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FOR THE

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OFFICERS FOR 1917.

President :

D. R. FELL.

Vice-Presidents :

G. B. MERCER. | C. H. TURNOR.

Captain :

J. C. BAND.

Sub-Captains :

W. T. VENABLES. | H. GREEN.

Hon. Treasurer :

R. LEIGH KNIPE, 108 Moscow Drive, Stoneycroft,
Liverpool.

Committee :

| | | |
|---------------|--|----------------|
| E. J. CODY. | | H. W. KEIZER. |
| W. P. COOK. | | A. NEWSHOLME. |
| J. O. COOPER. | | A. T. SIMPSON. |
| E. EDWARDS. | | W. R. TOFT. |

Auditors :

S. J. BUCK. | F. CHANDLER.

Delegates :

R.R.A.—E. BRIGHT AND H. W. KEIZER.
N.R.R.A.—J. C. BAND AND F. D. McCANN.

Handicapping and Course Committee :

J. C. BAND, W. P. COOK, E. EDWARDS,
F. D. McCANN, AND W. R. TOFT.

Editor of Monthly Circular :

A. T. SIMPSON, 123 Manor Road, Liscard.

Hon. Secretary :

F. D. McCANN, Stourton Lodge, Arno Road, Oxtou.

Anfield Bicycle Club.

HON. SECRETARY'S REPORT.

Presented at the Annual General Meeting,
9th January, 1917.

MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN,

My Annual Report, that for 1916, and my fifth one, is, I am sorry to say, once again entirely innocent of any review of racing activities, and such, of course, will be the case with future Reports for so long as the war lasts and probably for some time afterwards, for, of our racing men, all, with possibly one or two exceptions, are away on Active Service, and they will not be ready to give active support to racing events immediately after their return to civil life. On the other hand, our Club Runs, particularly the week-end and touring fixtures, have been exceptionally well supported, musters such as 31 members and six friends at Easter, 16 members and one friend for the August Tour and 32 members and three friends for the Autumn Tour having been recorded, while at three of our Musical evenings we numbered 32 members and 11 friends, 35 members and eight friends, and 32 members and ten friends respectively at Hunts Cross in January, and at Moreton in November and December, and we also had a turnout of 26 members and one friend at Hoo Green in June,

when Mr. Conway once again kindly took the Club Photograph. On no fewer than fourteen occasions we had over a score of members present. The smallest attendance was six, at Acton Bridge in July, and the largest was 35, at the first of the Moreton Musical Evenings in November. On only six occasions did the number drop below ten, and the attendance at the 54 fixtures held must be considered as highly satisfactory and reflecting great credit upon those who remain at home, who have rallied round the Club in no uncertain manner while so many of the younger ones are away on their Country's Service.

Before proceeding to give you the Average Attendance figure and the individual attendances, I will deal with those of our members who are away On Service. At the close of the year there were 26 names on our Roll of Honour—an increase of eight during the year—and of these there are, I am sorry to say, three who have laid down their lives for their Country:—

Second-Lieut. DAVID ROWATT, R.F.A. Killed in Action 1st July.

Private EDMUND ROWATT, K.L.R. Killed in Action 30th July; and

Corporal E. A. BENTLEY, Cheshire Regt., who died on the 18th November, at Boulogne, of wounds received in Action.

Of the remaining 23, 19 are or have been On Active Service Abroad, both in France and Belgium, at the Dardanelles and in Egypt and in the Balkans. Three of these have been wounded:—Corporal W. H. Kettle, East Yorks. Regt., having been twice wounded in France; Second-Lieut. Robert Rowatt, Lincolnshire Regt., was seriously wounded, also in France, and the other, Sapper Percy Williamson, Royal Engineers, was wounded at the Dardanelles. All three, I am pleased to record, are quite well again. Two of the others have received what is, I am sure, well merited promotion. Lionel Cohen, Royal Engineers, has earned a Commission while at the Front in France and Belgium, and is now Second-Lieutenant, and Second-Lieutenant D. C.

Kinghorn, A.S.C., has been promoted full Lieutenant. In addition, J. Park, Royal Navy, has received the Royal Decoration, and Hubert Roskell, a driver with the British Red Cross, attached to the French Armies, has been decorated with the Croix de Guerre—to all four the heartiest congratulations of the Club have been tendered.

The list of those now serving reads as follows:—

- 2nd-Lieut. H. S. Barratt, Royal Berks. Regt.
 2nd-Lieut. W. H. C. Binns, East Surrey Regt.
 2nd-Lieut. Lionel Cohen, Royal Engineers.
 Corporal W. E. Cotter, R.F.A.
 Private J. A. Grimshaw, A.S.C., M.T.
 Corporal J. Hodges, Royal Engineers, Postal Section.
 Corporal G. Jackson, Cheshire Regt.
 Cyclist A. P. James, Army Cyclists Corps.
 Corporal W. H. Kettle, East Yorks Regt.
 Lieut. D. C. Kinghorn, A.S.C.
 Private J. L. Mahon, A.S.C.
 Gunner W. R. Oppenheimer, R.G.A.
 Commander J. Park, R.D., Royal Navy.
 Sergt. Frank Roskell, A.S.C.
 Driver Hubert Roskell, British Red Cross Society, attached French Convoy.
 2nd-Lieut. Robert Rowatt, Lincolnshire Regt.
 2nd-Lieut. James Rowatt, South Lancashire Regt.
 Sergt. R. T. Rudd, R.F.A.
 Private R. P. Seed, Border Regt.
 Private G. Stephenson, Denbigh, Yeomanry.
 Coy. Sergt. Major A. Warburton, Royal Engineers, Postal Section.
 Sapper P. Williamson, Royal Engineers, Postal Section.
 2nd-Lieut. O. T. Williams, Denbigh. Hussars.

The Average Attendance at Club Runs has been very well maintained—it shows a small decline from the figures for 1915, and stands at 16.629—a drop of merely 1.39. I won't repeat what I wrote on the same subject last year—we all

know that there is no other Club which can show such a splendid record under difficult circumstances—a record of which we should all be proud. Still, we must not be satisfied with even this record, we could have even a better one. On certain runs we have had musters of well over 30, but several times, as already mentioned, the number has dropped below ten, and I should like to see greater uniformity, not at the expense of the better attended fixtures, but by means of larger ones at the present comparatively poorly-attended runs.

This year 54 fixtures were held, and two members—the same two as last year, Messrs. Cook and Turnor, have attended every one. The winners of the two Attendance Prizes are: First (as last year), Mr. J. C. Band with 50 runs, and Second, Mr. Royden, who scored 28 attendances.

The Individual Figures are:—

| | | | |
|----------------------------|----|-----------------------------|---|
| W. P. Cook | 54 | H. Poole | 6 |
| C. H. Turnor | 54 | G. J. Theakstone | 6 |
| H. Green | 51 | E. Buckley | 5 |
| J. C. Band | 50 | J. Lowell | 5 |
| E. Edwards | 50 | E. Montag (Honorary) | 5 |
| F. D. McCann | 35 | J. Mulleneux | 5 |
| A. Newsholme | 34 | J. T. Preece (Honorary) | 5 |
| W. R. Toft | 34 | W. Cameron (Honorary) | 4 |
| J. O. Cooper | 30 | E. Green | 4 |
| H. W. Keizer | 29 | D. R. Fell, Junr. | 4 |
| A. T. Simpson | 29 | J. Seed | 4 |
| G. B. Mercer | 28 | P. C. Beardwood (Hony.) | 3 |
| T. Royden | 28 | T. W. J. Britten | 3 |
| E. J. Cody | 24 | G. E. Carpenter | 3 |
| W. T. Venables | 23 | H. Hellier (Honorary) | 3 |
| D. R. Fell | 21 | R. E. Prichard | 3 |
| R. Leigh Knipe | 21 | W. D. Band | 2 |
| F. J. Chemings | 20 | S. J. Buck | 2 |
| C. C. Dews | 19 | R. H. Carlisle (Honorary) | 2 |
| C. J. Conway | 18 | J. V. Marchant (Hony.) | 2 |
| F. Chandler | 14 | W. M. Owen (Honorary) | 2 |
| J. H. Williams | 12 | H. S. Barratt (On Service) | 1 |
| A. Crowcroft | 11 | Lionel Cohen (On Service) | 1 |
| G. Stephenson (On Service) | 11 | T. B. Conway | 1 |
| F. H. Koenen | 10 | W. E. Cotter (On Service) | 1 |
| E. O. Morris | 10 | A. P. James (On Service) | 1 |
| L. Oppenheimer | 15 | C. Keizer (Honorary) | 1 |
| J. H. Sunter | 10 | W. H. Kettle (On Service) | 1 |
| H. L. Boardman | 9 | W. A. Lowcock | 1 |
| H. M. Buck | 9 | G. Poole | 1 |
| C. F. Hawkes | 9 | H. Pritchard | 1 |
| A. M. Higham | 9 | R. Rowatt (On Service) | 1 |
| J. Leece | 8 | J. Rowatt (On Service) | 1 |
| D. C. Rowatt | 8 | O. T. Williams (On Service) | 1 |
| C. Blackburn | 7 | Frank Wood (Honorary) | 1 |
| E. Webb | 7 | | |

Those whom you elected this time twelve months ago to carry out the work of the Club have attended to their duties, you will, I think, agree, in a very regular manner, four of the number having attended all the twelve meetings held, while six of the remainder have been at ten or eleven of the meetings. Absence in America on business prevented one member of the Committee, Mr. Newsholme, attending on three occasions; another member, Mr. Stephenson, has joined the Forces, while Mr. Green, as last year, was elected Sub-Captain on the understanding that he was not expected to be at the meetings, and doubtless pressure of business accounted for most of the other non-attendances. The figures for the individual Committee-men are as follows:—

| | | | |
|---------------|----|----------------|----|
| W. P. Cook | 12 | J. Seed | 10 |
| D. R. Fell | 12 | C. H. Turnor | 10 |
| F. D. McCann | 12 | R. Leigh Knipe | 8 |
| G. B. Mercer | 12 | A. Newsholme | 8 |
| E. Edwards | 11 | W. R. Toft | 8 |
| A. T. Simpson | 11 | W. T. Venables | 8 |
| J. O. Cooper | 10 | G. Stephenson | 5 |
| H. W. Keizer | 10 | | |

The Membership List shows an upward tendency and one which every member should do his very best to encourage, for it is quite certain if we are to continue promoting racing events we shall have to find plenty of new blood to take the places of those whose racing days are over.

During the year we have welcomed back to membership two of our old and esteemed members who left us some years ago, and we have elected eleven new members, while there has been but one resignation during the year, and there is only one to be considered at the next Committee Meeting—a net increase of eleven, which brings the membership list up to 120, but from which there have to be removed the names of three of “ours” Killed on Service—we will, therefore, start the New Year with a Roll numbering 117, which is made up of 90 Active, two Junior and 25 Honorary Members. This seems a somewhat long Honorary List, but it is accounted for by the fact that six members, previously on the Active List transferred at the beginning of the year, mainly through causes connected with the war, to the Honorary List, and that six of the new members are Honorary Members.

The Touring and Week-end fixtures have been few in number, but most excellently well supported. Three were held—they were the Easter Tour, the August Tour and the Autumn Tour. There was, by order of the Government, no official holiday at Whitsuntide and, accordingly, we had to cancel all the arrangements made for a tour in the Lake District, but all the same three members carried out the tour as fixed. The August Bank Holiday was also similarly cancelled but, nevertheless, members to the number of 16 and one friend, who were able to leave business for one or two days, took part in the trip.

The Easter Holidays were, of course, spent at the Glan Aber, Bettws-y-Coed, with the usual enjoyable day trips. With Easter late in the year—it fell on the 20th to 24th April, we had really good weather on the whole. The members present at one time or another numbered 31, which quite put last year's figures in the shade, and we also had the company of six friends. On the Thursday evening there were twelve members and one friend at the Glan Aber, and a further two members staying in the neighbourhood.

Good Friday turned out a glorious day—there had been heavy rain in some places on the Thursday afternoon, and eight of the twelve down undertook the trip to Llanfairfechan, via Capel Curig, the Nantfrancon, Bethesda and Aber. The return to Bettws. was made by the Sychnant Pass, Conway and the west bank of the Conway River, and on reaching our headquarters we found three further arrivals, and later were joined by another five members and one friend.

Ffestiniog had been chosen as the venue for Saturday so that the walkers in the party might have an opportunity, by using the train, of joining in, and five did so. The road party went by Dolwyddelan and the Garddianan Pass, and after luncheon the party of 18 made their way on foot to the Cynfael Falls and Bishop Lloyd's Pulpit, and then on up the magnificent rocky gorge and back by a bye-lane to Ffestiniog, and then the return route lay along the Bala road to Pont-ar-afon-gam and thence to Eidda Wells and Bettws. The arrival of five members and one friend now

brought our numbers up to 27 and three friends, who all greatly enjoyed the entertainment in the "chapel" that evening.

For the Sunday's ride the Committee had provided the choice of two routes to Tal-y-sarn, and the majority chose the longer way round by Pen-y-gwryd, Beddgelert, Aberglaslyn, Tremadoc and Dolbenmaen, but one or two taking the direct route through Beddgelert and Rhyd-ddu. Seventeen in all arrived at Tal-y-sarn, and after a luncheon not up to our usual standard the homeward journey was made by the shorter way used by the few for the outward trip, covering an exceedingly fine bit of country. Two more members and three friends were found at Bettws., and an excellent concert nicely rounded off the evening.

Monday saw us en route for home, via Ruthin for luncheon, and although the morning was wet on leaving we soon ran out of the rain zone. Ten of those who had been at Bettws. assembled at Ruthin, being joined by a further two, direct from home, and after the meal the ride was continued up the Bwlch-y-pare to Mold, and by some on to Chester for tea.

The August Tour was the only other extended tour, apart from a week-end, and although the Bank Holiday had been cancelled, fourteen members and three friends, two of whom have since joined our ranks, carried out the Committee's arrangements either as a whole or in part; the route including the Kerry Hills, parts of Radnorshire, Herefordshire and Worcestershire, and the Clee Hills. The Saturday afternoon's run was to Ruabon for tea, and the sleeping quarters were at Montgomery. Twelve assembled at Ruabon, but four of these were not going on, so for Montgomery there were but eight; however, only six got through, and they were joined on arrival at Montgomery by two others who had been off for a tandem 24 hours trip. Tenbury was the sleeping place arranged for the Sunday night, with a choice of several routes, luncheon being taken at Knighton, where another member joined in. The afternoon ride, to quote the Circular, "provided scenery quite beyond description." At Tenbury there were two further arrivals,

making the party eleven strong. On Monday morning the party broke up, all but three making for home, but these three carried out the tour as arranged to the end, going through Great Witley and Ombersley to Droitwich for luncheon, and then on through Bromsgrove and Stourbridge to Bridgenorth for the night. On Tuesday the route lay through Much Wenlock and Buildwas to Crudgington and Hodnet, and on to Hawkstone for luncheon, and then the party finally broke up "feeling very sorry for those whom the cancelling of the holiday had deprived of participation," to again quote from the Circular.

The next and only other fixture to record was the Autumnal Tints Tour, which was held on the 21st and 22nd October. It was one of the most successful and enjoyable of these week-ends ever held. True, the tints were almost non-existent, but good weather and a most jolly time amply made up for their absence. No fewer than 27 members and three friends were at Llangollen, while 32 members and three friends, 35 in all, supported the fixture. Twenty-two of this number on the Sunday made their various ways to Ruthin for the official luncheon. The fixture was altogether a glorious success—a success probably in great part due to the cancellation of the Whitsuntide and August Bank Holidays, causing members to take an advantage of an official week-end.

There remains but one other gathering to chronicle, but it was not an official fixture—the Old Timers' Rally at Daresbury on the 27th August. The Club was represented by four members on the Organising Committee, and to them is to a large extent due the fact that the Rally was the great success it turned out to be and that we had 29 present members and two former ones at the Meet—29 out of the 31 attending as Old-Timers—a far larger muster than any other Club or organisation could boast of.

Before resuming my seat, I really must say a word about the Monthly Circular—in the very capable hands of Mr. A. T. Simpson it has appeared every month and in a very much enlarged form, which, of course, as you will probably soon see from the Honorary Treasurer's accounts, has greatly

increased the cost of printing, but the extra expenditure, I am sure you will agree, is money well spent. To understand how much our men On Service appreciate this link with the Club you have only to read through some of the extracts from their letters, such as "The Circular is absolutely The Goods and provides the very best reading of the month, and helps to remove that feeling of feduppishness more than anything else," or "The Monthly arrival of the Circular is one of the bright spots nowadays," or "The Circulars are splendid and never more appreciated than nowadays," or again "The Circular is always good, and I really think you have done us exiles a good turn by enlarging it to its present proportions." Mr. Simpson is greatly to be congratulated upon his success—and the Club in the possession of him as Editor; he is undoubtedly the very best Editor our "monthly rag" has ever had, and I take this opportunity of offering him thanks on behalf of the Club for his work.

Our thanks are also due to the President and Mr. Toft for all the trouble they have gone to in the selection and despatch of the parcels of food-stuffs, etc., sent each month to those of "ours" who are On Active Service Abroad. That the contents have given universal satisfaction to our exiles is amply borne out by the letters of acknowledgment received, and I am sure both these gentlemen feel recompensed for their trouble by the knowledge that they have done something on behalf of the Club to lighten and to brighten the lot of those abroad, and to let them know that they are not forgotten even if absent from the Runs and Fixtures.

F. D. McCANN, Hon. Secretary.

[Since my Report was written three more names have been added to the List of Members on Service—they are G. Poole, W. M. Robinson and John Wells.—F. D. M.]

ANFIELD BICYCLE CLUB.

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CASH SUMMARY FOR 1916.

Cr.

| 1915. | | 1916. | | 1915. | | 1916. | | | | | |
|-----------|-------|----------|---|-----------|-------|----------|-----------------------|----|-------------------------------|-----|------|
| £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | | | | |
| 68 | 2 5 | To | Balance from 1915 | 85 | 7 9 | By | Printing and Postages | 38 | 5 7 | | |
| 83 | 3 0 | .. | Entrance Fees & Subs. for 1916.. | 85 | 5 6 | 2 | 17 0 | .. | Attendance Prizes | 15 | 0 |
| 3 | 13 6 | .. | Entrance Fees & Subs. (arrears from 1915) | 4 | 12 6 | 15 | 0 | .. | Subs. to R.R.A. and N.R.R.A. | — | — |
| — | — | .. | Subscriptions for 1917 | 1 | 11 6 | 31 | 10 0 | .. | Donations to War Funds | — | — |
| 3 | 6 | .. | Badges Account—Deposits | 14 | 0 | 1 | 17 6 | .. | Parcels to Members On Service | 33 | 10 9 |
| 12 | 0 | .. | Certificates Sold | 1 | 0 | 3 | 8 6 | .. | Hire of Committee Rooms | 1 | 17 6 |
| — | — | .. | Bank Interest | 2 | 11 2 | 3 | 10 | .. | Sundry Payments | 3 | 9 4 |
| — | — | .. | Balance due Hon. Treasurer | 1 | 2 10 | 84 | 7 4 | .. | Bank Commission & Cheque Book | 5 | 0 |
| — | — | .. | | 1 | 0 5 | 1 | 0 5 | .. | Cash in Bank | 103 | 3 1 |
| — | — | .. | | — | — | — | — | .. | Cash in Hand | — | — |
| £155 14 5 | | £181 6 3 | | £155 14 5 | | £181 6 3 | | | | | |

| 1915. | | Liabilities. | | 1916. | | 1915. | | Assets. | | 1916. | |
|----------|-------|--------------|--------------------------------|----------|-------|----------|-------|-----------|--|-------|-------|
| £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| 9 | 14 5 | To | Balance due Hon. Treasurer | 1 | 2 10 | 85 | 7 9 | By | Cash Balance | 103 | 3 1 |
| 84 | 1 10 | .. | Prizes not yet selected (1914) | 9 | 14 5 | 6 | 15 0 | .. | Subscriptions Outstanding & Good | 2 | 12 0 |
| — | — | .. | Balance | 95 | 17 4 | 1 | 13 6 | .. | Badges in Stock—1 record and 10 ordinary | 19 | 6 |
| — | — | .. | | — | — | — | — | .. | 1 Silver Anfield Shield (in hands of W. P. Cook, Esq.); 1 Wooden Model of Club Button; 1 Leather Bag; 1 Glazed Frame; Sundry Rubber Stamps, Club Dies, Books and Stationery. | — | — |
| £93 16 3 | | £106 14 7 | | £93 16 3 | | £93 16 3 | | £106 14 7 | | | |

Audited and found correct, 5th Jan., 1917—

D. C. ROWATT.
C. J. CONWAY.

R. LEIGH KNIPE,

HON. TREASURER,

AT THE
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF MEMBERS

HELD AT THE
ST. GEORGE'S RESTAURANT,
 REDCROSS STREET. LIVERPOOL,

On Tuesday, 9th January, 1917, at 7 p.m.

PRESENT:

D. R. Fell in the Chair.

J. C. Band, S. J. Buck, F. Chandler, E. J. Cody, C. J. Conway, W. P. Cook, J. O. Cooper, E. Edwards, H. W. Keizer, R. Leigh Knipe, G. B. Mercer, A. Newsholme, J. Park, T. Royden, J. Seed, A. T. Simpson, W. C. Tierney, W. R. Toft, C. H. Turnor, W. T. Venables, P. Williamson, and the Hon. Secretary.

H. W. Keizer moved, and G. B. Mercer seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That the Minutes of the last Annual General Meeting be taken as read, and that they be confirmed.”

The Hon. Secretary having read his Report for the past year, D. R. Fell moved, and C. H. Turnor seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That the Report of the Hon. Secretary be adopted, and that the best thanks of the meeting be accorded him for his services to the Club during the past year.”

C. H. Turnor proposed, and W. P. Cook seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That the word ‘On Service’ or ‘Honorary,’ as the case might be, should be added after the names of Members in the Forces or of Honorary Members in the list of Individual Attendances in the Hon. Secretary’s Report.”

The Hon. Treasurer having read his Report for the past year, A. Newsholme moved, and A. T. Simpson seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That the accounts for the year ending December 31st, 1916, be adopted, and that the best thanks of the meeting be given to R. Leigh Knipe and to the Auditors.”

R. Leigh Knipe moved, and C. J. Conway seconded, and it was **RESOLVED**—

“That the Subscription for Active Members during 1917 shall be One Guinea, with an Entrance Fee of Five Shillings and that the Subscription for Honorary Members be a minimum of Ten Shillings. That Members serving in His Majesty's Forces shall be free of Subscription for 1917. That the Subscriptions for Junior Members shall be:—For those under 18 years of age, 5/- per annum; and for those between 18 and 21 years of age, 10/6 per annum; together with the entrance fee of 5/- in all cases.”

C. J. Conway and P. Williamson were appointed Scrutineers.

D. R. Fell, proposed by W. P. Cook, and carried with acclamation, was re-elected President.

G. B. Mercer and C. H. Turnor, proposed by W. P. Cook, and carried with acclamation, were re-elected Vice-Presidents.

J. C. Band, proposed by A. Newsholme, and seconded by W. P. Cook, was elected Captain.

W. T. Venables and H. Green, proposed by A. Newsholme, and seconded by C. H. Turnor, were re-elected Sub-Captains.

R. Leigh Knipe, proposed by C. J. Conway, and seconded by A. T. Simpson, was re-elected Hon. Treasurer.

F. D. McCann, proposed by R. Leigh Knipe, and carried with acclamation, was re-elected Hon. Secretary.

It was resolved by ballot that the following gentlemen be elected Members of the Committee:—E. J. Cody, W. P. Cook, J. O. Cooper, E. Edwards, H. W. Keizer, A. Newsholme, A. T. Simpson and W. R. Toft.

S. J. Buck and F. Chandler, proposed by W. P. Cook, and seconded by G. B. Mercer, were elected to audit the Accounts of the Club for the year ending 31st December, 1917.

J. O. Band proposed and L. W. Keizer seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That, under the present circumstances, the Club's Racing Programme for 1917 be left in the hands of the Committee.”

W. P. Cook proposed, and C. H. Turnor seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That the Committee be given discretionary powers to offer the usual Special Prize, value Five Guineas, in lieu of the usual Gold Medal to any first-claim member who succeeds in beating any of the Unpaced Place to Place Records recognised by the Road Records Association, and not made and held by a first-claim member (or members) of the Anfield Bicycle Club. Tandem Riders to divide the Prize, as per Rule 8.”

C. J. Conway proposed, and A. T. Simpson seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That the Club Tour at Easter be to Bettws-y-Coed.”

C. H. Turnor proposed, and J. O. Cooper seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That the Whitsun Tour and the August Tour details be left to the discretion of the Committee.”

S. J. Buck proposed, and C. H. Turnor seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That the Committee be empowered to make any donation, if and when in their opinion the Club Funds permit, to any local War Fund or Funds, or to any purpose which will directly benefit those members of the Club who have joined H.M. Forces, prior consideration being given to our own members' needs.”

W. R. Toft proposed, and J. Park seconded, and it was RESOLVED—

“That a Special Vote of Thanks be accorded to A. T. Simpson for the way in which he has carried on the 'Circular' during the past year.”

The meeting closed with hearty votes of thanks to the Chairman, Hon. Treasurer, Auditors, Scrutineers, and Hon. Secretary.

RULES.

1.—The Club shall be called the “**ANFIELD BICYCLE CLUB.**”

2.—The Club shall consist of Cyclists who are considered eligible for membership under Rule 19.

Officers.

3.—The Officers of the Club shall consist of a President, two Vice-Presidents, Captain, two Sub-Captains, Honorary Secretary or Secretaries, and Treasurer, all being Active Members.

Committee.

4.—The Committee shall consist of sixteen Members including the Officers.

Auditors.

5.—Two Auditors from amongst the Members, none of the Committee being eligible, shall be appointed annually at the Annual General Meeting, to examine, and report upon, the Accounts and Balance Sheet.

Meetings.

6.—The Annual General Meeting shall be held within the first two weeks of January, to receive the Hon. Secretary's Report and Treasurer's Balance-Sheet; to appoint Officers and Committee for the ensuing twelve months; and to transact any other business that may be found necessary.

7.—A General Meeting of the Club shall take place whenever the Committee or Secretary convenes the same. Thirteen to form a quorum.

8.—It shall be the duty of the Committee or Secretary to convene a General Meeting when requested to do so, in writing, by ten or more Members of the Club, and they shall call such meeting within two weeks after receiving such requisition. If the Committee or Secretary fails to call such meeting, then the requisitionists shall be entitled to call it.

9.—Six days notice of all General Meetings shall be given by the Hon. Secretary, who shall at the same time circulate

amongst the Members an Agenda paper of the matters to be brought forward.

10.—Any member wishing to bring forward any matters shall send particulars to the Hon. Secretary, who shall cause the same to be entered on the Agenda of the next General Meeting.

11.—Business which does not appear on the Agenda paper shall not be brought forward until all the subjects on the Agenda have been disposed of, nor shall such business then be discussed unless it be voted URGENT by two-thirds of the Members present.

12.—Any proposition appearing on the Agenda paper in the name of an absent member shall be deemed equal to, and treated as, a proposition made "in propria persona" by the said Member, and shall be moved by the Hon. Secretary.

13.—Every Amendment and every proposition which does not appear on the Agenda paper shall be written and signed by its proposer and seconder, on a form which shall be provided by the Hon. Secretary.

14.—No Resolution of any previous General Meeting shall be rescinded unless the Member proposing to cancel such resolution shall have given notice on the Agenda paper of his intention to do so.

15.—No alteration of the Rules of the Club shall be made except at a General Meeting, and then only by a two-thirds majority of the Members present and voting.

16.—No Proxy Voting shall be allowed.

17.—The Minutes of all Meetings shall be open for inspection to any Member of the Club on giving reasonable notice to the Hon. Secretary.

18.—Committee Meetings shall take place each month, preferably during the second week. Seven to form a quorum.

Active Membership.

19.—Candidates for Membership must fill up a form provided by the Club, which must also be signed by the proposer and seconder (both having been Active Members of the Club for at least six months), and forward the same to the Hon.

Secretary, accompanied by the Entrance Fee as per Rule 25. Each candidate's name, together with the names of his proposer and seconder, must appear in the next Monthly Circular issued after the candidate's nomination has been received, after which the nomination shall come up for consideration at the next Committee Meeting. If any objections are received, the Committee shall consider them on their merits, two negative votes to exclude; but if the nomination be still insisted on by the proposers, a Special General Meeting shall be called to consider the candidature, ten black balls to exclude.

20.—Any Member violating the rules or regulations of the Club, or being discovered not to be, or ceasing to be an amateur, or acting in a manner derogatory to the interests of the Club, may be expelled by the votes of a two-thirds majority of the Members present, and voting, at a Special General Meeting summoned for the purpose, and such Member shall receive six days notice of such Meeting. Any Member so expelled shall forfeit all claim upon the property of the Club, and shall cease to be a Member. Voting to be by ballot.

Life Membership.

21.—A General Meeting of the Members may, for eminent services rendered the Club, elect to Life Membership any Member of 15 years standing; such Life Member shall enjoy all the rights and privileges of Active Membership.

Honorary Membership.

22.—Candidates for Honorary Membership shall be proposed and seconded by Active Members, and shall, unless objected to, be elected by the Committee at their next meeting; but should any objection be made, it shall be dealt with under Rule 19. A General Meeting of the Members may, for service rendered the Club, place upon the Honorary Membership List the name of any Member of three years standing who shall be leaving the country. Such name to remain there during the term of his residence abroad, free from any Annual Subscription. Such a Member may on his return resume Active Membership upon his notifying the

Secretary of his intention so to do, without undergoing the formality of re-election.

23.—Honorary Members shall not receive the regular notices of Club runs, etc., nor shall they be permitted to attend or vote at any General Meetings, nor to take part in more than three Club runs during the year, nor to compete for any of the long-distance prizes or in any of the closed events.

24.—An Honorary Member may become an Active Member upon payment of the difference between his honorary subscription and the current subscription and Entrance Fee of the Club; but his name must come before the Committee in the usual way.

Subscriptions, &c.

25.—The MINIMUM Annual Subscription for Honorary Members shall be 10/-, no entrance fee being charged to them. The Annual Subscription for Active Members shall be One Guinea, payable within one month from date of election, with an Entrance Fee of 5/-. The Annual Subscription for Junior Active Members shall be—for those under 18 years of age 5/-, and for those between 18 and 21 years of age 10/6, together with the Entrance Fee of 5/- in each case. Any Member whose Renewal Subscription is not paid by 1st March shall receive written application from the Treasurer, and if payment be not made within one month from the date of such notice, the Treasurer shall bring the matter before the Committee, that body having full power to deal with the case as it thinks fit. After the 31st August in each year, the subscription to incoming Members shall be one-half the ordinary Annual Subscription, but the full Entrance Fee shall be chargeable under all circumstances.

Resignations, &c.

26.—Any Officer or Member of the Committee wishing to resign his office or seat on the Committee, shall notify the same (in writing) to the Hon. Secretary, for the information of the Committee, but until such resignation shall have been accepted, he shall continue to exercise the duties and retain the responsibilities of his office.

27.—Any Active Member wishing to resign must give notice (in writing) to the Hon. Secretary, before the Annual General Meeting; otherwise he will be held accountable for the ensuing year's subscription.

Finance.

28.—The funds of the Club shall be banked in the name of the Anfield Bicycle Club: the President and Treasurer for the time being shall jointly sign cheques to meet current expenditure, as authorised by the Committee. All accounts to be passed by the Committee and initialled by the Chairman before payment.

29.—The Financial Year of the Club shall expire on the 31st December in each year.

Club Colours.

30.—The Club Colours shall be Blue and Black. The Badge shall be a Silver Button enamelled with the Club Colours; Record Breakers' Badges shall be distinguished by a Beaded Edge. The Badges shall remain the property of the Club, and upon the expiration of Membership, if called for, shall be returned to the Hon. Secretary, who will allow for same. The Captain shall wear a Gold Monogram Cap Badge.

Committee.

31.—All runs shall be arranged by the Committee, and shall not be altered without its consent.

32.—The Committee shall have power to fill up any vacancy in the Officers or Committee which shall occur within the year, subject to confirmation by the next General Meeting.

33.—The Committee may decide any question on the meaning of these Rules, or anything relative to the Club not provided for therein, and may do whatever they deem necessary for the well-being of the Club, which is not inconsistent with these Rules. The decision of the Committee shall be final, unless notice of appeal (in writing) be given to the Hon. Secretary within seven days following that on which the decision is arrived at. All such appeals shall be heard at the next General Meeting, and the decision of such Meeting shall, in every case, be final.

PRIZE LIST

AND

RULES FOR COMPETITION.

SEASON 1917.

No. 1.—No Medals, Record Medals, or prizes of any description will be awarded, unless the claimants have ridden under the name of the Anfield B.C. *only*. No Record or Standard Medals will be awarded to any but *first-claim* Members, and no Member is eligible to receive any Medals or prizes, unless he has attended at *least* twelve Club Runs during the current year.

No. 2.—For 24 hours rides, Standard Medals will be awarded as follows:—

| | PACED. | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | I |
| Bicycle (Single or Tandem) ... | 250 | 275 | 300 | 325 | 350 | 375 | 400 | 410 | 420 |
| Tricycle (Single or Tandem)... | 225 | 250 | 275 | 300 | 325 | 350 | 375 | 385 | 395 |

| | UNPACED. | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | I | J |
| Bicycle (Single)... | 215 | 240 | 265 | 290 | 310 | 330 | 345 | 360 | 370 | 380 |
| .. (Tandem) ... | 230 | 255 | 280 | 305 | 325 | 345 | 365 | 380 | 390 | 400 |
| Tricycle (Single) ... | 200 | 220 | 240 | 255 | 270 | 285 | 300 | 310 | 320 | 330 |
| .. (Tandem) ... | 220 | 240 | 255 | 270 | 285 | 300 | 315 | 325 | 335 | 345 |

Previous winners barred.

Gold Medal from Club Die for Standards E and upwards.

No. 3.—For 12 hours rides, Standard Medals will be awarded as follows:—

| | PACED. | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | A | B | C | D | E | F | G |
| Bicycle (Single or Tandem) ... | 140 | 160 | 180 | 200 | 215 | 225 | 235 |
| Tricycle (Single or Tandem) ... | 125 | 145 | 165 | 185 | 195 | 200 | 205 |

| | UNPACED. | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H |
| Bicycle (Single) ... | 125 | 145 | 165 | 180 | 190 | 200 | 205 | 210 |
| .. (Tandem) ... | 130 | 150 | 170 | 190 | 205 | 215 | 220 | 225 |
| Tricycle (Single)... | 110 | 125 | 140 | 155 | 170 | 180 | 185 | 190 |
| .. (Tandem) ... | 125 | 140 | 155 | 170 | 180 | 190 | 195 | 200 |

Previous winners barred.

Gold Medal from Club Die for Standard D and upwards.

No. 4.—For 100 mile rides, Standard Medals will be awarded as follows:—

| | PACED. | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | A | B | C | D |
| Single Bicycle or Tandem Tricycle | 5h 40m | 5h 20m | 5h 0m | 4h 45m |
| Tandem Bicycle | 5h 30m | 5h 10m | 4h 50m | — |
| Tricycle | 6h 0m | 5h 40m | 5h 20m | — |
| | UNPACED. | | | |
| | A | B | C | D |
| Tandem Bicycle | 6h 0m | 5h 30m | 5h 10m | 4h 55m |
| Single Bicycle | 6h 15m | 5h 45m | 5h 30m | 5h 15m |
| Tricycle | 6h 50m | 6h 20m | 6h 0m | 5h 45m |

Previous winners barred.

Gold Medal from Club Die for Standard C and upwards.

No. 5.—No Member will be entitled to more than one Standard Medal at the end of the year in each of the Classes, that is Bicycle, Tricycle, and Tandems (Bicycle and Tricycle) 100 miles, twelve hours, and 24 hours each—such medal being for the longest distance, or best time during the year. Previous winners barred.

The Unpaced Standards do not constitute a separate class as compared with Paced Standards.

No. 6.—A Gold Medal, value Two Guineas, will be awarded to any *first-claim* Member who succeeds in beating any of the Road Records, and/or Northern Road Records for the time being, the ride to be proved to the satisfaction of the Road Records Association and/or Northern Road Records Association, as the case may be.

A Special Prize value Five Guineas in lieu of the usual Gold Medal will be awarded to any *first-claim* Member who succeeds in beating any of the Unpaced Place to Place Records recognised by the Road Records Association, and not made and held by a *first-claim* Member (or Members) of the Anfield Bicycle Club. Tandem riders to divide the Prize as per Rule 8.

A Member who succeeds in beating a Record more than once shall be entitled to a Medal for the highest performance ONLY at each distance during the year. This Rule does not apply to the Special Place to Place Record Prizes.

No. 7.—For the purpose of awarding Record Medals, the records existing on the 31st December, 1916, must be noted as follows:—

Road Records Association's Records and Standards.

| DETAILS. | SAFETY BICYCLE. | TRICYCLE. | TANDEM SAFETY. | TANDEM TRICYCLE. |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---|--|
| Fifty Miles | A E Walters 1h 55m 50s | F T Bidlake 2h 22m 55s | W T Walton and P Wheelock 1hr 55m 50s | S D Begbie and T G King, Jr. 2h 16m 50s |
| Hundred Miles | A A Chase 4h 16m 35s | F T Bidlake 5h 15m 57s | R J and A F Ilsey 4h 30m 29s | S F Edge and J E I, Bates 5h 30m 31s |
| Twelve Hours..... | F R Goodwin 245 miles | W T Hall 197 miles | M A Holbein and A E Walters 230 miles | E A Bentley and Lionel Cohen 182½ miles |
| Twenty-four Hours | F R Goodwin 428 miles | H G Cook 360½ miles | M A Holbein and J A Bennett 397½ miles | M A Holbein and F T Bidlake 333 miles |
| London to Edinburgh | R Shirley 23h 43m | Lowest Standard 30 hours | E Oxborrow and H H Sansom 27h 33m 0s | Lowest Standard 30 hours |
| London to Bath and back | F W Barnes 11h 48m 42s | H Prichard 13h 49m 45s | Lowest Standard 11¼ hours | Lowest Standard 13 hours |
| London to York | F R Goodwin 10h 16m | W T Hall 11h 50m | F H and R A Wingrave 9h 30m | M A Holbein and F W Shorland 13h 19m 0s |
| London to Brighton and back | W J Neason 5h 6m 42s | H G Cook 6h 7m 4s | G H Briault and E Ward 4h 53m 48s | E H Sexton and S Hulbert 5h 42m 21s |
| London to Portsmouth and back | R Shirley 7h 29m 4s | Lowest Standard 8¼ hours | Lowest Standard 7 hours | Lowest Standard 8¼ hours |
| London to Liverpool | H Green 11h 0m | R A Fulton 13h 13m | L V Peiser and P W B Fawley 10h 50m | Lowest Standard 13¼ hours |
| Liverpool to Edinburgh | W Jones 12h 20m | Lowest Standard 15 hours | R L L Knipe and E J Cody 13h 23m | Lowest Standard 15 hours |
| Edinburgh to York | J W Kirk 11h 14m | Lowest Standard 13¼ hours | R L L Knipe and S Irving 11h 35m | Lowest Standard 13¼ hours |
| Land's End to John o'Groats | H Green 2d 19h 50m | G P Mills 3d 16h 47m | G P Mills and T A Edge 3d 4h 46m | Lowest Standard 3d 16h 47m |
| Land's End to London | Lowest Standard 20 hours | Lowest Standard 22h 30m | Lowest Standard 19½ hours | Lowest Standard 22 hours |
| Thousand Miles | W Welsh 3d 15h 57m | Lowest Standard 5 days | Lowest Standard 4d 9h | Lowest Standard 5 days |

Road Records Association's Records and Standards—Unpaced.

| DETAILS. | SAFETY BICYCLE. | TRICYCLE. | TANDEM SAFETY. | TANDEM TRICYCLE. |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---|--|
| Fifty Miles | H Green 2h 1m 2s | H G Cook 2h 26m 35s | F J Parker and V J Viel 1h 58m 33s | S Hulbert and J E Patmore 2h 24m 55s |
| Hundred Miles | H Green 4h 36m 22s | H G Cook 5h 31m 9s | R J and A F Ilsley 4h 36m 29s | Lowest Standard 5h 30m |
| Twelve Hours | H Green 226½ miles | W T Hall 197 miles | E H Grimsdell and M R Mott 221 miles | E A Bentley and Lionel Cohen 182½ miles |
| Twenty-four Hours | H Green 394 miles | H G Cook 339½ miles | C H Turner and E Webb 381½ miles | Lowest Standard 330 miles |
| London to Edinburgh | R Shirley 23h 43m | F W Wesley 32h 42m | E Bright and P H Miles 27h 54m | Lowest Standard 33 hours |
| London to Bath and back | R Shirley 11h 57m 42s | H Prichard 13h 49m 45s | A H Bentley and E B Webb 11h 58m 12s | Lowest Standard 14½ hours |
| London to York | H Green 10h 19m | W T Hall 11h 50m | F H and R A Wingrave 9h 30m | Lowest Standard 13h 20m |
| London to Brighton and back .. | F H Grubb 5h 9m 41s | H G Cook 6h 7m 4s | G H Briault and E Ward 4h 53m 48s | E H Sexton and S Hulbert 5h 42m 21s |
| London to Portsmouth and back .. | R Shirley 7h 29m 4s | H Prichard 9h 15m | F H and R A Wingrave 7h 13m 40s | Lowest Standard 9 hours |
| London to Liverpool | H Green 11h 0m | R A Fulton 13h 13m | L V Peiser and P W B Fawley 10h 50m | Lowest Standard 14 hours |
| Liverpool to Edinburgh | W Jones 12h 20m | F W Wesley 15h 33m | R L L Knipe and E J Cody 13h 23m | Lowest Standard 15½ hours |
| Edinburgh to York | J W Kirk 11h 14m | L W B Martin 13h 54m | R L L Knipe and S Irving 11h 35m | Lowest Standard 14 hours |
| Land's End to John o'Groats .. | H Green 2d 19h 50m | Lowest Standard 5 days | Lowest Standard 4 days | Lowest Standard 5 days |
| Land's End to London | F C Higgins 20h 40m | H Prichard 24h 54m | L Drake and A Payne 21h 6m | Lowest Standard 25½ hours |
| Thousand Miles | W Welsh 3d 15h 57m | Lowest Standard 5½ days | Lowest Standard 4½ days | Lowest Standard 5½ days |

Northern Road Records Association's Records and Standards.

| DETAILS. | ORDINARY BICYCLE. | SAFETY BICYCLE | TRICYCLE. | TANDEM SAFETY. | TANDEM TRICYCLE. |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Fifty Miles | A J Jack 3h 12m 42s | F H Koenen 2h 11m New Standard 2h 16m 41s | J Fowler 2h 19m 46s New Standard 2h 23m 47s | F C Lowcock and J Taylor 2h 8m 41s | H Hellier and C J A Decker 2h 19m 46s New Standard 2h 23m 47s |
| Hundred Miles | A J Jack 6h 58m 25s | J M James 4h 43m 25s New Standard 4h 47m 17s | W R Toft 5h 34m 48s New Standard 5h 4 m 23s | F C Lowcock and J Taylor 4h 41m 14s | Lowest Standard 5h 45m 0s |
| Twelve Hours | A J Jack 156 miles | T P Nicholls 225½ miles | H Hellier 188½ miles | F C Lowcock and J Taylor 215½ miles | E A Bentley and Lionel Cohen 182½ miles |
| Twenty-four Hours. | A J Jack 286 miles | R L L Knipe 406½ miles | H Hellier 326½ miles | C H Turnor and E Webb 381½ miles | Lowest Standard 275 miles |
| Fifty Miles Unpaced | | C F Smith 2h 21m 45s | R A Fulton 2h 44m 55s | F C Lowcock and J Taylor 2h 8m 41s | R A Fulton and A P James 2h 32m 36s |
| Hundred Miles Unpaced | | J A Grimshaw 5h 11m 55s | R A Fulton 5h 56m 53s | F C Lowcock and J Taylor 4h 41m 14s | Lowest Standard 5h 45m 0s |
| Twelve Hours Unpaced | | E Buckley 20½ miles | R A Fulton 176½ miles | F C Lowcock and J Taylor 215½ miles | E A Bentley and Lionel Cohen 182½ miles |
| Twenty-four Hours Unpaced | | C H Turnor 350½ miles | C H Turnor 319½ miles | C H Turner and E Webb 381½ miles | Lowest Standard 275 miles |

No. 8.—All tandem prizes will be divided, half to each man, and both riders must be *first-claim* Members of the Anfield B.C. and comply with Prize Rule No. 1.

No. 9.—If a Record Medal is awarded, no Standard Medal can be claimed for the same performance. No 100 miles Standard Medals will be given in any 12 or 24 Hours Race or Ride. No Standard Medals can be claimed for any distance in Place to Place Record rides. Gold Medal, from Club Die, shall only be awarded for Records, Fastest Times, First Prizes, Standards in 12 hours for Standard D and upwards, 24 hours for Standard E and upwards, and for 100 miles for Standard C and upwards.

No. 10.—Members winning Medals may substitute Prizes of equal value, subject to the approval of the Committee as to the form these may take.

No. 11.—Claims for Medals, accompanied by proofs, must be sent in to the Hon. Secretary within 7 days after the performance of each ride.

No. 12.—No distance ridden in any of the Competitions will be recognised if it be done either wholly or partially on a Sunday, and no Member shall be permitted to ride in any of the Club races or time trials who has taken part in any race or time trial held on Sundays, subsequent to his election.

No. 13.—NO PIECE OF ROAD MAY, UPON ANY PRETEXT, BE COVERED MORE THAN TWICE, or if covered, shall not be counted in the total distance claimed.

No. 14.—Motor pacing or following is entirely barred. In attempts for unpaced Standard Medals, followers are not allowed to approach the rider within 300 yards.

No. 15.—All Prizes and Medals will be awarded at the discretion of the Committee, who shall have full power to decide any question which may arise as to the interpretation or application of the rules.

Races.

Owing to the war, the whole question of Road Racing is left in the hands of the Committee. If it should be found

to be possible to hold any Races due notice of such will be given to each Member.

Special Prizes.

Prizes will be presented to the Members attending the greatest and second greatest number of fixtures (Officers and Committee barred).

Members' claims for Club Runs, by any other than those attending Club tea, must be passed by the Committee.

Certificates.

Certificates will be issued to Members for any ride passed by the Club on payment of 1s. for each Certificate.

The Club Button.

This can be obtained from the Hon. Sec. on receipt of deposit, 3s. 6d. (See Rule 30.)

In Memoriam.

E. A. BENTLEY, Corporal, Cheshire Regt.
18th November, 1916.

EDMUND ROWATT, Private, K. L. R.
30th July, 1916.

DAVID ROWATT, 2nd Lieut., R.F.A.
1st July, 1916.

THE ROLL OF HONOUR.

JANUARY, 1917.

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| BARRATT, H. S. | 2nd Lieut. | Royal Berks. Regt. |
| BINNS, W. H. C. | 2nd Lieut. | 11th Batt. E. Surrey Regt. |
| COHEN, LIONEL | 2nd Lieut. | Royal Engineers. |
| COTTER, W. E. | Corporal | R.F.A. |
| GRIMSHAW, J. A. | Private | A.S.C., M.T. |
| HODGES, J. | Corporal | Royal Engineers. |
| JACKSON, G. | Corporal | Cheshire Regt. |
| JAMES, A. P. | Cyclist | Army Cyclists Corps. |
| KETTLE, W. H. | Corporal | East Yorks. Regt. |
| KINGHORN, D. C. | Lieut. | A.S.C. |
| MAHON, J. L. | Private | A.S.C. |
| OPPENHEIMER, W. R. | Gunner | R.G.A. |
| PARK, J., R.D. | Commander | Royal Navy. |
| POOLE, G. | — | R.F.C. |
| ROBINSON, W. M. | — | — |
| ROSKELL, FRANK | Sergeant | A.S.C. |
| ROSKELL, HUBERT | Driver | British Red Cross, attached French Convoy. |
| ROWATT, ROBERT | 2nd Lieut. | Lincolnshire Regt. |
| ROWATT, JAMES | 2nd Lieut. | South Lancashire Regt. |
| RUDD, R. T. | Sergeant | R.F.A. |
| SEED, R. P. | Private | Border Regt. |
| STEPHENSON, G. | Private | Denbighshire Yeomanry. |
| WARBURTON, A. | Coy.-Sgt.- Major | Royal Engineers. |
| WELLS, JOHN | Private | Australian Imperial Forces |
| WILLIAMSON, P. | Sapper | Royal Engineers. |
| WILLIAMS, O. T. | 2nd Lieut. | Denbighshire Hussars. |

LIST OF MEMBERS.

The names appearing in heavy type are those of Members who, at the time of the printing of the Year Book, were serving in His Majesty's Forces.

LIFE MEMBER.

- 1.—**LAWRENCE FLETCHER** 1882. 7, Hertford Street, Mayfair, London, W.

ACTIVE MEMBERS.

- 2.—H. R. BAND 1908. 64, Cavendish Drive, Rock Ferry, Cheshire.
 3.—J. C. BAND 1906. "Brightholme," Egerton Pk., Rock Ferry, B'head.
 4.—W. D. BAND 1908. 17, Kingsway, Liscard, Cheshire.
 5.—**H. S. BARRATT** 1914. 5th Royal Berks Regt., B.E.F.
 6.—**W. H. C. BINNS** 1909. 3rd East Surrey Regt., Grand Shaft Barracks Dover.
 7.—C. BLACKBURN 1906. 7, Wallacre Road, Wallasey.
 8.—H. L. BOARDMAN 1916. 3, Leicester Street, Ashton-under-Lyne.
 9.—E. BRIGHT 1906. The Green, Southgate, London, N.
 10.—T. W. J. BRITTEN 1908. "Glendalough," Caithness Drive, Liscard, Ch'ire.
 11.—H. M. BUCK 1899. "Cottesmore," New Brighton, Cheshire.
 12.—S. J. BUCK 1907. c/o. C. Noel Legh & Co., Ltd., Bootle, Liverpool.
 13.—E. BUCKLEY 1894. 2, Woodfield Road, Cheadle Hulme, Stockport.
 14.—J. BUTLER 1902. 105, George Street, Altrincham, Cheshire.
 14a.—W. CAMERON 1916. 5, Seymour Road, Broad Green, Liverpool.
 15.—G. E. CARPENTER 1907. 58, St. Peter's Road, Handsworth, Birmingham.
 16.—F. CHANDLER 1916. 22, Hollybank Road, Birkenhead.
 17.—F. J. CHEMINAIS 1898. 46, Osborne Road, Tuebrook, Liverpool.
 18.—E. J. CODY 1903. 45, Moscow Drive, Stoneycroft, Liverpool.
 19.—**LIONEL COHEN** 1912. L. Coy., 3rd Special Battalion, Royal Engineers, B.E.F.
 20.—C. J. CONWAY 1891. "Immensee," Mossley Hill Road, Aigburth.
 21.—T. B. CONWAY 1884. "Woodbury," Keynsham, Near Bristol.
 22.—W. P. COOK 1887. 15, Brunswick Street, Liverpool.
 23.—J. C. COOPER 1908. 27, Chesnut Grove, Birkenhead.
 24.—**W. E. COTTER** 1911. No. 2598, B. Battery, 355th Brigade, R. F.A., Earls Colne, Essex.
 25.—A. CROWCROFT 1906. 16, Maple Avenue, Cheadle Hulme, Stockport.
 26.—F. E. DOLAMORE 1917. 29, Longford Place, Victoria Park, Manchester.
 27.—E. EDWARDS 1887. 22, Beresford Road, Wallasey.
 28.—D. R. FELL 1881. 31, Cheltenham Avenue, Sefton Park, Liverpool.
 29.—L. G. FLETCHER 1906. 39, Newman Street, London, W.
 30.—D. FRANCE 1913. 57, Needwood Street, Queen's Park, Manchester.
 30a.—R. A. FULTON 1907. c/o. Thames & Mersey Marine Insurance Co., Ltd., 3, South William Street, New York City, U.S.A.
 31.—F. GEE 1900. 62, Stanley Street, Liverpool.
 32.—E. GREEN 1912. 98, Cheadle Road, Cheadle Hulme, Stockport.
 33.—H. GREEN 1912. "Ash Lea," Park Road, Ashton-on-Mersey.
 34.—**J. A. CRIMSHAW** 1911. D.M. 2/154254, 22 M.A.C., A.S.O., M.T., 640 Comp., B.E.F.

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- 35.—C. F. HAWKES 1910. 36, Cressington Avenue, Higher Tranmere, B'head.
 36.—A. MARSHALL HIGHAM 1903. The "Rowans," Dunham Massey, Altrincham.
 37.—J. HODGES 1913. No. 29177, R. E. Postal Section, A.P.O.S.Z.4,
 Egyptian Ex. Forces.
 38.—G. JACKSON 1908. B Coy., 12th Battalion Cheshire Regt., Salonica
 Forces.
 39.—A. P. JAMES 1907. No. 10202, Z Coy., A.C.C., General Base Depot,
 Salonica Forces.
 40.—J. M. JAMES 1901. "Bolingbroke," London Road South, Lowestoft.
 41.—CHESTER JONES 1904. 5, Fenwick Street, Liverpool.
 42.—H. W. KEIZER 1898. 70, Falkland Road, Egremont, Cheshire.
 43.—W. H. KETTLE 1905. Hut 30, No. 8 Coy., Pioneer Lines, N.C.D., Ripon.
 44.—H. KINDER 1914. 62, Woodcroft Road, Liverpool.
 45.—J. KINDER 1914. 62, Woodcroft Road, Liverpool.
 46.—D. C. KINCHORN 1906. A. S. C., Frozen Meat Supplies, Port Said, Egypt.
 47.—R. L. L. KNIPE 1898. 108, Moscow Drive, Stonecroft, Liverpool.
 48.—F. H. KOENEN 1895. "Amstel," Ladybridge Road, Cheadle Hulme.
 49.—J. LEECE 1910. "Glenarch," Woodchurch Road, Prenton.
 50.—W. A. LOWCOCK 1897. 232, Stockport Road, Cheadle, Cheshire.
 51.—J. LOWELL 1902. 1, Norwich Road, Wavertree, Liverpool.
 52.—A. H. MADDOCK 1895. "The Cedars," Alsager, Cheshire.
 53.—J. L. MAHON 1913. O/o. D.S.T., G.H.Q., Egyptian Expeditionary Force
 54.—F. D. McCANN 1908. Stourton Lodge, Arno Road, Oxton, Cheshire.
 55.—G. B. MERCER 1880. 43, Pembroke Place, Liverpool.
 56.—J. MULLENEUX 1916. 7, Uppingham Road, West Derby, Liverpool.
 57.—E. O. MORRIS 1912. 56, Sudworth Road, New Brighton, Cheshire.
 58.—A. NEWSHOLME 1915. 71, Ryebank Road, Chorlton-cum-Hardy.
 59.—L. OPPENHEIMER 1901. 28, Ellesmere Rd., Chorlton-cum-Hardy, M'chester.
 60.—J. PARK, R.D. 1901. Flag Captain's Office, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.
 61.—J. H. PARRY 1908. 9, Sycamore Road, Waterloo, Liverpool.
 62.—C. POOLE 1907. 29, Alexandra Road, Waterloo, Liverpool.
 63.—H. POOLE 1895. "Sandon," Formby Point, Formby.
 64.—R. K. PRICHARD 1899. 11, Prescott Street, New Brighton, Cheshire.
 65.—H. PRITCHARD 1905. 501, Belchers Lane, Bordesley Green, Birmingham.
 66.—F. ROSKELL 1898. A. S. C. Records Office, Woolwich.
 67.—H. ROSKELL 1898. S.S.A. 16, Convois Automobiles, 21, Rue Pinel,
 par B.O.M., Paris.
 68.—D. C. ROWATT 1890. 23, Esplanade, Waterloo, Liverpool.
 69.—JAMES ROWATT 1916. 23, Esplanade, Waterloo, Liverpool.
 70.—ROBERT ROWATT 1911. Lincolnshire Regt., Weelsby Camp, Grimsby.
 71.—T. ROYDEN 1910. Willowbank Road, Devonshire Park, Birkenhead
 72.—R. T. RUDD 1904. No. 1005. D.275 Battery, R.F.A., B.E.F.
 73.—M. O. SARSON 1909. "The Bungalow," Millford, Stafford.
 74.—J. SEED 1912. 8, Ash Road, Higher Tranmere, Birkenhead.
 75.—R. P. SEED 1912. No. 4634, M./G. Section, 5th Border Regt., B.E.F.
 76.—A. T. SIMPSON 1900. 123, Manor Road, Liscard.
 77.—C. STEPHENSON 1911. No. 2182, A. Coy., 3rd Yeomanry Cyclist Regt.,
 Drill Hall, Padders Lane, Beccles, Suffolk.
 78.—J. H. SUNTER 1901. Commerce Chambers, Lord Street, Liverpool.
 79.—G. J. THEAKSTONE 1897. 18, Laurel Road, Fairfield, Liverpool.
 80.—W. C. TIERNEY 1904. 6, Lord Street, Liverpool.
 81.—W. R. TOFT 1890. "Maywood," Southbank Road, Grassendale.
 82.—O. H. TURNOR 1905. 51, Oldfield Road, Sale, Cheshire. Liverpool.
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 85.—E. **WEBB** 1910. 40 Westwood Road, Woodmoor, Stockport.
 86.—**JOHN WELLS** 1907. No. 1319, D Coy., 17th Infantry Battalion, 5th
 Infantry Brigade, Australian Imperial Forces,
 France.
 87.—A. G. **WHITE** 1892. c/o. Federation of Master Builders, "Koh-i-noor
 House," Kingsway, London, W.O.
 88.—J. H. **WILLIAMS** 1906. 9, Seymour Street, Higher Tranmere, Birkenhead.
 89.—P. **WILLIAMSON** 1914. No. 72272, R.E. Base Wireless Section, Army Head-
 quarters Signal Coy., Salonica Forces.
 90.—C. H. **WOODROFFE** 1904. Ashbourne, Humberstone Lane, Thurmaston,
 Leicester.
 91.—E. G. **WORTH** 1889. 20, Southbank Road, Edge Lane, Liverpool.

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