

Wanderers' Amateur Athletic Club.

CRICKET REPORT.—(Concluded.)

MATCHES PLAYED.

1. June 2nd vs. Hamilton's XI. Wanderers, 70; Hamilton's XI, 53.
Won by 17 runs.
2. June 14th vs. R. A. & R. E. Wanderers, 175; R. A. & R. E., 123.
Won by 52 runs.
3. July 1st vs. Garrison. Wanderers, 39 & 86; Garrison, 93.
Draw favour of Garrison.
4. July 25th & 26th vs. Garrison. Wanderers, 75 & 52 for 3 wks.; Garrison, 96 & 119.
Draw favour of Garrison.
5. Aug. 7th Married vs. Single. Single, 118; Married, 68 for 3 wks.
6. Aug. 8th & 9th vs. Garrison. Wanderers, 196 & 79 for 5 wks.; Garrison, 112.
Draw favour of Wanderers.
7. Aug. 25th vs. Dartmouth Club. Wanderers, 113; Dartmouth, 68 & 31 for 3 wks.
8. Aug. 29th & 30th vs. Garrison. Wanderers, 81 & 19 for 4 wks.; Garrison, 76.

BATTING AVERAGES.

	Innings.	Not Out.	Total.	Average.	Most in Innings.
W. A. Henry,	10	2	221	27.62	54
F. A. Kaiser,	12	1	212	19.27	41
W. G. Brookfield,	5	1	56	14.00	11
C. Stewart,	7	1	74	12.33	25
T. J. Cahalane,	6	1	57	11.40	28
E. P. Allison,	11	3	91	11.37	19
W. H. Neal,	8	1	79	11.29	41
G. A. Tayler,	3	1	19	9.50	16*
F. A. W. Tayler,	10	1	81	9.00	29
T. F. Tobin,	7	1	53	8.83	17
C. J. Cunand,	5	0	13	8.60	29
L. M. Johnstone,	7	1	36	6.00	19
T. J. Cochrane,	7	0	32	4.57	13
F. P. Bligh,	3	0	9	3.00	7

* Not out.

REPORT OF THE GENERAL COMMITTEE.

(H. P. BLIGH, Secretary.)

THE club is in a highly satisfactory condition financially. The Treasurer's account shows receipts amounting to \$2573.03, expenditure \$2230.27, so that it has been possible to transfer \$140 to the Reserve account, leaving a balance of \$202.76 to the credit of the club at the Bank. The expenditure includes the laying of a new bowling-green, and an extra large grant to the Tennis club.

The balance in hand is enough to pay next year's instalment on the grand-stand account, which is the last, so that the club is practically free from debt, and has a Reserve Fund of \$565.27.

The entrance-fee of \$5.00 now required has not made the number of applications for admission sink below the average. The number of active members at the last semi-annual meeting was 322; of these 22 have been struck off the list for non-payment of dues; 18 have been placed on the Honorary list, 28 have resigned, and 1 has died. There have been 27 new members, bringing the members up to 280. The resignations have been for the most part those of older members, who consider that the Club no longer needs their support.

Owing to the formation of the South End L. T. Club, the number of Lady members has decreased from 30 to 7. Lacrosse has been played on the Wanderers' Ground this year for the first time, and it is hoped that a large number of members will take an active interest in the game next year.

The bye-laws will be revised up to date and printed in time to be laid before the general meeting this time next year.

REPORT OF THE GROUND COMMITTEE,

(GEOFFREY MORROW, Chairman.)

The ground Committee beg to report that with the limited amount voted to them not much new work could be done on the grounds; but a new Lawn Tennis Court was laid and carefully cut and rolled, but not opened for play. This should be a first class court next season.

The Track was put in order the very first thing in the Spring, and was after that comparatively easy to keep good.

The ground Committee were able to let the grounds for Base Ball, and this brought a considerable revenue, part of which was voted by the Managing Committee for a new bowling green. This was laid and should prove to be very true.

The ground Committee beg to recommend that next season the Tennis Courts be laid up in turn for three weeks at a time all through the season. This will give them a chance, as it is impossible for Courts to be played on every day, and still be in good order.

The same thing is recommended for the bowling-greens.

They also recommend that the fence, or at least that part on Park Street, be painted next Spring, and that the Southern side of the track and ground inside it be re-graded.

The ground Committee are pleased to again bring to your notice the assistance and suggestions they have received from J. D. Irons, to whom improving the ground is a Labour of Love and who has at heart the best interest of the Club.

FOOTBALL.

(J. N. DUFFUS, Chairman.)

The Football Sub-Committee, reports on the past season as "the most unsatisfactory one in the annals of the Club." In the 1st place, Dalhousie took offence at their playing the Abeg weits on Thanksgiving Day (claiming for themselves a match with the Wanderers as a fixture for that day,) and refused to arrange any other matches throughout the season. Again, at the beginning of the season some of the Wanderers' team objected to playing against private soldiers, with the result that from that time the 76th refused to play them at all, even in conjunction with other clubs. The team, which at first was not up to the mark, has improved considerably during the season. The forwards are strong, but the backs rather weak. As this is chiefly owing to a lack of interest in the game on the part of some of the younger members, and as the club has this year lost the services of Mr. W. A. Duffus as quarter-back, it is suggested that a younger member should be added to the Committee, whose duty it should be to arrange matches for the 2nd XV, and see that they practised more often.

It is also suggested that the match 1st v. 2nd XV's should be made a fixture.

An Association team was got together this year, which played one match, v. R. A. and R. E., being defeated by 2 goals to 1.

The following 1st XV matches were played this year:—

Oct. 25. v. Kentville, won by 1 goal and 2 tries to nil. (8 points) tries earned by Oxley, Wyld, and Harley.

Nov. 1. v. Navy:—Lost by 1 try to nil. (2 points.)

Nov. 8. v. Navy:—Won by 1 goal and try to nil. (6 points). tries by Grierson and MacIntosh.

Nov. 6. v. Abegweits:—Lost by one try (2 points.)

Nov. 15 v. 2nd XX:—Won by 1 goal and 4 tries to nil. (12 points). tries by Henry (2), Duffus and Harley.

Nov. 22. v. New Glasgow:—Won by one goal to nil. (4 points). try by Henry.

This makes in all 6 matches, of which 4 have been won, and 2 lost.

A splendid run made by Mr. W. A. Henry in the Glasgow match is worth recording as the best seen this season. The second XV have played but one match, against Dalhousie 2nd (Nov. 19), which ended in a draw.

SPORTS.

The sports sub-committee (W. E. Leverman, chairman) report a successful year, throughout which the club has maintained its place in the front rank.

G. H. Bowen was prevented by illness from running at the Championship meeting, and G. Tracy had private reasons which withheld him from competing.

W. A. Henry won the Hurdles and Broad Jump at Truro, while A. M. Bauld lost the 100 dash only by a few inches.