

Canadians v A. S. C. Section. 27-1-18.

This return game was played on our ground in perfect weather. Collier winning the toss elected to play up-hill with the sun behind us. Our forwards were some little time in settling down and when they did test the opposing goalkeeper they found him on the spot though a trifle lucky. However, the pressure was bound to tell and after 10 minutes play Barrie deflected a perfect centre from Prettyman which gave the goalkeeper no chance. Having tasted blood our forwards were eager for more and Stoker picking up a pass from Bennett, who was playing a most unselfish game, scored from 15 yards range. This seemed to upset the A. S. C. and the play suffered in consequence. Keeping up the pressure first Curtis, then Prettyman, centred some good balls and from one of these Stoker added a third goal. Kicking downhill in the second half we had the bulk of the play and our forwards, well backed by the defence, continually kept the A. S. C. confined to their own half. Goals were added by Stoker (1), Bennett (2) and Barrie (1). Another very one-sided game ended 7-0 in our favour.

Canadians v Machine Gun Section. 3-2-18.

This important return League game was played on the ground of our opponents in dull weather. The previous game ended in a win for us by 2 goals to 1 and in view of this a keen tussle was expected. Losing the toss Bennett kicked off against a slight wind. Midfield play marked the first five minutes. Canadians gradually worked the ball to the other goal and the ball went past. Immediately following this our forwards came into the picture with some nice combination which Barrie finished off by driving in a grounder which the goalkeeper failed to clear and Bennett dashing up opened the scoring. This early success put the team on good terms with themselves and playing a good open game they looked dangerous. Half time arrived with the score 1-0 in our favour. Canadians pressed early in the second half and scored, but offside was given. The game was being played on fast lines, each side getting within shooting distance, with the Canadians the more dangerous. Following a corner to Canadians Bennett scored a second goal from close in and the same player three minutes later scored another. This put the issue out of doubt and the whistle blew with Canadians pressing. Result was 3-0 in our favour. The green shirts played a good game, Park being conspicuous at centre half. The forwards did good work, but spoilt many chances by getting off-side, a fault which should be corrected.

Record up to date. 3-2-18.

<u>Played.</u>	<u>Won.</u>	<u>Lost.</u>	<u>Drawn.</u>	<u>Goals for.</u>	<u>Goals against.</u>	<u>Points.</u>
15.	13.	1.	1.	60.	7.	27.

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