Sulphide Welfare Club

RIFLE CLUB

A meeting of the above section was held on June 4th to finalise arrangements for the official enrolment of members. Due to the poor response of intending members, the Secretary, Perc Beacher, and Club Captain, Harry McGovern, would like all those interested to contact them regarding the official forms, which must be completed and sent to the Supervisor of Rifle Clubs.

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BOWLS SECTION

Interdepartmental Bowls Competition

The above competition continued its third and fourth rounds on Saturday, 24th May, conditions being windy but fine.

THIRD ROUND

C. Lavender (C) v. W. Iceton (I), 14-4.
H. Davis (D) v. R. Hurst (R), 16-10.
K. Porter K) v. E. Collins (E), 14-12.
L. Dennett (L) v. S. Skelly (S), 16-7.
V. Kedwell (V) v. A. Wright (A), 10-5.
E. Burgin (B) v. V. Hughes (H), 9-8.
P. Boardman (P) v. S. Ebbeck (Z), 16-3.
W. Ingham (W) v. Bull (X), 13-8.

ROUNDS

4th	5th	6th
A v. C, 24-11	V v. I, 15-10	V v. A, 14-6
L v. K, 11-9	H v. D, 11-9	X v. R, 13-2
I v. X, 18-10	P v. S, 12-10	P v. K, 10-4
D v. Z, 13-6	X v. A, 11-6	L v. W, 16-4
P v. H, 16-14	B v. K, 12-11	
B v. S, 19-6		
V v. W, 17-11		

After six rounds were played, four teams finished with five wins, namely: S. Dennett, P. Boardman, V. Kedwell, and E. Burgin. Saturday, 4th June, provided the climax, the semi-finals and final being played in good bowling weather.

Semi-Finals.

V. Kedwell 13 v. S. Dennett 7.
P. Boardman 12 v. E. Burgin 11.

Final

V. Kedwell 10 v. P. Boardman 9.

As the scores indicate the semi-finals and especially the final, provided excellent bowling. Twelve heads were played in the final, the scores being 9 each, and an extra head had to be decided. Arch Ebbeck drew a shot as P. Boardman's team was three up. This remained the shot, as neither skipper could alter the head, thus Vic. Kedwell's team ran out winners, 10-9. Credit must be given to P. Boardman's rink for their sterling finish, and both teams gained the admiration of the large gallery.

Once again the competition proved a huge success, and many novices agree the game is A1, and that they can play a good shot just as well as the experienced players.

Whilst congratulations go to Glen John, John Reynolds, Arch Ebbeck and Vic. Kedwell on their well-deserved win —Vic. was runner-up last year—we must also say **well done** to the runners-up (Claude Robbins, Paddy Hunt, Kev. McBlane, and Perc. Boardman) for fighting every inch of the way.

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VISIT TO SYDNEY

Leaving Cockle Creek Station on the 5.20 p.m. train on Friday, 2nd May, a party of 21 of our bowlers visited Sydney for the May Day week-end.

The first game was against Manly on Saturday. After a lunch provided by Manly Club, play commenced at 1.45 p.m. A very enjoyable game was played, and, though for a while it looked as if we would have the edge on them, Manly were too good after the tea break and ran out winners by 113 to 71.

Before the game commenced, Alf Holmes raffled a very nice neck-tie and Charlie Hawkins was declared the winner. We were all curious to know who was the owner, and it turned out that Percy Boardman, after buying four tickets, was surprised when Charlie decided to present his tie back to him. Turning to the "one-armed bandit," Bob Forster struck the Jackpot first pop.

On Sunday, members travelled to Ryde, and Ken Anderson and his boys certainly turned it on for us Sulphiders. The Ryde greens are in wonderful condition and are situated in the midst of a beautiful park—truly a lovely setting. Again, we had a very pleasant afternoon, and after a close and exciting game, the scores were: Ryde 105, Sulphide 102. We are looking forward to a return visit from this grand bunch of chaps.

Ashfield was the venue of the last game played on the Monday, and we journeyed there in lovely weather and found the greens in perfect order. President A. Jones gave us his usual hearty welcome on behalf of the Ashfield Club, and it was very pleasant to meet old friends once again.