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MINUTES OF A COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE S.A.L.A.
HELD AT THE AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB ON 15th FEBRUARY 1950
AT 7-45 P.M.

- CHAIRMAN.** In the absence of the Chairman, Mr. G.Mackenzie, Deputy Chairman, occupied the Chair.
- APOLOGIES.** Received from A.E.Harvey Esq., and Messrs. R.Lamerton, G.C.Luxton, K.Gellert and D.O'Sullivan.
- LEAVE OF ABSENCE.** Granted to Messrs. A.E.Harvey, R.Lamerton, G.C.Luxton, K.Gellert and D.O'Sullivan.
- PROXY DELEGATES.** Mr. F.Hansford for Mr. T.H.Fewster (East Torrens)
- MINUTES.** Minutes of the Meeting held 29th November 1949 were read and confirmed.

BUSINESS ARISING THEREFROM. The Association's liability to payment of Income Tax was discussed. The Secretary reported having written to the A.L.C. and The National Fitness Council in this matter, but no replies had been received to date.

Interstate Blazer- M.Moir reported that John Martin & Co. Ltd account cleared. The secretary to write to M.Moir to ascertain his position and ability to pay the amount.

Future Lacrosse Programme. The Secretary reported that no meeting had been held by the Executive Committee in this regard.

Moving Picture Proposal. Nothing further to report.

North Adelaide Financial Position. The Treasurer reported that £2-10/- was still outstanding and he was directed to contact Mr. R.Alexander in the matter.

Lacrosse Sticks. The Deputy Chairman reported that the Chairman had had a letter from the English manufacturers and he estimated the landed cost @ 85/- each. If distribution made through sports depots the price would be approx. 95/- each. It was reported that Adelaide Sports Depot had placed an order for 3 dozen sticks and it was understood other stores had also placed orders. Report received.

Avoca Hotel Oval Meeting. The report of Mr. F.Melbourne was received in which he intimated that financial assistance towards the cost of the proposed oval would be forthcoming from football association and the trotting league, also that district clubs would have preference in the use of the ground.

Ovals Committee. Murray Park Oval. The Chairman reported that the Oval had been inspected by the Ovals Committee and report received.

CORRESPONDENCE. A letter was received from W.Nobbs dated 20/12/49 resigning as an elected member owing to change of residence. Received.

A letter received from Amateur Sports Club stating that a nomination was required from this Association to the Club. The nomination of Mr. H.E.Irving as this Association's representative was endorsed.

National Fitness Council letter dated 6/1/50 was received giving names of boys interested in playing lacrosse. Resolved that Clubs be advised of the names and addresses of boys and Clubs to contact the boys concerned personally.

A letter from the East Torrens L.C. dated 9/1/50 was received in which it was suggested that Schoolboy matches should be cancelled should the Saturday be abnormally wet. Resolved that letter be passed on to the J. & N.T. Committee for attention.

A letter from the Amateur Sports Club in reference to the War Memorial Trophy was received in which it was stated that the 1st competition for the medallion would be for the period 1/10/49 - 30/9/50 and nominations from this association could be forwarded. Deferred for the attention of the incoming committee.

FINANCE

Treasurer's report received and payment of accounts submitted approved. Financial statement filed herewith.

The North Adelaide Club reported that outstanding dues to the Association were in hand and payment would be made immediately.

Honorariums. It was resolved that the Secretary be granted an Honorarium of 25 guineas and that the Treasurer be granted an Honorarium of 5 guineas.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING. Resolved that the A.G.M. be held at the Freemasons Hall, Arthur St. Unley, the date and time of meeting to be in the hands of the Chairman, Deputy Chairman and Secretary and it was recommended that 22/3/50 be the date if possible.

GENERAL BUSINESS. A lengthy discussion took place on the formation of schoolboy teams for 1950 season and reports were received from Club delegates as to progress made.

The Chairman asked all Club delegates to arrange to hold their Club annual general meetings as early as possible and before the annual general meeting of the Association.

Meeting closed at 9.20 p.m.



30/3/1950.
CHAIRMAN.

South Australian Lacrosse Association

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1. To receive the Annual Report for 1949.
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61st Annual Report of the South Australian Lacrosse Association

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE ASSOCIATION.

Financial Statement 30/3/50.

Funds as per Financial Statement 31/1/50 227 1 8

PLUS RECEIPTS.

Collection A/M Registrations	8 8 -		
	7 18 -	16 6 -	
		243 7 8	

LESS ACCOUNTS PAID

Port Adelaide Oval	5 - -		
Adelaide C.C. Asson. Grounds	4 10 -		
Secretary - Stamps	3 10 7		
Stationery	1 7 5		
Out of pocket	13 8	15 1 8	
		228 6 -	

LESS ACCOUNTS TO BE PASSED FOR PAYMENT

M. S. Durant Engraving	2 12 6		
Amateur Sports Club Affiliation	1 1 -		
East Torrens Refund Grounds	3 - -		
North Adelaide Refund Grounds	8 5 -	14 18 6	
		£213 7 6	

Amount held for purchase of sticks £75 - -

Funds as per Bank		313 7 8	
Less Stick Fund	75 - -		
" O/S Cheques	25 - 2	100 - 2	
		£213 7 6	

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5. To deal with any other business that may be brought forward and dealt with under the Constitution and Rules of the Association.

6 Stopford Road, Hove.

A. J. VIAL,
Honorary Secretary.

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(Founded 1888)

SEASON 1949

OFFICIALS:

Patron: His Excellency the Governor of South Australia.

President: The Honorable Mr. Justice Abbott.

Vice-Presidents: K. H. Boykett, Esq., Dr. J. Close, A. C. Davis, Esq., N. S. Dunks, Esq., M.P., N. L. Fulton, Esq., O. L. Gellert, Esq., A. J. Hannan, Esq., C.M.G., K.C., M.A., LL.B., H. Hocking, Esq., Senator G. McLeay, Y. McLeay, Esq., M.H.R., S. D. McCormick, Esq., C. Mackenzie, Esq., A.S. Mann, Esq., J. T. Martin, Esq., F. Lancelot Parsons, Esq., W.S. Langdon Parsons, Esq., Dr. E. A. H. Russell, M. Rule, Esq., A. M. West, Esq.

Life Members: H. Rule, F. Lancelot Parsons.

Chairman of Committees: A. E. Harvey.

Deputy Chairman of Committees: C. Mackenzie.

Honorary Secretary: A. J. Vial.

Honorary Treasurer: C. H. Schulz.

Assistant Honorary Secretary: L. J. Oats.

Honorary Auditors: G. L. Duffield, R. D. Alexander.

Mr. President and Gentlemen,

I submit for your approval the 61st Annual Report of the South Australian Lacrosse Association.

The following Committees were elected by the General Committee to act during the year:

Executive: A. J. Vial, A. E. Harvey, C. Mackenzie, C. H. Schulz, A. H. Taylor, W. R. Stansfield, D. O'Sullivan, R. S. Shergis, J. L. Parsons.

Permit and Grading: A. J. Vial, A. E. Harvey, C. Mackenzie, C. H. Schulz, L. J. Oats, D. O'Sullivan.

Finance: C. H. Schulz, A. H. Taylor, A. J. Vial.

Complaints: F. Lancelot Parsons, J. T. Martin, H. Rule.

Junior and New Teams: C. H. Schulz, A. H. Taylor, R. Stansfield, N. J. Parr, J. L. Parsons, F. Melbourn.

Ovals: A. E. Harvey, F. Hansford, A. B. Cox, C. Mackenzie, R. Stansfield, C. H. Schulz, F. Lancelot Parsons.

Programme: A. J. Vial.

Interstate Selection: J. T. Martin, A. E. Harvey, L. J. Oats.

Entertainment: R. E. Shergis, A. E. Harvey, C. Mackenzie, L. J. Oats, C. H. Schulz, J. L. Parsons, G. Duffield, D. Nobbs, W. J. B. Symonds, A. J. Vial, and one representative from each Club.

By-Laws: A. E. Harvey, K. Ward, A. J. Vial.

Introduction.—It can be seen from the results following and those of the last few years, that Clubs who spend time and energy in encouraging their schoolboy teams get results, in the end, in all grades. Although they cannot all be premiers in the respective grades, they are able to give a very good account of themselves, and are in a position to win a premiership. If most of the players who have done, and are doing, well in the game gave a thought as to how they started in the game, they might show a little more practical interest in the juniors, and give them as good a chance to get on in the game of Lacrosse as they themselves had. It is realised that sticks presented a problem, but supply now seems assured, although the cost may be higher than usual. Still, energy in the Clubs' social life should ease this a little. If the game of Lacrosse is to retain its place in amateur sport, it must mean that everyone will have to make an extra effort this year. If this is honestly done Lacrosse will be on the up grade, instead of on the way down.

RESULTS.

"A" Grade: Abbott Shield.—An unusual feature of this grade was the number of drawn games, the greater number of which were played in the first round. Sturt played draws in their first three matches. Ten games were drawn altogether, the only team not playing a draw being Glenelg. The standard of this grade is not uniform, and so is not as high as it might be. Some surprises were caused, however, when teams low down on the list defeated teams near the top. Playing consistently, East Torrens became the minor premiers, and met and defeated Brighton in one semi-final, while Port Adelaide displaced Sturt in the other. The final played on the Kensington Oval between East Torrens and Port Adelaide was a hard, vigorous match, the better condition of the Port side giving them the edge on their opponents. East Torrens exercised their right to challenge, but were again defeated by the same score as the previous week, Port Adelaide again finishing the better because of condition, thus winning the 1949 "A" Grade Premiership, their first for many years.

"B" Grade: Harold Rule Shield.—This grade provided some really good matches; forfeits, however, were much too noticeable. Once again Brighton, Port Adelaide and East Torrens were featured in the final four, Sturt this time being displaced by Legacy. In the semi-finals, Brighton defeated Legacy and Port Adelaide defeated East Torrens. In the final, played as a curtain raiser to the "A" Grade match, on the Kensington Oval, the minor premiers, Port Adelaide, were defeated by Brighton, forcing Port Adelaide to challenge. Port Adelaide exercised their right, but were again convincingly defeated on the following Saturday; thus Brighton became the "B" Grade Premiers for 1949.

"C" Grade: Lance Parsons Cup.—Clubs again committed themselves for teams in this grade, and again for some reason or other forfeits were more noticeable than they should have been. Port Adelaide, Legacy, East Torrens and Brighton once more made up the final four. Legacy, who had been having a poor season, succeeded in raising a first-class team, which easily accounted for Brighton in one semi-final while Port Adelaide defeated East Torrens. In the final, Port Adelaide, the minor premiers, in an even match defeated Legacy, to become the 1949 "C" Grade Premiers.

Schoolboys' Grade: Langdon Parsons Cup.—Port Adelaide again proved the major team in this grade, and their success says much for the Club's interest in their young players. Because of some Clubs' lack of energy and interest, the season half way through showed only four teams still competing. These teams were Port Adelaide, Brighton, East Torrens and Sturt. To say the repetition of matches and, as the school holidays were approaching, it was decided to begin the final round then. In the semi-finals Port Adelaide beat Sturt, and Brighton defeated East Torrens. The final, played on the Association ground, showed that a small Brighton team was no match for the older, bigger and more experienced Port Adelaide side, who thus became the School Premiers for 1949.

Technical Schools' Grade.—Although not much is heard of this grade, it provides good experience for the older schoolboy who is lucky enough to be going to a school where they play mid-week matches. There are only four teams, Goodwood, Nailsworth, Norwood and Croywood, the last named being a composition formed from Norwood and Croywood. No major round is played in this grade, the premiers being decided by percentage. Goodwood once again took the title of the 1949 Premiers.

Port Adelaide deserve much commendation for their winning of the "A", "C" and Schoolboy Grade Premierships, and also for being runners-up in "B" Grade. Congratulations are also extended to Brighton for their winning of the "B" Grade Premiership and to the Goodwood Technical School team for their Premiership in the mid-week Technical grade.

Interstate Matches.

Senior.—The annual match against Victoria was played at the Malvern ground, Victoria, on August 6th. In a match which gave the spectators much excitement, but did not reach the standard of 1946, when South Australia defeated Victoria on their home ground for the first time in many years, South Australia won by the narrow margin of one goal. The team comprised A. J. V. (captain), D. L. Gorman (vice-captain), J. H. Hansford, F. J. Hansford, D. E. Woods, R. Leslie, D. G. Polglase, B. Nottag, R. Sisson, R. F. Matthewman, J. D. Gitsham, P. Van Tenac, N. J. Parr (reserve) and K. Forrest (reserve), and was again coached by Ken Gellert. He was greatly assisted in this work by the team's complete co-operation in all phases of training. On again Lindsay Oats was selected to act as the team's manager and acted most ably in this capacity, assisted by A. J. Taylor. T. year, for the first time, the coach was a member of the official party. The benefits of this should be revealed when the Carnival comes under consideration.

Junior.—A junior side representative of each Club (except University, who were in the midst of examinations) travelled, or much travel banning and wangling, due to the coal strike, by the s.s. Maloja to Perth, where they played three games in a week against more experienced players. The scores were: Saturday, August 13th—W.A., 12; S.A., 7. Wednesday, 17th—W.A., 13; A., 6; and on Saturday, August 20th—W.A., 18; S.A., 10. The team met stronger opposition than was expected, so they did fairly well, considering this. Travel restrictions still being in force, the team returned by air. To enable the team to pay their fare home the Western Australian Lacrosse Association kindly made arrangements to billet them during their stay in Perth. The team, managed by Mr. T. H. Fewster and coached by Fred Melbourne, comprised C. Smith (captain), G. D. Higgs (vice-captain), G. Gregory, J. Pritchard, B. McCormick, C. Otto, J. Hall, M. Moir, A. H. Hancock, C. Shelley, I. Offler, B. Vickery, J. Church, Hannant, K. Parley, A. Gandy, B. Hicks, D. Taylor, and F. ownley. Each member of the side played, as near as practicable, 6 games each. The overall experience gained in this tour should prove valuable in raising the standard of play in 1950.

Inter Matches.
Adelaide University defeated Melbourne University, at Adelaide, 14 to 8. A South Australian side defeated a combined university team, 29 to 11.

Adelaide University defeated Port Pirie at Adelaide, 19 goals to 4 goals.
Port Adelaide easily defeated Port Pirie at Jamestown.
Two Legacy teams defeated two Port Pirie teams at Adelaide.
Both Malvern and Caulfield Clubs, from Victoria, came to Adelaide at the end of the season. Caulfield, Victorian Premiers 1949, were invited by Sturt, and Malvern, runners-up in the Victorian premiership, were invited by East Torrens. In the "A" grade match Sturt defeated Caulfield by 14 goals to 7, but Caulfield avenged by taking the remaining three matches, "B" grade 6, "C" grade 2-3, and Schoolboys 12-3.
East Torrens defeated each of the three teams of Malvern, the scores being, "A" grade 18-12, "B" grade 12-8, and "C" 15-2.

These Interstate Club visits are very pleasing, and should be encouraged as long as they do not interfere with ordinary games. They provide an extra source of Interstate practice, which is very helpful to the standard of Lacrosse.

Spring Carnival.
The Carnival was held at the Kensington Oval, and a most interesting feature was the entry of a team in each of the three zones by the Port Pirie Association. Although they did not win in any of the sections, Port Pirie showed that they have some talent in their teams. After much discussion about the Clubs' attitude to these Carnivals, it has been decided to recommend the incoming committee that the carnival be held on a Saturday, and that the programme be more comprehensive, to include items as the longest throw, most accurate, running, etc. The Committee, convened by Mr. Reg. Stansfield, was C. Mackenzie, Taylor, and D. O'Sullivan, deserve credit for their work in organising this show. The winning teams were "A" grade and "B" grade, East Torrens, and "C" grade, Brighton.

S.A.L.A. Social Club.—To further the social life of the Association, this club was formed this year, and has been a great success in entertaining visiting teams. It was decided that the usual Annual Ball should be dispensed with, and that the Social Club should run a Ball at John Martin's Dining Hall, to which only members were able to come. This made the atmosphere more friendly than is usual at the Palais, and the Ball was voted a huge success, and thanks are due to the Secretary-Treasurer of the club, Mr. Bill Symonds, for his organising.

Pirie Association.
This Association is still growing under the guidance of keen officials, and as soon as the stick position eases the game promises to go ahead even more. They had 51 players this year, an increase of 17 on last year's total. An increase in our own members would be most gratifying, let alone an increase of 33%.

Membership.
University had the best increase of new players, their last year's total being increased by 11. Sturt were next with 3, Brighton, East Torrens, and Glenelg remained stationary, and the rest declined. The total of registered members was 353, including 28 registered schoolboys, and was spread between the 24 teams of nine Clubs; 58 boys played in the Schools' Technical grade.

Schoolboys' Interstate Match for 1950.
Victoria proposed that an annual schoolboys' Interstate match be played, commencing in 1950. So many of to-day's top players began as schoolboys that Victoria thought it a good idea to give them some Interstate experience when they are young. Victoria agreed with the idea and invited a Victorian team to visit South Australia during the August school vacation of 1950. Victoria have accepted this invitation. With the stick position easing, this match is expected to give an added boost to the junior game of Lacrosse in both States.

Dunk's Trophy.
This trophy was won this year by Don Gorman. Don deserves extra congratulations, as this is the second time that he has won this award, and the third time that he has been selected as the best and fairest player of the Association. He shared the Dunk's Trophy with Bill Symonds in 1941, in 1946 he won the "Memorial" Trophy, that being the year of its inception, and now in 1949 he has won it again.

Australian Lacrosse Council.
Close contact has been maintained with the Australian Lacrosse Council this year, especially as regards the supply of sticks. Mr. C. A. M. West was elected as our delegate to the Council.

Australian Lacrosse Referees' Association.
Under the chairmanship of Mr. C. H. Schulz, with Mr. Jack Wright as Secretary, the Referees' Association has ably carried out a most necessary service to this Association during the year. Helped by a few old players and several players from the "B" grade team having the bye, they have covered all matches. More old players are welcomed to join this association to help them in their work. The following are the members of the Association: V. Ryan, A. H. Taylor, P. Marks, B. Texter, J. Hodgetts, J. Wood, R. Cathie, S. Deverall, H. Vincent, N. Goring, M. B. Selth.

Executive Committee.
Nine meetings of the Committee were held during the year. The attendance was as follows:

Felth	9	J. Pritchard	7	K. Gellert	5	M. S. Preece	3
H. Taylor	9	P. Taylor	7	R. B. Lamerton	5	(Resigned 12/7/49)	
J. Vial	9	G. M. Ward	7	J. D. O'Sullivan	5	C. Shelley	3
Mackenzie	8	E. L. Francis	6	K. Francis	4	(Appointed 12/7/49)	
Oats	8	A. J. Gandy	6	(Resigned 12/7/49)		K. Ward	2
Shergis	8	A. H. Hancock	6	C. F. Melbourne	4	(Appointed 9/8/49)	
R. Stansfield	8	N. J. Farr	6	(Appointed 9/8/49)		W. Nobbs	3
R. Watts	8	I. L. Parsons	6	(Resigned 15/2/50)		(Seat declare vacant 15/6/49)	
Barratt	7	G. C. Luxton	6	(Resigned 15/2/50)			
L. Church	7	C. H. Schulz	6	(Appointed 12/7/49)			
E. Harvey	7	T. H. Fewster	5				

Elected Members.
Elected members W. R. Stansfield, A. H. Taylor and R. E. Shergis will retire in 1951; the following will retire tonight: K. Gellert and C. F. Melbourne. During the year Mr. Ken Francis resigned for business reasons and Mr. W. Nobbs was elected to fill the vacancy. The seat of Mr. I. Fawser was declared vacant under Rule 7(a) and Mr. C. F. Melbourne was elected. Mr. Nobbs was also forced to resign because of business reasons, at the last meeting of the General Committee and, owing to illness in the season it was resolved not to fill the vacancy.

Executive Committee.
This committee met several times during the year to consider urgent business.

General Committee.
Murray Park oval was examined by this committee, and Fred Hansford has been empowered to do all he can to gain it for this Association. This committee was represented by Fred Melbourne at a meeting to decide who was to use the oval built at the rear of the Avoca Hotel, Edwardstown. Our chances seem slight in this direction, and the committee is still in possession of information regarding a cheap area of ground, within reasonable distance of the City, that can be purchased and eventually developed into a first-class Lacrosse ground for major matches.

Disciplinary Committee.
Twice it was necessary to call this Committee together to deal with minor breaches of the By-Laws.

Entertainments Committee.
Several meetings of this committee were held until the Social Club was formed, when to a great extent it ceased. Regularly throughout the year the Permit, Finance, Junior and New teams and Selection Committee worked with their work. It was not necessary to call the By-Laws Committee together.
In conclusion, I would like to thank all officials, Club secretaries, and especially the Chairman, Mr. Treasurer, Mr. C. H. Schulz, the Assistant Secretary, Mr. Lindsay Oats, and Mr. Algy Taylor, for their assistance as secretary of the Association.
I trust that this Carnival Year, 1950, will be a most successful one for this Association.
A. J. VIAL, Hon.

- PLEASE NOTE.**
1. Attend the Annual General Meeting of the Association and exercise your right as a member to elect officers to run it.
 2. Clubs please see that your own Annual General Meeting is held before March the 20th.
 3. Be keen in your Club and Association work.
 4. Club Secretaries please get your Club Registrations in as early as possible so that Congratulatory Letters can be sent in an early start for 1950.

**S.A. LACROSSE ASSOCIATION
FINAL PREMIERSHIP TABLE
SEASON 1949.**

"A" GRADE.

Team.	Played	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst.	Pts.
Port Adelaide	17	15	1	—	255	86	41
East Torrens	17	13	3	—	252	87	27
Brighton	15	8	6	—	109	118	17
Sturt	15	6	6	3	118	126	15
North Adelaide	14	6	7	—	82	123	13
Glenelg	14	5	9	—	122	144	10
University	14	1	11	2	68	188	4
West Torrens	14	1	12	—	79	213	3

"B" GRADE.

Team.	Played	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst.	Pts.
Brighton	18	15	3	—	188	75	30
Port Adelaide	17	14	3	—	237	80	28
East Torrens	15	10	5	—	216	75	20
Legacy	15	10	5	—	228	107	20
Sturt	14	9	5	—	207	130	18
North Adelaide	14	4	9	—	49	177	9
Glenelg	15	3	11	—	101	222	7
West Torrens	14	1	13	—	41	188	2
University	14	1	13	—	69	282	2

"C" GRADE.

Team.	Played	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst.	Pts.
Port Adelaide	15	14	1	—	221	67	28
Legacy	16	7	8	—	126	126	15
Brighton	15	11	3	—	215	83	23
East Torrens	15	10	5	—	125	116	22
University	14	4	10	—	81	154	8
Sturt	13	3	10	—	15	125	6
Glenelg	14	1	13	—	3	110	2

Schoolboys' Grade.
Owing to the failure of Clubs to fulfil engagements, the season was shortened, resulting in the final four being: Port Adelaide (Premiers), Brighton (Runners-up), East Torrens, Sturt.

Technical Schools Grade.
Goodwood (Premiers), Norwood (Runners-up), Nailsworth, Croywood.

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COME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR 12 MONTHS ENDED 31st JANUARY, 1950.

EXPENDITURE.		INCOME.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Expenses, Interstate Matches	90 15 11	By Club Levies	141 1 0
Oval Hire	38 4 0	Affiliation Fees	1 14 6
Shed Expenses	5 17 6	Registration Fees	39 3 6
Stamps and Telephone	22 4 7	Sale of Programmes	9 15 9
Printing, Stationery, Programmes, etc.	44 11 11	Fines from Clubs	1 14 3
Affiliation Fees	2 2 0	Donations from Members	2 7 6
Purchase Lacrosse Balls	2 14 7	Savings Bank Interest	4 14 1
Refund, Referees' Expenses	5 8 6	Clubs A/c. 1948 Lacrosse Ball	6 3 6
Hall and Committee Room Hire	2 10 0	Sale of Sticks	69 5 6
Honorariums:	31 10 0	Collection from Members at Annual Meeting	8 8 3
General Expenses	20 17 2	Lightning Carnival, Sale of Programmes to Members	19 0 0
Income Tax Paid	5 12 0	Gate, Final Games	33 0 3
Annual Meeting Expenses	9 18 0		
Expenses, Lightning Carnival	13 11 9		
Expenses, Final Games	12 5 0		
Replacements, Guernseys and Sox	35 6 2		
Stocks of Sticks on Hand, 1/2/49	56 7 0		
	£399 16 1	Deficiency for Year	344 2 7
			55 13 6
			£399 16 1

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st JANUARY, 1950.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
and for Purchase of Junior Sticks	75 0 0	Dressing Shed	105 9 9
Accumulated Surplus:		Equipment at Valuation:	
Balance, 1/2/49	472 1 11	Typewriter	2 0 0
Less Transfer to Stick Fund	75 0 0	Material, Uniforms and Nets	6 0 0
	397 1 11		8 0 0
Less Deficit for Year	55 13 6	Cash at Bank:	
	341 8 5	General Funds	227 1 8
		A/c. Sticks	75 0 0
			302 1 8
		Cash on Hand:	
		Secretary	0 17 8
	£416 8 5		£416 8 5

Checked and found correct with books and vouchers produced.
 G. L. DUFFIELD, Chartered Accountant (Aust.),
 R. D. C. ALEXANDER,
 March, 1950. Hon. Auditors. C. H. SCHULZ, A.F.I.A., Hon. Treasurer.
 2nd March, 1950.

Minutes of the 61st Annual General Meeting of the 486
 St. Lawrence Assoc. held at Kaboroni Hall on the
 2nd Sunday 20th March 1950 at 7.45 PM.

Chairman - The president Mr Justice Abbott occupied the chair
 Apologies - Received from Messrs H. Banks, A. B. Cox,
 C. Mackenzie, K. E. Allen, K. Bell, G. Ward, Mr
 E. H. Russell.

Minutes - Minutes of the 60th Annual General Meeting
 were read & confirmed.
 Annual Report - The Report read the annual report for season 1949.

Proposed the adoption of the report &
 Mr Justice Abbott commented on the pleasing
 feature of St. Adelaide's success, also of Brighton's
 winning the B. Grade. He stressed the importance
 of coaching young players & congratulated the
 State Side on its success against Victoria.
 He remarked on the difficulty of obtaining
 good grounds & regrets that his suggestion of
 purchasing a ground some years ago was
 not adopted. With the help of all clubs a
 suitable oval could be made. He suggested
 to the incoming committee that strenuous
 efforts be made to obtain a good ground.
 Mr A. B. Harvey seconded the motion & in
 doing so congratulated the secretary on his
 excellent report. He commented on the healthy
 position of the finances & congratulated the
 secretary on his fine work.
 Messrs J. T. Rankin, Lance Parsons & F. Hanford
 supported the motion. Mr Parsons mentioned
 that the expense of obtaining & the upkeep of an
 oval would be high & that distance from the
 city should be no bar. Mr Hanford mentioned
 that pieces of land were available at Murray Park
 a distance of 4 miles from town.
 Adoption of the report was carried unanimously.

Election of Palms His Ex. the Gov. of S.A.
 Officer President The Hon. the Justice Abbott

Vice Presidents

K.H. Baybutt	Dr J. Close
A.G. Davis	H.S. Danks
J.L. Fulton	O.L. Gallen
A.J. Hannan	H. Blacking
G. Halsey	J. Halsey
T.D. Holcomick	C. McKenzie
A.S. Hann	J. Martin
Harold Parsons	K. Langdon Parson
H. Rule	Dr. E. Russell
C. H. West	H. Langdon Parson

Chairman of Committee J. T. Martin

Dep. Chairman C. McKenzie

Hon. Sec. A. J. Kial

Hon. Treas. C. H. West

Asst. Hon. Sec. L. J. Oats

Treasurer Sec. T. H. H. H.

Elected Members Messrs J. O'Sullivan,
 K. Gallen, G. Luxton

Auditors Messrs G. H. H. H. & T. H. H. H.

Presentation of Trophies

A Grade Abbott Shield P. Adelaide

B Grade Harold Rule Shield Brighton

C - Parsons Cup P. Adelaide

Schools Grade Langdon Parson Cup P. Adelaide

Memorial Trophy - O'Hannan of O'Hannan

General Business

By T.D. Holcomick proposed that to
 Mr. Hannan the retiring Chairman of
 Committee be made a life member
 of the S.A.L.A. Honorary was made of
 the many office held by Mr. Hannan

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR SEASON 1949.

I have much pleasure in presenting to you this evening the Report and Financial Statement for the Season 1949.

The Financial Statement usually reveals fairly accurately the activity of the Association, and this is particularly revealed in this year's accounts. I am not however, referring to the deficiency that is shown in the accounts for the year, but to the main items shown therein. Generally speaking, I feel that there has been a considerable decline in the activities of Lacrosse, perhaps not so much in "A" Grade as in the lower Grades.

The total income for the year amounted to £344 of which £265 represented actual revenue. The receipts from sale of Sticks and Balls has been deleted. In the previous year, the income amounted to £302. The chief decrease in the revenue item was the amount received from Club Levies, being £141 as against £185. As the income from this source is based on the actual playing members per Saturday, it will be seen that there was a considerable drop in the number of actual playing members per Saturday for the season. Registration Fees also show a decline from £46 to £39. The gate receipts at the final matches was £33, and was only £2 lower than in the previous year. The attendances at the final matches were satisfactory, despite an increase to 1/3 in the charge. This year, there are no receipts from the Annual Ball, as this portion of the social activity of the Association has now been taken over by a Social Club. The Ball Committee early in the Season, seriously considered the financial aspect of this year's Annual Ball, and were convinced that the profits accruing therefrom would not exceed those obtained by the formation of a Social Club, as the costs of hiring the Palais and other expenses had been considerably increased, and our charge would have also been increased to approximately 10/6, and another reason that has influenced the change from a financial aspect, is the Assessment of Income Tax on the profits of the Ball.

The Social Club, still however, has had to pay Amusement Tax, but will not be subject to Income Tax. The surplus funds in hand by the Social Club is approximately £70, and which will eventually be available for Association purposes.

The total expenditure for the year amounted to £344 as against £221 in the previous year. It is noted that in 1948 Interstate Expenses only cost £5 as same was in Adelaide, whereas this year these were £126, being £91 for Trips to Western Australia and Victoria, and £35 for replacement of Interstate guernseys. The actual administration only cost £218. Oval Hire amounted to £38 and was £15 less than for 1948. The item of Printing & Stationery is also £8 lower. The Association now has an official duplicate receipt book, which I feel sure will find favour with all. The chief item on the expenditure side which is most distasteful to all is that of Income Tax paid, £5/12/-. It seems entirely wrong in principle that a purely amateur sport such as ours should have to pay income tax, as all surplus, if any, is just put back for the progress of a game. The Income Tax paid is for the years prior to 1949. The assessment for 1949 has not yet been received, and will cost the Association approximately £25, as we had a large surplus that year. The chief item that becomes taxable in the hands of the Association, is the profit from the Annual Ball, and from proceeds of matches at which a gate charge is made. In view of this Income Tax, it is necessary to see that in future years, we have sufficient expenditure to wipe out surpluses that could become taxable.

There are still a few sticks on hand, but these have not been brought into the accounts. The nett deficiency for the year amounted to £55/13/6, and from the Income Tax point of view, this will be a charge against the profits of any future year. - The loss is to be expected, as no Profit from Ball. The profit in Social Club would actually make us show a surplus for the year.

Balance Sheet - In accordance with the wishes passed at the last Annual Meeting, an amount of £75 has been transferred from last year's surplus fund to a special fund for the purchase of Junior sticks. The funds at the bank, amount to £302/1/8, of which £75 represents the stick fund, and £227 is available for general purposes. The remainder of the accrued surplus amounting to £341 shown on the Liability side is represented in the assets of the Association, namely dressing shed and equipment.

General - This year the Association's chief interest will centre on the Carnival but I do not recommend that we do this in respect to our finances. In the year of the Western Australian Carnival, our chief effort was thrown into the entire payment of the travelling expenses of our players.

The chief incentive of all is to gain Carnival Honours, and in that achievement the player has received a big share from the Association. Consequently, I am of the opinion that some financial assistance should be given, but in a much lesser degree in the last carnival.

We all must be prepared to sacrifice something for the development of Junior and schoolboy lacrosse. With the very high cost of sticks in the future, the Association will probably, next year be called upon to finance a large consignment of sticks, and then to subsidise or donate a substantial sum to school lacrosse. It is in that direction I would like to see our money spent.

Appreciation of the good service which has so ably, *Alchul* 20/3/50
The Justice Abbott presided over the meeting & supports the *Alchul* remarks.
The JT party also spoke in support of the motion.
The proposition was carried unanimously with acclamation.
The Honorary responded & thanked the meeting for the favour conveyed upon him.
The meeting closed at 9.45 PM with a vote of thanks to the president for conducting the meeting.

MINUTES READ & CONFIRMED
Alchul
CHAIRMAN

MINUTES APPROVED
Alchul
30/3/50

over a period of 30 years & the good service he had given. The appointment as a life member would express in some small measure the regard held for him & appreciation of the work done which has so ably performed.

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CHAIRMAN

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30/3/50

Minutes of a Committee Meeting of the I. of L. of. held at the Amateur Sports Club on 30th March 1950.

Chairman. J. J. Martin, Esq.
Proxy Delegates. J. Farmer for W. Holloway (I. of L.)
Apologies. Received from R. Shergis, W. Holloway
 J. W. Jewster, K. Wara.

Leave of Absence. Granted to R. Shergis, W. Holloway, K. Wara, and J. W. Jewster.

Minutes. Minutes of the meeting held 15th Feb 1950 were read and confirmed.

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting held 20/3/50 were read and approved.

Business arising therefrom. The matter of the Amateur Sports Club medallion was deferred to the next meeting.

New grounds for lacrosse. Resolved that the Executive and Oval Committees meet to discuss the ground position with a view to obtaining new grounds for lacrosse.

Life members medallion. - A. B. Harvey Esq. Resolved that the Executive Committee decide time and place of presentation after consultation with Mr. Harvey.

Correspondence. A. L. C. letter d. 14/3/50. was received in reference to the importation of Canadian lacrosse sticks and that approval would not be granted by the Australian Government. Information was given that English sticks are available and a request was made that each state send the English sticks and report back to the Council.

Resolved that the A. L. C. be advised of the position in this State, and that the English sticks have been received and were being tested at

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first opportunity.

A letter was received from the Dunlop Rubber Co. Ltd. d. 17/3/50 in reference to lacrosse balls to be supplied to this Association and to clubs through the usual trade channels.

Letters (2) d. 28/3/50 were received from West Torrens S. C. in reference to the removal of the A grade ground of that club to a more suitable situation and requesting the Oval Committee to make an inspection.

It was also requested that this Association suggest a coach for the West Torrens club for the 1950 season.

Resolved that the matters be referred to the Executive Committee and to act as this Committee to assist with suggestions. The West Torrens club to be advised that members of this Committee are keen to see the club placed on a better footing, and that every assistance would be given.

Finance. Treasurer's report received and payment of accounts submitted approved.

Financial statement filed herewith.

Registration fee. Resolved that registration fees be 2/6 per player for all grades, but the registration fee for all schoolboy players to be 1/-.

Affiliation fee. Resolved that affiliation fees be the same as last year.

Levy. Resolved that levies on players be 1/- per match for all over 18 years and 6 per match for those 18 years and under with the proviso that schoolboy players be exempt from the payment of a levy.

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Typewriter Resolved, subject to approval of the Finance Committee, that the associations old portable typewriter be sold, and that a suitable new or second hand machine be purchased. The Finance Committee to handle the matter.

Programme Resolved that the date of commencement 1950. be 29/4/50 and that time of starting matches be 2-30 p.m., with the exception of matches on University Oval, which commence at 3 p.m.

Interstate practice to be held on 8/7/50.

Schoolboys Interstate Match to be played on 2/9/50 or 9/9/50 subject to the approval of the Victorian Association, and if the A grade final or challenge final is to be played on the date decided, the schoolboy match to be played as a curtain raiser to such final.

Gymkhana and Carnival to be held on 22/7/50 and that B and C grade matches to be suspended on that day.

Remembrance service to be held prior to commencement of the first match and arrangements to be made by the home team.

Resolved that the holding of the service each year be incorporated into the By-laws by the By-laws committee.

List of offences Resolved that the list be as previously to be approved with the deletion of the requirement of a list of players for papers on Thursdays, and that the time for submission of match results on Saturdays be 5-45 p.m.

Committee Elected Executive In addition to ex-officio members:- Messrs. J. S. Parsons, A. H. Taylor, R. Shergis,

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D. C. Sullivan, S. Oats.

Permit upgrading In addition to ex-officio members:- Messrs. Schultz, Oats & C. Sullivan.

Finance The Secretary, Treasurer, & A. H. Taylor.

Programme A. J. Vial.

Interstate Selection Messrs. J. S. Bastin, K. Hellest and S. Oats.

Ovals Messrs. J. S. Parsons (convenor) J. Mansford, R. Shergis, and A. H. Taylor.

Juniors and New Teams Messrs. G. H. Schultz (convenor) J. Melbourne, J. S. Parsons, J. Parr and W. R. Mansfield, P. Taylor and W. Earle with power to add.

Complains Messrs. J. S. Parsons, J. S. Bastin and K. Boul.

Entertainment R. Shergis (convenor) J. S. Parsons, W. Symonds, S. Oats, A. J. Vial and G. H. Schultz.

By-laws Messrs. J. S. Bastin, A. H. Taylor (conv) K. Ward, and A. J. Vial.

Match results Messrs. R. Mansfield and D. C. Sullivan. The Executive Com. to receive nominations of clubs before first match for a person to act instead of Mr. D. C. Sullivan.

General business - It was reported that Sarcose badges would be available in 4/5 weeks time.

Resolved that Mr. K. Hellest be appointed as coach of the Interstate team.

Resolved that Mr. S. Oats be appointed as the manager of the carnival team.

Resolved that Messrs. S. Oats and J. S. Parsons go ahead with installation of a hot shower in the Association's shed.

Meeting closed 10.45 p.m.

Read and confirmed

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J. S. Bastin Chairman

CHAIRMAN J.T. Martin Esq.

PROXY DELEGATES: L.G. Clews for P. Van Tenac (Port Adelaide)

APOLOGIES: Received from Messrs. J.L. Parson, G.C. Luxton, C. Mackenzie, P. Van Tenac
B. O'Sullivan, G.M. Ward and M. Kranz.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE: Granted to Messrs. C. Mackenzie, G. Luxton, P. Van Tenac & J.L. Parsons.

MINUTES: Minutes of the meeting held 30th March, 1950 were read and confirmed.

BUSINESS ARISING THEREFROM :

Amateur Sports Club Memorial - Player under 21 complying with the conditions laid down by the Amateur Sports Club. Resolved each Club submit at the end of the minor round of the season the name of a player under 21 who, in their opinion, complies with the requirements of the Amateur Sports Club with a précis of his attainments under the various headings set out by the Amateur Sports Club. Clubs to be advised immediately of these requirements. Resolved that the Interstate Selection Committee act as a committee to consider the names submitted.

Showers for Association Shed - Report of Mr. L. Oats received.

Ovals Committee - Mr. A.H. Taylor to arrange an inspection of the West Torrens "A" Grade ground by the Ovals Committee, representatives of the West Torrens Club to be present.

Lacrosse Gymkhana - To be held 22/7/50, at Adelaide Oval No. 2 ground. Resolved that the Glenelg oval be substituted for the Adelaide Oval No. 2 ground for the Gymkhana.

West Torrens Club coach - Executive report not to hand.

Typewriter - Treasurer reported that Holdsworth & Co. have new typewriter @ £57/10/- in stock and portable @ £41- and it was left to Mrs. Vial to inspect.

Gymkhana Committee - The following were appointed: Mr. W.R. Stansfield (Convenor) Messrs. Offler, Hobbs, Parr, P. Taylor, Fewster, Hancock, M. Barrett plus a suitable representative from the University and North Adelaide Clubs.

CORRESPONDENCE : A letter from His Excellency the Governor of S.A. was received accepting the Office of Patron of this Association. A letter was received from Mr. C. Mackenzie accepting the Office of Vice President and as deputy chairman of this Committee. A letter was received from Mr. F.L. Parsons accepting the Office of Vice President of this Association. A letter was received the W.A. Lacrosse Association approving the transfer and giving a clearance to K. Roenfeldt from W.A. to S.A.

FINANCE : Treasurer's report was received and payment of the following accounts approved :- Refreshments A.G.M. £8. -.10d.
Caretaker 10/-.

SUB-COMMITTEES : Ovals - Mr. R. Shergis reported that there was a ground being developed beyond the Prospect tram terminus and Mr. Stansfield also reported a further proposed playing ground in the Prospect area which would be brought under the notice of the Ovals Committee. It was resolved that Mr. J.L. Parsons be appointed to the Ovals Committee and act as Convenor.

The Sturt Club reported that it was understood that the Kingswood Oval could be obtained by this Association for approx. £60- p.a. for a season of 6 months and that a 5 year lease of the ground could be obtained. Resolved this Association support the Sturt Club in its tender for a lease of the Kingswood Oval on these terms.

Programme - Report received.

J. & N.T. - Resolved that the J. & N.T. committee consider the playing of schoolboy matches as curtain raisers to "A" Grade matches. All club delegates reported as to progress being made by their respective Clubs with schoolboy teams and if possible 2 grades of different age groups would be formed.

GENERAL BUSINESS : Resolved that Lacrosse sticks of the Technical schools Association be repaired at the cost of this Association. Resolved that all Clubs be urged to have all sticks used by schoolboys repaired, and if Clubs found themselves in financial difficulties through these repairs, to submit

GENERAL BUSINESS (Contd.)

Mr. L. Oats reported that result sheets in present in circulation bear the address of the previous Assistant Secretary of the Association and Clubs were asked to see that the correct address was put on the forms. Resolved that the hour of 10 p.m. be the closing time of Committee meetings of this Association when held in the evening, and if any member of the committee required the discussion of further business, an extension of time beyond 10 p.m. must be approved by a motion of a member adopted by the Committee.

Meeting closed at 10 p.m.

9/5/1950.



CHAIRMAN.

MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING HELD AT Mr. C.H. SCHULZ'S OFFICE, C.M.L. Building on Wednesday April 26th., at 7.30.

Present: J/T. Martin, C. Mackenzie, C.H. Schulz, A.H. Taylor, R. Shergis, L.J. Oats, A.J. Vial, J. Langdon Parsons.

Apologies: J.D. O'Sullivan.

Minutes of previous meeting were not available.

Coach West Torrens: Mr. J.T. Martin suggested Dick Perkins for this position and volunteered to contact him.

Typewriter: Moved and seconded that Halda Typewriter purchase be proceeded with after the sale of the present machine. Secretary to insert advertisement on 3 consecutive days in "Advertiser". Halda price £72 less 5%, *subject to approval of Finance C.F.C.*

Hawthorn Oval: The Secretary was directed to write to the Corporation of Mitcham tendering for the Hawthorn Oval. Messrs. Martin and Lance Parsons were to make personal approach to Council.

Club Secretaries: It was decided to ask Club Secretaries to meet the Executive at its next meeting on May 3rd to discuss the Clubs' actions re their Junior teams. The very low state of the game is also causing extreme concern. Lack of players and referees was the basis of much discussion and it was hoped that Club Secretaries could give us more help in this direction at the next meeting.

Meeting closed at 9.50.

Read

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J. Martin
Confirmed.
21/5/50.

MINUTES OF AN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE ASSOCIATION HELD AT THE OFFICE OF C.H. SCHULZ ON Wednesday 3rd May 1950 at 7.45 p.m.

PRESENT J.T. Martin Esq., (Chairman) Messrs L.J. Oats, A.H. Taylor, C. Mackenzie, A.J. Vial and by invitation Messrs G. Ward (University) Pritchard (Brighton) Holloway (Sturt) Fewster (East Torrens) Alexander (North Adelaide) Gow (Port Adelaide). E. Francis (West Torrens)

APOLOGIES Messrs J. Langdon Parsons, C.H. Schulz, R.E. Shergis (who would endeavour to be along later)

ADDRESS BY CHAIRMAN & DEPUTY CHAIRMAN

The Chairman & Deputy Chairman both explained the reason why members from clubs had been invited to this meeting. The very low state of the game was causing concern and it was hoped by asking the clubs whether they had any problems that the game could come back to its pre-war state.

SALE OF TYPEWRITER Mr. A.H. Taylor reported that the portable typewriter had been sold for £20/-/-.

HAWTHORN OVAL The Chairman reported that this Association were unsuccessful in obtaining the use of the Hawthorn Oval, but had received advice to put in an application for next year. Matter was referred back to the Ovals Committee to watch.

FORFEITS West Torrens reported that they found it impossible for their club to field a team in B. Grade. The withdrawal of this team was received with regret and it was decided that the off team in B. Grade caused by this withdrawal now supply the necessary referees for games that the Referees Assn could not supply.

Brighton reported that their team in C. Grade would have to be withdrawn.

With the withdrawal of the above two teams consideration was given to forming a team from the surplus players but as no finality could be obtained from the clubs on just how many players they would have over the matter lapsed.

COACH WEST TORRENS The Chairman reported that he had approached Mr. Dick Perkins asking him to coach this club and that he had accepted. Mr. Perkins also approached two other old players from West Torrens and had hopes that they would assist in putting this Club back on its feet.

PRESS REPORTER FOR NEWS & MAIL It was reported that so far no one had been found to replace Mr. D. O'Sullivan. After discussion on the various members available it was decided to approach Mr. A. Ely of the ~~XXX~~ Sturt Club.

REPORTS FROM CLUBS Each club member present then spoke on the problems in their clubs. The chairman also read a splendid report from the Glenelg Club on the manner in which their club was ran. Arising out of the above the following recommendations were to be made to the General Committee :-

1. That a stick sub-committee be formed.
2. That it be the policy of the Association to be more definite in its directions to the Clubs and that one member of the Executive Committee be delegated to assist each club, this member to attend all committee meetings etc. *That clubs be required to keep uniform records of players in a form to be submitted by the Assn*
3. That an Association team be formed to play in C. Grade such team will be formed from the surplus players from Clubs and that this team take the place of Brighton.

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CHAIRMAN J.T. Martin Esq.,

PROXY DELEGATES: J. Farmer (Sturt) for H. Holloway.

APOLOGIES: Received from K. Ward, M. Kranz, P. Van Tenac, T.H. Fewster and H. Holloway.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE: Granted to H. Holloway

MINUTES: Minutes of the meeting held 13th April, 1950 were read and confirmed. Minutes of Executive Committee Meetings held 26/4/50 and 3/5/50 were read and approved.

BUSINESS ARISING THEREFROM:

Amateur Sports Club Memorial - Secretary's report received.

Showers for Association Shed. - Mr. L. Oats reported that Thompson, plumber of Glenelg, would instal one heater including the necessary plumbing for £21-7-6. An extra heater would cost £6-10/- to £7-. Resolved that 2 showers be installed and the necessary heaters with a limit of £30- on the amount expended.

West Torrens ground. - Mr. A.H. Taylor reported on the West Torrens ground and the report was received.

Price Memorial Oval - Hawthorn. It was reported that the offer of this Association for this Oval had not been accepted as the Mitcham Council had already let the ground.

Typewriter. The secretary reported that a new typewriter had been purchased. Resolved that The Executive Committee's decision in this matter be confirmed.

Gynkhana Committee. - It was reported that the North Adelaide and University Clubs had not submitted a nominee for this Committee.

West Torrens Club Coach. - The Chairman reported that he had approached Mr. D. Perkins in this matter, and he had consented to act as coach. Mr. Perkins had also offered to arrange for other old players of the Club to assist.

Schoolboy Matches. - The Chairman reported that these matches were being played as curtain raisers to A grade games.

Stick Committee - As recommended by the Executive Committee. Resolved that a Committee be formed and that they go into the price and supply of sticks, also methods of raising finance for the purchase of sticks. Resolved that the Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer, Messrs. A.E. Harvey and C. Mackenzie be the stick committee.

Association assistance to Clubs. - Resolved that a Member of the Executive Committee be allotted to each club and that he attend all Committee Meetings of that Club.

Resolved that Clubs field teams of 10 players a side for C grade until the end of the first round of matches in that grade, and that of the surplus players each Club supply at least one player for the proposed Association team. After the first round of matches 12 men a side to be fielded and Clubs to continue to supply at least one player for the Association team, such Association team to replace the Brighton C grade team. The match for 13/5/50 to be played on the University Oval, the secretary to make the necessary arrangements for that day, the West Torrens Club to arrange thereafter.

CORRESPONDENCE. All correspondence submitted was received.

The A.L.C. gave notice that the Annual General Meeting of the Council would be held on 26/5/50 in Melbourne.

Corporation of Burnside advised that the Kensington Oval had been granted to this Association on 24/6/50, 26/8/50 and 9/9/50.

The Port Pirie L.A. forwarded the sum of 10/6 as an affiliation fee with this Association.

Goodwood Boys Technical School had made application for the Association Ground and this had been made available as usual.

FINANCE. The Treasurer's report was received and payment of the following accounts approved:-

Sturt L.C. Ground	£1-10/-
Unley Press	15-14-9
Schlank & Co. badges	30-16-8

Amateur Sports Club
City of Burnside - hire
Kensington Oval

Accounts paid since previous meeting were also approved. Financial Statement filed herewith. It was resolved that the badge be sold at 2/6 each, the Club resale price to members to be 3/- each also. The treasurer reported on the activities of the S.A.L.A. Social Club.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE ASSOCIATION.

Financial Statement to

9th May, 1950.

To Funds as per Financial Statement 13/4/50 204 16 8

Plus Receipts:-

Registrations enquiries	23 12 6
Sale of Sticks	3 - -
Sale of Typewriter	20 - -
Donations - F. Lancelot Parsons	1 1 -
A. S. Mann	2 2 -
H. S. Dunks	1 1 -
T. D. McCormick	1 1 -
	<u>51 17 6</u>
	256 14 2

Less Accounts paid since last Meeting:-

Secretary's Stamps, Telephone & Petties	5 4 -
Schlank & Co Memorial Trophy	1 1 2
Office Equipments New Typewriter	1 6 8
Printing & Stationery	1 3 -
	<u>75 16 2</u>
	180 18 -

Less Accounts to be passed for payment

Sturt L. C. Refund Ground Hire	1 10 -
Unley Press Annual Reports	15 14 9
Schlank & Co. 253 Badges	30 16 8
Amateur Sports Room Hire	15 -
City of Burnside Hire Kensington Oval	9 9 -
	<u>58 5 5</u>
	122 12 7

Funds as per Bank Pass Book

Less Slick Fund	75 - -
Less O/S Cheques	135 4 3
	<u>210 4 3</u>
	£122 12 7

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING OF S.A.L.A. HELD AT THE OFFICE OF Mr. C.H. SCHULZ, at 7.45 p.m. on 22nd May 1950

PRESENT

C.H. McKenzie, A.J. Vial, L.J. Oats, C.H. Schulz, A.H. Taylor, R. Shergis, J.D. O'Sullivan

APOLOGIES

Received from J.T. Martin, J.L. Parsons

MINUTES

Minutes of the meeting of the Executive Committee held 3/5/50 were read and confirmed.

BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES

1. As a result of the withdrawal of West Torrens "B" Team and Brighton "C" team it was resolved that the matter of whether the opposing teams should be allotted a forfeit or a bye be referred to the General Committee
2. The following Executive Committee members were allotted to the clubs to act in a liaison and advisory capacity:

C.H. Schulz - East Torrens	J.D. O'Sullivan - University
R. Shergis - North Adelaide	J.L. Parsons - West Torrens
J.T. Martin - Port Adelaide	L.J. Oats - Glenelg
A.H. Taylor - Sturt	A.J. Vial - Brighton

The Secretary was asked to notify the respective clubs of the above appointments and to request the clubs to advise their Executive representative of future club Committee meetings.

3. A.H. Taylor was appointed to look into the methods of the keeping of club records and to submit a particular method to the Executive Committee with a view to recommending it to the General Committee for use throughout the association.
4. A.H. Taylor appointed to carry out the necessary repairs to the Association Shed and to effectively seal the iron against prospective law breakers.

ASSOCIATION TEAM

Moved by R. Shergis that a letter be sent to Club Secretaries to urge the sending of spare players to the Association Team and that Executive Committee members contact their respective clubs to follow the matter up.

CAMPELLTOWN OVAL

Advice was received from the Secretary, East Torrens Club, that this oval is available for Lacrosse on May 13th, 27th, June 10th, July 8th, 22nd, 29th and August 5th at a cost of £15. This advice was not received by Association Secretary until 15/5/50 and was too late to enable the Committee to consider the use of the oval for 13th and 27th May. As the Interstate Trial and Carnival matches will be played on July 8th, 22nd and 29th, it was resolved that the oval be taken for the following dates and the programme altered as follows:-

June 10th	- Brighton	v.	East Torrens "B" Grade
July 8th	- Sturt	v.	East Torrens "B" "
29th	- University	v.	North Adelaide "B" "
Aug. 5th	- University	v.	East Torrens "A" Grade

It was also resolved that the booking be placed in the hands of Mr. F. Hansford and that an amount of £8:8:0 be offered for the hire of the oval.

CHAIRMAN. J.T. Martin Esq.

APOLOGY. Received from Mr. M. Selth.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE. Granted to Mr. B. Selth.

MINUTES. Minutes of the Meeting held 9.5.50 were read and confirmed.

BUSINESS ARISING THEREFROM.

Showers for Association Shed - Mr. L. Oats reported that Mr. Rawson, electrician of Glenelg, advised that installation of two showers would incur a cost of approx. Fifty Pounds., also a charge would be made by ETSA for the wiring from South Terrace to the Association Shed because of the necessity of installing 3 phase wiring etc. After conferring with the Chairman it was decided to request Mr. Rawson to proceed with the installation of one shower only. This action was approved by the Committee.

GYMKHANA COMMITTEE.

Mr. Stansfield reported that Clubs have full representation on this Comm. and that Mr. Fewster was nominated as East Torrens representative. Mr. Fewster advised that he would be unable to stand but that he would arrange for a representative from his club.

WEST TORRENS CLUB COACH.

The Chairman reported that Mr. D. Perkins had been taken ill and would be unable to carry out the duties of Coach. Mr. Edge had been contacted and he advised that he will act as Coach if it can be arranged.

"C" GRADE.

Secretary advised that time limit for 10 players per side in this Grade had been postponed. Mr. Holloway advised that Sturt Club had succeeded in placing another Sturt "C" Grade team in the competition to be known as Sturt "C" Blue and moved that "C" Grade teams be of 10 players for the rest of the season and any extra players in other Clubs be sent to the Sturt "C" Blue Team. Those players available to go to the Sturt shed South Park and matches be set down to be played on the Deaf Adult Ground. This motion carried. Sturt Club were commended for their efforts in the formation of this additional team thus overcoming the withdrawal of the Brighton "C" Team from the competition.

MINUTES.

Minutes of the executive Committee Meeting held 22.5.50 were read and approved. Mr. A.H. Taylor had nothing to report concerning a method of keeping of Club records or the repairs and sealing of the Association Shed.

Resolved that a Working Committee be formed to do this work and that Mr. Taylor submit a list to the Chairman of the materials required, and that the matter be referred to the next Committee Meeting for a decision. At this stage of the meeting Mr. Martin had to vacate the Chair, because of sickness at home and the Deputy Chairman, Mr. C. Mackenzie took over.

CORRESPONDENCE.

All correspondence submitted was received. Mr. Noel Hubble forwarded cards advising of the attention he gives to sport injuries.

A.L.C.

The A.L.C. advised that all States were suffering as S. Aust. in regards to sticks. Training film - A.L.C. thought that the South Aust. idea to film the Carnival was worth while proceeding with and that endeavours would be made for other cine camera photographers to be present. In a second letter Secretary gave notice of a meeting to be held 21.7.50

SOCIAL CLUB.

Request received for direction of Association re use of money in hand. This matter was deferred to next meeting of Association Committee. Resolved that the date of the Lacrosse Ball be Saturday September 16th. The Secretary advised that nominations required from Clubs for representation on the Ball Committee. Secretary was asked to write Clubs for nominations. Resolved that Mr. J.T. Martin replace Mr. Nobbs who had left the state.

ASSOCIATION SHED.

Moved that Association supply required materials at this ground such as pegs, lime, goals and bell. Resolved that Executive Committee deal with this matter.

SCHOOLBOYS.

Mr. Offler advised that J. and N.T. Committee has only held one meeting and that the Glenelg Club was quite concerned. Mr. Schulz stated that he would take the matter up. Also re selection of schoolboys for the Interstate Schoolboys match against Victoria.

GYMKHANA.

Mr. Stansfield raised matter of Trophies etc. and it was resolved to refer this to the Executive Committee.

MINUTES.

Mr. Schulz advised that copies of minutes were not being received by the Clubs and desired some action on this matter.

Meeting closed at 10.45 p.m.

J. Martin
11/7/50.

N.B.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF A GENERAL COMMITTEE MEETING, TO BE HELD AT THE AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB, ON TUESDAY July 11th, at 7.45 p.m.

This will be the only notice you receive.

(Signed.) A.J. Vial Hon. Sec.

MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE ASSOCIATION AT THE AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB ON 11.7.50 at 7.45 p.m.

MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE MEETING HELD AT MR. C.H. SCHULZ'S OFFICE ON WEDNESDAY JUNE THE 21ST. AT 6.15 P.M.

PRESENT : Mr. J.T. Martin, Chairman., Mr. C. Mackenzie, Mr. C.H. Schulz, Mr. A.H. Taylor, Mr. R. Shergis, Mr. J.D. O'Sullivan and Mr. A.J. Vial.

APOLOGIES : Mr. L.J. Oats and Mr. J.L. Parsons.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING : Not available.

BUSINESS :

(1) Association Ground.

This matter was referred to the Executive Committee by the General Committee.

It was resolved that the Association should supply lime for the marking out of the ground.

It was decided, after discussion, that pegs and flags if supplied would soon be lost, so nothing was done in this direction.

The Executive decided to visit the Association Shed on the night of June the 27th., to examine the amount of equipment as regards goals, and also as to the practicability of protecting the shed against entry by vandals.

It was also decided that the first hamed team on the programme, being the Home Team should mark out the ground, and also supply a warning instrument

(2) Interstate Practice Match.

It was agreed that the match be transferred to the Kingswood oval and that the Start Club be responsible for the marking out of the ground.

(3) Gymkhana.

Mr R. Stansfield at the invitation of the Executive presented his report on the progress made by the Gymkhana Committee. He presented the programme as drawn up and several alterations were suggested as to the layout.

It was agreed that the sum of £5 be placed at the disposal of the Gymkhana Committee for the purchase of trophies.

He was congratulated on the excellence of the programme.

(4) Correspondence.

A letter was received from the V.A.L.A. giving the draw for the Aust. Lacrosse Council.

The Meeting closed at 5.50 p.m.

Minutes read :- *J. Martin* Chairman 11/7/50.

Minutes confirmed :- *J. Martin* Chairman 8/8/50.

Australian Lacrosse Carnival.

Photographers - It appears that no one with a cine-camera from S.A. will be at the Carnival. The Chairman suggested that someone may be asked to photograph some of the practice at the Brighton Oval on Sunday 11.7.50.

V.A.L.A. Letter of 14.6.50 received advising the Carnival Draw, and requesting the names of the players and party.

CHAIRMAN. J.T. Martin Esq.

APOLOGIES. Received from H. Holloway, C.H. Schulz, N. Parr, P. Van Tenac, J. Langdon Parsons, and K. Ward.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE. Granted to the above named members.

PROXY DELEGATES. J. Farmer for H. Holloway.
G.F. Gow for P. Van Tenac.
F.M. Cain for K. Ward.

MINUTES. 1. The minutes of the Association Meeting held on 13.6.50, copies of which were sent to each member of this committee, were taken as read and confirmed.
2. Minutes of the Executive Committee Meeting held on 21.6.50 were read and approved.

BUSINESS.

1. Association Shed. Mr. L.J. Oats reported that the electric heater had been installed and was in use. The installation appeared to have been carried out satisfactorily. The Secretary advised that there was sufficient material in the shed for the frame of a complete set of goals. Mr. Mackenzie moved that the Association purchase a yard broom for use at the Association shed, and that a lock be supplied for the cage on the meter box. A key to be forwarded to the ETSA. This motion was carried by the Committee. Mr. Gellert intimated that he would provide a padlock and key. Mr. Mackenzie advised that Mr. I. Wiles is prepared to make up a frame for a set of goals at a cost to the Association of the materials only. Mr. P. Taylor stated that this is already under way, and being made with material from the Sturt Club. Resolved that the proposed concrete base round the shed is not necessary as on most occasions it was apparent that vandals had broken open the iron halfway up. Also resolved that Mr. Wiles be requested to inspect the shed and advise the Association as regards the placing of a steel band round it, and to be bolted on. Resolved that a notice of instructions for the upkeep of the shed be placed in position.

2. Gymkhana. Mr. Stansfield reported that the printed Programme would be the admission to the Gymkhana, and would be sold at a cost of 6d. each to Schoolboys and 1/6 to others. Mr. Alec Offler has been appointed Grand Marshall but Mr. Stansfield is still awaiting notifications of Marshalls from Clubs.

Mr. J.T. Martin advised that Advertising Sheets had been completed and would be forwarded to Mr. Hobbs office. Mr. Hobbs stated he was having roneoed sheets run off as an advertising medium.

Mr. R. Cathie has been appointed starter and Mr. P. Taylor will provide the gong to be hung in the net. Trophies for the Schoolboy events would be a chromed Serviette ring with the S.A.L.A. Badge. The Exhibition match to be held by the Schoolboys will be played in the Brighton and Glenelg guernseys. It was requested that all Schoolboy Teams be spoken to next Saturday concerning the Gymkhana. Moved and carried that Mr. Stansfield's actions be approved and suggestions adopted, and that any action required within the report be taken by the Secretary of the Junior and New Teams Committee.

3. Uniform Club Records. A.H. Taylor reported that he had been unable to do anything about this and suggested that the matter be left until during the summer when there would be more time available. A resolution was passed to this effect.

4. Australian Lacrosse Carnival.

Cinephotographers - It appears that no one with a cine-camera from S.A. will be at the Carnival. The Chairman suggested that someone may be able to photograph some of the practice at the Brighton Oval on Sunday 16.7.50.

V.L.A. Letter of 14.6.50 received advising the Carnival Draw, and requesting the names of the players and party.

The draw is as follows:-

Saturday 22nd. July. 12.45 - S. Aust. V. Queensland.
2.45 - Victoria V West Australia.
Wednesday 26th 12.45 - Queensland V Victoria
2.45 - West Aust. V South Australia.
Saturday 29th 12.45 - Queensland V West. Aust.
2.45 - S. Aust V Victoria.

1. Selectors to act during the Carnival - Resolved that K. Gellert - L.J. Oats, 2 selectors for the State side who will be present at the Carnival act as selectors with Mr. A.J. Vial the State Captain.

M. Acting Sec. to act during the Secretary's absence - Resolved that Mr. C. Mackenzie act as secretary during the Carnival period and that all result sheets and pass down forms be forwarded to him at the Police Court.

5. Sticks. The Secretary's letter of the 16.6.50 to C. Horner and Son, W. Aust which was written at the direction of the Association Committee, concerning the increased cost of repairs to sticks was read also their reply dated 24.6.50.

A letter from the Sturt Club of 10.7.50 was received charging that the Secretary had misinterpreted the motion of the Association Committee, and that their Committee had directed that the Sturt Sec. write to Horner and Son "intimating that although not fully satisfied with the quality of the repairs effected" they disassociate themselves from the views expressed by the S.A.L.A. in the matter. It was resolved that the letter gave substantiated the feeling of the previous meeting and that the Executive Committee consider the letters and facts and prepare a draft reply to Horner and son for production to the General Committee.

Further resolved that Sturt be advised of this action and they be asked to delay any reply to their letter from Horner and Son until such draft had been tabled to the Association.

Sturt letter 4.7.50 received advised that the Sturt Club had had 4 Schoolboy sticks repaired by Horner and Son at a cost of £2-15-0 each, and an application was made for a refund of the cost from the Association. This letter also advised Mr. P. Taylor would be acting as Sturt Sec. 13.50 - 1.9.50. It was resolved to refer the matter of the Schoolboy sticks to the Finance Committee for them to consider and then to refer it back to the General Committee.

A.L.C. Letter 26.6.50 received requesting a report on the English Lilly White Stick. Resolved to advise A.L.C. that the supply of Lillywhite sticks is not to hand but that one of these sticks used by F. Hansford has been satisfactory and that a report will be forwarded as soon as the supply is to hand and tested.

6. Alterations to Programme.

Secretary advised copies of alterations had been forwarded to all Club Secretaries. This action was approved by the Committee.

7. Australian Lacrosse Council.

Letter of 26.6.50 received advising that under the Constitution there is no provision for substituting a delegate during a meeting and therefore it will not be possible for the Assistant Sec. to take over from the Sec. if the meeting should be prolonged.

C.A.M. West - A letter of 20.6.50 was received acknowledging advice that the Secretary will be acting as the S.A.L.A. Delegate to the A.L.C. Meeting on 21.7.50.

Agenda. W.A. Motion re Neutral Referees for future Carnivals. As no advice has been received from the S.A. Referee's Association on this matter it has resolved that the S.A. Delegate oppose this motion at the A.L.C. Meeting.

Letter from A.L.C. of 18.6.50 received giving notice that W. Aust. had requested rulings on Law X and Law XIII Section 4, also that Victoria requests all Associations consider adoption of Amateur definition for players and suggest that Victorian definition which is approved by the Olympic Council be the basis of discussion. Although this definition coincides to a certain extent with the S.A. Definition the delegate to the A.L.C. Meeting is requested to query points such as Schoolteacher on Education Staff for physical instruction, employee of Sports Store, Sports correspondent for newspaper etc. It was resolved that before

supporting this definition that the delegate endeavour to clarify the position as regards these points and rather than oppose the motion he defer the question for reference back to the Association Committee for further consideration. The delegate was also requested to ascertain whether the definition was to apply to Carnival Games. Copy of letter from English Lacrosse Union received by A.L.C. Included in this letter was the advice that Lacrosse Sticks were selling at 52/6 to 55/3 in England. Resolved to refer this to the Executive Committee and for a report to be made to the General Committee.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE ASSOCIATION

FINANCIAL STATEMENT 11/7/50

TO FUNDS AS PER STATEMENT 13/6/50 129 3 6

<u>PLUS RECEIPTS</u>	
Affiliation Fees	6 0
Donations	2 0
Collection 8/7/50	1 12 9
Interest S/B	6 15 5
Registrations	7 0
Levies	18 11 0
Programmes	5 13 4
Badges	18 0
	<u>36 5 6</u>
	165 9 0

<u>LESS ACCOUNTS PAID SINCE LAST MEETING</u>	
West Torrens Ground Hire	3 - -
Sturt do	4 4 0
Campbelltown Oval	8 8 0
Programmes Gymkhana	5 11 6
Electric Light Sheet	1 18 6
Interstate Grant	90 0 0
	<u>113 1 0</u>
	52 8 0

<u>LESS ACCOUNTS TO BE PASSED FOR PAYMENT</u>	
Adelaide Sports Balls	2 16 2
I.L. Offler Shower	21 7 6
Cartage Nets to Assn Ground	11 6
C.Horner & Son Repa Sticks	32 13 6
A.L.C. Affiliation Fee	2 2 -
	<u>59 10 8</u>
	7 3 8 Overdrawn

<u>FUNDS AS PER BANK SHEET</u>	
Plus O/S Deposit	133 15 0
	6 4 0
	<u>139 19 0</u>
Less O/S cheques	72 2 8
	67 16 4
Less Stick Fund	75 0 0
	<u>7 3 8</u> Overdrawn

Invoice from C.Horner & Son for £32/13/6 is to be allocated as under :-

C.E.Otto	2 17 1
S.A.L.A.	15 19 0
Glenelg	13 17 2

in addition there is also a further amount to be adjusted for freight from WA and paid by Mr.A.Offler.

AMOUNTS OWING BY CLUBS

PORT ADELAIDE	8 0 6	
GLENELG	8 10 0	
STURT	2 0 0	
UNIVERSITY	7 2 8	£25 13 2

the above figures do not include June levies

Letters of 13.6.50 and 23.7.50 received from O.L. Gellert esq. and T.L. Fulton esq. respectively accepting positions of Vice-Presidents and enclosing donations to the Association funds.

15. General Business.

Letter 10.7.50 received from Sturt Club requesting more frequent meetings of General Committee. Resolved that in view of the proposed

supporting this definition that the delegate endeavour to clarify the position as regards these points and rather than oppose the motion he defer the question for reference back to the Association Committee for further consideration. The delegate was also requested to ascertain whether the definition was to apply to Carnival Games. Copy of letter from English Lacrosse Union received by A.L.C. Included in this letter was the advice that Lacrosse Sticks were selling at 52/6 to 55/3 in England. Resolved to refer this to the Executive Committee and for a report to be made to the General Committee.

9. Social Club.

As the Treasurer Mr. C.H. Schulz was absent from the meeting no report was available. On a motion from Mr. Gellert it was resolved that the balance of cash in the hands of the Social Committee be earmarked for the purchase and repair of sticks.

10. Junior and New Teams Committee.

A report from the J. and N.T. Committee was received. It was resolved that the players for selection for Interstate Schoolboys match against Victoria be limited to players qualified to play in the Schoolboy Grade only. Resolved that J and N.T. Committee attend to selection of players for this match, and to handle the visit of the Victorian Schoolboys entirely also that the teams for the Exhibition match to be held prior to the Gymkhana be left in the hands of the J and N.T. Committee. It was also resolved that the Final Match and the Schoolboy's Interstate Match Curtain Raiser be held on the Adelaide Oval No.2.

11. Finance.

The Treasurer's report was received and the following accounts passed for payment.

Adelaide Sports - Balls.	2 16 2
I.L. Offler - Shower installation	21 7 6
Cartage of nets to Association Ground	11 6
A.L.C. Affiliation Fee	2 2 -
	<u>26 17 2</u>

The account received from C. Horner and Son for repair of sticks was referred to the Finance Committee for consideration - Amount £32-13-6d. The following Clubs were given 7 days to pay the outstanding dues.

Port Adelaide	8 . 6	
Glenelg	8 10 .	
Sturt	2 . .	
University	7 2 8	25 13 2

12. Premiership Table.

This was submitted and copies given to each secretary for the teams in their respective Clubs.

13. Ovals Committee.

Letter received from Sturt Club dated 4.7.50 requested dates upon which ovals Committee had met and advice of decisions made - Resolved that Secretary write to convenor of Ovals Committee and obtain the information required.

14. Vice-Presidents.

Letters of 13.6.50 and 23.7.50 received from O.L. Gellert esq. and T.L. Fulton esq. respectively accepting positions of Vice-Presidents and enclosing donations to the Association funds.

15. General Business.

Letter 10.7.50 received from Sturt Club requesting more frequent meetings of General Committee. Resolved that in view of the proposed

The absence of Executive members during Carnival period that this matter be deferred to the next meeting.

W.T. Coach - W.T. Delegate advised that neither Mr. Edge or Mr. Perkins have been able to carry out any coaching duties.

Sturt delegate requested and obtained the approval of the Association to the Sturt Club's proposed visit to Caulfield, Victoria on 23.9.50.

The meeting closed at 10.3.0 p.m.

Read and confirmed / 8 / 50.

Signed.....Chairman.

N.B.

Please note that the Next General Meeting of the Association will be held at the Amateur Sports Club, fifth Floor, A.M.P. Building, King William St., Adelaide to discuss General Business affecting the Association on Tuesday August 8th 1950, at 7.45 p.m.

Will members of the Executive Please Note that a Meeting of the Executive is hereby called for Tuesday August 8th at 7.15 p.m., prior to the General Committee Meeting to discuss the final draft of the letter for C. Horner and son.

Signed A.J. Vial Hon. Sec.

MINUTES OF A COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE S.A.L.A. HELD AT THE AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB ON 12 AUGUST 1950 AT 7-45 P.M.

CHAIRMAN. J.T.Martin Esq.

ROXY DELEGATES. Ft. Adelaide - R.Turner for N.Parr, G.Cow for P.Vantenac. Nth. Adelaide- P.N.Vane for K.J.Ward

POLOGIES. Received from M.Barratt, J.Pritchard, K.Ward, N.Parr, P.Vantenac.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE. Granted to M.Barratt, J.Pritchard, K.Ward, N.Parr and P.Vantenac.

MINUTES. A copy of the minutes of the meeting held 11/7/50 had been sent to all Members of the Committee and it was resolved that they be taken as read.

BUSINESS ARISING THEREFROM.

Association Shed. Padlock and key for meter. These had been supplied by Mr. K.J.Gellert.

Goals. Resolved that a set of nets be purchased forthwith for the Association ground after reference to the Finance Committee for approval as to the price.

Inspection of shed by Mr.I.Wiles - deferred

Notice of instructions. - deferred.

Gymkhana. Mr. R.Stansfield reported on the gymkhana as far as he had been able to ascertain from the organisers, but he would be able to submit further details at the next meeting. Several delegates offered opinions as to the running of the gymkhana and arrangements generally. Resolved that the Convenors report be deferred to the next meeting.

AUST.LACROSSE CARNIVAL.

Manager's report was submitted on the S.A.Team which represented this State at the 1950 Carnival, and commented on the exemplary behaviour of all members of the team and especially the good team spirit which was evident at all times. Full comment was made on the activities of the team and the matches played. Several injuries were incurred and consequently some unexpected expenses were entailed for medical and other attention found necessary. Suggestions were made for the next Carnival to be held in Adelaide in 1953. The Manager complimented the V.L.A. on their organisation. The Asst. Manager, Mr. A.H.Taylor was thanked for his co-operation during the trip.

Resolved that the report be received with thanks to the Manager for his work on the team's behalf and that he submit an account for the additional expenses incurred to the Finance Committee and if approved by them, the account be paid immediately.

The remainder of the Manager's report was deferred to the next meeting.

Coach's report. Deferred to the next meeting.

Captain's report. This covered all aspects of the team's journey, practices held and the matches played.

The first match V.Queensland resulted in an overwhelming victory for S.A.

The second match V.West Aust.resulted in a win for S.A. Several injuries were incurred in this match which affected the S.A. team's prospects for the match against Victoria.

The third match V. Victoria resulted in a win for Victoria, which gave the Victorian team the Garland McHugh Cup.

Resolved that the report be received and thanks were expressed to the Manager, Asst. Manager, Captain and Coach for the splendid efforts on behalf of the team throughout the trip.

Resolved that a letter of congratulations be sent from this Association to members of the S.A. team selected in the all Australian team at the Carnival.

C.HORNER & SON.

A letter was received from this firm intimating that accounts had not been settled by several S.A. Clubs for repairs effected and that this was in consequence of a direction from this Association to the Clubs concerned. The proposed reply drafted by the Executive Committee was read by the Secretary asking that charges made, which were considered exceptionally high, be reviewed, and that this Association was subsidising Clubs with costs for stick repairs. On a reply being received the matter would receive attention.

Resolved that the reply as drafted be forwarded.

L.C.MEETING.

Delegates report received.Minutes of the meeting to be received in due course. Resolved that the order for rule books be increased to 1000.

FINANCE.

The Treasurer's report was received and payment of accounts submitted approved. Financial Statements filed herewith. Outstanding dues nil.

JUNIOR & NEW TEAMS.

The report of Mr. C.H. Schulz was received. The names of those selected for the Interstate Schoolboy team were read. The match to be played 2/9/50

Resolved that the Association Ground be made available and that the interstate guernseys of the Association be used and if not suitable that the Football League be requested to lend a set of guernseys.

The financial arrangements to be at the discretion of the J. & N.T. Committee and if necessary refer to the Executive Committee for approval of payment of any unusual amounts.

PREMIERSHIP TABLE.

Report received.

OVALS COMMITTEE.

No. report.

AUST. COMMONWEALTH

Report of the Secretary was received and the letter forwarded by him to the Committee concerned was approved.

JUBILEE CELEBRATION.

A letter dated 10/7/50 was received from the Sturt L.C.

suggesting that Association Committee meetings be held more than once a month. Resolved that a meeting be held on 22/8/50 a suitable room to be obtained and notice to be sent by the Secretary calling the meeting. Resolved that fortnightly Committee meetings be held in 1951, commencing from 16/1/51 until further determined by the Committee, and that usual monthly meetings to be held until 15/1/51.

A letter was received from the Sturt L.C. in reference to the forfeits received by that Club in recent weeks. Resolved that the forfeiting Clubs be notified in order that they might investigate the matter and report back to this Committee.

Glenelg Oval match - B. Grade 29/7/50, explanation made by Glenelg club delegates. The East Torrens Club to give an explanation as to why a referee was not supplied for this match.

A letter was received from the University L.C. dated 4/8/50.

Resolved that permission of this Association be granted for the University Club to visit Perth for the Intersarsity Carnival to be held there 22/8/50 - 24/8/50.

Chairman announced that the time was 10 p.m. Resolved that the time of the meeting be extended for a further 10 minutes.

A letter was received from the Glenelg L.C. seeking approval for a visit to Victoria on 23/9/50. Approval granted.

The East Torrens L.C. intimated that the Malvern (Vic) L.C. would be visiting this State on 23/9/50 and approval was given to the proposed matches.

It was resolved that 500 badges be purchased forthwith.

Resolved that application be made to the Football League for a refund of £2-2/- for Kingswood Oval ground hire on 8/7/50.

Meeting closed 10.10 p.m.

AND CONFIRMED.

J. Mackenzie
CHAIRMAN.

22/8/50.

Chairman - Owing to the absence of J.T. Martin Esq., the Chair was taken by the Deputy Chairman, Mr. C. Mackenzie.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE ASSOCIATION.

Financial Statement 8/8/50.

Receipts

Registrations	1 12 -	
Sturt re Blazer	2 - -	
Gate Gymkhana	3 14 -	
Programmes Gymkhana	1 1 6	
Affiliation	10 6	
Levies	17 19 -	
Programmes	5 10 8	
Badges	10 7 -	42 14 8

Less Accounts paid since last Meeting.

Overdrawn balance as at 11/7/50	7 3 8	
Shed, Keys & Travelling	12 10	
Stamps	2 12 5	
Stationery	2 19 7	
Balance 1/8 Grant	10 - -	
Engraving Trophies Gymkhana	1 1 -	
Electricity Trust	3 8	24 13 2
		18 1 6

Less Accounts to be passed for payment.

S. Schlank & Co. Ltd Gymkhana Trophies	1 10 10	
Room Hire	5 -	
Randalads Ltd - Winning Pennants	2 19 7	4 15 5
		13 6 1 FUNDS

Funds as per Bank Sheet

	132 14 6	
Plus cash in hand	2 - -	
	134 14 6	
Less Stick funds	75 - -	
	59 14 6	
Less O/S Cheques	46 8 5	
	13 6 1 FUNDS	

C. HORNER AND SON. A letter of 17.8.50 received giving details of the repair work carried out for various Clubs. It was resolved that the Clubs concerned be advised that the Association had gone into these costs and recommended payment of accounts to Horner and Sons.

Chairman - Owing to the absence of J.T. Martin Esq., the Chair was taken by the Deputy Chairman, Mr. C. Mackenzie.

Proxy Delegates - Sturt - R. Keen for H. Holloway.

Proxies - J.T. Martin, J.L. Parsons, M.B. Selth, R. Stansfield, C.H. Schulz, G.C. Luxton.

Leave of Absence - Granted to the above named.

Minutes - Minutes of the Committee Meeting held 8.8.50 were read and confirmed.

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BUSINESS: Goal Nets - No report was available from the Finance Committee concerning the purchase of a set of goals. Resolved that this matter be deferred to the next meeting.

Inspection of shed. - No report received from Mr. I. Wiles concerning the placing of a steel band round the shed. Resolved the matter be deferred to the next meeting.

Notice of Instruction for the Association Shed - The Secretary reported that no instructions concerning up keep of shed had been placed in position but he will attend to this prior to end of August.

Gymkhan a Report - In view of Mr. Stansfield's absence because of sickness resolved to defer report till next Meeting.

Lacrosse Carnival.

1. Manager's Report. - The following points from the Manager's Report were discussed by the Committee.
 - (1). Letter of thanks to Liaison Officer, Mr. W. Tichner - Committee's approval given for letter to be sent.
 - (2). Recommendation to A.L.C. of 3 independent Selectors for the All Australian side - Committee to defer matter until meeting of next Carnival Committee.
 - (3). Formation of Committee for 1953 Carnival - Resolved a Committee consisting of Sec., Ass. Sec., and A.H. Taylor collate information for submission to Carnival Committee when formed. The Secretary to be the convenor of the Committee.
 - (4). Suggested draw for 1953 Carnival - this matter was deferred.
 - (5). Recognition of Services of Car Owners during Carnival - A.H. Taylor, J.H. Wright, and Col. Crawford. - Resolved to send letters of thanks to these persons
 - (6). Extra days stay on Interstate Visits - This matter was deferred until 1952 when the State side will play their next interstate match away.
2. The Coach's Report was received. A vote of thanks was passed for the efforts put into the coaching of the State side by Mr. K. Gellert.

On a motion by Mr. A.H. Taylor it was resolved that a copy of each of the Managers, Captain's and Coach's reports be forwarded to each member of the State side, and 2 copies to each Club.

C. HORNER AND SON. A letter of 17.8.50 received giving details of the repair work carried out for various Clubs. It was resolved that the Clubs concerned be advised that the Association had gone into these costs and recommended payment of accounts to Horner and Sons.

FINANCE: The treasurer's report was received and it was recommended that the Fire Insurance of the Association Shed, viz. £3-4-2, be paid.

The following Clubs were given 7 days to pay outstanding dues; Sturt £2-4-0 Brighton £3-18-0 West Torrens £2-3-6. Port Adelaide cleared their Account of £11-11-6.

PREMIERSHIP TABLE: An up to date Premiership table was read to the Committee, and it was resolved that a copy of the final table be issued to Clubs when the Major round completed.

OVALS COMMITTEE: No report was received.

AUSTRALIAN COMMONWEALTH JUBILEE: Letter dated 16.8.50 from Secretary 1951 Centenary Committee received acknowledging Association Secretary's letter requesting advice as to what aid the Association may receive in these celebrations. The matter has been referred to the Celebrations Sub-Committee for consideration.

2. Letter from A.L.C. 11.8.50 received. The A.L.C. recommendation of a visit from Victoria, Queensland, and West. Australia during 1951 for the Jubilee Celebrations was resolved as being acceptable to the Association.

3. Queensland Lacrosse Association. The Secretary advised that he had received a private letter from Frank Mecklem in which he stated that he doubted if Queensland could attend the celebrations.

AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE COUNCIL: Letter of 12.8.50 received advising Sub-Committee formed to study Laws of Lacrosse and submit any alterations or interpretations it may deem necessary to the Council. Suggestions to be placed before this Sub-Committee should be in Mr. Ike Taylor's hands before 10.9.50. Resolved to leave this matter in the Secretary's hands.

Minutes of Meeting of the Australian Lacrosse Council 21.7.50 were read and received.

RE FORFEITS:

N. Adelaide. Letter of 21.8.50 received from North Adel. explaining reason for forfeit of B. Team to Sturt on 5.8.50, also requesting complaint in writing to enable N.A. Committee to consider the matter.
University. No reply received. Resolved no action to be taken.

S.A.L.A. BADGES: The Secretary advised that he had ordered another 500 Badges.

STICKS: Resolved that Secretary acquaint Mr. Harvey of delegates views re stick question and that possibility of an order being placed with Pakistan be gone into immediately. Also suggested that the Secretary write to other States re orders for Pakistan sticks.

REFEREE'S ASSOCIATION: Letter 21.8.50 received from A.H. Taylor to Sec. Ref. Association by whom it was forwarded on to the Secretary of the S.A. Lacrosse Association. The subject in question was E. Torrens forfeit to Sturt in the "C" Grade Semi-Final on 19.8.50 for which match Mr. Taylor was the appointed referee. Mr. Taylor recommended urgent investigation into the forfeit. Moved by Mr. Offler and seconded by Mr. Hannant that the Sec. write to the Secretary of the East Torrens Club for an explanation of the forfeit. Motion carried. Resolved on motion by Mr. Hobbs that "C" Grade final Port Adelaide v Sturt be 10 players per side.

SOCIAL CLUB: Mr. Shergis reported on the lack of members who had renewed their membership - 6 members had paid their subscription to date. Mr. Shergis advised Club Delegates to get working on membership applications as renewals received after 31.8.50 would rank with any new application. Refreshments will be available at 2/6 per jug as it will not be permissible to take liquor into the Ball. It will be necessary

for beer tickets to be purchased prior to the Ball. Other liquor may be ordered as well in this manner. Nominations for Social Delegates were received as under:-

- Brighton . -J. Pritchard.
- Glenelg.- G. Duffield.
- West Torrens.- R. Hannant.
- East Torrens - W. Higgs.
- North Adelaide - L. Mc Carthy.
- Port Adelaide - R. Johnson.
- Sturt - D.F. King.
- University - No Nomination.

Mr. Shergis's Report was received.

JUNIOR AND NEW TEAMS COMMITTEE: Mr. Hobbs reported on Victorian School-boys visit. Victorians will arrive on Friday morning 1.9.50. Tentative Entertainment as follows:-
Saturday - Tea at Balhous followed by a Theatre Show.
Sunday - Trip to Hills departing 10.30 a.m. from x Roads and Unley Road.

Mr. Hobbs also advised that 16 Billets were still required, and delegates were requested to contact Mr. C.H. Schulz or Mr. Hobbs on this matter. Also that Cars were needed for the Sunday trip.

GENERAL BUSINESS: The Secretary reported that letters had been sent to players concerning the State of Lacrosse in South Australia.

The Secretary stated that he had written to the S.A.N.F.L. re £2-2-0 rebate from fee paid for Kingswood Oval for Trial Interstate Game but had not yet received a reply.

It was resolved that Clubs be requested to supply 2 balls each for the semi-Finals.

Meeting closed at 10.15 p.m.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN LACROSSE ASSOCIATION

FINAL PREMIERSHIP TABLE

1950 SEASON

<u>TEAM GRADE</u>	<u>Played</u>	<u>Won</u>	<u>Lost</u>	<u>Drawn</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Agst.</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>Pts.</u>
<u>"A" GRADE</u>								
EAST TORRENS	17	15	-	2	208	59	.28	30
PORT ADELAIDE	17	15	2	2	224	65	.29	26
STURT	15	8	8	1	115	76	.68	17
BRIGHTON	15	8	7	-	127	125	.97	16
NORTH ADELAIDE	14	5	8	1	90	150	1.66	11
UNIVERSITY	14	5	9	-	81	148	1.82	10
GLENELG	14	2	12	-	77	184	2.38	4
WEST TORRENS	14	1	13	-	80	195	2.43	2
<u>"B" GRADE</u>								
EAST TORRENS	19	16	3	-	276	116	.42	32
PORT ADELAIDE	19	16	3	-	248	107	.43	32
STURT	17	12	4	1	168	84	.50	25
BRIGHTON	17	10	8	1	122	107	.87	21
UNIVERSITY	15	5	10	-	80	174	2.9	10
NORTH ADELAIDE	16	5	11	-	15	169	11.28	10
GLENELG	15	2	13	-	28	164	5.92	4
<u>"C" GRADE</u>								
PORT ADELAIDE	16	15	1	-	240	65	.27	30
STURT RED	16	10	5	1	110	94	.85	21
NORTH ADELAIDE	15	8	8	-	72	108	1.43	12
EAST TORRENS	13	4	8	1	64	138	2.15	9
STURT BLUE	9	3	6	-	47	97	2.06	6
UNIVERSITY	13	2	11	-	18	64	3.00	4

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UNIVERSITY	14	5	9	-	81	148	1.82	10
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STURT	17	12	4	1	166	64	.50	25
BRIGHTON	17	10	6	1	122	107	.87	21
UNIVERSITY	15	5	10	-	60	174	2.9	10
NORTH ADELAIDE	16	5	11	-	15	169	11.26	10
GLENELG	15	2	13	-	26	154	5.92	4
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MINUTES OF A COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE S.A.L.A. HELD AT THE AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB ON 12TH SEPTEMBER 1950 at 7.45 p.m.

CHAIRMAN. *S. Mackenzie Stance*
J.T. Martin Esq.

APOLOGIES Received from R. Shergis, C. Schulz, J. Luxton, N. Farr, and A.H. Taylor.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE. Granted to abovenamed.

MINUTES. A copy of the minutes of the meeting held 22/8/50 had been sent to all members of the Committee and it was resolved that they be taken as read.

BUSINESS ARISING THEREFROM.

Association Shed. Resolved a suitable set of goal nets be purchased by the Secretary forthwith.

Inspection of Shed. - Deferred.

Notice of Instructions. Secretary reported that this had had attention. Resolved that the previous motion that purchase of a broom for use in the Association shed be carried out and also that a suitable brush be purchased for lavatory.

Gymkhana report. - Deferred.

Manager's report. Secretary reported that all matters under this heading had had attention.

C. Horner & Son. Secretary reported that letters had been forwarded to North Adelaide and University Clubs as directed.

PREMIERSHIP TABLE. Table as submitted approved.

OVALS COMMITTEE. Convenor reported that no meeting had been held. The Assistant Secretary read a report on the activities of the Ovals committee since its formation at the last A.G.M. and it was resolved that a copy of this report be forwarded to the Convenor of the Ovals Committee with a request that he make a report to this committee by the next meeting.

AUSTRALIAN COMMONWEALTH JUBILEE.

A letter was received from the W.A.L.A. intimating that they were prepared to send a team to Adelaide in August next, when the match against Victoria would be played. Enquiry was made as to whether any assistance might be forthcoming to finance the trip.

A letter was received from the Q.L.A. advising that they were not able to send a team to South Australia in 1951. Resolved that the matter be deferred until the next meeting, executive committee to consider further in the meantime should any development occur. Clubs to be asked to indicate whether their members can billet any visiting players in August 1951 for about 6 days and whether Clubs can provide any entertainment.

STICKS.

Report of the Chairman was received. Resolved that a letter be sent to the various Australian Lacrosse Associations inviting them to order Parkistan sticks along with the order to be placed by this Association. Resolved that an order placed for 150 sticks from Parkistan for this Association be confirmed.

Secretary to enquire of Mr. S. Kallin as to the possibilities of obtaining a Swedish stick.

All Clubs to be asked to raise sufficient funds to take over sticks being imported on arrival.

Resolved stick committee to purchase sufficient leather and gut to string sticks being purchased when it is definitely known that the order placed with Parkistan will be executed.

Clubs were requested to indicate by next committee meeting how many sticks they would require at approximately 50/- each and be able to finance on arrival of sticks. The Secretary's action in forwarding a sample of English stick to W.A. was approved.

FINANCE.

In the absence of the Treasurer, Mr. ^{Secretary} A.H. Taylor submitted financial statements which were received. Payment of the following accounts approved :

National Hotel	£6/6/-
Balfours Ltd.	£9/-/-
Dr. S.Gunning	£2/2/-
Telephone A/c	£9/6/3
Bus Hire	£4/10/-
Picture Show Exs.	£6/11/-

SOCIAL CLUB REPORT. Chairman's report was received. It was indicated that bookings were still available for the dance to be held at John Martin's dining hall on 16/9/50.

JUNIOR & NEW TEAMS. The Secretary reported on Victorian Schoolboy visit, and the success of the arrangements. A letter was received from Chairman of J. & N.T. Committee, Mr. Schulz, offering to donate a cup for perpetual competition by Interstate juniors under 16 years of age. Resolved a letter be forwarded to Mr. Schulz thanking him for the trophy offered and also that letters be forwarded to the Interstate Associations informing them of the proposed competition.

S.A.N.F.L. Kingswood Oval Refund. The Secretary advised that no reply had been received from the Football league in connection with this matter.

AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB TROPHY. It was advised that nominations had been received from certain Clubs for participation for this trophy and others were invited.

GENERAL BUSINESS. Resolved that reformation of the Goodwood Lacrosse Club be left in the hands of Mr. M.B. Selth with power to co-op. others as necessary.

Meeting closed at 10.20 p.m.

READ AND CONFIRMED.

CHAIRMAN. 10/10/50.

NOTICE is hereby given that the next General Committee Meeting of the Association will be held at the Amateur Sports Club Rooms on Tuesday October 10th. at 7.45 pm.

Sgd. A.J. Vial
Hon. Secretary.

CHAIRMAN. J.T. Martin Esq.,

1. APOLOGIES. M.B. Selth, J.L. Parsons.

11. LEAVE OF ABSENCE. Granted to the above named.

111. PROXY DELEGATES. F. Hansford for J.L. Parsons. G. Gow for N. Parr.

1V. MINUTES. A copy of the minutes of the meeting held 12/9/50 had been forwarded to members of the Committee and subject to the following amendments were taken as read.
(1) The Chair was firstly occupied by Mr C. Mackenzie and later was taken over by Mr J.T. Martin on his arriva;
(2) Owing to the absence of the Treasurer and Mr Taylor of the Finance Committee, the Financial report was submitted by the Secretary.

V. BUSINESS.

1. Goal Nets :- The Secretary advised that these had been purchased.

2. Inspection of Association Shed :- It was reported by Mr Peter Taylor that Mr Ivor Wiles had inspected the shed and would submit a report to the Chairman.

3. Equipment for Shed :- The Secretary advised that a broom had been purchased, the shed cleaned, a toilet brush purchased, and the equipment left in the shed.

4. Use of Shed :- Resolved on the motion of Mr C. Mackenzie that the John Martin's Cricket Club pay the sum of £5-5-0 plus the cost of the Lighting and power used during their tenure and that the cost of repairs, if any, to make good damage caused by the Cricket Club be borne by that Club.

5. Gymkhana Report :- Mr. Stansfield had not been able to prepare a report and the matter was deferred to the next meeting.

6. Ovals Committee Report :- Report received and after much discussion it was resolved to hold the report in abeyance for one month and that all Clubs be written to concerning the three points raised by the Committee viz.
(1) The number of grounds required by each Club
(2) In which districts grounds required.
(3) What amount of finance is forthcoming from the Clubs for the hire of grounds.

7. Australian Commonwealth Jubilee :-

(1) Billeting of W.A. Team - Letter of 10/10/50 received from Brighton Club advising that they could billet up to five players during the celebrations. Verbal advice was received from the following :-
Glenelg.....2 East Torrens...3
West Torrens...3 Sturt.....2
Port Adelaide...2

(2) Club Entertainment } Clubs intimated as follows
Brighton - One night for one team.
East Torrens - Will advise at next meeting.
Glenelg - }
West Torrens - } Both combining and will advise later.
Port Adelaide - Two nights one for each team.

University - Mr. O'Sullivan committed the Club for two teams to be entertained on one night. Sturt - Unable to help owing to heavy commitments in entertaining Caulfield and Membley teams.

On a motion of Mr Gellert it was resolved that the Assoc. advise the W.A.L.A. that billets will be arranged for all members of the W.A. team, but that as S.A. has the responsibility of the 1953 Carnival, no financial assistance can be offered. Further that on the request of the A.L.C. Official entertainment will be kept to an absolute minimum although various Clubs have intimated their willingness to assist in this direction.

(3) Letter dated 30/9/50 from the A.L.C. advising that the 1951 Cmmlth. Jubilee Celebration Lacrosse Championship is under discussion between themselves and the Cmmlth. Govt. Sporting body. and that as further advice comes to hand, this Association will be advised.

(4) Trophies - The Secretary advised that he had received short notice from the Cmmlth. Jubilee Celebrations Cttee. for advice of suggested Lacrosse trophies for the Jubilee Season. This advice was forwarded to them by letter of 24/10/50 and an acknowledgement had been received dated 25/10/50 stating that the matter would be placed before the Committee for consideration.

8. Sticks.

(1) W.A. Letter dated 20/9/50 received ordering 50 sticks for the W.A.L.A. and 15 for the Wembley Club.

(2) Victoria - Letter 18/9/50 received ordering 24 sticks for the V.A.L.A.

(3) S.Kallin - A stick obtained from the Brighton Club by the Secretary is being forwarded to Stockholm by Mr Kallin with a view to obtaining advice as to the possibility of manufacturing a supply of sticks.

(4) Stringing Material - Secretary advised that he is still awaiting advice from the Q.L.A. on this matter and that samples should already be on the way.

(5) Club orders - Glenelg. Letter of 9/10/50 advises no sticks but 12 gut coils. Brighton. Letter of 10/10/50 - 20 sticks required. Port Adelaide. 15 sticks plus gut required. West Torrens. 15 sticks plus gut required. East Torrens. 25 sticks plus gut required. University. None required. Sturt. No advice but will supply details as soon as possible. North Adelaide. None required

9. Social Club Report.:- No report was available. Resolved that Mr C.H.Schulz obtain an interim report from Mr Symonds.

10. Finance :- Report submitted by Mr C.H.Schulz. The indebtedness of Clubs to the Association is as follows:- Eas Torrens £1-0-0, Port Adelaide £3-14-6, Glenelg £12-16-8, West Torrens 5/6, University £1-4-0.

It was resolved that payment of an amount of £10-1-0 being the out of pocket expenses of the Referees be approved.

Resolved that the cartage of goals by East Torrens, viz. 15/- be included in the accounts for payment.

11. Junior and New Teams Committee :- Mr. C.F.Melbourne's report of the visit of the Victorian Junior Lacrosse Team was received. It was resolved that the report be acknowledged and that Mr Melbourne be congratulated on the results obtained from the good work that he put into this visit.

It was resolved that the Clubs that did not billet visiting players be asked to contribute their proportion of the total hotel expenses involved by the booking of 5 boys and the manager in at the National Hotel. The Chairman and Secretary of the Junior and New Teams Cttee. were empowered to apportion the cost to the respective Clubs concerned.

Resolved that the Interstate Competition for the Cup donated by Mr Schulz be confirmed to Schoolboys under 16 years of age.

A letter of 17/9/50 was received from the V.A.L.A. thanking the S.A.L.A for the manner in which the Victorian under 16 team had been entertained.

12. S.A.National Football League. The Secretary advised that he had had no success with regard to obtaining a refund from the S.A.N.F.L. of the fee paid for the use of the Kingswood Oval for the Interstate Trial match. Mr Holloway was requested to act in the matter.

13. Amateur Sports Club Trophy :- Letters of nomination had been received from Brighton, Glenelg, Port Adelaide, Sturt, but Secretary advised that no nomination had been received from North Adelaide, East Torrens, West Torrens or University. It was resolved that 13/10/50 be the closing date for nominations and that the Interstate Selectors be requested to act on the information to hand at that date.

14. Australian Lacrosse Council :- Letter of 28/9/50 received giving notice of a meeting of the A.L.C. to be held in Melbourne on 15/11/50. The following business to be conducted :- (1) To confirm or otherwise suggested alterations to the Laws of Lacrosse as proposed by the Sub-Committee appointed for that purpose.

(2) To incorporate any of the suggestions that may be approved, in the Laws of Lacrosse.

(3) To consider and if thought fit to make the necessary arrangements for the holding of the "1951 Commonwealth Jubilee Lacrosse Championship".

The Executive Committee was delegated to approve or otherwise the proposed amendments.

Letter 30/9/50 received requesting name of the delegate for A.L.C. Meeting, and the Associations immediate attention to the suggested alterations to the Laws of Lacrosse.

The Secretary advised that he had written Mr. Cam West requesting him to act as the S.A.L.A. delegate, and that the Secretary of the A.L.C. had been advised of this by letter.

C.A.M. West. Letter 9.10.50 received accepting position of S.A. Delegate to the A.L.C. Meeting.

15. Club Trips. Sturt - Mr. P. Taylor advised the Committee of the success of trip to Caulfield in which 34 players participated. East Torrens - Mr. Fewster reported on Malvern's visit to East Torrens. Glenelg - Mr. Offler advised that 2 teams visited the M.H.S.O.B.'s Club in Melbourne and that the trip was a great success.

16. General Business. Mr. Fewster advised having obtained a photo of an early Pt. Pirie Lacrosse Team which would be submitted to Mr. McKenzie for inclusion in the records. Mr. Hobbs requested advice on progress of game at Pirie. The Sec. had not heard from Pirie and so could give no information.

Mr. Offler thanked the Chairman for representing the Association at the Glenelg Club evening on 7.10.50.

Mr. F. Hansford spoke at some length on the rehabilitation of Lacrosse and raised the following questions.

1. Educational Lacrosse Film.
2. Contacting Schools for New Players.
3. Readjustment of boundaries.
4. Popularising of the game.
5. The setting up of a master plan by the Executive Committee with a view to the General improvement of Lacrosse.

The Chairman also spoke concerning the co-operation of the Clubs in rehabilitating the game, and the setting up of a basis for the improvement of the game generally.

Mr. Fewster supported Mr. Hansford.

Mr. Hobbs recalled a decision of the Executive Committee to hold fortnightly meetings in the New Year and suggested East Torrens prepare their information in the form of a report and submit it to the Committee for consideration.

The Secretary advised that the next meeting would be held on Tuesday 14.11.50.

The Meeting closed at 10.30 p.m.

Minutes confirmed.

J. J. Mackenzie Chairman.
14/11/50.

NOTE.

The next Meeting of the Association's General Committee will be held at the Amateur Sports Club Rooms, 5th Floor, A.M.P. Building on Tuesday November 14th, 1950 at 7.45 p.m., to discuss General Business affecting the Association.

This will be the only notice that you will receive so please keep this date free.

Signed. A.J. VIAL. Hon. Sec.

Club Secretaries please bring these Minutes before your Club Committee for their information and consideration, so that they may be better informed as to the Associations activities. These minutes should be amplified by your delegates observations at the Meeting.

Minutes of Executive Meeting held at the office of Mr J. J. Mackenzie on Friday Nov 3rd at 7pm.

Present Mr J. J. Mackenzie, Mr G. Mackenzie, Mr L. J. Oats, Mr J. L. Parsons, Mr A. J. Vial.

Business: To decide the Association attitude to various new laws to be incorporated in the new printing of the "Laws of Lacrosse"

- Law X New Section 2 approve*
- Law XII Sec 3 oppose*
- Law XII Sec 3B approve*
- Law XIII Sec 4 approve*
- Law XIII Sec 7 oppose*

Law IV Sec 6. decided to ask the C.L.B. for clarification on this as many points did not seem very clear. New Law proposed by Victoria. oppose

The meeting closed at 1.50 pm

*Read J. J. Mackenzie Confirmed.
14/11/50. L. J. Oats
Pres. Chairman*

MINUTES OF COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE S.A.L.A. HELD AT THE AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB AT 7.45 p.m. on November 14th 1950.

CHAIRMAN: J.T. Martin Esq.

PROXY DELEGATES: F. Cain for K. Ward (Nth. Adelaide.)

APOLOGIES: A. Hancock. T. Fewster.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE: Granted to Hancock and Fewster.

MINUTES: A copy of the minutes of the meeting held on 10th October was forwarded to the members of the Committee and subject to the following alterations were taken as read: The amount of indebtedness of the W.T. Club to the Association was £5-6-0 and not 5/6 as shown in the minutes.

BUSINESS:

Association shed - The Chairman advised that Mr. J. Wiles has reported that the best method of sealing the shed is to erect a galvanised iron retaining wall on the inside of the shed. Wiles Manufacturing Co., have offered to carry out the work at their own expense and would complete the job by Xmas. It was resolved to thank the Wiles for generous gesture.

Gymkhana - Report received from Mr. Stansfield. In view of a discrepancy over payment by Brighton Club it was resolved that Brighton Club contact Convenor on this point and matter to be discussed at next meeting.

Resolved recommendation to next years Committee based on experience over past 2 or 3 years be that Gymkhana be not run by Lacrosse Association but that J. & N.T. Committee consider running of Gymkhana for Junior and Senior Schoolboys and C. Grade players. Most support for 1950 Gymk. had come from these players.

Resolved that J.T. Martin, R.G. Cathie, F. Lancelot Parsons be thanked for assistance received. Mr. A.H. Taylor advised Mr. Parsons had been written to and thanked for donation.

Ovals - Letters received from Brighton, E. Torrens, and Glenelg Clubs in answer to request for Ovals information. Verbal reports were received from North Adelaide, Port Adelaide, and West Torrens.

Resolved that correspondence from all Clubs be submitted to Ovals Committee for consideration and for that Committee to report back to the General Committee. Secretary requested to write to Clubs from which replies had not been received for reports in writing to be submitted within 10 days.

Australian Commonwealth Jubilee: Letter of 31.10.50 received from A.L.C. enclosing copy of letter from Commonwealth Jubilee Sporting Sub-Committee advising impossible to make financial grant to assist in staging 3 State Carnival but that official trophies will be provided.

Resolved to acknowledge A.L.C. Letter and advise that V.A.L.A. available for Carnival and that we have wired W.A.L.A. requesting them to advise A.L.C. direct of their decision. Arrange for copy of W.A.L.A. letter to A.L.C. to be sent to this Association. Resolved Secretary to notify local Sub-Committee of Commonwealth Jubilee Celebrations that trophies will be provided by C.F.C. for the 3 State Carnival to be staged.

Resolved Mr. A.H. Taylor approach Mr. Geoffrey Clarke to advise him of S.A.L.A. activity and obtain some finality re State sub-Committee Programme and arrangements.

STICKS. Chairman reported on arrangements made by Stick Committee as follows:

250 sticks ordered. Letter of Credit arranged. Insurance effected. Applications made for duty exemption. Sticks may be available by January. Gut has been ordered. Only finance outstanding is Victorian.

Secretary has had 2 interviews with Sven Kallin. An American Lacrosse Catalogue has been forwarded to Sweden and arrangements have been made to obtain a sample stick with the possibility of a supply of sticks being obtained by next Season.

Q.L.A. letter of 9.11.50 received advising able to obtain a quantity of hide and gut required. Cheque was enclosed to cover

cost of 24 imported frames. The Secretary advised that Finance Committee had met re subsidy of cost of repair of Schoolboy sticks, but could reach no decision. Resolved J. and New Teams and Finance Committees confer and report back to Association re subsidy. Social Club: Statement of Receipts and Expenditure received showing surplus of £91.1.9d. and report as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Year, Amount. Surplus 1949 - 63 18 8, 1950 - 91 1 9, Total £155 0 5

Paid to S.A.L.A. re Sticks. 135. Social funds in Hand. £20 0 5

Social Secretary recommended Next Years Ball be held on last Night of Carnival.

Financial Statement: received. Outstanding amounts of £3-12-0 North Adelaide and £1-19-0 Gymkhana received at meeting. Resolved Accounts as listed in Statement be passed for Payment. Treasurer reported £65-19-0 paid for purchase of 487 Badges at cost of 2/9 each. Resolved cost to Clubs be 3/3 each and to be retailed at max. price of 4/- each. Resolved Honorarium of £30 be paid to Secretary.

Resolved that £2-2-0 mentioned in B.L.C. Letter of 14.11.50 be paid to that Club in reimbursement of Hire Fee for Hove ground. £2-2-0 refund of fee paid for Kingswood oval received from S.A.N.F.L. Mr. J. Pritchard was congratulated by the Chairman on behalf of Association for winning Amateur Sports Club Trophy. Secretary advised that presentation would be made during Jan. 1951. Mr. Langdon Parsons raised question of booking Unley Oval for Carnivals 1951 and 1953.

Resolved Application be made by Sec. for tentative dates of 4th, 8th, and 11th of August 1951 before last Thursday in November. Application to be sent to Sturt Sports Club Inc., and to S.A.N.F.L. requesting approval. Also request Sec. S.A.N.F.L. to advise S.S.C.E. direct requesting that the Sports Club notify S.A.L.A.

Balls. A letter 14.10.50 received from A.L.C. requesting advise of quantity of Lacrosse Balls held in Sports Depots in Adelaide and Association as to requirements for 1951. Secretary ordered 1 gross. Action endorsed.

Letter of 14.10.50 received from Sec. of A.L.C. re proposed visit of U.S.A. Lacrosse Team during 1951. Resolved to endorse A.L.C.'s Secs. unofficial action that 1951 visit impossible because of preparation and organisation it would involve and before committing S.A.L.A. to any such visit in the near future request costs that would be incurred by this Association.

Minutes of Exec. Committee Meeting of 3.11.50 read and received.

Letter received from Glenelg Lacrosse Club enclosing Cheque for £12-16-8 and appeal for subsidy of cost of repairs to Schoolboy Sticks. Letter passed on to J. & N.T. and Finance Committees for consideration.

NEXT MEETING:- Amateur Sports Club Room, 5th Floor, A. M. P. Building, Tuesday, January 16th, 7.45 p.m.

Confirmed J. T. Martin Chairman 16/1/51