

QUEENSLAND RUGBY UNION
REFEREES' ASSOCIATION

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for 1967

QUEENSLAND RUGBY UNION REFEREES' ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL REPORT

AND

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

FOR 1967

NOTICE OF MEETING

The 38th Annual General Meeting of the Association will be held at the Rugby Club, Charlotte Street, at 7.45 p.m. on Wednesday, 14th February, 1968.

BUSINESS

1. To discuss the Annual Report and Financial Statement.
2. Election of Office Bearers for the 1968 Season.
3. Any other business.

Nominations for Officers need not be in writing and may be from the floor at the Meeting, but no nominations will be received unless the consent of the nominee is first obtained.

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QUEENSLAND RUGBY UNION REFEREES' ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL REPORT 1966 SEASON

Office Bearers

PRESIDENT
 VICE PRESIDENTS
 HONORARY SECRETARY
 HONORARY TREASURER
 HON. ASSISTANT
 SECRETARY/TREAS.
 HON. AUDITOR
 Q.R.U. COUNCIL
 DELEGATES
 J.R.U. COUNCIL
 DELEGATE
 SUB-DISTRICT R.U.
 DELEGATES
 APPOINTMENTS BOARD
 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
 JUDICIARY DELEGATE
 A.S.R.R. DELEGATE
 PUBLICITY OFFICER
 LIFE MEMBERS
 HONORARY MEMBER

D.L. DUFFELL ✓ *crowe & clark*
 A. FINLAY, B. O'CALLAGHAN
 R.L. MORRIS *J.O. Connor*
 G. BRITTENDEN ✓

I. BEAMES
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 D.L. DUFFELL
 P. MULLIGAN *B. O. Connor*

E G.P. HOGAN ✓
 C. MENZIES ✓
 D.L. DUFFELL
 B. O'CALLAGHAN, H. CLARK
 D.L. DUFFELL, R.L. MORRIS *J.O. Connor*
 K.J. CROWE, J.R. FORBES, *clark*
 G. BRITTENDEN, B. BURNETT
 H. CLARK
 J.R. FORBES
 I. BEAMES
 P. BARNES, J.F. ISLEY,
 T.W. MOORE, W.L. WILSON
 T. McCORMACK

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Burnett & clark

QUEENSLAND RUGBY UNION REFEREES' ASSOCIATIONANNUAL REPORT 1967 SEASON

Gentlemen,

Your committee thanks all members and officials for their contribution to another very crowded season. The Management Committee and the Appointments Board are aware of the need to attract more members to boost the active strength of the Association. As will be seen later in the report 48 referees officiated during the season, this must be near a record. However the number of full time active referees is not enough to meet the demands on the Association without resorting to doubling up at weekends. The Association as whole must work together to bring the numbers up.

Once again more than forty visits were made to centres outside the metropolitan area. Your committee wishes to thank the Greater Public Schools Sports Association and the rector of Downslands College for their help in meeting the cost of these trips.

The exchange of referees between N.S.W. and Queensland for the interstate series continued despite some early vetoes by the N.S.W.R.U. Mr. Lindsay Smith controlled the first interstate match in Brisbane and Bob Burnett refereed the final match of the series in Sydney.

Another N.S.W. visitor was Dr. Perrott, of the N.S.W. Appointments Board, who accepted an invitation to deliver the W.D.Wyllie Memorial Lecture. Dr. Perrott also visited Toowoomba as a guest of the Darling Downs Referees' Association. These visits proved very successful and should continue to add extra interest to refereeing for the members.

In August Ansett-ANA generously offered a return flight to New Guinea for Lecture purposes and Bob Burnett was selected for this visit. It seems that these lecture tours will increase in occurrence as Rugby spreads throughout the State and in neighbouring northern countries. The Association welcomes this opportunity to serve Rugby in yet another way.

The Association in particular, and Rugby generally, lost heavily through John Forbes transfer to Newcastle late in the Season. John's final match was Queensland v. Victoria and his last administrative contribution was the drafting of the Association's new Constitution, which was adopted in July. We wish to thank John for all his work and to wish him all the best in the future both in refereeing and in his new career.

Our Annual Dinner was again held at the Rugby Club, and a good time was had by all those who attended. The John Minter Award, for the member who contributed most to Rugby Refereeing in Queensland, during the current Season, was given by the Life Members to Mr. Howard Clark, an untiring worker for the Association and Rugby.

As soon as the Season's burdens were put aside, your Committee became most active in planning for a bigger and more vital association to meet the challenge of 1968. The achievements of the Q.R.U. must not be minimised by a lack of referees or the want of true Rugby spirit in its members.

We invite all present members to continue refereeing in 1968 and share in what promises to be most exciting year of football.

On behalf of the Committee,

D. L. DUFFELL
PRESIDENT

R. L. MORRIS
SECRETARY

APPOINTMENTS BOARD

The members of the Board were Messrs. D.L. Duffell (Chairman), Bryan O'Callaghan, and H.G.Clark.

Although forty-eight referees officiated during the season, some were visitors and others had one or two matches only. Generally the number available were not enough and the board members were very pleased with the willingness of many members to referee on both Saturday and Sunday.

Altogether five hundred and eighty-nine official appointments were completed. A new record would have been achieved except for the cancellation of many matches because of flood and unfortunately through the large number of forfeits, twenty-five of these being without notice to the Association.

Major appointments for the season were:-

K.J. Crowe	QLD. v. Ireland, QLD. v N.S.W., 1st Grade Grand Final - University v. G.P.S.
R.T. Burnett	QLD. v. N.S.W. (Sydney)
J.R. Forbes	QLD. v. Victoria
A.K. Finlay	QLD. v. Aust. Combined Services

Members who refereed five or more matches were: *K. Crowe 33; *D. Jowett 26; *I. Beams 26; G. Atkin 26; *A. Finlay 25; J. O'Connor 25; * J. Forbes 24; *R. Burnett 24; B. O'Connor 24; J. McCarthy 24; G. Hogan 24; Olsson 23; G. Sheehan 21; G. Beeston 21; *R. Morris 20; C. Menzies 20; C. Oxenford 19; S.Boydell 19; P. Spranklin 18; *P. Morris 17; *G. Brittenden 16; C.Collins 16; D.Fielding 15; P. Mulligan 12; R. Hartland 10; J. Taylor 10; N. Savage 6; D. Simpkins 6; J. Jell 5; H. Murray 5; G. Davies (NSW)5; A. McCullouch 5; D.Duffell 5.

* Denotes one or more 1st grade matches.

EXAMINATION BOARD REPORT

Members:- H.G.Clark (Chairman), K.J. Crowe, R.T. Burnett, J.R.Forbes, D.F.O.Fielding.

It is pleasing to be able to report that 19 candidates were orally examined for Senior membership during the season and this must surely reflect the growing interest in our game. Of this number however only 5 are regularly available to your Association here in Brisbane; 10 were staff members from Marist Brothers College Ashgrove and are fully occupied with Associated Schools' games on Saturdays but will be in a position to assist us on Sundays, while 1 candidate was from the Darling Downs district and 2 from Wide Bay. In almost all cases pre-examination tutorial assistance was given and your Board feels that it is only in this way that the high standards of law-knowledge which the Association expects from its members can be maintained.

Lectures in the various schools and at some Club training nights were again in popular demand and the Board would like to express its thanks to all Association members who assisted in this very important part of our function. More than 100 follow-up written examinations were conducted and as a result we now have additional Junior and Associate members in both Toowoomba and Brisbane which should steadily add to the stature of our game.

My personal thanks to the members of the Examination Board, all of whom gave so unstintingly of their time and effort in the interests of Rugby.

M. G. Clark
Chairman.

QUEENSLAND RUGBY UNION REFEREES ASSOCIATION
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1967

<u>1966</u>	<u>RECEIPTS</u>	<u>1966</u>	<u>PAYMENTS</u>
\$ 35	Cash at Bank at 1st January 1967 \$ 27.76	\$ 40	Purchase of badges and rule books \$67.36
==		20	Donations -
\$ 84	Annual Subscriptions \$123.00	3	Presentations:
18	Donations -		M.J. Forbes 5.55
95	Sale of Doubles 88.40		J. Prescott 2.85
18	Barnes Benefit 16.80	21	Subscription -
33	Sale of Badges and Rule Books 49.20		Aust Society of Referees -
71	Subscriptions -	78	Annual function 75.40
	Annual function -		Wylie Memorial Lecture:
62	Subscription -		Accommodation 39.09
	Members' dinner 45.00	74	Members' Dinner 64.50
1	Bank Interest 3 06	13	J. Minter Trophy 6.05
	Reimbursement of Expenses:	80	Postages, printing and
40	Operating costs - Q.R.U. 50.00		stationery, telephone calls
			and sundry expenses 81.89
		100	Balance of air fare - Fiji 38.60
<u>\$422</u>	<u>375 46</u>	<u>\$429</u>	<u>\$381.29</u>
		\$ 28	Cash at Bank at 31st December 1967 21.93
<u>\$457</u>	<u>\$403.22</u>	<u>\$457</u>	<u>\$403.22</u>

The above statement presents a fair view of the transactions of
the Queensland Rugby Union Referees Association for the 1967
Football Season

G. BRITTENDEN Hon. Treasurer.

QUEENSLAND RUGBY UNION REFEREES ASSOCIATION

TRAVEL FUND

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1967

<u>RECEIPTS</u>			<u>1966</u>		<u>PAYMENTS</u>	
Balance at Bank 1st January 1967	\$ 2.91				Travelling expenses:	
Donations -			\$ 19		Country and G.P.S. Games	\$ 37.00
G.P.S. Sports Association	\$ 25.00		91		Delegates Australian Society	
Downlands College	10.00				of Referees	-
Sundry	445.01		-		Postage	2.00
Australian Society of Referees	-					
Reimbursement of expenses	-		\$110			
Interest	.26					
					Balance at Bank at 31st	
					December 1967:	
			\$-		4% Fixed Deposit	\$400.00
			3		Current account	44.18
	480.27		\$ 3			
						444.18
	\$483.18		\$113			\$483.18

The above statement presents a fair view of the transactions of the Queensland Rugby Union Referees Association Travel Fund for the 1967 Football Season.

G. BRITTENDEN Hon. Treasurer.

We have examined the Statement of Receipts and Payments of the Queensland Rugby Union Referees Association, and the Statement of Receipts and Payments of the Queensland Rugby Union Referees Association Travel Fund for the year ended 31st December 1967. Our examination included such tests of the accounting records and other such auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion the accompanying statements give a true and fair view of the financial operations of the Queensland Rugby Union Referees Association and the Queensland Rugby Union Referees Association Travel Fund for the year ended 31st December, 1967.

ARTHUR ANDERSON & CO. Chartered Accountants

LIST OF FINANCIAL MEMBERS FOR 1967 SEASON

A	Address
Abbott, M.J.	C/- A.M.P.Society, Toowoomba.
Atkin, G.	8/264 Kingsford Smith Dr., Hamilton.
B	
Barnes, P.	Criterion Hotel, George St., Bris.
Beams, I.	108 Highland Tc., St.Lucia
Boydell, S.	Union College, St. Lucia
Beeston, G.	34 Davidson St., Newmarket
Brittenden, G.	55 Woodland St., Ashgrove
Burnett, R.T.	35 Bennet Rd., The Gap.
C	
Clark, H.G.	Flat 4, 33 Sexton St., Highgate Hill.
Crowe, K.J.	27 Brussels Ave., Morningside.
D	
Davis, G.	65 Clyde Rd., Herston
Duffell, D.L.	63 Mashobra St., Mitchelton Hts.
F	
Ffrench, B.M.	57 Gallipoli Rd., Carina.
Fielding, D.F.O.	33 Mabb St., Kenmore.
Finlay, A.	67 Delsie St., Cannon Hill
Flannery, Bro.	Christian Bros. College, Toowoomba
Forbes, J.R.	93 Lodge Rd., Kalinga
H	
Hartland, R.D.	13 Disraeli St., Indooroopilly
Hogan, G.	9 Southerden Ave., Grange
I	
Isley, J.F.	105 Oriel Rd., Clayfield
Iverson, G.	
J	
Jell, J.	32 Henzell Terr., Greenslopes
Jowett, D.	8 Orion St., Coorparoo.
M	
MacCormack, T.	10 Viller St., New Farm.
McCarthy, J.	66 Bloomfield St., Taringa.

LIST OF FINANCIAL MEMBERS FOR 1967 SEASON (Contd.)

M	Address
Menzies C.	143 Kajgar St., Windsor.
Moore, T.W.	28 Newby St., Nundah.
Morgan, E. Maj.	Jezzine Barracks, Townsville.
Morris, P.J. Dr.	14 Aberleigh Rd., Herston.
Morris, R.L.	66 Carville St., Annerley.
Maughan, B.	The Southport School, Southport.
Mulligan, P.M.	44 Yuletide St., Holland Park.
Murray, P.H. W.O./II	19 Cootha St., Everton Park.
O	
O'Callaghan, B.	C/- A.N.Z. Bank, Carina.
O'Connor, B.	41 Holland Rd., Holland Park.
O'Connor, J.M.	58 MacGregor Terr., Bardön.
Olsson, I.V.	C/- N.M.L., Queen St., Brisbane.
Oxenford, C.	4 Greer St., Southport.
P	
Purcell, A.	2 Hennesey St., Toowoomba.
S	
Savage, N.	
Sheehan, G.	10 Normanton St., Stafford.
T	
Taylor, J.	M.L.C. Building, Adelaide St., Bris.
Tuxworth, K.G.	C/- Toowoomba Grammar School, Toowoomba.
W	
Wilson, W.L.	36 Alfred St., Valley.
Downs R.A. Referees	C/- A. Purcell (see above.)

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