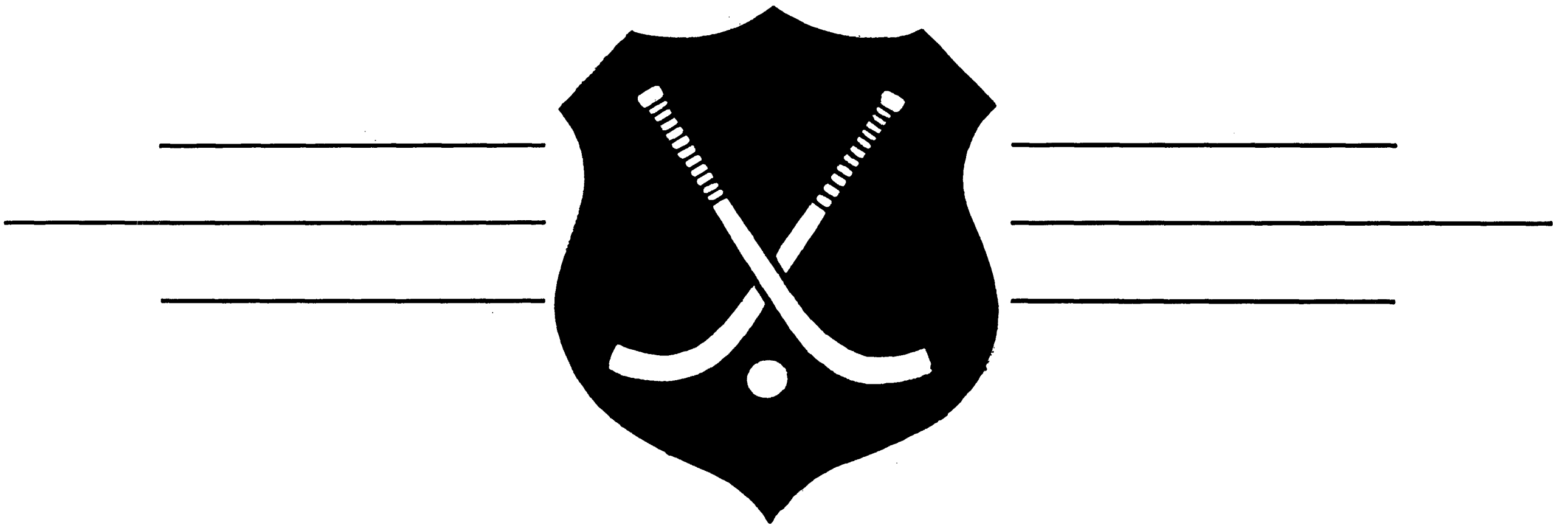


Glebe District Hockey Club



Forty-second

Annual Report & Balance Sheet

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GLEBE DISTRICT HOCKEY CLUB

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<u>FOUNDER</u> :	The Late Rev. Bro. McCarten Keegan
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SECRETARY'S REPORT

Gentlemen it gives me great pleasure to present the 42nd Annual Report and Financial Statement of the Glebe District Hockey Club.

This gentlemen is a report of a year to remember. Last year I stated in this report that the Club was at the cross roads - the ball in each and every members court to be picked up and carried on ~~or~~ to be left and the Club to go down hill. That 'Ball' was certainly picked up in most places. Club Champions again, Premiers 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Grades. Semi-Finalists in 5th Grade, Club Champions and Premiers Under 16 and Under 12 in the Juniors. Those results certainly prove that Glebe is a "Champion Club" and a 'Club of Champions'.

The Club Spirit was again to the fore and I would like on behalf of the Management Committee to thank all our members for their help and devotion shown over the year.

The 1974 Season was the most hectic and fullest season that I can remember. Hockey was played almost every Sunday with representative games, Carnivals, Bisley Shield and not forgetting the inaugural State Cup all taking their toll of the Sundays available. The attendance at these games by the Glebe Club members, as also Sydney Hockey Association Annual Ball (almost 120 members present) was far in excess of any other Club. This attendance I feel helped generate our "Club Spirit" to the highest level for many years.

FINANCE ;

The Club this year turned a loss in 1973 of \$672 into a profit of \$2182 in 1974. A grand effort, a result that only came about by a superhuman effort by our Treasurer Keith Kipp. Keith almost single handed, looked after all the Clubs finances and the running and controlling of its assets. Each and every member of the Club owes Keith a vote of thanks for a fantastic effort. I can only say that in the years I have been associated with the Club, Keith Kipp is the best and most efficient Treasurer we have ever had.

Our sincere thanks also to Martin Howe on the handling of the sale of equipment for the Club and Ralph Rochester for his help behind the Bar on Saturdays.

TOXTETH RAFFLES:

This year Graham Gilmour, Denis and Colin Brown, Tony Martin etc. really outdid themselves with the Raffles at the Toxteth Hotel. The raffles raised \$1900 - A grand effort, an achievement that the Club now relies on each year. I only hope we can put this income to good use in the near future - perhaps in our having our own grounds with a new Clubhouse - Thanks fellas - thanks a million.

VALLEY TRIP ;

Easter saw us once again visiting Valley in Brisbane. As we have come to expect the hospitality was fantastic. A trip that was thoroughly enjoyed by all Club Members who made the trip. On the playing side the visit was also a success as for the first time the Club sponsored some of our juniors, who it was obvious learnt a lot from the experience. We unfortunately lost the 'Easter Cup' to Valley but retained the 'Challenge Cup'. We also won the Northern Suburbs Brisbane Hockey Carnival during our visit.

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STATE CUP ; The N.S.W. Hockey Association this year ran for the first time the State Cup. Glebe entered in this competition as we always enter into any competition with the intention of winning. After much travelling to Cowra, Bathurst, Lithgow, Windsor and games in Sydney we were unfortunate to play the Finals of this competition when our N.S.W. Colts team was in Perth and other players unavailable. We lost this final by the odd goal to Uni of N.S.W.

JUNIORS ; Whilst our juniors had success on the playing fields, everything in the garden is not ROSY. Our Junior Convenors John Cowan and John Diviney with the Coaches did a terrific job but they need more help both Coaching and transportation. We need more juniors urgently and we need them now. Can you help in any way. Gentlemen if our Club is to continue we need Juniors now. While on the subject of Juniors a special thanks to Janice and Mrs. Martin for running the canteen every Saturday - well done ladies.

FEDERAL PARK ; Once more we looked after Federal Park and our thanks extended to Ken Wark, Glen Puckeridge, Tony Martin and Bob Scanlon especially for the time they put into making Federal Park a Hockey Ground. We hope to obtain a Lease on this ground shortly and with Councils help top dressing, levelling etc. hope to make it into a first class ground - but we will need your help.

CONCLUSION :

On behalf of every member of the Club I would like to thank the following people not already mentioned.

1. The Glebe Police Citizens Boys Club for their continued support.
2. President, Pat Nilan and the members of the Management Committee for their time and help - a very good team.
3. All our supporters at the Toxteth Hotel - thanks fellas.
4. To Doug Brewer for looking after the Pool Table.
5. To my Wife, Carole who without her help and support this report would not be possible and I would not be able to be your Secretary.

To anyone that I have missed - I apologise for my oversight.

F.P. LETTS.
Hon. Secretary.

PRESIDENTS REPORT :

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The Season of '74 must surely be recognised as the best playing performance in the history of the Club. Retaining the Club Championship by a clear 47 points, three in a row now. The performances of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades in winning the Grand Finals and not forgetting the 5th grades unfortunate circumstances in halting their progress.

The performances of the winning team throughout the season indicates their worth as premiers, with 1st, 3rd and 4th grades taking out the Minor Premiership whilst 2nd Grade tabling 34 points in the competition to finish second behind St. George. Statistically these teams had the best scoring, and defensive records in the S.H.A. competition.

With Barry Howe running out the eventual winner of the "WALES" Top Scorer and with Ian Mutton gaining a close second position to J. COWAN (Uni. N.S.W.) for the Brian Booth Medal, are certainly worthy of a mention.

With the introduction of the 'STATE CUP' this year, the Hockey calendar became somewhat of a fulltime playing weekend, with a string of carnival wins to our credit along with the 'Bisley Shield', our visit to the Valley Club and not forgetting our Premiers V's N.S.W. Eleven win, players and supporters of the Club welcomed the change of pace.

Congratulations to all club members and supporters for their fine efforts and club spirit displaced throughout the season. Not forgetting the job the selectors undertook and came through with flying colours.

On the Junior playing side we did not fare as well as in recent years, although we did win the Under 16 and Under 12's. Wet weather played a prominent part in the Season, resulting in a minimum amount of games played. Some very serious thought must also be given into the structure of the junior competition, it seems apparent the Zone system is not a satisfactory set up.

Our Junior ranks are running thin only in respect that next season an influx of juniors will move up into senior ranks and it is a possibility that we may not be able to field 4 teams. We must all now make a genuine effort in the promotion and development of junior hockey within the club.

Although we only had three social functions it was evident from the response and profit made that we could have and should have devoted more time into organising socials. The Grand Final 'POST MORTEM' day at the Glebe Club house was a great day, thanks to Ken Wark in promoting the idea.

Our financial side really made a leap forward this season considering our deficit last season. One can only give full credit to our devoted Treasurer Keith Kipp for a superb effort. Keith spent many hours, Wednesday nights and Saturday afternoons collecting and supervising the money affairs. The Club is in a healthy position and some definite ideas should be pursued in respect to the formation of a CLUB in the district for Hockey, and or Social. We have merely glanced at this proposal in past years and thought no more of it. We have the members and following to achieve it.

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Once again the Toxteth raffles were organised, once again, by the same old faces, Gilly, Tony Martin, Col and Denis Brown etc. they need help and lots of it on Friday nights, lots more members do take for granted the job these members do for the Club we all benefit from it.

I feel the Management Committee worked as a unit throughout the year and I thank them for the support they afforded me as President of the Club. To the Secretary Fred Letts for his excellent job during the year, a full 12 months.

P.J. NILAN
President.

CLUB CAPTAINS REPORT

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The 1974 Season is one we the Members can be very proud of - our Record which reads CLUB CHAMPIONS, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Grade Premiers, Bisbley Shield and Challenge Cup Winners and numerous Carnivals. No doubt the highlight of the year was Grand Final Day what can one put into words to describe this tremendous effort by the Glebe Club - Magnificent, Superb, Brilliant - This was our Scene - WE ARE THE CHAMPIONS -

I doubt whether this record will be equalled by any other Club. This year the Club was fortunate to gain many new members and to you I would like to offer a very warm welcome and congratulations - You for being a part of the Greatest Happening Ever in The Glebe Club - without this could not have been achieved this year.

Also Ian Cooke must be congratulated on his selection in the Australian Team - a very well deserved effort on Ian's part as the work he put into his game and training this year it was a just reward. Ian Cooke, Phil Downey, Keith Pritchard, Greg Corben, Graham Bell, Les Wark, Geoff Patterson, Robert Diviney, Tony Cowan, Garry Lewis and Roger McDonald - all Gained selection in N.S.W. Teams this year - well done fellows - more dedication could see you wear the Green and Gold of Australia in years to come.

The Juniors once again had a good year with two Premierships Under 16 and Under 12 and also the Junior Club Championship. On Saturday mornings one main point that needs urgent attention is the lack of support from the Senior members of the Club. This is one problem that must be sorted out and solved for the coming season. Good support to the Juniors by Senior Members will make our Future secure in the years ahead. Possibly a Hockey School early next season could be organised with current representative players leading the instructors would help gain interest to Senior Members and also swell our Junior ranks.

Training this year was not well attended - only about a quarter of the Club made the effort on Wednesday nights. Steve Nance and Bob Wark tried hard to get things going and at the start of the year it looked very promising - but unfortunately the weather intervened for three consecutive weeks and we never picked up from there. To beat this years record or equal it we must make a greater effort next year.

This disqualification of our A Grade Team was a bitter disappointment to Col Smith and his Team. To make the Final was a great effort by the Team only to see a Seasons hard struggle go down the drain - what can one say as it was completely overlooked by the persons concerned - I guarantee this will never happen again in the Club - Who knows we could have made it FIVE.

The 1974 Season saw the introduction of the State Club Championship - A squad of 20 Members was selected early in the Season to contest this event. Much time and effort was required in the early rounds - as many hundreds of miles was travelled and many dollars spent. We stormed into the Final after easy wins in the Early rounds and Semi Final Scoring 49 goals to 6 against. In the Final we found ourselves at a disadvantage due to State Commitments - Six players were replaced from the original squad. Our opponents - UNi. N.S.W. in the Final proved somewhat of a surprise with their determination in the first half and led 2-0 at the break. Glebe tried to bridge the Gap - but good defence by Uni held us back until the last 10 minutes when we pulled back the margin by one. We kept up the pressure for the Final ten minutes but Uni proved to solid - to win by the odd goal.

CLUB CAPTAINS REPORT - SHEET 2

The Annual Glebe - Valley matches were played in Brisbane this year where Valley played top hockey to defeat us for the Easter Cup 4-1. The Challenge Cup was retained by Glebe by the narrow margin of one nil. We also played in the north Brisbane Carnival where we found ourselves in the position of having to win our last game 12-0 to make the final. This we achieved and had two goals to spare and went on to meet Valley in the Final which we won 3-1. The week-end once again was a tremendous one. Valleys hospitality was Great.

The Glebe Club also travelled to Wagga on the October Long Week-End where we played Melbourne High Old Boys Won 1-0, Wagga Colts Won 5-2 and Wagga Seniors lost 1-3. Unfortunately the grounds were very heavy and this spoilt the Hockey standard to a degree. Overall it was a good weekend and we were well looked after by our Hosts. To our Publican - John Brown who donated a player or Goal of the Day award - Thank you for your kind gesture. This added more interest within the Club and we look forward to your continued interest in the Club.

To all Members, wives, families and supporters - I must congratulate you on the effort on Grand Final Day - the spirit which you put into all Teams was something that gave us an advantage over the opposing teams - the support was tremendous from the sidelines. In Closing I would like to thank Martin Howe for his support as Club Vice Captain and to all those members who did something for the Club as far as work was concerned - to those who didn't contribute anything besides playing - for your sake the the Clubs - Do something next year.

R. 'CHARLIE' BROWN.
Club Captain.

1st GRADE REPORT

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The highlight of the '74 Season was Grand Final day, when we regained the "The Markham Cup" after a long and overdue period. Our presence was felt not only on that day, defeating St. George 3-2 but throughout the entire season.

Winning the Minor Premiership by a clear 6 points and having the best goal average in the competition 92-14.

The Semi-Final loss to St. George (1-5) only our second in the competition, certainly made the team realise the premiership was not all ours. During the following week some healthy discussions both on playing and selections seemed to re-vitalise the team and we ran out easy winners against Liverpool in the Final 3-0.

The rest is history, we hit the front and never to be overtaken.

I feel the team played with a lot of determination and games against St. George 3-3 and 2-0, North Sydney 7-0 Sutherland 7-0 Gordon 9-0 emphasised the will to win. Players performances also played a big part namely Greg Corben, Ian Cooke Ian Mutton and Phil Downey were all consistent throughout the season, even when Col Brown saw the ball he pulled off some great saves.

The departure of Barry Gorringer towards the later part of the season, was a blow and I'm certain our unbeaten record would have continued if he had not been transferred in employment. Great Season Barry.

The responsibility of being a 1st grade player was not undermined in anyway and my compliments to all team members who participated in 1st Grade games. Rob Wark shouldered this (his) responsibility to the full in the Final and Grand Final in particular and if he carries on with the job at hand, he will surely remain a match winning player.

All that awaits for us now is season '75, we must carry on where we left off this season. Even a MORE POSITIVE approach to the game is needed. Once again we are on top and its hard to stay there.

The interest created by the 1st grade this year was certainly only in response to the support afforded the team by ALL club members and supporters, on behalf of the team a big thank you.

On behalf of the team I would like to congratulate Ian Cooke on his selection in the Australian Team for the World Cup in Kuala Lumpa in February, 1975. See you all next Season - PAT NILAN - TEAM CAPTAIN.

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2nd GRADE REPORT :

The 1974 Season resulted in another 2nd Grade Premiership for the Glebe Club.

Vic Westacott due to a forced holiday was unable to lead the side to their third premiership in as many years.

I had the pleasure of taking over the leadership from Vic and the Team performances during the year left me with some headaches at times. We had many anxious moments during the competition rounds, to win games and on other days we killed them, we were fortunate to find ourselves in second position at the completion of the competition. Many players had guest appearances during the year due to State representation and injury. This made it difficult to build up teamwork especially in the forwards.

On Semi-Final day we took the field with confidence and after 70 minutes of good hockey we found ourselves licking a 3-0 wound. St. George on the day were the better side. In the Final against North Sydney we never looked like conceding a goal and ran out easy winners although we won easily I was not over impressed with the victory. I knew we would hav to improve sharply to turn the tables on St. George and with two players suspect due to pulled muscles it was a must to turn in a "Blinder" and what a 'Blinder' we did play, to every member in the side I would like to congratulate you on an excellent performance. It would be unfair to name anyone as outstanding as it was a team effort with every player filling his job more than capably.

In the first 20 minutes we broke the saints defence on numerous occasions Mick Moffitt was throwing some glorious threw passes for 'paddo' and the quietman who took these opportunities to test the Saints Goalie. 'Paddo' started the onslaught with a brilliant goal after good lead up work by the 'quietman'. Saints tried to grab the equaliser before half-time but the defence held them out. Just after the break Mick Moffitt put us two up with a crashing short corner drive. We were now sensing victory, then Saints hit back with a good goal to cut our lead back to one. Coolness prevailed in our defence as saints attacked with all they had. Garry Wark and Peter Howe with their aggressive power tussles foiled the St. George forwards into submission and our half line again took control of the play.

The Class of Geoff Patterson was evident when he accepted a pass on the St. George 25 yard line and ran through the defence beating four defenders before being brought down in the circle. Peter Howe made no mistake with the stroke to put us ahead 3-1. That was the end of the section - the 1974 Premiership was ours.

- NOEL ANDERSON Cool, Calm, Courageous an excellent eye and Graham Bell a grade below gave Noel a Big Season.
- GARRY WARK Played consistently throughout the year and gained valuable experience for further years.
- PETER HOWE The Backbone of the defence gave the opposition plenty of headaches.
- G. MORRISON Had his best year with the Club his trapping and distribution was excellent.
- J. McDONALD Gets a little uptight at times and his game suffers accordingly but when settles down a fine player.
- S. NANCE Turned in some fine performances this year - tons of determination.
- H. McDONALD Had a great season, as the season progressed Hilary progressed was a constant menace to opposing teams.
- D. BROWN Found the going tough this year, the opposition are getting a little bit faster - scored some good goals.
- MICK MOFFITT His first year with the Club, has excellent stickwork and distribution will go a long way in the game if he adds a few yards to his speed.
- W. SULLIVAN The quiet man of the Club sleeps a bit on the right wing at times but when aroused is dynamite. His centres from the wing resulted in many goals.
- Gi. PATTERSON His dribbling technique is possible the Best in Sydney - has got heaps of Class.

R. BROWN ? ? ? ? ?

To all other players who played in the Side - Thank You for your part in helping us being the 1974 Premiers.

THIRD GRADE REPORT

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Gentlemen,

The 3rd Grade team was successful in winning the J.W. TAYLOR CUP for 1974, this trophy was presented by our own Club for competition in 1947 and it is pleasing to see it return home.

Take a group of enthusiastic young players backed by 100 years of experience and you have the combination of a premiership team.

The experience of Ken Wark and Bill Stubbs was a valuable asset to the young players who accepted their advice and put it to good use.

As a team we set out to win the premiership by playing attacking hockey and this was achieved by having our own centre forward becoming the leading goal scoring machine in Sydney Hockey.

Congratulations to Barry Howe on a great effort and to the team who supported him throughout the season.

We suffered only one loss during the season at the hands of Sutherland, but we came back to beat them in the ~~semi~~-final and grand final, showing the true fighting spirit of the Glebe Club.

As the Captain of 3rd Grade I take this opportunity to thank every member of the Club who represented the team during the season of 1974.

The Club spirit and enthusiasm you displayed was a credit to all of you, and I am sure if you young members continue to show dedication to your hockey, the name of Glebe will remain on top of Hockey in the future.

This season we won four premiership pennants, so on behalf of the 3rd Grade Team I congratulate the Club on a magnificent achievement.

I am unable to name all of the players who represented the team, but the following members were in the grand final team;

Len Needham (Captain), Bill Stubbs (Vice Captain), Graham Bell,
Darryl Seed, Rob MacLachlan, Peter Naylor, Vernon Howe, Robert Diviney
Barry Howe, Chris McIntosh, Steve Casey, Graham Shirley, Graham Gilmour.

THANK YOU

LEN NEEDHAM - TEAM CAPTAIN

FOURTH GRADE REPORT

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Gentlemen,

It gives me great pleasure to submit the 4th grade report for 1974 - The only undefeated team in the competition, the Sydney Premiers, a Great Team Effort.

When writing a report on a team that is undefeated in the competition, and also has won the premiership, it is very hard to single out players and personalities, in view of the fact that so many players came through the grade, but I would like to thank in particular the Vice Captain - Tony Martin for his really fine effort Graeme Kirkland for his consistent play and on a younger note Roger McDonald, Patrick Diviney, Ian Fawcett, who are sure by their effort to be upgraded, and not only a force in the Club but in hockey in the future.

Also a very special thanks to Glen Puckeridge, not just for his play but for his great work at Federal Park - Well done Glen.

What a change it is, that, instead of being just 4th Grade, this year we are the 4th Team to make up 4 winning grades and it is really great to be part of such a wonderful effort.

There is not a lot more I can say as the Captain of the side. So many players who put their best into the game, so many people to thank, and there isn't time to do it, but finally to my Team the 1974 Premiers, thank you very much for your help, play and attention and on behalf of the team to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Grades congratulations on your wins.

HARRY WARK

TEAM CAPTAIN

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After the usual slow start to the Season fifth grade improved rapidly and by the start of the final round became a force to be reckoned with. We made the Semi-Finals, coming fourth in the table, and went on to win 5-1 against A.M.P. However A.M.P. reversed the decision on a protest which was upheld and that ended our run. (I hope all Glebe Hockey Club members have cancelled their insurance with that Company ?)

I feel that this season has proved a couple of points to the Club, first that the standard of hockey played in 2nd Division 'A' Grade is good and it is no disgrace to be picked to play there and secondly that we have the players to do very well in this grade in quite of the opposition.

All members of the team deserve praise for their efforts, the juniors, especially in the early stages of the season when we often played with less than ~~eight~~ a full team; the regulars who turned up without fail whatever the conditions or locations of the ground and the 'guest stars' who played for 5th Grade in spite of their former higher rating.

I hope that players will make themselves available right from the start of next season so that we avoid our early season slump and if the team plays the same standard of hockey as it did in the latter stages of this season there is no reason why the Club shouldn't make it 'Five in Seventy Five'.

Finally congratulations to all members of the other grades, for their efforts from fifth grade, we will be sharing the Pennants with you next year ?

COL SMITH

Team Captain.

CLUB TROPHIES

The Club has three trophies that are competed for each year. Trophy winners are selected by the Management Committee at the conclusion of the Season.

W.J. TAYLOR CUP

This trophy was first competed for in 1941. It was donated by W.J. TAYLOR - who at the time was Patron of the Club.

The award was originally "FOR THE MOST IMPROVED PLAYER" However since 1954 the wording has been altered to 'THE CLUB MEMBER WHO HAS SET THE BEST EXAMPLE BY CONSISTENT PLAY AND GENERAL DEMEANOR'.

This change was brought about because it was considered that the original wording excluded many senior members.

PREVIOUS WINNERS ;

1941	Frank Murray	1958	Paul Rogers
1942	No Record	1959	Greg Harris
1943	Jack Taylor	1960	Greg Harris
1944	No Record	1961	Graeme Gilmour
1945	Leo Murdoch	1962	Ken Wark
1946	Allen Cross	1963	Pat Nilan
1947	Bob Needham	1964	Pat Nilan
1948	Jack Buckley	1965	Graeme Gilmour
1949	Fred Needham	1966	Dave Stevens
1950	Jack Martin	1967	Ken Wark
1951	Vince Halls	1968	Martin Howe
1952	Jack Martin	1969	Robert Brown
1953	Glen Elliott	1970	Keith Vincent
1954	Alex Robb	1971	Graeme Gilmour
1955	Vern Turner	1972	Vic Westacott
1956	Jack Taylor	1973	Col Smith
1957	Reg. Mathews.	1974	Pat Nilan.

This year the W.J. Taylor Trophy was awarded to Pat Nilan and with it our congratulations. Players in all grades are considered for this trophy. A player from the lower grades has just as good an opportunity of winning this trophy as a 1st Grader.

W. J. OLDFIELD CUP

Like the W.J. Taylor Cup this was first competed for in 1941. It was presented by W.J. Oldfield - the former Australian Wicket-keeper. It was awarded to the 'Colt Under 21 who has been adjudged 'THE MOST IMPROVED AND BEST BEHAVED JUNIOR DURING THE SEASON'.

This year the W.J. OLDFIELD trophy was awarded to Greg Corbin and with it our congratulations.

W.J. OLDFIELD CUP

1941	Jack Taylor	1957	Vic Westacott
1942	No Record	1958	Pat Nilan
1943	No Record	1959	Pat Nilan
1944	No Record	1960	Bill Stubbs
1945	John Richards	1961	Pat Nilan
1946	John Collett	1962	Robert Brown
1947	Ntawarded as J. Collett only eligible player.	1963	G. Kirkland
1948	Don Campbell	1964	Ross Crocker
1949	Alan Halls	1965	Marvin Heaston
1950	Bob Rodgers	1966	Garry Manou
1951	Ken Bolin	1967	Harry Wark Jnr.
1952	Len Needham	1968	Graham Lisk
1953	Ken Bolin	1969	Graham Lisk
1954	Paul Rogers	1970	Royce Jenkins
1955	Paul Rogers	1971	John McDonald
1956	Greg Harris	1972	W. Sullivan
		1973	Les Wark
		1974	Greg Corbin.

V. J. TURNER CUP

During the Management Committee 1950, in their efforts to foster Junior Hockey in the Club, they decided to present a trophy for "THE MOST IMPROVED AND BEST BEHAVED JUNIOR UNDER THE AGE OF 16 YEARS".

The Cup was named after Vern Turner in appreciation for his work with the Juniors. Vern was an outstanding player and an equally outstanding Coach. He first started playing with the Club in 1942 on the Left Wing and went straight into 1st Grade. He played 261 games and scored 84 goals. His ambition to Coach a Winning Under 16 Team wasn't fulfilled as he left the Club in 1957. The next year saw two teams he had coached = play out the Final.

PREVIOUS WINNERS ;

1950	Keith Riley	1963	Colin Brown
1951	Bennett Dunn	1964	Not awarded
1952	Maurie Cownie	1965	Not awarded
1953	Eddie Kenny	1966	Graham Lisk
1954	Billy Stubbs	1967	John McMahon
1955	John Whittle	1968	Wayne Sullivan
1956	Garry Sullivan	1969	Michael Weatherley
1957	Barry Angus	1970	Wayne Sullivan
1958	Brian Howe	1971	Les Wark
1959	Graeme Gilmour	1972	R. Diviney
1960	Denis Lisk	1973	P. Diviney
1961	Harry Wark Jnr.	1974	R. Diviney.
1962	Denis Brown		

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

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With the inception of the Brian Halse Memorial Trophy for the Champion Club of Sydney in 1948, it has been one of the most sort after trophies by all Hockey Clubs.

To any Club who wins this trophy it means that all Grades are playing winning consistent hockey within the Club.

Before the 4th Grade was added to our 1st Division competition only a few years ago, the Championship points were awarded as 6 points, 4 points, and 2 points for wins in 1st, 2nd and 3rd Grades. Points were halved in cases of draws and no points allotted for losses.

The same system is still used with the 4th Grade only that the points awarded are; 8 points, 6 points, 4 points, and 2 points.

In the 28 years of the Brian Halse Memorial Trophy Glebe has been successful 18 times.

This shows that our Club has been the most consistent Hockey Club in Sydney and with the young players we have at the moment it looks as though our consistency will remain for a few years yet.

1948	Glebe	1962	Glebe
1949	Glebe	1963	Ryde
1950	Glebe	1964	Glebe
1951	Glebe	1965	Glebe
1952	Glebe	1966	Glebe
1953	Glebe	1967	Glebe
1954	Ryde	1968	Glebe
1955	Ryde	1969	St. George
1956	Glebe and Ryde	1970	St. George
1957	St. George	1971	St. George
1958	Glebe	1972	Glebe
1959	St. George	1973	Glebe
1960	St. George	1974	Glebe.
1961	Glebe		

CLUB RECORDS

1931	Premiers	3rd	1954	Premiers	Minor 'C'
1932	"	2nd	1955	"	1st,
1933	"	3rd	1956	"	1st, Under 14
1934	"	2nd	1957	"	3rd, Under 14
1935	"	2nd	1958	"	1st, 3rd, Minor 'B' U'16
1936	. . . . .		1959	"	Under 16
1937	. . . . .		1960	"	2nd
1938	. . . . .		1961	. . . . .
1939	. . . . .		1962	Premiers	1st, 3rd
1940	Premiers	1st, 2nd	1963	"	1st
1941	"	1st, 2nd	1964	"	1st, 2nd
1942	"	1st	1965	"	1st, 2nd,
1943	"	1st	1966	"	2nd, 3rd, 4th
1944	. . . . .		1967	"	2nd, 3rd, 4th, Under 10 & Under 12
1945	Premiers	1st	1968	"	2nd, 3rd, Under 10
1946	"	3rd, Minor B	1969	"	Under 14, Under 12, and Under 10
1947	"	1st, 2nd, Minor B	1970	"	'C' Grade, Under 10's
1948	"	1st, 2nd, 3rd, Minor B	1971	"	Under 12 & Under 14
1949	"	1st, 2nd, 3rd	1972	"	2nd, 3rd, 5th Under 10 & Under 14
1950	"	1st, 2nd	1973	"	2nd, 4th & Under 16
1951	"	1st, 2nd	1974	"	1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th. Under 16 & Under 12
1952	"	1st			
1953	"	1st, 2nd			

TREASURERS REPORT

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To the Members,

Gentlemen,

Attached for adoption are financial statements of your club for the year ending 30th September, 1974. The statements reflect Management Committee decisions on financial matters, made during the year.

Revenue surplus for the year was \$2182 - a turnaround of \$2854 on the 1973 loss of \$672. Revenue from all sources was \$7653 (increase from 1973 of \$4093 or 115%) whilst Expenditure was \$5471 (increase \$1239 or 29.3%). The Valley trip was a major reason for increases in both, contributing \$2288 extra income and \$1775 extra expenditure. Main principles contributing to this improved result include tight stock control, prompt banking and (for accounting purposes) complete separation of the bar from all other social functions and B.B.Q.'s.

PLAYING ; The direct cost of playing hockey was \$1619 (1973 - \$1714) or \$504 more than fees and playing come (1973 - \$1112). During the year there were 60 playing members - other than Life and Junior Members - contributing \$1092 as follows:-

48 Full Members	@	\$20-00	\$960-00
4 Half Fees	@	\$10-00	\$ 40-00
7 Student Members	@	\$12-00	\$ 87-50
1 Joining FEE	@	5-00	\$ 5-00
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			\$1092-50

Equipment trading made a small surplus of \$22 (1973 - \$328 loss) due to the fact that goalposts etc. purchased in 1973 did not need replacing. S.H.A. costs were \$594, State Cup \$177 and Senior representative players \$400.

SOCIALS ; All socials and B.B.Q.'s made small profits and \$97 was contributed in social fees. The Grand Final B.B.Q. cost \$169.

JUNIORS ; The complete junior activities (apart from Junior Touring Fund) were Canteen \$140, and sundry \$35. \$514 was paid to travelling players.

SENIOR TOUR FUND; Net surplus after the Valley trip was \$513 and 3 X 100 Clubs were run for this purpose for net proceeds of \$1135. B.B.Q.'s etc. contributed \$427 and members \$700 towards sending the 2 teams and supporters away.

SHEET 2 - TREASURER'S REPORT

TOXTETH MEAT RAFFLES ; The raffles again heavily subsidised the activities of the club with \$1900 net income. Another \$221 by meat raffles was raised for the Junior Tour Fund.

POOL TABLE ; Gross income was \$365, Depreciation \$166, and net proceeds \$199.

ADMINISTRATION COSTS ; Depreciation on furniture and fittings was \$188, and \$99 for key cases and badges was written off as a stock loss. Bad debts from 1973 were \$25 and donations were \$50 Brisbane Flood Appeal and \$12 Council Ball.

In summation, the results compared to last year (all accounts) are as follows:-

REVENUE INCREASE

Toxteth Raffles	\$ 746
Other Raffles	\$ 206
100 Clubs	\$ 787
Valley Subscription	\$ 700
Bar Surplus	\$ 528
Social Activities '74	\$ 390
Donations	\$ 177
Fees	\$ 162
Soft Drink Machine	\$ 155
Junior Canteen	\$ 140
Pool Table	\$ 83
Other	\$ 19
TOTAL	<u>\$4093</u>

COST INCREASES

Junior Tour costs	\$ 514
Senior Tour Costs	\$1766
Depreciation	\$ 143
Donations	\$ 62
Stock Loss	\$ 99
Sundry	\$ 17
	<u>\$2601</u>

COST DECREASES

Playing Costs	\$ 424
Social Activities '73	\$ 560
Clubhouse Costs	\$ 95
Junior Activities	\$ 61
Newcastle Trip	\$ 120
Stolen Money 1973	\$ 102
TOTAL	<u>\$1362</u>

BALANCE SHEET

BANK : Total cash at bank remains virtually unchanged at \$2813 compared to 1973 although now represented by a main fund and a Senior and Junior Fund - Tour.

INVESTMENTS ; During the year the \$2000 A.G.C. 8% Investment matured and \$5000 was re-invested by the Management Committee with the Commonwealth Trading Bank at 9½%. The major reason for this was an uncertain economic climate.

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DEBTORS :	Fees	\$ 82-50
	Equipment	\$218-05
	100 Club	\$ 20-00
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		\$320-00
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At the time of writing this report a further \$134-50 has been received for equipment.

CREDITORS : All known accounts have been paid and included in the Revenue Statement and balance of \$692 is money due to the S.H.A. for Ball Tickets and 1974 impires Fees.

STOCKS ; All stocks are at cost with the major item being the purchase of 59 hockey shirts for \$401 towards the end of the season.

FIXED ASSETS ; The rate of depreciation on furniture and fittings has been accelerated due to the high wear and tear factor and to give a more realistic valuation.

GENERAL ;

I think it can be safely said that the 1974 results are due to prudent management by your Management Committee based on information from the financial records. To maintain this effort, I recommend that the members appoint officially - a Bar or Clubhouse Manager with a position on the Management Committee. I also strongly recommend that the \$5 joining fee be paid BEFORE a player first plays for the Club, for fee control purposes.

To briefly touch on a sour note, it is ironic to me that the members of a Club with such a proud history and a magnificent 1974 season behind them can have so little regard for the Club's fittings and their clubhouse. This is evident by cigarettes, cans and ring-pulls left around, and broken tables as a result of being sat on. So let's improve that Club pride and do something about it.

On the brighter side of things, thought should be given to the utilisation of the accumulated members funds to provide better refrigeration and perhaps in the future a new clubhouse and Bar.

My humble appreciation is due to my 3 assistant treasurers - Ken Wark for his assistance during the year; Marty Howe for a top consistent effort looking after monies for equipment and the Senior Touring Fund and Graham Gilmour (and his staff) for his efforts at the Toxteth as Director of Raffles. My thanks are also due to Ralph Rochester, and his band of merry men for their support behind the bar during the year, and to Janice and Mrs. Martin for a top performance in the hot-dog department and assistance on Saturday home games.

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SHEET 4 - TREASURERS REPORT

Also my thanks to the other members of the Management Committee and many other members too numerous to mention who pitched in at some time during the year.

Due to study reasons, I have not thrown my hat in the ring for next year, as the position of Treasurer requires a constant all-year effort and attendance at Club functions. I am prepared to assist my successor wherever possible to ensure a successful 1975 financial year and playing season.

KEITH KIPP

Hob. Treasurer/

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GLEBE DISTRICT HOCKEY CLUB :BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30/9/74

1973			1974
6770	Members Funds	1/10/73	6098
- 672	ADD Surplus (-Loss) Year ending 30/9/74		2182
			<u>8280</u>
<u>\$6098</u>			<u>\$ 8280</u>
	<u>These Funds are Represented By :-</u>		
2788	Cash at Bank	2006	
-	Senior Touring Fund	513	
-	Junior Touring Fund	294	
		<u>2813</u>	
2788	<u>TOTAL FUNDS AT BANK :</u>		2813
91	Cash on Hand		-
2000	Investment - A.G.C. LTD. 8%		-
-	" C.T.B. of Aust. 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ %		5000
105	Debtors		320
194	Stocks - Equipment for Re-Sale	434	
141	" Bar Stock at Cost	33	
230	" Soft Drinks at Cost	100	
99	" Key Cases & Badges	-	572
		<u>572</u>	
	<u>FIXED ASSETS</u>		
556	Bar Furniture	556	
- 268	less Depreciation	456	100
		<u>500</u>	
500	Pool Table	500	
- 167	less depreciation	333	167
		<u>167</u>	
<u>6269</u>	<u>TOTAL CURRENT AND FIXED ASSETS</u>		<u>8972</u>
171	Less Creditors		692
	(1974 - Owing to S.H.A.)		
			<u>\$8280</u>

I have audited the Books and Records of the Glebe District Hockey Club and in my opinion the results shown in the Balance Sheet and Revenue Statement reflect a true and fair view of the State of the Club's affairs as at 30th September, 1974 and for the years ended on that date.

F. WHITEMAN - A.C.A.
Hon. Auditor.

REVENUE STATEMENT - YEAR ENDING 30/9/74

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1973	EXPENDITURE	1974	1973	INCOME	1974
806	Sydney Hockey Assoc.	594	930	Playing Fees	1092
180	Ground Fees & Hockey Balls	295	-328	Equip.Trading	22
65	Carnival Fees	45			
531	Repres. Players	400		(Direct Loss on Playing	
132	Pennants & Trophies	107	(1112)	Hockey C/D)	(504)
-	State Cup	177			
<u>\$1714</u>		<u>\$1618</u>	<u>\$602</u>		<u>\$1114</u>
	<u>PLAYING EXPENDITURE</u>			<u>PLAYING INCOME</u>	
(\$1112)	(Loss on Playing Hockey B/D (504)		\$		
224	B.B.Q. Costs	34	-	B.B.Q. Surplus	69
-	B.B.Q. Grand Final	169	34	Social Fees	97
<u>\$ 594</u>		<u>\$ 203</u>	<u>\$ 34</u>		<u>\$ 166</u>
	<u>TOTAL SOCIAL COST JUNIORS</u>			<u>TOTAL SOCIALS INCOME JUNIORS</u>	
-	1973 Xmas Presents	199	-	Surplus Junior Tour Fund	\$ 294
92	Junior Equipment	50	123	" Soft Drink Machine	278
351	Pennants & Trophies	67	40	Donations	-
	Affiliation & Carnival Fees	66	-		-
<u>\$ 443</u>		<u>\$ 382</u>	<u>\$ 163</u>		<u>\$ 572</u>
	<u>TOTAL JUNIOR COSTS - ADMINISTRATION</u>			<u>TOTAL JUNIOR INCOME - ADMINISTRATION</u>	
-	1973 Bad Debts	25	173	Bar Surplus -Annex 1	701
-	Write Off Key Cases	99	-	Senior Tour Surplus Annex 1	513
69	1973 A.G.M.	95	- 71	Prior Year Adjustment	51
248	Phone, Stamps, Stationery	315	160	A.G.C. Interest	172
-	Donations	62	105	Donations	30
55	Honariums	55	282	Pool Table	365
	(Clubhouse Electricity	55	- 167	Less Depreciation	- 166
289	(" Rental	78	1374	Net Toxteth Raffles	1900
	(" Maintenance	61	348	100 Club Income	-
44	" Depreciation	188	25	Sundry Income	50
244	Sundry Costs	50			
<u>\$949</u>		<u>\$1083</u>	<u>\$2229</u>		<u>\$3616</u>
	<u>TOTAL ADMINISTRATION</u>			<u>TOTAL ADMINISTRATION</u>	
3700	<u>NET EXPENDITURE</u>	3286	3028	<u>NET INCOME</u>	5468
-	Surplus Income over	2182	672	Surplus Expenditure Over	-
	Expenditure			Income	
<u>\$3700</u>		<u>\$5468</u>	<u>\$3700</u>		<u>\$5468</u>

ANNEX I

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TRADING ACCOUNT - YEAR ENDING 30/9/74

DETAILS	BAR		EQUIPMENT		SOFT DRINK	
Stock at Start 1/10/73	1973 6.00	1974 141.00	1973 64.00	1974 194.10	1973 189.00	1974 230.00
Purchases to 30/9/74	4733.25	3542.86	1303.13	735.05	852.00	315.50
Stock into Bar at Cost	4739.25	3683.86	1367.13	929.15	1041.00	545.50
LESS Stock at End 30/9/74	141.00	32.80	194.10	433.70	230.00	105.55
Cost of Sales	4598.25	3651.06	1173.03	495.45	811.00	439.95
Sales 1/10/73 - 30/9/74	4771.17	4461.96	844.65	516.95	933.65	717.88
GROSS Revenue Surplus	172.92	810.90	-328.38	21.50	122.65	277.93
" Electricity 2/3 of \$115)	-	110.00	-	-	-	-
	172.92	700.90	328.38	21.50	122.65	277.93
% Gross Revenue to Cost of Sales	3.8%	22.2%	- 300%	4.3%	15.1%	63.2%

TOURING FUNDSINCOME

	<u>SENIOR</u>	<u>JUNIOR</u>
Net Income 3 X 100 Clubs	1135.00	-
Net Members Subscriptions	700.00	
B.B.Q. & Games Night	325.29	
Melbourne Cup Sweep	102.00	
Donations	10.00	205.60
Bank Interest	15.54	-
Toxteth Raffles		220.68
Other Raffles		206.15
Canteen Proceeds (Net)		140.33
Junior Collection Box		35.63
GROSS INCOME	<u>\$2287.83</u>	<u>\$808.39</u>

EXPENSES

Travellings Costs	1472.90	40.00
Subsidy Travelling Players		474.00
Accommodation Valley Trip	203.00	
Entertainment Valley Hockey Club	80.00	
Refund Wagga Trip - R. Lewis	10.00	
Bank Charges	9.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	<u>\$1774.90</u>	<u>\$514.00</u>
Net Surplus (Excess Income Over Expenditure)	<u>\$ 512</u>	<u>\$294.39</u>