68	1	262	18.80
N. Rees	9	46	0	163	18.10
J. Duncan	9	21	0	103	11.40
J. Herbert	10	34	1	93	10.30

BOWLING

(Qualification : 10 wickets)

Name	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
B. Thomas	35	12	62	11	5.70
N. K. Contractor	33	5	81	13	6.25
R. H. Stephenson	152	39	354	28	12.66
G. Gibson	126	20	335	25	13.30
S. Manuel	70	16	182	11	16.60

WICKET-KEEPING : L. King, stumped 1; caught 9

FIELDING : K. G. Osment, caught 6; G. Gibson, caught 5

CARDIFF CRICKET CLUB

CAPTAINS

From 1867 to 1876 there is no record of Captains.

1877 .. E. W. JONES	1914 .. J. HORSPOOL
1878 .. E. W. JONES	1915-18 EUROPEAN WAR
1879 .. E. W. JONES	1919 .. J. HORSPOOL
1880 .. E. W. JONES	1920 .. H. G. SYMONDS
1881 } Names of Captains	1921 .. G. E. CORDING
1882 } not recorded	1922 .. G. E. CORDING
1883 }	1923 .. T. R. MORGAN
1884 .. J. P. JONES	1924 .. H. W. TAYLER
1885 .. J. P. JONES	1925 .. F. W. MATHIAS
1886 .. J. P. JONES	1926 .. N. V. H. RICHES
1887 .. W. H. WILLIAMS	1927 .. N. V. H. RICHES
1888 .. W. H. WILLIAMS	1928 .. N. V. H. RICHES
1889 .. W. H. WILLIAMS	1929 .. A. N. MORGAN
1890 .. A. MORRIS	1930 .. A. N. MORGAN
1891 .. A. MORRIS	1931 .. N. V. H. RICHES
1892 .. W. H. BRAIN	1932 .. E. C. DOLMAN
1893 .. W. H. BRAIN	1933 .. G. L. RATTENBURY
1894 .. W. H. BRAIN	1934 .. J. T. MORGAN
1895 .. J. H. BRAIN	1935 .. J. T. MORGAN
1896 .. J. H. BRAIN	1936 .. F. W. MATHIAS
1897 .. J. G. CLARK	1937 .. F. THOMAS
1898 .. J. G. CLARK	1938 .. W. J. EVANS
1899 .. J. G. CLARK	1939 .. L. G. JONES
1900 .. J. H. BRAIN	1940-45 2ND WORLD WAR
1901 .. J. H. BRAIN	1946 .. W. J. EVANS
1902 .. J. G. CLARK	1947 .. W. H. WILKINS
1903 .. V. T. GILL	1948 .. J. D. RICHES
1904 .. V. T. GILL	1949 .. G. GIBSON
1905 .. J. P. CADOGAN	1950 .. W. H. WILKINS
1906 .. A. GIBSON	1951 .. W. H. WILKINS
1907 .. A. GIBSON	1952 .. G. DAVIES
1908 .. A. GIBSON	1953 .. G. DAVIES
1909 .. A. GIBSON	1954 .. W. H. WILKINS
1910 .. N. V. H. RICHES	1955 .. G. K. WILBY
1911 .. N. V. H. RICHES	1956 .. G. K. WILBY
1912 .. N. V. H. RICHES	1957 .. J. O. WEBB
1913 .. J. HORSPOOL	

CARDIFF ATHLETIC BOWLS CLUB

ANNUAL REPORT for Season 1957

Opening Day this year was on 20th April, and we were fortunate enough to be favoured with a beautiful day.

The Green appeared to be in grand condition, and the first wood was bowled by the Deputy Lord Mayor of Cardiff, Councillor E. C. Dolman.

Councillor Dolman addressed the members, and spoke of the high standing of the Cardiff Athletic Club in the sporting world.

He congratulated the Club Captain, Mr. E. F. Couzens, and the Captain of the "A" side, Mr. D. Francis, and wished them a very happy and successful season.

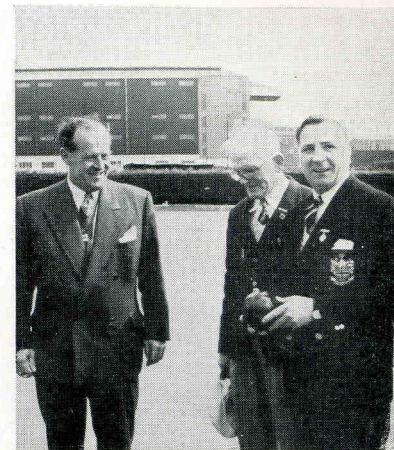
He also hoped that the Green would prove to be as good and true for playing as it looked, and that all members would be able to remember with pleasure many grand and enjoyable games played during the summer of 1957.

From the outset it was pleasing indeed to see the increased interest of the members, and with glorious bowling weather during May and June, full opportunity was provided for many excellent encounters.

A drawback to good bowling was the fact that the "experts" considered it necessary to keep the grass longer than we liked, but a steady improvement in the running and condition was evident throughout.

It really seems, after the disappointments of the last few years, that we can now look forward with real hope and justifiable optimism to possessing a Green comparable with the best in Wales.

With the talent available in the Club, our Match results were not as good as we had hoped for, but on the other hand they could have been very much worse.



Opened by the Deputy Lord Mayor of Cardiff,
Councillor E. C. Dolman

Our poorest form was shown in the W.B.A. and P.G.I. games.

W.B.A. : Played 5, Won 1, Lost 3, Drew 1. 360 shots for ; 424 shots against. 64 shots down in the 5 matches.

P.G.I. : Played 6, Won 2, Lost 4. 470 shots for ; 472 shots against. 2 shots down in 6 matches. So near, and yet so far. Only 2 shots down in the 6 matches means that we were well within striking distance of real success.

Why did we lose? Obviously because we didn't play well enough to win. The easy and usual reply is to blame the Selection Committee, but the principal reasons this year seemed to be that too many of our fellows played with a carefree "friendly match" complex, without the concentration and determination to win and make every wood count.

Two many platitudes are uttered on how the game should be played, and how well a team should lose. The W.B.A. and P.G.I. games are the backbone of our fixture list, and it is absurd to say that the result doesn't matter. The result certainly does matter, and undoubtedly has a considerable bearing on the interest, well-being and prestige of the Club.

It's the team that counts, not the individual, and until the last wood is bowled every player must concentrate on not wasting a shot no matter whether he is winning or losing, and do his best to help his colleagues win the match, as well as to enjoy himself.

After each match is over, the social aspect of such a Club as ours should be fostered and encouraged. We are fortunate that we have such excellent amenities, and we should make fuller use of them.

How good is the feeling when the players from both sides meet together to celebrate a grand, hard fought game. How good to be able to take the opportunity for generosity to an opponent, and to be able to cultivate the friendships made on the Green.

Good companionship, and the true spirit of amateur sportsmanship ought to be associated throughout the bowling world with the name of the Cardiff Athletic Bowls Club.

The results of our friendly matches showed a considerable improvement on the competitive matches.

Played 12. Won 8. Lost 4. Shots for 1,080. Shots against 1,019.

Our Mid-Week fixtures showed even more gratifying results.

Played 10. Won 8. Lost 2. Shots for 951. Shots against 727. 224 shots up on these Mid-Week fixtures ; a very fine achievement, showing plainly that the reserve of playing strength in the Club is in a very healthy state, but that the job to be tackled is the blending of this talent into first-class competitive rinks.

The two matches lost were by the narrowest of margins. We were only 2 shots down against Fair Oak and 5 shots down against a very strong East Glamorgan Civil Service side.

Following upon this, we have the very excellent achievements of the "A" Side.

P.G.2. Matches. Played 7. Won 4. Lost 3. Shots for 593. Shots against 528.

Friendly Matches : Played 10. Won 9. Lost 1. Shots for 885. Shots against 688.

Some fine performances ! Well done indeed !

COUNTY HONOURS

We are pleased to be able to report that the Club was honoured this season by the award of County Badges to the following members : E. F. Couzens, W. Dacey, J. Desmond and A. Radford.

We received further honour when invited to select a rink for the Glamorgan President's Team to play the Cardiff and District Association, and it was pleasing that the Club rink, F. Chapman, W. Dacey, E. Couzens, L. Smith, managed to win 21 to 18 after a very close and enjoyable game.

The match between East and North Glamorgan was played on our Green on 24th August, and we had five representatives selected. At the celebrations afterwards comment was made upon the splendid hospitality of the Cardiff Athletic Club, the unrivalled amenities we are fortunate enough to possess, and the very promising state of the Green.

The United States Touring Team visited Wales in July, and made Cardiff their headquarters. Their match against Glamorgan County was played on our Green, and proved to be a really memorable occasion for the Club.

The weather was grand, and with the six rinks occupied by the players in whites and blazers, and the largest number of onlookers and officials seen here for many a year, the Green presented a most gay and colourful picture ; it was a proud moment in our history.

The County proved too strong for the Tourists and our own Club rink, F. Chapman, W. Thomas, E. F. Couzens and C. B. Watson, had a good win, being successful by 22 shots to 12.

A reception and dinner was held in the Club Pavilion after the game, and the function was a great success, thoroughly enjoyed by everybody.

The toast of the Cardiff Athletic Club was proposed by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Mayor of Cardiff, Alderman J. H. Morgan, J.P., and the Captain of the Bowls Club, Mr. E. F. Couzens, suitably responded.

The atmosphere was superbly friendly and convivial, and the Americans were really moved and thrilled by the welcome they received, by the "after-dinner" singing, and by the cordial hospitality of the Club.

There can be no doubt that the tremendous success of this event did much to enhance the prestige of our Club, and thanks must be given to those of our members who helped so generously in the preparations and stewarding.

CLUB COMPETITIONS. Thanks to the excellent work of the Competition Stewards, A. Buckley and H. W. Taylor, all the events were completed in good time except for the Championship Final. The fact that a late evening start was made for this important game was certainly not the players' fault, and it was regrettable that play had to be abandoned at a critical stage owing to bad light, when it became too dark to see the jack from the other end of the Green.

Our Club Finals are too important for such a fiasco to be allowed again, and quite obviously must be arranged officially in fairness to the players, with ample time to complete each game in good light.

CHAMPIONSHIP

Winner D. Francis
 Runner-up W. H. Thomas

HANDICAP

Winner C. B. Watson
 Runner-up P. Ridd

PAIRS

Winners J. Atkinson and A. Bound
 Runners-up P. Ridd and W. J. Allen

SPOON

Winner T. Phillips

THE LADIES. May we once again express our thanks and gratitude to the Ladies who looked after our catering so magnificently week after week. We are truly indebted to them for the services they render so charmingly and so willingly; services which add so materially to the pleasure and enjoyment of our Saturday afternoons. Ladies, we thank you.

OBITUARY. With deep regret we have to report the passing away of Jock Atkinson and W. Jacobs. They will be sadly missed, and we extend our very deepest sympathy to their families.

The Captains, E. F. Couzens and D. Francis, wish to thank all the members for their generous help and co-operation throughout the past season.

It has been a very happy, encouraging, and progressive year for the Club, and the general feeling is that we have consolidated and built up our strength and status, and that progressing in the same heartening way from strength to strength, we may well be reckoned with as a very potent force in the bowling world.

Already an International Trial Match has been arranged on our Green for next season, and if all goes well, the probability is that we will have the honour of staging the full Internationals the following year.

In conclusion, the Management Committee must receive our very real gratitude and appreciation for their unstinted help and readiness to assist us in every possible way.

MATCH RESULTS—FIRST TEAM

Date	Opponents	Venue	Shots For	Shots Against	Result
April 27	Newport Ath. (F)	Away	75	64	Won
May 4	Cardiff (F)	Home	69	86	Lost
" 11	Hailey Pk. (WBA)	Home	87	56	Won
" 18	Victoria Pk. (WBA)	Away	63	84	Lost
" 25	Penylan (WBA)	Away	62	106	Lost
June 1	Grangetown (WBA)	Home	66	96	Lost
" 8	Llwynypia (F)	Away	83	60	Won
" 15	Wheatsheaf (F)	Away	84	80	Won
" 22	Guest Keen (F)	Home	82	61	Won
" 29	Penarth (PGI)	Away	71	81	Lost
July 6	Pen. Wind. (PGI)	Home	69	91	Lost
" 13	Penhill (PGI)	Away	66	81	Lost
" 20	St. Fagans (PGI)	Home	84	68	Won
" 27	Whiteheads (PGI)	Home	98	65	Won
Aug. 3	Seven Sisters (F)	Away	94	100	Lost
" 10	Rhiwbina (PGI)	Away	70	86	Lost
" 17	Mackintosh (F)	Away	102	77	Won
" 31	Lovells (F)	Away	61	110	Lost
Sept. 7	Penylan (F)	Home	121	103	Won
" 14	Whitchurch (F)	Home	133	107	Won
" 21	Ferndale (F)	Away	87	107	Lost
" 28	Pontnewydd (F)	Home	89	64	Won
June 19	Dinas Powis (WBA)	Away	82	82	Draw

"A" TEAM

Date	Opponents	Venue	Shots For	Shots Against	Result
April 27	Newport Ath. (F)	Home	77	65	Won
May 4	Cardiff (F) ..	Away	78	73	Won
" 11	Roath Park (F) ..	Away	55	75	Lost
" 18	Victoria Park (F)	Home	100	64	Won
" 25	Ogmore (F) ..	Home	114	83	Won
June 1	Pontnewydd (F)	Away	103	69	Won
" 8	St't. & Ll'ds (PG2)	Scratched by Stewart & Lloyds			
" 15	Panteg H'se. (PG2)	Scratched by Panteg House			
" 22	Guest Keen (PG2)	Away	77	85	Lost
" 29	Grangetown (F)	Home	95	64	Won
July 6	Pen. Wind. (PG2)	Away	129	46	Won
" 13	Penhill (F) ..	Home	79	59	Won
" 20	St. Fagans (PG2)	Away	87	74	Won
" 27	Barry Ath. (PG2)	Away	81	76	Won
Aug. 3	British Ny'n (PG2)	Home	73	93	Lost
" 10	Rhiwbina (PG2)	Home	65	95	Lost
" 17	Mackintosh (PG2)	Home	81	59	Won
" 24	Dinas Powis (F)	Away	81	79	Won
" 31	Lovells (F) ..	Home	100	58	Won

MID-WEEK FIXTURES

Date	Opponents	Venue	Shots For	Shots Against	Result
May 29	City Police ..	Home	84	58	Won
June 5	Barry Athletic ..	Away	113	80	Won
" 11	Seven Sisters ..	Home	135	93	Won
" 12	United Services	Home	108	61	Won
" 26	Howard Gardens	Home	85	59	Won
July 1	Leicester Tourists	Home	101	79	Won
" 3	Cardiff East ..	Home	70	63	Won
" 10	Fairoak ..	Home	85	87	Lost
" 17	Barry Athletic ..	Home	Rain		
" 24	Caerphilly ..	Home	Scratched by Caerphilly		
" 31	Heath ..	Home	95	67	Won
Aug. 7	East Glam. Civ. S.	Home	75	80	Lost

PAST CAPTAINS OF BOWLS SECTION

1924 .. J. BATSTONE	1941 .. H. W. TAYLOR
1925 .. M. WOOD	1942 .. J. D. ROBERTS
1926 .. W. M. DOUGLAS	1943 .. W. T. WILLIAMS
1927 .. J. PRATT	1944 .. H. J. SALTER
1928 .. W. H. JENKINS	1945 .. A. G. COUZENS
1929 .. C. W. WILLIAMS	1946 .. A. F. MALE
1930 .. D. L. EVANS	1947 .. A. E. TAYLOR
1931 .. J. OXENHAM	1948 .. W. J. POWELL
1932 .. L. C. WATTERS	1949 .. F. E. BONNELL
1933 .. F. DAVIES	1950 .. S. JONES
1934 .. W. T. GRIFFITHS	1951 .. A. H. USHER
1935 .. A. MILSOM	1952 .. F. D'ALTON
1936 .. A. CALDER	1953 .. J. S. LEWIS
1937 .. C. W. STANDFAST	1954 .. K. TOOZER
1938 .. T. STRONG	1955 .. C. B. WATSON
1939 .. E. RIDD	1956 .. J. H. WEBB
1940 .. W. J. OLD	1957 .. E. F. COUZENS

CARDIFF ATHLETIC LAWN TENNIS CLUB

ANNUAL REPORT for Season 1957

After a fairly successful season in 1956, members of the Lawn Tennis Section looked forward to another good year in 1957. Membership continued to flourish and with the grass courts in good condition there were prospects of a great improvement in the playing facilities.

The season opened as usual on the last Saturday in April and, for a change, a fine day was enjoyed by nearly 50 members including several newcomers.

The league matches started very early, the first being a Women's fixture on 7th May and a Men's on 11th May. The men's results in this competition were not outstanding; only three of the six matches played being won. The women started with remarkable success, losing only one event of the 31 played in the first four matches, but hopes of seeing our ladies team winning the league were dashed, as unfortunately the holiday period interfered with the team selection and the last three matches were lost by small margins. Nevertheless it was a very good performance.

The Final Results were :

				<i>Events</i>		<i>Sets</i>		<i>Games</i>	
	<i>Played</i>	<i>Won</i>	<i>Lost</i>	<i>for</i>	<i>agst.</i>	<i>for</i>	<i>agst.</i>	<i>for</i>	<i>agst.</i>
Men ..	6	3	3	25	29	60	72	595	620
Women	7	4	3	40	18	84	49	638	497

The Annual Tournament commenced on Saturday, 29th June, and, with the fine weather continuing, good progress was made. Some unexpected results were recorded and, although this often happens, it showed that considerable improvement had been made by several members, including some of the juniors. This is very gratifying and creates a feeling of confidence for the future.



Mrs. MARY WHEELER
Ladies' Captain

The results of the Championship Finals were :

MEN'S SINGLES

P. Lewis beat B. Dimascio 4—6, 6—4, 6—3

WOMEN'S SINGLES

P. EVANS beat G. Dimascio 6—1, 6—3

MEN'S DOUBLES

G. Chugg and P. Lewis beat E. Cross and N. Walsh 7—5, 6—3

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

C. Hybart and P. Russell beat G. Dimascio and C. Ryan 6—0, 6—3

MIXED DOUBLES

G. Chugg and P. Russell beat E. Cross and C. Hybart 5—7, 6—2, 6—2

HANDICAPS

MEN'S DOUBLES

B. Dimascio and B. Shears beat C. Brighton and I. Struel 10—8, 7—5

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

J. Shelton and E. Cammock beat P. Russell and G. Hodge 6—2, 4—6, 6—3

MIXED DOUBLES

M. McNicholas and S. Morgan beat B. Mark and C. Ryan 8—6, 6—8, 7—5

Congratulations are due to the winners and thanks to the Referees, Mrs. M. Wheeler and Mr. J. Way as well as to the members of the Committee who gave valuable help particularly at the handicapping stage.

The tournaments over, it is sad to relate that the wonderful weather we had enjoyed during the past few months came to an end. With the holiday season in full swing, difficulty was often encountered in selecting teams for the numerous friendly matches. These matches are arranged primarily for the benefit of the non-league playing members and advantage is taken of trying out a number of promising players. Good results and enjoyable evenings encourage the continuance of such fixtures.

It is pleasing to report that members met frequently during the winter at social functions. Several skittle matches were played and these proved most enjoyable. The Annual Dance held in the New Club on Friday, 16th November, was a huge success, not only socially but financially as well, as a profit of £26 was made. This was indeed gratifying and I feel sure that all those who were present would like to thank the Social Committee for their splendid efforts in arranging such an enjoyable evening.

HARD COURTS. At a Tennis Committee Meeting held last April, a letter was read from Mr. E. Beim stressing the deplorable condition of the hard courts and requesting an application to the Management Committee to consider re-surfacing them. The Chairman, Mr. J. Broad, sent a most comprehensive letter to the Club Secretary, Mr. Sargent, requesting that this should be done. The Ground Committee, on which the Tennis Section has a representative, agreed that the hard courts required attention and the application was passed on to the Finance Committee. Under normal circumstances, even though the cost was in the region of £500, this necessary overhaul would have been made, but owing to the financial position of the Club it was decided at the Management Committee held last May to leave this matter in abeyance for six months. This decision was arrived at with regret as it was realised that the request was justified.

Before I end this report I would like to bring to your notice a few items of considerable importance. In 1955, Miss Pat Evans won the Welsh Junior Championship (under 16) at Penarth. The following year she was just beaten in the finals by Jane Roberts, a Welsh International. This year I am pleased to say Pat won the Junior Championship (under 18) convincingly. She also won the Ladies' Singles Championship of this Club and for a Junior I think



Miss PAT EVANS
Ladies' Singles Champion
Welsh Junior Champion

this is unprecedented. She was the winner of both the Swansea and District and the Carmarthen Junior tournaments and was narrowly beaten in the finals of the Empire Games Tennis Tournament. Her qualifications were sufficient for her to enter the Wimbledon Junior Championships where she was narrowly beaten in the second round of the singles and in the third round in the doubles.

Pat and another member of the Club, Miss Pat Russell, were selected to play for the South Wales Ladies' Team.

And now to a young male member, Terry Bevan. Terry has reaped his first reward for assiduous practice during the summer and winter months by winning the Empire Games tournament. To do this he had to beat in the finals, Len Davies, an experienced team player of Rhiwbina and Penarth Clubs. In my opinion it is only a matter of time before Terry will be playing for the South Wales team.

In mentioning the outstanding performances of these three young members, it would appear that the policy of allowing juniors the same facilities of play as the senior members has paid dividends and makes one wonder why such rigid restrictions are made by other clubs which curtail their hours of play to a minimum.

This report concludes by recording the appreciation of all the members who played in the league and friendly home matches, for the efforts of the Ladies' Captain, Mrs. M. Wheeler and her colleagues in supplying the refreshments after these evening games. I would like to add my personal thanks to Mrs. Wheeler for her loyal co-operation, Mr. David Ashton, the Hon. Secretary and Mr. Cyril Lewis, the Match Secretary, as well as to all members of the Committee. I would also like to record my appreciation of the help given me by the Office and Ground Staffs.

CARDIFF ATHLETIC LAWN TENNIS CLUB

CAPTAINS

<i>Men's</i>			<i>Ladies'</i>		
1923	..	T. J. HOPKINS	..	..	Miss E. CLARE
1924	..	T. J. HOPKINS	..	..	Mrs. G. D. HORSPOOL
1925	..	T. J. HOPKINS	..	..	Miss D. A. CALDER
1926	..	T. J. HOPKINS	..	..	Miss D. A. CALDER
1927	..	F. C. ORAM	..	..	Mrs. M. JERMAIN
1928	..	F. C. ORAM	..	..	Miss M. OXENHAM
1929	..	E. R. HANCOCK	..	..	Miss M. OXENHAM
1930	..	W. L. BRIGHT	..	..	Miss M. OXENHAM
1931	..	W. L. BRIGHT	..	..	Miss E. TAYLOR
1932	..	T. W. RICHARDS	..	..	Miss W. CORNWELL
1933	..	D. B. MORGAN	..	..	Miss W. CORNWELL
1934	..	W. DAVID	..	..	Miss N. NIGH
1935	..	W. L. BRIGHT	..	..	Miss E. BELMAN
1936	..	J. BROAD	..	..	Miss W. CORNWELL
1937	..	J. M. HOPKINS	..	..	Miss W. CORNWELL
1938	..	A. C. TAYLOR	..	..	Miss W. CORNWELL
1939	..	J. M. HOPKINS	..	..	Miss W. CORNWELL
1940-45	..	WORLD WAR No. 2	..	..
1946	..	C. T. HEMMING	..	..	Miss D. JONES
1947	..	M. LLEWELLYN	..	..	Miss D. JONES
1948	..	M. LLEWELLYN	..	..	Miss M. DAVIES
1949	..	GWYN MATTHEWS	..	..	Miss M. DAVID
1950	..	GWYN MATTHEWS	..	..	Mrs. N. EVANS
1951	..	GWYN MATTHEWS	..	..	Mrs. N. R. EVANS
1952	..	F. P. DAVIES	..	..	Miss M. M. HAZELL
1953	..	H. ROY EVANS	..	..	Mrs. E. YOUENS
1954	..	F. P. DAVIES	..	..	Mrs. M. WHEELER
1955	..	F. P. DAVIES	..	..	Mrs. G. RIDD
1956	..	F. P. DAVIES	..	..	Mrs. R. W. TAYLOR
1957	..	F. P. DAVIES	..	..	Mrs. M. WHEELER

CARDIFF HOCKEY CLUB

Season 1957-58

On the whole, this was another successful season. The First XI made a bad start, winning only one of the first eight matches. Just when it looked as though they were in for one of the poorest seasons in the Club's history, they suddenly pulled themselves together and proceeded to win 19 of the remaining 22 matches. After the end of October, the only matches lost were the two against Bristol and a somewhat unsatisfactory one against Weston, played in Bristol on the morning of the England v. Wales match. The Captain, D. J. O'Brien, had a very good season at centre-half, and if rumours of his retirement prove true, he will be a difficult man to replace. N. C. Pallot was once again the most consistent of the forwards.

The "A" XI again had a very good season, remaining unbeaten until the beginning of February. From 5th October until 25th January, they had a run of 16 successive victories. The greatest credit is due to the Captain, W. N. Francis, for the way in which he handled his team.

The "B" and Extra "B" XIs did not do so well as in the previous year, but this was probably due to the fact that it was impossible to field a settled team in either case. Injuries and absences due to examinations in the First and "A" XIs meant that the junior sides were continually being called upon to provide reserves with a consequent dislocation of their own sides. While membership at the start of the season was more than adequate, in the later months it was found difficult to field four full sides every week. Additional members will have to be recruited for next season.

Reference should be made to the improved state of the playing pitches, and to the fact that for once Saturdays were not the wettest days of the week. Both the First and "A" XIs only had two matches cancelled owing to weather conditions—this probably constitutes a record for the Club.

Congratulations to G. T. Whiteway on receiving his first "cap" for Wales after being reserve on many occasions. Congratulations also to G. Dennis-Jones on being appointed to Umpire, Wales v. Holland at Penarth and France v. Belgium at Lille.

Full results for the four teams were :

		Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	Goals for	Goals against
First XI	..	30	20	2	8	93	54
"A" XI	..	26	21	2	3	95	30
"B" XI	..	27	10	3	14	73	69
Extra "B" XI		19	8	2	9	36	54

Leading goal-scorers :

FIRST XI—M. A. H. England, 20 ; N. C. Pallot, 19 ; N. G. Rees, 13 ; R. Jenkin, 12 ; H. O. J. Gibbon, 10.

"A" XI—W. N. Francis, 22 ; J. S. Hosgood, 21 ; N. G. Rees, 12 ; H. O. J. Gibbon, 12.

"B" XI—J. S. Hosgood, 13 ; J. Williamson, 7 ; N. S. Mason, 7.
EXTRA "B" XI—N. S. Mason, 6.

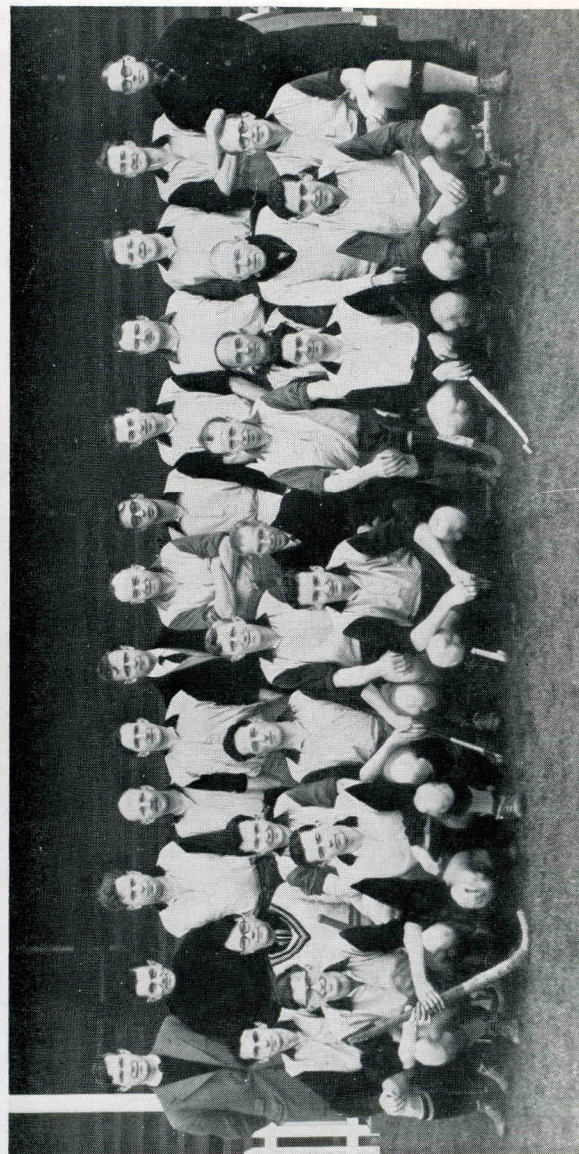
REPRESENTATIVE HONOURS

Wales—G. T. Whiteway.

South Wales—M. A. H. England, R. Jenkin, T. B. Kendall,
H. R. S. Rhys, T. D. H. Thomas, G. T. Whiteway and
P. R. Wilkinson.

Glamorgan—M. A. H. England, P. J. Hall, T. B. Kendall,
M. H. C. Meggitt, N. G. Rees, H. R. S. Rhys, T. D. H.
Thomas, G. T. Whiteway and P. R. Wilkinson.

CARDIFF HOCKEY CLUB 1957-58



Standing : F. P. HARDING, E. J. E. HITCHMAN, P. R. WILKINSON, M. J. GRIFFITHS, J. WILLIAMSON, P. J. HALL, J. B. HOSGOOD,
G. D. NADKARNI, D. T. BANBURY, D. M. DAVIES, K. F. G. THOMAS, B. J. K. BRYANT, J. P. ROBERTS.
Sitting : N. T. RODERICK, T. D. H. THOMAS, G. T. WHITEWAY, L. K. MORGAN, D. J. O'BRIEN, K. H. INGLEDEW, W. N. FRANCIS,
A. CHAPMAN, E. C. HALL, H. W. LYN JONES.
Squatting : A. P. ZEALEY, J. M. BELL, R. S. ASPINWALL, R. SARVER, L. H. GODFREY.

CARDIFF HOCKEY CLUB—RESULTS, 1957-58

CARDIFF

Date	Opponents	Venue	Result
1957			
Sept. 21	Brean	Away	Drawn 0—0
" 28	Weston-super-Mare	Home	Lost 2—3
Oct. 5	Beckenham	Away	Lost 0—2
" 6	Hounslow	Away	Lost 1—6
" 12	Bridgend	Away	Won 9—2
" 19	Penarth	Away	Lost 0—2
" 26	West Gloucestershire	Home	Lost 2—3
Nov. 2	Abergavenny	Away	Drawn 1—1
" 9	Hereford	Away	Won 5—2
" 10	Ross-on-Wye	Away	Won 8—0
" 16	Bristol	Away	Lost 0—2
" 23	Imperial	Home	Won 3—2
" 30	Old Bristolians	Away	Won 4—3
Dec. 7	Old Grammarians	Away	Won 3—2
" 14	Bath	Home	Won 4—1
" 21	Newport	Home	Won 4—0
" 28	Penarth	Home	Won 3—0
1958			
Jan. 4	Swansea	Away	Won 4—1
" 11	Bridgend	Home	Won 1—0
" 18	Ross-on-Wye	Home	Cancelled
" 25	Newport	Away	Cancelled
Feb. 1	Bristol	Home	Lost 1—2
" 8	Abergavenny	Home	Cancelled
" 15	Swansea	Home	Won 4—0
" 16	Hereford	Home	Won 5—1
" 22	Imperial	Away	Won 5—3
Mar. 1	Old Grammarians	Home	Won 9—3
" 8	Old Bristolians	Home	Won 1—0
" 15	West Gloucestershire	Away	Won 2—1
" 22	Bath	Away	Won 5—3
" 29	Weston-super-Mare	Away	Lost 1—6
April 12	R.A.F., St. Athan	Home	Won 3—1
" 19	Brean	Home	Won 3—2

CARDIFF "A"

Date	Opponents	Venue	Result
1957			
Sept. 21	Brean II	Home	Drawn 1—1
" 28	Weston-super-Mare II	Away	Drawn 1—1
Oct. 5	Cardiff University	Away	Won 4—0
" 12	Steel Co. of Wales	Home	Won 6—0
" 19	Bridgend	Away	Won 2—0
" 26	West Gloucestershire II	Away	Won 2—1
Nov. 2	R.A.F., St. Athan	Home	Won 3—1
" 9	Bristol Aeroplane Co.	Home	Won 7—1
" 16	Bristol II	Home	Won 4—1
" 23	Imperial II	Away	Won 5—1
" 30	Oystermouth	Home	Won 5—1
Dec. 7	Clydach	Home	Won 6—2
" 14	Bath II	Away	Won 3—2
" 21	Newport "A"	Away	Won 4—3
" 28	Bridgend	Home	Won 4—0
1958			
Jan. 4	Clydach	Away	Won 6—0
" 11	Oystermouth	Away	Cancelled
" 18	Swansea University	Away	Won 6—0
" 25	Newport "A"	Home	Won 2—0
Feb. 1	Bristol II	Away	Lost 0—2
" 8	Steel Co. of Wales	Away	Cancelled
" 15	R.A.F., St. Athan	Away	Lost 2—6
" 22	Imperial II	Home	Won 6—0
Mar. 1	A.A.S. Beachley	Home	Won 3—0
" 8	Cardiff University	Home	Lost 3—4
" 15	West Gloucestershire II	Home	Won 3—2
" 22	A.A.S., Beachley	Away	Won 5—1
" 29	Weston-super-Mare II	Home	Cancelled
April 19	Brean II	Away	Won 2—0

CARDIFF " B "

Date	Opponents	Venue	Result
1957			
Sept. 21	A.A.S., Beachley II	Home	Won 3—0
" 28	Llanishen	Away	Lost 2—4
Oct. 5	Mond Nickel	Home	Won 5—2
" 12	Llanishen	Home	Lost 1—2
" 19	Penarth II	Home	Won 4—0
" 26	Cardiff Medicals	Home	Won 6—0
Nov. 2	Abergavenny II	Home	Lost 0—4
" 9	Cardiff High School	Away	Lost 2—6
" 16	Girlings	Home	Drawn 2—2
" 23	Swansea University	Home	Lost 1—5
" 30	Old Bristolians II	Home	Won 5—0
Dec. 7	Girlings	Away	Won 4—2
" 14	R.A.F., St. Athan II	Home	Lost 0—3
" 21	Newport II	Home	Lost 1—2
" 28	Penarth II	Away	Lost 0—3
1958			
Jan. 4	C.E.A.	Home	Lost 0—1
" 11	Bristol Y.M.C.A.	Home	Won 5—2
" 18	R.A.F., St. Athan II	Away	Cancelled
" 25	Newport II	Home	Drawn 2—2
Feb. 1	Cardiff University II	Away	Won 4—1
" 8	Abergavenny II	Away	Cancelled
" 15	C.E.A.	Away	Lost 2—3
" 22	Swansea University	Away	Cancelled
Mar. 1	Bristol Y.M.C.A.	Away	Lost 1—6
" 8	Old Bristolians	Away	Lost 1—6
" 15	Cardiff High School	Home	Lost 1—6
" 22	A.A.S., Beachley II	Away	Won 8—0
" 29	Roath Park	Away	Won 8—1
April 12	Bridgend	Away	Drawn 2—2
" 26	Mond Nickel	Away	Lost 3—4

CARDIFF EXTRA " B "

Date	Opponents	Venue	Result
1957			
Sept. 21	R.N.V.R.	Away	Cancelled
" 28	West Gloucestershire III	Home	Won 2—0
Oct. 5	C.E.A.	Home	Lost 3—7
" 12	Trinity	Away	Lost 0—4
" 19	Cardiff University II	Home	Won 2—1
" 26	Borderers	Away	Lost 3—4
Nov. 2	B.P. Refinery	Away	Won 2—1
" 9	Roath Park	Home	Cancelled
" 16	B.N.S., Pontypool	Away	Lost 0—3
" 23	Imperial III	Away	Won 2—1
" 30	Cardiff Training College	Away	Lost 2—6
Dec. 7	B.N.S., Pontypool	Home	Cancelled
" 14	Boy Entrants (St. Athan)	Away	Drawn 5—5
" 21	C.E.A.	Away	Lost 1—6
1958			
Jan. 4	Llanishen	Home	Cancelled
" 11	West Gloucestershire III	Away	Cancelled
" 18	A.A.S., Beachley III	Away	Lost 0—3
" 25	City Hall	Away	Cancelled
Feb. 1	Cardiff Training College	Home	Cancelled
" 8	Borderers	Home	Cancelled
" 15	Cardiff University II	Home	Drawn 1—1
" 22	Imperial III	Home	Cancelled
Mar. 1	Cardiff Medicals	Away	Cancelled
" 8	R.N.V.R.	Away	Won 5—4
" 15	Cardiff University II	Away	Won 2—0
" 22	Cardiff University II	Home	Lost 0—3
" 29	Trinity	Home	Won 3—2
April 19	B.P. Refinery	Home	Lost 1—2
" 24	City Hall	Home	Won 2—1

CARDIFF HOCKEY CLUB

Record of Past Seasons

Season	Captain	Played	Won	Drn.	Lost	Goals	
						For	Agst.
1896-97	E. W. BENNETT	*					
1897-98	E. W. BENNETT	23	8	7	8	38	46
1898-99	W. BIELSKI	17	8	2	7	38	26
1899-1900	N. D. WARE	23	14	6	3	68	24
1900-01	N. D. WARE	26	20	2	4	82	33
1901-02	N. D. WARE	19	15	2	2	81	13
1902-03	G. N. HOWELL	20	16	1	3	81	22
1903-04	G. N. HOWELL	24	18	2	4	110	31
1904-05	E. W. EVANS	20	15	2	3	119	27
1905-06	E. W. EVANS	15	11	1	3	78	27
1906-07	E. W. EVANS	17	13	2	2	68	25
1907-08	F. B. M. BULMER	16	12	2	2	62	23
1908-09	E. R. SWEET-ESCOTT	23	17	3	3	101	26
1909-10	B. TURNBULL	18	14	0	4	109	26
1910-11	H. H. SWEET-ESCOTT	18	14	2	2	107	22
1911-12	J. W. DUNCAN	18	15	1	2	95	26
1912-13	H. REDFORD	15	10	0	5	70	57
1913-14	J. O. TURNBULL	22	19	2	1	115	30
1919-20	B. TURNBULL	17	10	2	5	64	45
1920-21	H. S. STEPHENS	15	7	4	4	41	34
1921-22	R. T. S. HINDE	24	14	3	7	92	51
1922-23	H. W. BROWNE	19	10	3	6	73	34
1923-24	W. S. COURTIS	23	9	4	10	63	68
1924-25	A. T. HARPER	*					
1925-26	A. T. HARPER	*					
1929-30	F. L. LAMARQUE	25	12	4	9	79	59
1930-31	F. L. LAMARQUE	30	17	3	10	126	70
1931-32	K. G. HUGHES	29	16	4	9	87	75
1932-33	S. C. BANBURY	28	13	6	9	77	77
1933-34	S. C. BANBURY	30	11	5	14	53	57
1934-35	S. C. BANBURY	34	13	7	14	64	71
1935-36	G. R. FAULKS	27	14	2	11	60	64
1936-37	G. R. FAULKS	25	11	6	8	48	50
1937-38	G. R. FAULKS	31	20	3	8	64	40
1938-39	G. R. FAULKS	25	14	6	5	62	30
1945-46	G. PERCIVAL	32	25	2	5	139	49
1946-47	G. PERCIVAL	20	10	3	7	65	36
1947-48	K. G. HUGHES	26	14	3	9	57	42
1948-49	G. A. L. TUCKER	26	15	1	10	72	45
1949-50	W. N. FRANCIS	32	22	3	7	110	56
1950-51	W. N. FRANCIS	26	14	8	4	87	44
1951-52	W. N. FRANCIS	30	17	6	7	96	47
1952-53	W. N. FRANCIS	30	18	8	4	98	43
1953-54	N. C. PALLOT	30	18	6	6	89	34
1954-55	N. C. PALLOT	29	20	6	3	100	31
1955-56	W. A. THOMAS	29	19	3	7	103	52
1956-57	M. H. C. MEGGITT	28	16	5	7	83	59
1957-58	T. D. H. THOMAS	30	20	2	8	93	54
	D. J. O'BRIEN						

* Records not available

