

★ STAR BOATING CLUB ★

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WELLINGTON

NEW ZEALAND



95th ANNUAL REPORT AND STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

to be submitted to the

**ANNUAL  
GENERAL MEETING**

to be held in

THE CLUBHOUSE ON THURSDAY, 31st AUGUST, 1961.



**OFFICERS:**

*President:* Mr. W. S. Wheeler.

*Vice-President:* Mr. T. A. Hinkley.

*Club Captain:* Mr. F. L. Scott.

*Deputy Club Captain:* Mr. A. G. Johnson.

*Secretary:* Mr. W. R. Armstrong.

*Treasurer:* Mr. D. A. Cameron.

*Match Committee:* Messrs. A. L. Brown, C. McMahon, R. S. Leckie.

*General Committee:* Messrs. R. J. Joyce, E. Rogers, L. F. Schwass, C. E. McMahon, P. W. McFarlane, R. J. Vine.

*Delegates to W.A.R.A.:* Messrs. F. L. Scott, A. F. Brown, W. R. Armstrong.

*Auditors:* Messrs. G. C. Broad, A. R. Burge.

## LIST OF MEMBERS

### Life - Active

1919\* F. B. Anyon  
 1934\* H. W. Bevan  
 1937\* W. A. Bryan  
 1933\* A. R. Burge  
 1935\* S. Columb  
 1931\* J. F. Eggers  
 1934\* G. A. H. Field  
 1932\* W. B. Fitchett  
 1907 Lord B. C. Freyberg, V.C.  
 1936 W. T. Fitzgerald  
 1903\* F. H. C. Galvin

1925\* G. D. D. Gray  
 1934\* R. P. Hansen  
 1935\* W. H. G. Hawker  
 1938\* W. Hillock  
 1926\* T. M. Hinkley  
 1934\* L. L. Hosking  
 1904\* J. A. E. Keralake  
 1929\* S. I. Kidd  
 1923\* A. R. Lawson  
 1929\* K. E. May  
 1912\* M. G. C. McCaul

1926\* F. H. Mullins  
 1925\* C. J. MacGibbon  
 1906\* W. Robertson  
 1908\* C. J. Robinson  
 1933\* A. Ross  
 1936\* N. M. Rose  
 1900\* F. H. R. Taylor  
 1906\* M. A. Turner  
 1927\* E. G. Webb  
 1901\* W. S. Wheeler

### Life Honorary:

1934\* A. A. Andrews  
 1937\* J. F. Ashby  
 1902\* H. S. Barrow  
 1934\* G. C. Broad  
 1936\* M. H. Clay  
 1925\* R. A. Comerford  
 1934\* K. G. S. Cromie  
 1906\* J. M. Curtis  
 1905\* J. B. Davis  
 1920\* F. G. Dobson  
 1939\* V. E. Donnelly  
 1898\* C. N. Fraser  
 1928 A. G. Gibbons

1934\* G. C. Gibbons  
 1911\* R. B. Gibbons  
 1900\* W. R. Hackworth  
 1916\* W. P. McGowan  
 1937\* R. P. Hill  
 1918\* H. P. Herd  
 1935\* R. V. Hodson  
 1924\* B. W. Johns  
 1917\* F. G. Oborn  
 1898\* C. E. Maudsley  
 1925\* R. D. J. C. Moffatt  
 1906 S. D. Nathan  
 1919 L. A. Pearce

1917\* J. W. H. Pringle  
 1902\* P. R. Pye-Smith  
 1901\* H. A. Shearman  
 1920\* G. C. Sherwood  
 1917 W. Simm  
 1908 A. G. Smith  
 1910\* H. V. Tomlinson  
 1934 J. McK. Toms  
 1891\* R. W. Wallace  
 1895\* C. H. Webb-Bowen  
 1888\* L. C. Woolcott  
 1908\* H. H. A. Young  
 1937 W. L. Young

### Active:

1955\* G. L. Ansell  
 1960 B. Armstrong  
 1958\* W. R. Armstrong  
 1959 R. Ayres  
 1958 A. Bentley  
 1923\* J. R. Bentley  
 1937\* F. C. Borrett  
 1937\* C. N. Bridge  
 1958 K. T. Brockiebank  
 1958\* A. G. Brown  
 1955\* A. L. Brown  
 1955\* D. A. Cameron  
 1949\* R. R. Carroll  
 1949\* C. H. Cederholm  
 1959\* R. G. Christie  
 1958\* J. Cordiner  
 1959 R. Daniels  
 1939\* R. R. Davies  
 1958\* P. B. Davis  
 1959\* W. D. Dent  
 1959 V. Doid  
 1960\* W. Falconer  
 1959 R. N. Farrar

1959 I. Fisher  
 1948\* S. G. Gillen  
 1959 R. Green  
 1959 H. Hill  
 1959 M. Hinge  
 1925\* P. Hinge  
 1958\* A. I. Hinkley  
 1960 H. James  
 1960\* R. James  
 1958\* A. G. Johnson  
 1956\* R. J. Joyce  
 1960 M. Law  
 1956\* H. B. Leckie  
 1954\* R. S. Leckie  
 1959 M. Lescher  
 1960 B. Leseour  
 1959 G. Linford  
 1958\* R. B. McCorkindale  
 1956\* P. W. McFarlane  
 1955\* C. E. McMahon  
 1956 P. McMahon  
 1950\* J. Morgan  
 1960 D. Murgatroyd

1960 D. Paris  
 1959\* E. Pope  
 1957\* E. Rogers  
 1946\* G. H. S. Sadler  
 1959 R. S. Savage  
 1955\* L. F. Schwass  
 1959 R. Schwass  
 1900\* F. Schokking  
 1952\* A. R. Scott  
 1951\* F. L. Scott  
 1960 G. Skipper  
 1958 A. Spiro  
 1958\* C. W. Smith  
 1948\* L. Smith  
 1960 G. Sufflot  
 1959\* C. W. Thompson  
 1957 S. Thompson  
 1958\* R. J. Vine  
 1953\* R. O. Weenink  
 1960 B. Welch  
 1960 I. White  
 1941\* B. G. Wilford.

### Honorary:

1944\* R. W. Allum  
 1942 J. Aspell  
 1948 C. Aitken  
 1926\* F. M. Bell  
 1954\* A. A. Burgess  
 1920\* M. H. Carroll  
 1940\* A. G. Cockroft  
 1946 F. G. Dobbs

1949 H. Edgell  
 1959 P. Johnson  
 1941 A. G. Little  
 1960 L. Lilburne  
 1958 R. McFarlane  
 1949 J. J. O'Neill  
 1957 G. O'Moore

1940\* R. W. Paton  
 1946\* W. Porter  
 1958 K. Manning  
 1948\* A. J. Simes  
 1949\* A. A. Turner  
 1946 W. Walburton  
 1959 D. Young

### Country

1959\* H. J. Cranfield  
 1941\* G. T. Cornink  
 1957 W. K. McConville

1945\* D. McLeod  
 1947 G. Richards

1943 W. K. Stone  
 1959\* J. W. Turnbull

\* Denotes first class oarsman.

Gentlemen,—

Your Committee has pleasure in presenting the Club's 96th Annual Reports and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 30th June, 1961.

**INTRODUCTORY:**

During the 1960/61 season, although not achieving the success of the previous season, the Club recorded a number of wins and a measure of solid success in both status and local regattas. Social functions in which the ladies' committee as usual played an indispensable part were particularly successful. Work on the Clubhouse has been continued this year, with greater concentration on the external aspect. Plant maintenance has continued with a new system still as yet on trial but much more remains to be done. Old members and parents of present members have been more prominent than usual at local and status regattas. As a whole the 1960/61 season has been one of solid achievement with a well balanced membership which it is hoped will provide the basis for future successes.

**FINANCIAL:**

Despite the purchases of new plant the Club's financial position is still reasonably sound. Clubhouse repairs, although lower this year, are still high due to the renovations which have been carried out over the last few winters. It is estimated that over the last three years a total of approximately £600 has been spent on Clubhouse repairs and maintenance. The larger portion of this amount has been spent in renovations.

In addition to a lifetime of service the late Mr A. D. Bayfield bequeathed £200 legacy to the Club is gratefully accepted and will be utilised in the purchase of new plant.

The hall continues to be the main source of revenue, although slightly down on last year. The weekly competition conducted during the summer has fallen each year and the revenue obtained from this source is the result of efforts on the part of a minority of the members. A greater effort is required in this regard if members expect their subscriptions to remain the lowest in the Club's history.

Further payments were made into the Club's centenary fund which should be a sizeable sum in five years' time.

**COMMITTEE:**

Because of retirements and moves from Wellington, a number of changes in the Committee during the year resulted in a significant alteration in the composition of the executive. Mr A. G. Johnson's transfer to Auckland obliged him to resign his position as Deputy Club Captain and member of the Match Committee. Mr P. W. McFarlane for family reasons and Mr R. J. Joyce because of his trip overseas also resigned from the General Committee. They were replaced by Messrs. A. L. Brown and H. R. Hill. It was with regret that these resignations were received especially in the case of Mr A. G. Johnson whose work for the Club made him a particularly valuable member.

The Committee held 13 meetings during the year, with each member attending as follows:—

Messrs. F. L. Scott (13), A. G. Johnson (4) resigned March 1961, W. R. Armstrong (12), D. A. Cameron (12), R. J. Joyce (0) resigned August 1960, R. J. Vine (7), E. Rodgers (8), C. E. McMahon (7), P. W. McFarlane (4) resigned March 1961, L. P. Schwass (4), A. L. Brown (6), co-opted March 1961, H. R. Hill (4) co-opted June 1961, C. Smith (7) co-opted September 1960. The attendances shown by a number of committee members do not reflect as much interest and enthusiasm as has been shown in previous years. It is hoped that the incoming Committee's individual attendances will be higher in the 1961/2 season.

**MEMBERS:**

There were again a large number of active oarsmen rowing for the Club and although keenness varied the spirit of hard work which was a feature of the previous season was carried on during the last. Acquisitions in all grades were made during the season and promising crews emerged in most of them. A combination of the present high membership and even greater enthusiasm and determination should augur well for next season.

The following table outlines the composition of the Club's membership and illustrates the strength that the Club has achieved:

	L.	Act.	L. Hon.	Act.	Hon.	Country	Total
As at 30.6.60	35	43	68	20	8		174
New members	—	—	16	1	—		17
Resigned	35	43	84	21	8		191
Deaths	35	43	71	18	8		176
Transfers	32	40	71	19	8		170
As at 30.6.61	32	40	68	22	8		170

The Club has pleasure in announcing that three members have qualified for life membership. They are:

- 1941 B. G. Wilford—life active
- 1940 A. G. Cockroft—life honorary
- 1941 A. G. Little—life honorary

**WELLINGTON AMATEUR ROWING ASSOCIATION:**

The Club's delegates elected to the W.A.R.A. by the General Committee were Messrs. F. L. Scott, W. R. Armstrong and A. L. Brown. Other Club's members on the Association's Executive were Messrs. R. O. Weenink, Secretary, and G. H. S. Sadler, Treasurer, both of whom did sound and competent work in their respective spheres.

The main business for the W.A.R.A. during the season—and, in fact, for many months previously—centred on planning and organising for the 1961 N.Z. Championship Regatta. Sub-committees dealing with all aspects of the Regatta were formed and many Club members were able to give invaluable help both before and during the Championships. The measure of success achieved in the organisation of the Championships from 1st to 5th March can best be seen in the efficient manner of running them despite almost unbelievably bad weather. The Association's shed and land at Korokoro which were mentioned in last year's Report were ready for use by the time the Championships began. If the shed receives as much use in future years as it did by Club members last season the expenditure on it will be well justified.

**PLANT:**

New plant received by the Club this year included a B. and B. Phelps four and a Towns eight. These relieved the pressure of demand for B. and B. plant to a large extent, so that all classes could train and race in craft which would not put them at a disadvantage against other crews. More plant is, however, still needed. The order to an English firm for a B. and B. convertible pair-double in 1960 has still not been met however, and this could prove to be a disadvantage in the coming season. Enquiries have been made within New Zealand for a coxed B. and B. pair/double but so far no reply has been received. The recent restrictions on import licences has meant that the Club has not been able to place any orders overseas this year. It appears that we will have to rely on existing plant and on local manufacturers for some time to come.

Maintenance on plant during the off season has been left largely to a few keen members who have put in a great amount of work in getting the Club ready for the coming season. A new group work system in which a number of groups under a Committee member carry out work on the plant for a few hours every fortnight or so, has been instituted. It has not been long in operation so its success or otherwise cannot yet be judged.

The coaching boat, named "Bay" in honour of the late A. D. Bayfield, M.B.E., was given a great deal of use in the 1960/61 season. Despite one or two failings it has stood up to heavy demand by most crews in the Club. In local regattas and during the Championships it also proved an extremely handy asset.

The number of oars now owned by the Club should be sufficient for most of next season. The new blades and sculls which arrived from England and Australia increased the number in the shed by 30. With continuing tightened import control it will be a long time before the Club can expect to buy more overseas. A great amount of care will be needed to ensure not only that our supply lasts us and that the quality of the oars is kept to as high a standard as possible.

A list of the Club's plant and a summary of the condition of each boat appears as usual as an appendix to this report.

**COACHING AND TRAINING:**

It has often been suggested in recent years that the Club's record of success in local, status and Championship regattas would be considerably improved if it could assure crews of the opportunities for consistent good coaching. Last season a start was made to give some crews regular training. Although this was not daily coaching there is little doubt that the amount the crews gained was of considerable benefit. The Club's thanks must go to those coaches who gave up their time to help the crews. At the same time the Club must consider every way to encourage more older members to take an increased active interest in rowing today, as well as welcoming back to the Clubhouse those who helped so readily last season and who could make the 1961/62 season highly successful. The example set by the senior eight in training too, should not pass without mention. It is some years since the Club saw such concentrated effort put in by a crew; this year, it is hoped, there will be more of this.

## CLUBHOUSE:

Further work on the Clubhouse has assured that it remains in its already sound condition despite its 77 years. A meeting between members of the City Council and the Club Captain, Secretary and Treasurer last year discussed the rental fee and other aspects of the siting of the Clubhouse. In the interview everything related to these matters preserve the status quo.

Last year members concentrated on the interior of the Clubhouse. This year it was the turn of the interior walls. A number of working bees during the autumn immediately after the Championships brought about the required transformation in the appearance of the Clubhouse. A little more work and the entire Clubhouse should be a thing of beauty in its two shades of blue.

Unfortunately the roof appears to be in need of extensive overhauling and this may be the next large section of work to be carried out, as the patching of recent years has been inadequate as a permanent cure.

The possibility of building a new and wider set of stairs was discussed by the committee during the year but an unofficial quote showed that the cost would be prohibitive especially in view of other more urgent work to be completed.

The skids have again proved troublesome and the work carried out on them, although well done, will have to be completed before they are permanently usable.

The new hot showers installed last year have proved to be a boon to all members and the locker room generally still preserves a fairly colourful appearance after its rejuvenation last year. Members should realize that a coat of paint is only effective if maintenance is continued afterwards.

## STATUS REGATTAS:

The season saw the Club represented at five status regattas—Picton, Christchurch, Wanganui, Auckland Championships and N.Z. Championships. The Junior crews attended the Auckland regatta while the other members were at Charteris Bay. This resulted from the lack of a Junior eight race at Christchurch. Generally the record of the Club was not equal to last year's results while only two wins—a Senior eight and Junior pair to its credit. Nine seconds and six thirds were also recorded. One of the most impressive records was that of the Junior eight which, although not gaining a win had three fine seconds including one at the Championships, behind a high standard West End crew. Other crews with good records were the senior eight with a win at Picton, a second at Christchurch and a fourth at the N.Z. Championships, the junior pair which recorded the Club's other win as well as a third placing, the novice four which gained three good seconds one of them at the Championships.

The highlight of the Championships was the Club's fine effort in getting two crews in the finals of the Senior eights ahead of strong opposition from Canterbury and Auckland. Unfortunately the junior eight could not eventually compete, but the presence of two Star crews on the programme of the final day can be taken as an indication of the Club's strength now and, it is to be hoped, in the future seasons. The senior four from the eight, rowing as a crew for the first time, also did unexpectedly well to reach the semi-finals of the Championships. As with their predecessors of the previous year, they also came fourth in the Plate race.

## LOCAL REGATTAS:

Again the Club competed at the usual local regattas as well as attending a number held at Wanganui. Wellington again won the Redding Shield but Star took the Norton Cup for the first time in a number of years from Petone who later won the Mothes Shield. At the Top Dog training regatta the senior eight achieved some local fame in defeating a strong field which included the Union (Wanganui) eight to win by more than one length. At the end of the season the Star senior eight won back from Petone the White Horse Cup which Petone had taken last season. The Novice Shield for the best performed Novice crew came to Star again for the ninth year.

At both the Jury Cup and Woolworth's Cup non-status regattas at Wanganui the Club had moderate success with a first and three seconds in the first regatta and two firsts and eight seconds in the latter.

As with the status regattas, a list of successful local regatta crews appear as an appendix to the report.

## CLUB RACES:

More Club races were held this year, with keen competition being shown by many members—the result no doubt of the publicity given to the Stewart Dawson Trophy. Club race winners also appear in the appendix.

## INTER-PROVINCIAL EIGHT:

Because of the short time between the Championships and Easter as well as the heavy expenses involved in sending a crew to Lake Waiholo, the Association decided not to send an eight representing the province to compete. Auckland won this race with Otago second.

## SCHOOLBOY ROWING:

The school crews which started rowing the previous season continued last year, achieving a certain amount of local success under the coaching of one of their teachers, and a Club member, Mr A. Bentley. Next year should see an even greater improvement as they now have another teacher-coach, Mr N. Lynch.

## SOCIAL:

Again the Club is greatly indebted to the Ladies' Committee for their efforts in helping to make all social functions go with a bang. Functions held throughout the year were:—

**Opening Day.**—The combined town clubs' opening day was held on October 8, when His Worship the Mayor, Mr F. J. Kitts, officially opened the 1960/61 rowing season. Unfortunately conditions preventing holding the Redding Shield, but not the staging of an impressive tub relay race, entered into with riotous abandon by members from all three clubs. It has not been finally ascertained who won. The Ladies' Committee arranged an excellent afternoon tea which was in turn followed by the usual social functions.

**Xmas Dance.**—This was held a little earlier in the year because of other heavy bookings on the Hall. This did not prevent it being its usual success, the result again of a great deal of work before hand on the scene by the Ladies' Committee.

**Old Members' Day.**—The northerly wind on March 18, 1961, was not too strong to prevent the holding of a highly competitive series of club races resulting in some very close finishes.

The swimming race drew the usual number of keen but crazy enthusiasts eager to win aquatic fame. In a top flight contest a complete outsider downed two previous champions to win comfortably.

Unfortunately not as many older members as turned up last year were present to witness these stirring events.

**Prize-Giving Dances.**—It was decided to hold this earlier to encourage greater attendance while enthusiasm from the season still remained high. This proved to be a good policy judging by the number present and their enjoyment. This was further guaranteed by an excellent supper prepared by the Ladies' Committee. Prizes, including a new one for novice oarsmen, the D. Fahey Cup, were presented by Mrs R. McFarlane.

**Film Evenings.**—Films were shown twice during the year and latter event accompanied by the usual social refreshments, proved to be very popular with the various "Stars" in the audience whose enthusiasm for their own achievements was matched only by the criticism they evinced for the efforts of others.

## APPRECIATION:

The Committee wishes to record its sincere appreciation to the following:—

(a) The Ladies' Committee (Mesdames L. McFarlane, D. McMahon, N. Schwass, J. Schwass, and Miss M. McMahon), for their unflinching help when ever called on by both the Club and the W.A.R.A. Their efforts have been a large contributory factor in the success of the numerous functions.

(b) The Club's coaches, Messrs. J. Patterson, G. Sadler, N. Lynch, D. Fahey, A. Burnett, R. Davies.

(c) The older members who have again supported the Club through the year.

(d) The parents of present members, including Messrs. R. McFarlane, R. Vine, L. Schwass, P. Hinge and J. Bently who have given valued and willing help at various regattas.

(e) The W.A.R.A. and officials for their work at local regattas and, this year especially, for their excellent organisation of the Championships.

(f) The Club Auditors, Messrs. A. R. Burge and G. C. Broad.

## DONATIONS:

The Committee acknowledges with appreciation donations from the following: Messrs. W. S. Wheeler, A. T. Hinkley, R. P. Hansen, L. Smith.

## CONGRATULATIONS:

Sincere congratulations are extended to the following:—

(a) Messrs. W. Armstrong, K. Brocklebank, C. McMahon, L. Schwass and R. Vine on their marriages.

(b) Messrs. W. D. Dent and R. N. Farrer on their engagements.

(c) Mr and Mrs R. Leckie on the addition to their family.

(d) The Petone and Wellington Clubs' on their achievements during the year.

#### OBITUARY:

It is with regret that the deaths of the following members are recorded:—

1917 E. Diehle  
1923 M. L. G. Leask  
1919 W. P. Shorland  
1914 W. Copeland

For and on behalf of the General Committee.

W. R. ARMSTRONG,  
Secretary

#### APPENDIX A.

#### LIST OF SUCCESSFUL CREWS IN STATUS REGATTAS.

##### PICTON, January 2, 1961:

**First—Senior Eight:** W. D. Dent (str.), D. A. Cameron (7), W. R. Armstrong (6), A. G. Johnson (5), F. C. Borrett (4), C. E. McMahon (3), A. L. Brown (2), P. W. McFarlane (bow).

**Second—Maiden Eight:** C. Thompson (str.), H. B. Leckie (7), I. Fisher (6), R. Green (5), R. Savage (4), E. Rogers (3), K. Brocklebank (2), R. Schwass (bow).

**Third—Senior Four:** R. O. Weenink (str.), R. R. Davies (3), R. J. Joyce (2), J. Morgan (bow).

**Third—Youth Four:** R. Savage (str.), R. Green (3), B. Welch (2), R. Schwass (bow).

##### CHRISTCHURCH, February 11, 1961:

**Second—Senior Eight:** W. D. Dent (str.), D. A. Cameron (7), W. R. Armstrong (6), A. G. Johnson (5), F. C. Borrett (4), C. E. McMahon (3), A. L. Brown (2), P. W. McFarlane (bow).

**Second—Senior Pair:** R. O. Weenink (str.), J. Morgan (bow).

**Second—Novice Four:** B. Welch (str.), D. Murgatroyd (3), G. Sufflot (2), G. Skipper (bow).

**Third—Lightweight Double Sculls:** R. N. Farrer (str.), E. Rogers (bow).

##### AUCKLAND, Lake Karapiro, February 11, 1961:

**Second—Junior Eight:** C. W. Smith (str.), R. J. Vine (7), G. Christie (6), R. McCorkindale (5), R. James (4), A. T. Hinkley (3), W. Falconer (2), P. Davis (bow).

**Third—Junior Pair:** C. W. Smith (str.), R. J. Vine (bow).

##### WANGANUI, February 25, 1961:

**First—Junior Pair:** C. W. Smith (str.), R. J. Vine (bow).

**Second—Junior Eight:** C. W. Smith (str.), R. J. Vine (7), G. Christie (6), R. McCorkindale (5), R. James (4), A. T. Hinkley (3), W. Falconer (2), P. Davis (bow).

**Second—Novice Four:** B. Armstrong (str.), D. Murgatroyd (3), B. Welch (2), G. Skipper (bow).

**Third—Maiden Double Sculls:** R. N. Farrer (str.), H. Hill (bow).

##### N.Z. CHAMPIONSHIPS, WELLINGTON, March 3-6, 1961

**Second—Junior Eight:** C. W. Smith (str.), R. J. Vine (7), G. Christie (6), R. McCorkindale (5), R. James (4), A. T. Hinkley (3), W. Falconer (2), P. Davis (bow).

**Second—Novice Four:** B. Armstrong (str.), D. Murgatroyd (3), B. Welch (2), G. Skipper (bow).

**Third—Maiden Single Sculls:** C. N. Bridge.

#### LOCAL REGATTAS.

**Redding Shield, October 15, 1960:** Wellington 7, Star 3, Petone 2.

##### First

**Maiden Four:** C. W. Thompson (str.), R. Daniels (3), K. Brocklebank (2), E. Rogers (bow).

**Norton Cup, December 5, 1960:** Star 17½, Petone 16½, Wellington 8.

##### First

**Senior Four No. 1:** A. L. Brown (str.), C. E. McMahon (3), F. C. Bonett (2), P. W. McFarlane (bow).

**Senior Pair:** R. O. Weenink (str.), J. Morgan (bow).

**Senior Double Sculls:** C. N. Bridge (str.), C. Cederholm (bow).

**Junior Pair:** W. R. Armstrong (str.), R. J. Vine (bow).

**Novice Four No. 1:** B. Welch (str.), D. Murgatroyd (3), G. Sufflot (2), G. Skipper (bow).

##### Second

**Senior Eight No. 2:** C. N. Bridge (str.), R. J. Vine (7), F. L. Scott (6), R. McCorkindale (5), R. James (4), A. T. Hinkley (3), W. Falconer (2), P. Davis (bow).

**Senior Four No. 2:** W. D. Dent (str.), A. G. Johnson (3), W. R. Armstrong (2), D. A. Cameron (bow).

**Maiden Eight:** C. Thompson (str.), R. Daniels (7), I. Fisher (6), R. Green (5), R. Savage (4), E. Rogers (3), K. Brocklebank (2), A. Schwass (bow).

**Senior Single Sculls:** C. N. Bridge.

**Maiden Pair:** A. G. Brown (str.), H. B. Leckie (bow).

**Jury Cup, Wanganui, December 12, 1960:**

##### First

**Maiden Single Sculls:** C. N. Bridge.

##### Second

**Senior Eight:** W. D. Dent (str.), D. A. Cameron (7), W. R. Armstrong (6), A. G. Johnson (5), F. C. Borrett (4), C. E. McMahon (3), W. Falconer (2), P. Davis (bow).

**Junior Eight:** C. Smith (str.), R. Vine (7), G. Christie (6), R. McCorkindale (5), R. James (4), A. Hinkley (3), W. Falconer (2), P. Davis (bow).

**Senior Pair:** R. O. Weenink (str.), J. Morgan (bow).

**Top Dog Regatta, January 28, 1961:** Petone 50, Star 38, Union 23, Aramoho 21, Wellington 17, Wanganui 1.

##### First

**Senior Eight:** W. D. Dent (str.), D. A. Cameron (7), W. R. Armstrong (6), A. G. Johnson (5), F. C. Borrett (4), C. E. McMahon (3), A. L. Brown (2), P. Davis (bow).

**Senior Single Sculls:** R. R. Davies.

**Junior Single Sculls:** R. R. Davies.

**Maiden Single Sculls:** C. N. Bridge.

##### Second

**Junior Eight:** C. Smith (str.), R. Vine (7), G. Christie (6), R. McCorkindale (5), R. James (4), A. Hinkley (3), W. Falconer (2), P. Davis (bow).

**Maiden Four:** C. Thompson (str.), R. Green (3), I. Fisher (2), R. Schwass (bow).

**Senior Pair:** R. O. Weenink (str.), J. Morgan (bow).

**Woolworths Cup, Wanganui, January 28, 1961:** Union 47, Aramoho 43, Star 37, Petone 15, Wanganui 12, Wellington 4, Clifton 3.

##### First

**Junior Eight:** C. Smith (str.), R. Vine (7), G. Christie (6), R. McCorkindale (5), C. Bridge (4), A. Hinkley (3), W. Falconer (2), P. Davis (bow).

**Maiden Single Sculls:** C. N. Bridge.

##### Second

**Senior Eight:** W. D. Dent (str.), D. A. Cameron (7), W. R. Armstrong (6), A. G. Johnson (5), F. C. Borrett (4), C. E. McMahon (3), A. Brown (2), P. McFarlane (bow).

**Senior Single Sculls:** R. R. Davies.

**Junior Single Sculls:** R. R. Davies.

**Maiden Pairs:** I. Fisher (str.), R. Green (bow).

**Maiden Fours:** C. Thompson (str.), R. Green (3), I. Fisher (2), R. Schwass (bow).

**Senior Pairs:** R. O. Weenink (str.), J. Morgan (bow).

**Maiden Double Sculls:** R. Farrer (str.), H. Hill (bow).

**Norton Cup, February 18, 1961:** Petone 22, Star 17, Wellington 15.

##### First

**Junior Eight:** C. Smith (str.), R. Vine (7), G. Christie (6), R. McCorkindale (5), C. Bridge (4), A. Hinkley (3), W. Falconer (2), B. Davis (bow).

**Senior Eight:** W. Dent (str.), D. Cameron (7), W. Armstrong (6), A. Johnson (5), F. Borrett (4), C. McMahon (3), A. Brown (2), P. McFarlane (bow).

**Junior Pair:** C. Smith (str.), R. Vine (bow).

##### Second

**Senior Four No. 1:** W. Armstrong (str.), A. Johnson (3), F. Borrett (2), C. McMahon (bow).

**Maiden Elights:** K. Brocklebank (str.), B. Leckie (7), A. Brown (6), G. Linford (5), R. Savage (4), M. Law (3), R. Schwass (2), E. Rogers (bow).

**Senior Single Sculls:** F. Borrett.

Junior Four: W. Falconer (str.), R. McCorkindale (3), G. Christie (2), P. Davis (bow).  
 Junior Double Sculls: R. Farrer (str.), F. Scott (bow).  
 Novice Four: B. Armstrong (str.), D. Murgatroyd (3), B. Welch (2), G. Skipper (bow).  
 Youth Four: R. Savage (str.), R. Green (3), I. Fisher (2), R. Schwass (bow).  
 Maiden Pairs: I. Fisher (str.), R. Green (bow).  
 Lightweight Four: K. Brocklebank (str.), B. Lockie (3), R. Farrer (2), E. Rogers (bow).  
 White Horse Cup: Star 1, Petone 2, Wellington 3, W. Dent (str.), D. Cameron (7), W. Armstrong (6), R. Vine (5), F. Borrett (4), J. Morgan (3), A. Brown (2), P. McFarlane (bow).

#### CLUB RACES.

Brittania Fours: R. Weonak (str.), R. Green (3), F. Scott (2), A. Bentley (bow).  
 Fitzgerald Fours: R. Joyce (str.), G. Skipper (3), B. Welch (2), M. Law (bow).  
 Ladies' Plate: W. Armstrong (str.), D. Cameron (3), R. Ayres (2), P. McFarlane (bow).  
 G. W. Wright Trophy (most improved oarsman): R. Green.  
 J. G. Duncan Cup (club swimming race): C. Christie.  
 Stewart Dawson Cup (aggregate points): R. Vine.  
 D. A. Falcy Cup (most promising novice): B. Welch.

#### APPENDIX B: LIST OF PLANT.

##### Racing Plant:

B and B Racing Eight (Towns), "Acrux." New  
 B and B Racing Eight (Towns), "Sirius." Good condition. 9 years old.  
 B and B Four (Pheips), "Rigel." New.  
 B and B Four (Sims), "Olympus." Good. 7 years old.  
 B and B Four (Towns), "Altair." Good. 8 years old.  
 B and B Pair Double Sculler (Pheips), "Canopus." Good. 5 years old.

B and B Single (Towns), "Pluto." Good. 4 years old.  
 B and B Single (Litecraft), "Venus." Good. 2 years old.  
 Plywood Maiden Four (Towns), "Pollux." Good. 6 years old.  
 Plywood Maiden Four (Towns), "Castor." Good. 6 years old.  
 Plywood Maiden Pair/Double (Towns), "Polaris." Good. 6 years old.  
 Plywood Maiden Single (Litecraft), "Mars." Good. 5 years old.

##### Training Plant:

B and B Four (Edwards), "Spica." Fairly good. 33 years old.  
 Plywood Maiden Four (Botterill), "Vega." Good. 5 years old.  
 Plywood Maiden Four (Botterill), "Peacock." Good. 12 years old.  
 Plywood Maiden Double (Botterill), "Regulus." Good. 13 years old.  
 Clinker Four (Webb & Green), No. 17. 21 years old.  
 Plywood Pair (ex-Clinker), "Wezen." Fairly good.  
 Clinker Single Sculler, No. 21. Fairly good. 22 years old.  
 Clinker Single Sculler, No. 20. Poor. 22 years old.  
 Two Training Tubs. In need of repair. 15 years old.  
 1 Light Tub. In need of repair.  
 Two Whaleboats. Poor. 42 years old.  
 Clinker Double Sculler, "Jessie." Poor.  
 One Training Boat with 12 h.p. outboard motor being overhauled, will be in good condition.

##### Oars and Sculls:

16 New Tubular Racing Oars (Collars).  
 14 Tubular Racing Oars (Towns).  
 13 Tubular Oars in good condition.  
 6 Girder Oars (Training).  
 6 Racing Sculls.  
 10 Training Sculls.

#### INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR YEAR ENDING 30th JUNE, 1961.

1960		EXPENDITURE			1960			INCOME		
£		£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
	<b>Administration—</b>									
22	Affiliation Fees	26	6	0				265	10	0
1	Bank Charges	1	10	0				31	19	6
50	Insurance	65	3	7						
99	Electricity and Gas	111	15	9						
18	Printing and Stationery	14	6	9						
25	Rent	25	0	0						
34	Telephones, Postages, etc.	30	12	3						
					274	14	4			
	<b>Club Functions—</b>									
64	Coxes Expenses	15	8	6						
184	Regatta Expenses	183	14	8						
					199	3	2			
	<b>Club Maintenance—</b>									
265	Clubhouse Repairs	141	4	4						
172	Plant Repairs	69	17	10						
					211	2	2			
	<b>General—</b>									
	Donation to Caretaker	5	0	0						
	Bad debts written off	16	16	0						
40	Centennial Fund Levy	40	0	0						
	Coaching Boat Expenses	19	8	4						
1	Sale of Badges	7	6							
1	Sale of Monograms	1	5	0						
10	Sale of Shorts	4	18	6						
3	Sale of Singlets	4	15	0						
32	Subscriptions written off									
17	Subscriptions remitted									
					104	2	10			
	<b>Depreciation—</b>									
2	Crockery	2	0	0						
62	Oars and Sculls	66	17	9						
15	Piano	15	0	0						
226	Plant	314	6	1						
6	Rowing Tank	6	0	0						
					404	3	10			
214	Excess Income over Expenditure				214	3	1			
					£1407	9	5			
								£1407	9	5