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Table illustrating growth of English T.T. Association

| Year | No. of Leagues attached to | No. of Clubs Leagues | Estimated number of Members |
|---------|--|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1927-28 | 19 | — | — |
| 1928-29 | 21 | — | — |
| 1929-30 | 23 | — | — |
| 1930-31 | 32 | 588 | 10,000 |
| 1931-32 | 38 | 714 | 15,000 |
| 1932-33 | 55 | 931 | 20,000 |
| 1933-34 | 71 | 1,253 | 24,000 |
| 1934-35 | 102 | 1,654 | 30,000 |
| 1935-36 | 121 | 1,800 | 35,000 |
| 1936-37 | 158 | 2,860 | 40,000 |
| 1937-38 | 206 | 3,700 | 65,000 |
| 1938-39 | 214 | 4,008 | 75,000 |
| 1939-45 | Although the Association functioned during these years, no official records were kept. | | |
| 1945-46 | 110 | 2,200 | 35,000 |
| 1946-47 | 178 | 3,500 | 45,000 |
| 1947-48 | 236 | 5,000 | 75,000 |
| 1948-49 | 259 | 5,285 | 110,000 |
| 1949-50 | 298 | 6,294 | 115,000 |
| 1950-51 | 309 | 6,879 | 130,000 |
| 1951-52 | 328 | 7,183 | 145,000 |
| 1952-53 | 343 | 7,447 | 170,000 |
| 1953-54 | 342 | 7,197 | 170,000 |
| 1954-55 | 348 | 7,207 | 170,000 |
| 1955-56 | 347 | 7,142 | 170,000 |
| 1956-57 | 340 | 6,931 | 170,000 |
| 1957-58 | 325 | 6,888 | 170,000 |
| 1958-59 | 315 | 6,658 | 170,000 |
| 1959-60 | 318 | 6,821 | 170,000 |
| 1960-61 | 305 | 6,557 | 170,000 |

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HISTORY

Following upon the great popularity of the original Ping-Pong in the early part of the present century, the Ping-Pong Association was formed in 1902, to organise championships and tournaments, chiefly in London. The "boom" year was 1904, but it was only a temporary craze, as, although the P.P.A. was still in existence in 1905, it appears to have collapsed during the season. Whilst the game seems to have died out in the home counties, it was apparently still being played in the provinces, but without any governing body.

In 1921-22, the P.P.A. was resuscitated by Mr. P. Bromfield and Mr. J. J. Payne, who were joined by the Hon. Ivor Montagu, Mr. J. M. Rose and Mr. A. F. Carris. The National Championships were run that season, and entries received from all parts of the country. Difficulties soon arose, however, not only in regard to the title, when it was discovered that Ping-Pong was a registered trade name, but also through the Association being unrepresentative of the provincial centres. The old Ping-Pong Association therefore dissolved and re-formed under the title of "The Table Tennis Association". The new body was hampered by difficulties, and as their energies were devoted to formulating standard rules, popularising the game, etc., no attempt to form a democratic governing body could be made.

At the Annual Meeting in 1925, an emergency committee, with Mr. Montagu as President, and Mr. W. J. Pope as Secretary, was authorised to redraft the constitution. In 1926, revised regulations were circularised in the provinces and a National Delegate Conference was held in London, on April 24th, 1927. The new constitution, which confirmed the provisional appointments and provided for the new title, "The English Table Tennis Association," was adopted.

The first Chairman and Secretary were, of course, Mr. Montagu and Mr. Pope respectively. They stayed in office for some years, and were together primarily responsible for establishing the new national body on sound foundations. They worked prodigiously hard until Mr. H. M. Bunbury, of Manchester, assumed the Chairmanship in 1929, Mr. Montagu being appointed President. Mr. D. W. Poupard became Secretary one year later, after Mr. B. L. Hookins

of Pontefract, had had a brief term. Mr. H. Oldroyd, also of Manchester, elected President in 1931, worthily maintained the dignity of his office until his death in April, 1953. Mr. Montagu returned to the chair in 1932, with Mr. G. W. Decker as Secretary; these two being succeeded in September, 1933, by Mr. C. Corti Woodcock, of London, and Mr. J. Siddron, of Manchester, respectively. The last-mentioned appointments were renewed in April, 1934, together with that of Mr. A. K. Vint, of Hastings, Hon. Treasurer since 1931. In April, 1935, Mr. Woodcock and Mr. Vint were re-elected and Mr. W. J. Pope displaced Mr. J. Siddron as Secretary, and in 1936, Mr. Woodcock resigned and was replaced by Mr. Montagu.

The grievous loss experienced at the end of season 1949/50 by the death of Mr. W. J. Pope, architect of the Association and chief contributor to its success for so many years, following closely on that of Mr. A. J. Wilmott, donor of the Men's Team Cup, was added to in season 1951/52 by that of Mr. J. M. Rose, another staunch pioneer in the work of the Association, referee of many Championships and donor of the Cup for Women's teams.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Association was celebrated on the 24th April, 1952, by a luncheon at the St. Ermins Hotel, and a subsequent social and dance at the Caxton Hall, attended by the National press, also many old and current enthusiasts.

Her Majesty the Queen graciously consented in 1952 to assume Patronage of the Association in succession to her late Father His Majesty King George VI, who was Patron of the Association from October, 1937.

The Dowager Lady Swaythling, O.B.E., was in February, 1954, unanimously elected President.

Mr. A. K. Vint who had been Honorary General Secretary since 1950 resigned owing to pressure of business in 1956, being succeeded by Mr. D. P. Lowen.

The end of the 1957/58 season saw many changes in the administration with the resignations of the President, The Dowager Lady Swaythling, O.B.E., the Chairman, Hon. Ivor Montagu and the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. A. K. Vint, who in the 1957 New Year's Honours List had received from Her

Majesty The Queen the award of O.B.E. for his services to Table Tennis. The various changes in the appointments were made with Mr. Ivor Montagu becoming President of the Association, Mr. A. K. Vint, O.B.E., taking over the Chairmanship, and Mr. Tom Blunn as Hon. Treasurer. At the commencement of the 1958/59 season Mr. D. Peter Lowen, who had again been elected Hon. Secretary of the Association, was appointed the first Professional Secretary to the Association.

A further development this season was the creation of the post of Deputy Chairman of the Association which was filled by I. C. Eyles of Bristol.

In the 1960/61 season the Association obtained from the Ministry of Education a grant towards the employment of a full-time National Coach. J. H. Carrington was appointed full time Director of Coaching of the Association as from 1st July, 1960, which meant that the game could be extended and coaching given in all parts of the Country which hitherto had only been carried out by spare-time local coaches who had done the work in the limited amount of time available to them under Jack Carrington, who had been the Hon. Director of Coaching for many years.

The progress of the E.T.T.A. since 1927 is shewn by the following figures of the numbers of Leagues in membership. In 1927 there were 19 Leagues. In 1938-39, there were 219 Leagues embracing 4,008 Clubs and 75,000 individual members.

After the War when normal activities were resumed the Association started in 1945/46 with 110 Leagues. By 1949/50 the figure was 256 Leagues, whilst in the season 1950/51 the figure increased to 305, which included 6,800 clubs and approximately 130,000 members. Season 1954/55 showed a further increase—347 Leagues, covering 8,000 clubs and 170,000 members.

By the 1960/61 season the number of Leagues affiliating had dropped to 305 but the number of Clubs remained constant and the membership had remained static. The membership amongst the younger people in the country had increased as a number of events for those under 13 and under 15 years of age had been introduced into the calendar

of Tournaments which were organised by County Associations and other outside enthusiasts and bodies.

In 1935, after an interval of eight years, the World Championships returned to England, and the great crowds which thronged the London University and Imperial Institute and the 8,000 people who packed the Empire Pool and Sports Arena, Wembley, proved that the game had won its place in public favour as a thrilling spectacle.

In 1936, the Empress Stadium at Earls Court housed a crowd of 7,000 people for the finals of the National Championships, and in 1937 the Wembley Arena was again filled. In 1938, once again the World Championships came to London, and the preliminaries packed the Albert Hall every night. Excursions from all over England made up another 9,000 attendance on Finals night at Wembley, and the E.T.T.A. maintained its high standard of organisation and conditions.

In 1938, the English Championships were held at Blackpool, returning to the Albert Hall and Wembley the following season, with play, crowds and enthusiasm scarcely below the previous year's World Championship level.

On the outbreak of war, it was decided at a special General Meeting to give the National Executive full power to carry on the work of the Association, which they did until September, 1945, when the normal constitution was resumed. During the war the office, records and equipment were completely destroyed by bombs, but in spite of this added difficulty in carrying on, a sum of over £10,000 was raised for the Red Cross and other war charities, and nearly 200 exhibitions were arranged for H.M. Forces, Civil Defence organisations, etc.

The first post-war year produced a clear indication that a quick revival in the game could be expected. The National Open Championships were held in March, 1946, when the Wembley Arena was again filled by a 9,000 crowd for the finals.

The season 1946/47 can be said to be the first season of the post-war boom. There was a large increase in Leagues, and the National Championships, the Finals of which, again played at Wembley, were characterised by a tremen-

dous rush for tickets from affiliated players and the general public. The 9,000 tickets available were early sold out and it was obvious that the demand for spectacular Table Tennis was as great as ever. In the first year of the Europe Cup competition, the Women's event was won by our players. The American players who came from the World Championships in London to take part in our National Championships, took part in a tour throughout the provinces. Another outstanding feature was the winning of the Marcel Corbillon Cup Competition by our women's team.

The World Championships returned to England in 1947-1948 and were played at the Empire Pool and Sports Arena, Wembley, taking 8 days to complete. There was a record entry and the Championships were a great success. Richard Bergmann and Victor Barna, now naturalised British subjects, were selected to play for England in the Swaythling Cup competition but we were defeated by U.S.A. Bergmann won the men's singles, defeating Vana in the final, and Mrs. Vera Thomas (Vera Dace) lost in the Women's Singles Final to Miss G. Farkas of Hungary.

In 1948/49, the World Championships were played in Stockholm, and, for the first time since 1929, when Fred Perry won, the Men's Singles came to England by the victory of Johnny Leach, who beat Vana in the Final. In the Europe Cup Matches England beat the Slovakia "B" team in the Men's Competition, and our Women lost to Hungary after holding this trophy for two years. Hungary won the Swaythling Cup and the U.S.A. won the Corbillon Cup. In the English Championships, the Finals were again played at Wembley. M. Reisman (U.S.A.) won the Men's Singles, beating Victor Barna in the Final, Miss McLean (U.S.A.) won the Women's event and on this occasion the semi-finals were also played at the Empire Pool, Wembley. Mrs. Vera Thomas (Vera Dace) and Mrs. Devenny (Dora Beregi) were unable to play during this season and our Women's team was much weakened by their absence.

In 1949/50 in Budapest the English teams came within a few points of winning both the Swaythling and Marcel Corbillon Cups, leading 4/1 and 2/1, respectively, against

the eventual winners, Czechoslovakia and Rumania. Richard Bergmann won the Men's Singles and Dora Beregi (with the Scottish girl Helen Elliot—Mrs. Dykes) the Women's Doubles. The English Championships were again played on two nights at Wembley, Bergmann taking the Men's Singles and Miss Shahian (U.S.A.) the Women's. The Women's Doubles was won by two juniors, the Misses D. and R. Rowe.

In 1950/51 an experiment was made in playing the English Championships throughout at Wembley, with the usual two nights at the Empire Pool. The Singles titles were both taken by players of old days: A. Ehrlich (France) who had won the Men's title in 1935/36, and G. Pritzi (Austria), who had gained a world success in the same hall many years ago. The Rowe Twins held their English Doubles title and in Vienna became the youngest players to win a world crown since Barna and Szabados twenty-three years before. Johnny Leach, beating Andreadis in the Final, scored his second World Singles Championship win. The Men's Team went down narrowly to Yugoslavia, and the Women's more easily, to Austria after beating Hungary and U.S.A.

The 1951/52 English Championships saw an all-English Singles Final, with Richard Bergmann recovering his title against Johnny Leach. The Rowe Twins won the Doubles for the third season running, but in the Women's Singles both lost to an even younger opponent in the Austrian, Linde Werthl. At the World Championships in Bombay, English players reached five seconds out of the seven events, but without this year, bringing home a title, apart from the Jubilee Cup, won for the second time by Victor Barna. In the Swaythling Cup they once more suffered disappointment by the narrowest of margins, losing 4/5 to Hungary in the inter-group final, after A. W. C. Simons had suffered an accident in his opening contest. The Women's team came equal second to Japan after beating Rumania, the holders.

The 1952/53 season was notable above all for the first victory ever recorded by England in the Swaythling Cup—after competition extending over 26 years. The women's team came second to Rumania, and English pairs were finalists in Men's and Women's Doubles. In the English

Championships Leach again reached the final, losing this time to M. Haguenauer (France) who first competed nearly 20 years before. Miss R. Rowe defeated the holder, L. Werth, in the Women's Singles Final, with her sister D. Rowe won the doubles for the fourth time, and the mixed with Barna.

In 1953/54 the World Championships, once more at Wembley, were the greatest ever, 33 teams participating in the Men's Championship, 23 in the Women's, and 37 countries being represented at the I.T.T.F. General Meeting. More than 30,000 persons saw the matches. The Women's doubles title returned to Britain, the sisters Misses D. and R. Rowe recovering it in an all-English final against Miss C. K. Best and Miss Ann Haydon — the latter being the youngest player ever to reach a World Championship final. The Men's team was ranked 3rd to Japan and Czechoslovakia. The Women's occupied the same position to Japan and Hungary, but had the satisfaction of registering a win against the now champions. The event was a tremendous and unqualified success, thanks to an immense number of efficient voluntary helpers headed by Geoffrey Harrower as Organising Secretary and Referee, with George White as Director of Play.

The 1955/56 English Open Championships were held in Manchester, E. Gyetvai winning the Men's Singles, Miss G. Farkas the Women's Singles, K. Szepesi and E. Gyetvai the Men's Doubles, with J. Leach and Miss D. Rowe taking the Mixed Doubles, and Miss D. Rowe and Miss A. Haydon the Women's Doubles. The 23rd World Table Tennis Championships were held in Tokyo and thanks to the generous support of friends in the trade, counties, leagues and clubs, the Association was able to raise a sum of £2,000 thus enabling them to send a Men's and Women's team to the Championships.

In 1956/57 the English Open Championships returned to Wembley with Z. Berczik winning the Men's singles, Miss F. Eguchi, the Women's Singles, I. Ogimura and T. Tanaka the Men's Doubles, Miss T. Okawa and Miss T. Namba the Women's Doubles, K. Tsunoda and Miss Namba the Mixed Doubles.

As an experiment the English Open Junior Champion-

ships were staged separately from the Senior events, being run in co-operation with the Kent County Table Tennis Association at Herne Bay. The twenty-fourth World Table Tennis Championships were held in Stockholm and the Association was again represented at the Championships by a Men's and Women's team. Miss A. S. Haydon reached three finals in the individual events - the Women's singles, the Women's doubles (partnered by Miss D. Rowe), and the Mixed Doubles (partnered by Mr. I. Andreadis), but was unsuccessful in winning any of the three titles.

At the International Table Tennis Federation's Congress held in Stockholm in the season 1956/57, it was decided that the World Championships should in future be held biennially.

For the season 1957/58 the European Championships were inaugurated and were played in Budapest. Representatives of the Association took part and the Women's Team Championships Cup was won by Miss A. S. Haydon and Mrs. D. Collins (Rowe), they becoming the first holders of the trophy. Miss A. S. Haydon also reached the final of the Women's Singles event before being beaten by Miss E. Koczian of Hungary.

The 1957/58 English Open Championships were again played at Wembley before an enthusiastic crowd. The Men's Singles was won by F. Sido of Hungary, the Women's Singles by Mrs. A. Simon of the Netherlands, F. Sido and Z. Berczik (Hungary) won the Men's Doubles, Miss A. S. Haydon and Miss P. Mortimer the Women's Doubles and F. Sido and Miss E. Koczian (Hungary) the Mixed Doubles. Sido and Miss Koczian became the first holders of the "Bill Stamp" Trophy through their winning the Mixed Doubles; this Trophy having been purchased by the Association in memory of Mr. W. Stamp, a Life Member and a member of the National Executive Committee for very many years, who died during the 1957/58 season. The English Junior Championships were once more united with the Senior Championships and played as part of the main Championships.

For the 1958/59 season the I.T.T.F. Congress and World Championships were staged in Dortmund, Germany.

Representatives of the Association again took part in these Championships with the players of Japan proving beyond doubt that they were the world's leading players at this period of time.

For the English Open Championships in this season, the players of Japan and many other leading European countries competed with I. Ogimura of Japan winning the Men's Singles title, Miss F. Eguchi (Japan) the Women's Singles, T. Murakami and I. Ogimura (Japan) the Men's Doubles, Miss F. Eguchi and Miss K. Matsuzaki (Japan) the Women's Doubles and T. Murakami and Miss K. Matsuzaki (Japan) the Mixed Doubles.

The predominance of Japanese players in the World Championships was very apparent in the Association's events in that all five titles were won by the players from the Far East.

In the 1959/60 season the European Championships were again played, these Championships now alternating every other year with the World Championships. The "European" was staged in Zagreb, Yugoslavia, with the Association's players again taking part and having quite some considerable success.

The English Open Championships, it had been noted, had begun to lack a certain amount of public interest during the past season and the finals of the Championships this season were moved from their old home at Wembley to the Royal Albert Hall in London. A smaller enthusiastic crowd saw I. Harrison (England) win the Men's Singles title; the first time an Englishman had won the title for 36 years. The Women's Singles title went to Mrs. A. Simon (Netherlands), the Men's Doubles to two Englishmen, J. A. Leach and M. H. Thornhill, two English girls—Miss D. Rowe and Miss C. K. Best—won the Women's Doubles title and to complete the picture of four English wins out of five titles, I. Harrison and Miss D. Rowe won the Mixed Doubles title.

Also during this season a tour of England was made by players of the Chinese Association which was their first ever visit to this country.

For the 1960/61 season, the World Championships were

staged this time in Peking, China. The Association's representatives again attended the Championships and the heavy expenditure incurred was paid for by generous donations from the Manufacturers of the game's equipment and also by the English Table Tennis Supporters' Club which had been formed some twelve months earlier.

I. Harrison and Miss D. Rowe were the most successful of the Association's players and a special tribute should be paid to B. Merrett who played throughout these Championships with a suspected hernia.

At the end of the Championships the Association's teams were placed 6th in the World in both the Men's and Women's classification list and with the game increasing in world popularity at this time, these rankings were a considerable achievement.

The final of the English Open Championships were again played in the Royal Albert Hall, London, and the larger majority of titles again went to representatives of foreign Associations, V. Markovic (Yugoslavia) winning the Men's Singles title, Mrs. E. Foldi (Koczian) (Hungary), the Women's Singles, H. Alser and T. Larsson (Sweden), the Men's Doubles, Miss C. K. Best (England) and Mrs. A. Simon (Germany D.T.T.B.), the Women's Doubles and Z. Berczik and Mrs. E. Foldi (Koczian) (Hungary), the Mixed Doubles.

In this season also, a tour of England was made by the players of the U.S.S.R. which created great interest at the centres they visited. Like the Chinese players who visited England the season before, this was the first time that a visit had been arranged for the U.S.S.R. players.

From 1958 to 1961 a number of the Association's well known and well loved members passed away, they being Mr. C. Corti Woodcock (Hon. Life Member), Vice Presidents C. E. Bartholomew, A. F. Carris (also an Hon. Life Member), F. S. B. Lawes, W. A. Pritchard and P. E. Warden (also Hon. Life Member) and L. E. Forest, (Hon. Life Member and serving N.E.C. member for the Yorkshire region at the time of his death). Theirs was a grievous loss to the Association as they were all most active in the early years of the Association's activities.

RULES

NAME

1. The Association shall be called the English Table Tennis Association, and shall be affiliated to the International Table Tennis Federation.

OBJECTS

2. The objects of the Association shall be as follows:
- To lay down and secure the adoption of uniform laws of the game of Table Tennis in England and to act as the legislative authority.
 - To decide all doubtful or disputed questions as to the laws and all matters relating to the game in England.
 - To act as the sole controlling and governing body of the game of Table Tennis in England.
 - To apply solely to the promotion of the foregoing objects all income and property of the Association from whatever source derived.

CONSTITUTION

3. The Association shall consist of President, Vice-Presidents, Honorary Life Members and duly elected officers, County Associations, Local Associations, Local Leagues, Directly Affiliated Clubs and Individual Members (the latter in membership prior to 1st July, 1957), all being duly affiliated.

NOTE—In subsequent Rules "Local Associations and Local Leagues" shall be referred to as "Local Leagues."

QUALIFICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

4. Any Local League, Club or Individual player playing under the Laws of the Game as approved by the Association shall be eligible for affiliation.

ELECTION

5. Every applicant for membership of the Association shall complete the affiliation form in force for the time being, and shall sign same on his behalf or on behalf of the Local League or club for whom application is being made. The National Executive Committee shall have power to refuse any application for affiliation without giving reasons.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

6. The Annual Subscription shall be as follows:—
- Local Leagues (i) 9/- for each club having one team in the League. (ii) 5/6 for each club having one team in membership with more than one League. (iii) 3/- for each school or each club certified to be a bona fide Youth Club by a local Education Authority Youth Committee. For clubs having more than one team in the same League payment to be 2/6 for each additional team except that for schools and Youth Clubs as defined in 6 (a) (iii) the payment to be 1/6 for each additional team.

(b) Clubs—£1 1s. 0d. for each club affiliating directly, whether a member of a Local League or not, or 5/- for each school or Club certified to be a bona fide Youth Club by a local Education Authority Youth Committee.

(c) Individuals—£1 1s. 0d. for individuals desiring personal affiliation, provided they were in membership with the E.T.T.A. prior to the 1st July, 1957.

(d) Organisations—Special organisations, including Youth Organisations, may be accepted into good standing at the discretion of the Executive Committee.

(e) Members' Levy.—A levy of 6d. per member for all members registered with or in membership with a League shall be paid in accordance with Rule 7 but the Levy due from members registering with or becoming members of a League after the 31st October shall be paid to the Secretary of the Association by the following 31st March. The following conditions to apply:—

- The levy shall be collected from each League regardless of a member being in membership with more than one League.
- The levy not to apply to members playing only for Youth Clubs or School Clubs in Youth or Schools Leagues.
- For the purpose of definition of the word "member," this to mean any member taking part in any League or Tournament competition under the auspices of a League.
- In the event of a League not registering individual members, the calculation of the levy shall be based on the number of teams competing in the League multiplied by the normal number of players in a team plus two players for each Club.
- The levy (as defined in Rule 6(e)) shall be imposed in any year only when the preceding Annual General Meeting, or a Special General Meeting called for the purpose, shall have approved a resolution so directing. For the purposes of Rule 18(g), such a resolution shall be regarded as one affecting the Rules of the Association.

7. All subscriptions shall be paid to the Secretary of the Association not later than 31st October each year. Affiliated local leagues, clubs or individuals, shall be held liable for their subscriptions for the succeeding season if they shall not have given notice of withdrawal from the Association before 15th September in any year.

8. A copy of the Association's current Handbook when published shall be supplied free of charge to every affiliated club.

OFFICERS

9. The Honorary Officers of the Association shall be a Chairman, Deputy Chairman, General Secretary and Treasurer. The National Executive Committee shall at its discretion have authority to elect a Press Officer, Director of Coaching and Editor of the Official Magazine, Hon. Assistant Secretaries and Hon. Assistant Treasurers and to invite such persons to attend meetings of the National Executive Committee, but without vote unless they already be members of the Committee. All Officers shall retire annually.

but shall be eligible for re-election. The National Executive Committee shall have power to create and fill any other office which in its opinion is necessary and be at liberty to remunerate any officer who is not appointed on an honorary basis.

10. Notice of retirement from the position of any Office shall be sent to the Secretary not later than 31st January in any year.

HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

11. The distinction of Honorary Life Member may be conferred for special or long service in connection with the game nationally (a) the distinction shall be conferred only at an Annual General Meeting; (b) Candidates shall be nominated only by the National Executive Committee; (c) the distinction shall carry with it the right to attend all meetings of the Association and to the right of the Official Pass of the E.T.T.A.

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

12. (a) The affairs of the Association shall be managed by a National Executive Committee, consisting of the Chairman, Deputy Chairman, Hon. Treasurer, Hon. General Secretary, members elected annually in accordance with Rule 12 (b)(i), two members of the Association elected annually on a national basis, and one woman member of the Association elected annually on a National basis; no person may enter for more than one ballot for membership of the National Executive Committee.

(b)(i) The National Executive Committee shall be elected on a regional basis and for this purpose England shall be divided into twelve regions as follows one member being elected for each region, and every County, or Local League shall be included in a Region:-

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| North. | East. |
| Lancashire. | North Thames. |
| Yorkshire. | London (1). |
| North Midlands. | London (2). |
| West. | South West. |
| Midlands. | South. |

(ii) The Counties and Leagues for each region shall be as prescribed from time to time by the National Executive Committee.

(iii) Each County or League Secretary, according to his region, shall be entitled to nominate and vote for as many vacancies as is laid down in that region.

(c) The quorum necessary for the transaction of the business of the committee may be fixed by the Committee and, unless so fixed, shall be five.

(d) Except as herein otherwise provided, every question at a meeting of the Committee shall be determined by a majority of the votes of the members present and voting, every member having one vote, and in the case of an equality of votes the Chairman of the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.

(e) The Committee may delegate any of its duties to Committees consisting of such persons as it thinks fit. Any Committee so formed shall, in the performance of the duties so delegated, conform to any regulations that may be imposed on it by the National Executive Committee.

(f) The Committee shall have power to fill casual vacancies in the membership of the Committee, but any member or members so appointed shall hold office only until the next Annual General Meeting of the Association. Any new post or office created by an alteration to Rules made at any Annual General Meeting or at a Special General Meeting, shall be filled only by postal vote, in accordance with rule 12 (h).

(g) Forms of nomination for the election of officers of the Association, Regional members of the Association and the two members of the Association and the one woman member of the Association to be elected on a national basis shall be forwarded by the Secretary to all County and League Secretaries at least 28 days before the date fixed for holding the Annual General Meeting. Each County or League Secretary shall be entitled to nominate as many persons as there are vacancies to be filled, and no more. No nomination will be effective unless nominations from at least two different County or League Secretaries for the person nominated are received by the Secretary of the Association (or such other person approved by the National Executive Committee) within fourteen days of the issue of the nomination papers.

(h) The voting for the election of members of the Committee and officers of the Association (other than the Hon. General Secretary) shall be by postal vote (if there are more valid nominations than vacancies to be filled), which shall be conducted in such a manner as the National Executive Committee may from time to time determine. Each County or League Secretary shall be entitled to vote for as many candidates as there are vacancies to be filled and no more and no less. Each County Secretary shall be entitled to 1 vote. Each League Secretary having 15 or less teams, 1 vote, 16-50 teams 2 votes, and 51 or more teams 3 votes. Scrutineers shall be appointed by the National Executive Committee to determine any questions as to the validity of nomination papers, and ascertain the result of any postal vote held under the provisions of this rule.

(i) The administration of the Rules and Regulations of the Association shall be vested solely in the National Executive Committee who shall:

(i) Decide all questions of laws and other matters relating to the game save those involving an alteration in the Rules of the Association.

(ii) Decide all matters relating to International and representative matches, teams, conferences, etc., as affecting the Association.

- (iii) Sanction Open Tournaments, Invitation Tournaments or general competitions.
- (iv) Decide all questions of suspension of players or clubs for any breach of the Rules and Regulations substantiated by duly verified documentary evidence, provided any suspended player or club shall have the right of appeal to the Committee.
- (j) At the first meeting of the National Executive Committee after the Annual General Meeting it shall agree the Standing Orders for the coming period of office.

FINANCE

13. The financial year of the Association shall end on 31st May, and an audited statement of accounts up to and including this date shall be published annually.

14. The funds of the Association shall be lodged at a bank, and all cheques, drafts, etc., drawn on the account shall be signed by either the Chairman and Hon. Treasurer, or Paid Secretary and Hon. Treasurer.

15. If at any time the National Executive Committee shall procure the registration under the Companies Act, 1948 of a company limited by guarantee having amongst its objects, objects similar to those of the Association, the National Executive Committee shall have power to transfer and pay over to such company without consideration the whole of the property and assets of the Association (after payment of or provision for the liabilities of the Association) and after such transfer and payment over to declare by resolution that the Association is dissolved. Any such transfer and payment shall be valid and binding upon all parties interested and such declaration shall be effective.

16.—

(a) A special fund reserved solely for the provision of coaching facilities and essential equipment shall be set up for the benefit of the members of the Association and administered by the National Executive Committee.

(b) Payment for the provision of coaching facilities and equipment shall be made direct from the special fund and not by distributing the money for such facilities or equipment to members of the Association.

17. If upon the winding up or dissolution of the Association there remains, after the satisfaction of all its debts and liabilities, any property whatsoever, the same shall not be paid to or distributed among the members of the Association, but shall be given or transferred to some other institution or institutions having objects similar to the objects of the Association and if effect cannot be given to such provision then to some other purposes approved by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

18. The Annual General Meeting of the Association shall be held in the last week in June or the first week in July, when the Annual Report of the National Executive Committee and statement of accounts made up to 31st May, or a subsequent date, shall be presented.

(a) At least fourteen days' notice specifying the place, the date and hour, together with the agenda, shall be given to all County Associations, local leagues, clubs, directly affiliated clubs and individuals.

(b) Each affiliated league shall be entitled to send two and each County Association and directly affiliated club one accredited representative to be present at the Annual General Meeting. Attendance at the A.G.M. shall be open to all affiliated members.

(c) Resolutions affecting the Rules of the Association and the Laws of the Game as approved by the Association and all matters concerning the constitution and welfare of the Association to be subject to block voting.

(d) On any motion the Chairman shall have the power to test the meeting's feelings by a show of hands of accredited representatives. After declaring the hands shown for and against the motion, the Chairman shall accept a demand for a block vote from any accredited representative, or may himself decide to proceed to a block vote. In the absence of a demand for a block vote, if the Chairman is satisfied that the show of hands indicates a clear decision, he may dispense with a block vote and declare the decision on the basis of the hands shown.

(e) In block voting each County Association shall be entitled to one vote for up to five Leagues in membership with the County Association and to one further vote for each additional five Leagues in membership with the County, each directly affiliated Club shall be entitled to one vote, each affiliated League to one vote for each team in membership with the League, but, no directly affiliated individual, Special Organisation including Youth Organisation, or other member present, is entitled to vote.

(f) Proxies will only be recognised if they have been given in writing. The name of the proxy holder for any County Association, Local League, Directly Affiliated Club shall be sent to the Secretary of the Association seven days before the date of the Annual General Meeting.

(g) A majority in excess of opposition of one-third of the votes represented in person, or by proxy, relating to a specific resolution, shall be necessary to carry any resolution in respect of the Laws of the Game and the Rules of the Association. Other resolutions shall be decided by simple majority, and, in the event of a tie, excepting financial questions, the meeting shall proceed to the next business. In the matter of finance the Chairman shall have a casting vote.

(h) A local league, club or individual member who has not paid

any affiliation fee due to the Association shall not be entitled to be represented, present, or to vote at any meeting or take any part in the business of the Association.

- (i) It shall be the duty of the Annual General Meeting to elect the President and Auditors, who shall take office from the day following the meeting.
- (j) The Vice-Presidents and Honorary Life Members of the Association shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting, but only on the nomination of the National Executive Committee. The number of Vice-Presidents shall be limited to 25.
- (k) (i) The Hon. General Secretary of the Association shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting but only on the nomination of the National Executive Committee.
- (ii) Each County or League Secretary shall be entitled to submit for the consideration of the National Executive Committee suggested nomination for the post of Hon. General Secretary on the form provided for the nomination of other officers in accordance with Rule 12 (g) (i).
- (iii) In the event of a National Executive Committee nomination not being endorsed by an Annual General Meeting, such nomination to be submitted to a postal ballot conducted in accordance with the procedure in Rule 12 (h).
- (iv) Any casual vacancy in the office of Hon. General Secretary filled by the National Executive Committee under Rule 12 (f) shall be designated "Acting Hon. General Secretary."
- (l) The quorum for the Annual General Meeting shall be 25 accredited County or League representatives (as defined in Rule 18 (b)). Should the meeting not complete necessary business owing to lack of a quorum, then the Meeting shall stand adjourned until 28 days from the date originally fixed, and further notices of the adjournment date shall be sent in accordance with Rule 18 (a).

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

19. A Special General Meeting of the Association shall be convened on a resolution of the National Executive Committee, or within one month of receipt by the Secretary of a resolution signed by the authorised representatives of at least one-third of the leagues, and Rule 18 respecting circulation of notices and procedure shall apply as at the A.G.M.

COUNTY ADMINISTRATION

- 20. (a) (i) Where a majority of affiliated local leagues in any County agree, a body shall be set up for the purpose of administration in the County.
- (ii) In the event of a league having Clubs in membership in more than one County or a league being on the borders of a County, the league shall select the County Association to which it shall belong, subject to the consent of the Counties

concerned. If a further County Body is formed after the league has been accepted, the league shall have the right to make a new application. A league on the borders of a County before being accepted into membership of a County other than its own must also obtain the consent of the National Executive Committee. There shall be no County of London.

- (iii) Subject to the proviso in (ii), the name of the league shall be the basis of determining the County to which the league shall be in membership, but if the name of the league is not the name of a town or district, then the headquarters of the league shall determine the County to which the league shall be attached.
- (iv) Where leagues have been associated in membership with a County other than their own County they may remain in membership provided such membership was granted prior to 1st April 1947.
- (v) In the event of any question arising not provided for in these Rules as to the County to which a league shall belong, the matter shall be dealt with by the National Executive Committee, whose decision shall be final.
- (vi) In any case where the National Executive Committee may decide that a League shall not be obliged to affiliate to a County Association, either (a) because no County Association exists in the County concerned or (b) because membership of the Leagues concerned is spread over more than one County, an additional fee equal to 2s. per Club in membership with the said League shall be paid to the E.T.T.A. Money so received in case (a) shall be passed to the appropriate County Association if one be formed during the year to which payment relates, but shall otherwise become ordinary E.T.T.A. income. Money so received in case (b) shall be divided in such a manner as the National Executive Committee may decide between the County Associations in whose areas the League concerned operates.
- (b) Membership of such County body to be compulsory on all affiliated leagues, directly affiliated clubs and individuals in the County.
- (c) The Constitution and Regulations of each County Association shall be approved by the National Executive Committee and any subsequent amendments shall be submitted for approval.
- (d) Applications for the running of Open Tournaments shall be submitted to the appropriate County Association, who shall recommend them to the National Executive Committee for approval.
- (e) A County Association shall have power to organise Open and Invitation Tournaments (subject to the sanction of the National Executive Committee), closed tournaments, county leagues, county championships, inter-league matches and inter-county Championships. They shall also have power, in conjunction with

other County Associations, to run representative matches, leagues, etc.

(f) A County Association shall have complete autonomy in organising and administering the game in the county but shall have no power to alter the laws of the game or the rules and regulations of the Association or to override the decisions of the National Executive Committee.

(g) A County Association shall have power to suspend local leagues, clubs, players or officials and such suspensions to be compulsorily carried out by all bodies in the county, subject to a right of appeal to the National Executive Committee. The suspension to be made national if so decided by the National Executive Committee.

(h) County Associations shall be entitled to the following refunds -

- (i) 6d. per team in respect of Youth and Schools Leagues affiliated to them.
- (ii) 1/6d. per team in respect of all other Leagues affiliated to them.
- (iii) 1/-d. for each Directly Affiliated Club affiliated to them.

GENERAL

21. No affiliated player or club may take part in competition with any player or club, or in exhibition at any club, or under any auspices, not registered or affiliated to the English Table Tennis Association, without the sanction of the County Secretary concerned.

22. No affiliated player may permit a cinematographic record of himself or herself to be taken in connection with Table Tennis for public exhibition unless sanction has first been obtained from the Secretary of the Association.

23. (a) No affiliated player shall be paid or receive any remuneration other than expenses (return fare, hotel accommodation and meals) or reward (other than prizes as provided for in the Association's regulations dealing with the Registered Member) for playing in any competitive table tennis event. A competitive table tennis event is one in which a player is playing for his club, league, County or Country against another club, league, County or Country, or in an Open, Closed, Invitation, or other tournament. Trial or representative matches organised by Clubs, Leagues, Counties or the National Association shall rank as competitive play.

(b) No affiliated player may enter into a contract in return for capitalising his skill at table tennis without the sanction of the National Executive Committee.

(c) No affiliated player may enter into a contract providing for his exclusive use of certain materials or exclusive play on certain premises controlled by a firm, in any circumstances.

24. In all tournaments the matches sanctioned by the National Executive Committee, players are prohibited from wearing white or

light coloured clothes that might, in the opinion of the duly appointed referee, tend to unsight an opponent.

Recommendation adopted at A.G.M. April, 1952:—All competitors are strongly recommended to wear a sports shirt or other top of single colour (except for badge, of reasonable size), trousers, skirts, or shorts of single colour and rubber shoes. All counties, leagues, local associations and clubs are requested to use their best endeavours to secure compliance with this recommendation.

Players representing the Association in an International or other representative match must wear the regulation dress as instructed by the National Executive Committee.

25. No affiliated member, player or organiser may take part in a televised event in connection with table tennis unless sanction has first been obtained from the Secretary of the Association or the event is one authorised by the Association.

26. A person gainfully connected with Table Tennis may occupy an administrative office, or serve on an administrative committee of the Association only provided that he is prepared to withdraw from any meeting or abstain from voting on any issue, on request formally passed by a majority of the meeting he is attending.

OPEN AND INVITATION TOURNAMENTS

27. The following rules apply to Open and Invitation Tournaments:

(a) No Open or Invitation Tournament to be held without the sanction of the National Executive Committee.

(b) All competitors must be affiliated members of the E.T.T.A., or I.T.T.F.

(c) All competitors, other than those in Junior events only, shall pay a fee of 1/-d. to the E.T.T.A. The Tournament Secretary shall remit the fees collected to the Association together with a summary of the number of entrants in each event and a record of the results of each event including details of the final and semi-finals matches, within 14 days of the completion of the tournament. A County Association shall be entitled to a refund of a sum equivalent to one-fifth of the competitors' fees paid to the Association in respect of tournaments played in the area of the county concerned.

(d) No seeding shall be permitted in any Open or Invitation Tournament run on the knockout or group system, except in accordance with conditions which the National Executive Committee may lay down from time to time.

(e) At all tournaments and matches the decision of the referee appointed by the Committee in charge shall be final on the question of law, the decision of the umpire shall be final on a question of fact, and the decision of the end umpire, if appointed, shall be final on a question of fact relating to the purpose for which he was appointed.

(f) The make and class of the ball to be used, number and make of tables, distance (in feet) of run-back from ends of tables and

- distance (in feet) between each table where the tables are side by side shall be clearly stated on all entry forms in accordance with conditions laid down by the National Executive Committee.
- (g) The age for Juniors shall be that a player under 17 on July 1st shall be entitled to compete in Junior events of the subsequent season.
- (h) The age for Veterans shall be that a player 40 or over on July 1st shall be entitled to compete in Veterans events of the subsequent season.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

28. The English National Championships may be held once every year.

(a) The date and venue shall be fixed and notice of same circulated as in Rules 18 clause (a) not later than December 31st each year.

(b) Twelve Championships shall be held as follows: Men's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Singles, Women's Doubles, Mixed Doubles, Junior Singles (Boys), Junior Singles (Girls), Junior Doubles (Boys), Junior Doubles (Girls), Junior Mixed Doubles and Men's and Women's Veterans' Singles, and in addition a Men's and Women's Consolation Singles event for competitors eliminated in the first two played rounds of the Singles Championships. A walkover but not a bye shall rank as a played round. It shall be in the power of the National Executive Committee to decide, in any year, to hold Junior Championships events separately from the Senior Championships.

(c) All matches in the Championships shall be the best of five games, with the exception of the Junior Singles (Boys), Junior Singles (Girls), Junior Doubles (Boys), Junior Doubles (Girls), Junior Mixed Doubles, Veterans' and Consolation events, which shall be best of three games.

(d) Rule 27, Clauses (b), (d), (e), (f) and (g) shall also apply.

29. Any breach of the rules and regulations, renders the offending local league, club, player, member or official liable to suspension, and/or fine, as may be decided by the National Executive Committee.

ALTERATION OF RULES

30. These Rules, and the Laws of the Game as approved by the Association, may be changed (whether by addition, alteration or deletion) only by decision of an Annual General Meeting or of a Special General Meeting convened for the purpose.

(a) Proposals for such changes to be considered by the next Annual General Meeting shall be submitted in writing to reach the Secretary not later than the last day in February. All proposals so received shall be circulated to all County Associations and Local Leagues during March and amendments or alternative proposals dealing with the same substance shall be accepted for consideration by the Annual General Meeting if submitted in

writing and received by the Secretary not later than the last day in April.

(b) Proposals for such changes to be considered by a Special General Meeting shall be submitted to the Secretary in writing together with the demand for that Special General Meeting.

31. In the event of any question or matter arising which is not provided for in the Rules, such question or matter shall be dealt with by the National Executive Committee, whose decision shall be final.

NATIONAL SECRETARY

32. Should the National Executive Committee, under the provisions set out in Rule 9, appoint a paid National Secretary, then such appointment shall supersede the position of Hon. General Secretary and may be for such time as the appointment made. Any agreement relating thereto, entered into by the Officers of the Association shall be binding on the Association.

33. In the event of an Hon. General Secretary being elected all reference (except in Rule 32) to the paid Secretary or the paid National Secretary shall be deemed to read "Hon. General Secretary."

OFFICIAL BALLS, SEASON 1961-62

By decision of the National Executive Committee, the official balls for Season 1961-62 will be:—

The "Villa" XXX and XX.

The "Dunlop Barna" Three Crown and Two Crown.

The "Halex" Three Star and Two Star.

The "Haydon Tema" Three Star and Two Star.

REGISTERED MEMBERS' REGULATIONS

1. Payment to Members

(a) No payment, other than expenses, shall be made to or received by any affiliated member for playing, coaching, umpiring, writing, filming, broadcasting, televising, or for exhibitions or in relation to equipment, unless he has been duly registered or has received specific permission from the National Executive Committee of the English Table Tennis Association to receive it. Application of this regulation may be excused at the discretion of the National Executive Committee in respect of writing, filming, broadcasting and televising.

(b) No affiliated Organisation or Club shall make any payment, other than expenses, to a member for any of the above activities unless the member has been registered or has received specific permission as above. Any affiliated Association or Club making a payment in excess of expenses, if requested by the Secretary of the E.T.T.A. or the County Secretary concerned, must report the payment specifying the amount of the services rendered, within fourteen days of such a request being received.

(c) No registered player shall be paid or receive any reward or remuneration other than expenses (return fare, hotel accommodation, meals) for playing in a representative match or Open Tournament, except as (d) below. A representative match is one in which a player is playing for his club, league, county or Country against any other team, league, county or Country. Proper Trial matches organised by clubs, leagues, counties or the National Association for the purpose of selecting representative teams shall rank as participation in representative matches.

(d) Prizes of £5 or less in value may be awarded or accepted without special permission other than the general sanction granted for the holding of Open Championships. No prize may exceed £5 in value. Badges and colours may be awarded and accepted for participation in Representative matches.

(e) No registered member may receive payment, other than expenses, for playing or umpiring in any form of competition (even if of a closed or invitation character) without specific permission of the National Executive Committee of the English Table Tennis Association except as provided in (d) above.

(f) Betting in any shape or form on players or matches is strictly prohibited.

2. Method of Registration

(a) Application for registration shall be made to the Secretary of the English Table Tennis Association in writing and should be accompanied by the registration fee or, where the applicant is a member of a league, by a certificate of approval signed by the league secretary and where the league is a member of a County Association, countersigned by the County Association. Where the applicant is not a member of a league the approval of the County Association in which the applicant resides must be obtained. Where the applicant is not a member of a League and there is no

County body concerned direct application should be made to the Secretary of the English Table Tennis Association.

(b) Application shall be renewed with the fee and the requisite certificates for each year for which registration is desired.

(c) Applications for registration shall be reported to and dealt with by the National Executive Committee meeting next following the application provided that, where adequate grounds of emergency exist, the Secretary of the English Table Tennis Association may himself grant provisional registration, subject to review of the grant at the National Executive Committee meeting next following, always provided, where a League or County Association is concerned, that the appropriate signatures have been obtained.

(d) Registration is valid from the date of registration to the 30th June next following but may be cancelled by the National Executive Committee in the event of a breach of these rules and for other misdemeanours.

(e) The fee that must accompany each application is £2. Where registration is granted provisionally it shall not be returnable even if cancelled upon review. Nor shall it be returnable in the event of cancellation under (d) above.

(f) In the event of a refusal of signature by the appropriate League the would-be applicant may appeal to the County Association concerned who may, if they think fit, send forward the application without the League's approval. In the event of a refusal by both the League and the County the would-be applicant may appeal to the National Executive Committee of the English Table Tennis Association, accompanying the appeal with a fee of £1, which may be forfeited in the event of the appeal not being sustained.

3. Code for Registered Members

(a) They shall not enter into any contract for exclusive play under particular auspices or on particular premises, or for the exclusive use of particular equipment, that might prevent them from entering an Open Championship or from accepting the instructions of the duly appointed captain in a representative match.

(b) They shall not allow their names to be used on publications they have not themselves written.

(c) They shall not allow their names to be used on equipment not designed by them.

(d) Except with the permission of the Secretary of the English Table Tennis Association, they shall not enter into any contractual obligation liable to clash with participation in the World's Championships or Open National Championships.

(e) When invited to represent their country in a representative match or competition, they shall not play in any clashing event, unless so obliged by previous contract, and shall, in any case, use

NOTE. Registered players are expected to make themselves available whenever possible when invited to represent not only their country but their county as well, in representative matches and Open Championships. A persistent refusal to make reasonable contribution in this respect may effect the views entertained by the responsible authority towards subsequent applications for registration.

their best endeavours to obtain release from such clashing contractual obligation, provided they can do so without financial penalty.

(f) They will not appear in any competition or exhibition, other than one organised by a duly affiliated County Association, League, Club or other body of the English Table Tennis Association without the sanction of the Secretary of the English Table Tennis Association and the County Association concerned. This sanction may be granted for a single event or for a series; it shall be withheld only if the promoter of the event, the location of the proposed premises, the details and the nature of the proposed exhibition or the fact of clashing with an event locally organised by an affiliated body or with a co-ordinated County programme so as to be injurious to the latter are such that the event is liable to be injurious to the best interests of Table Tennis.

(g) They may accept any engagement for an exhibition, for coaching or for participation in a Closed or Invitation tournament with prizes not exceeding the scale fixed in 1 (d) from any authorised club, league or Association affiliated to the English Table Tennis Association provided that the sponsoring Association, league or club, if within the area of a County Association, has obtained the consent of the County Association or, if not within the area of a County Association, has obtained the consent of the Secretary of the English Table Tennis Association. An appeal against the refusal of a County Association to allow an engagement may be made to the National Executive Committee of the English Table Tennis Association. They may accept without formality other than Registration, any payments for broadcasting, filming, organising, writing and in relation to equipment.

4. Registered Members

Any Registered player wishing to be placed on a list of Exhibition players shall submit an application to the Honorary General Secretary of the English Table Tennis Association who will place this application before the National Executive Committee.

NOTE. Players who play abroad under auspices affiliated to the International Federation are subject, as far as payment and other matters are concerned, to the regulations of the Association governing the country where they play. In addition to observing the Regulations of the English Table Tennis Association, with which players are urged to familiarise themselves, every player is advised to ascertain that his Table Tennis abroad conforms to the Regulations of the Governing Body of the Country concerned.

Further, every player is advised to ascertain that the auspices under which he plays are properly affiliated to, and acting in accordance with, the decisions of an Association in membership with the International Table Tennis Federation. Finally, every player is advised not to enter into any contract in this country which will oblige him to be the participant in infringement of the Regulations of the Governing Body of any nation in membership with the International Table Tennis Federation. Disregard of this warning may render a player liable to penalty of another Association, confirmed by the English Table Tennis Association at its request.

5. Warnings

(a) The list of players registered on the 1st October in each season shall be published with periodical additions, together with a warning that any payment, other than legitimate expenses, to players not appearing on the list or payments to Registered Members without the necessary permissions mentioned above, renders offending Organisations as well as players liable to disciplinary action.

(b) A copy of these regulations shall be furnished together with the notification of the grant of registration to every Registered Member and shall appear in the handbook.

REGULATIONS TO COVER INTERNATIONAL CONTACTS

English Players Outside England

1. Players duly affiliated to the E.T.T.A. may take part in the Open National Championships of other Associations only by permission of the E.T.T.A.

2. Players duly affiliated to the E.T.T.A. may take part in competitions, other than open National Championships, when visiting or temporarily resident abroad without special permission, provided

- (a) the organiser of the event concerned is affiliated to, or authorised by, a national association affiliated to the I.T.T.F.
- (b) the conditions have been approved by the national association concerned;
- (c) they do so at their own expense.

It shall be the responsibility of the E.T.T.A. players to ascertain that the organisers of any event in which they may be taking part are duly affiliated to, and have due sanction from, a National Association affiliated to the I.T.T.F.

3. Players may receive expenses or other remuneration in connection with playing the game and may participate in exhibitions or give instruction with or without expenses or remuneration abroad only if (i) conditions (a) and (b) above are fulfilled and (ii) if permission, specific to each occasion, shall have been previously requested and received in writing from the E.T.T.A.

4. Players duly affiliated to the E.T.T.A. may play in countries where there is no national association affiliated to the I.T.T.F. only with the consent previously requested and received in writing from the I.T.T.F. at the solicitation of the E.T.T.A.

Foreign Players in England

5. Foreign players duly affiliated to a national association affiliated to the I.T.T.F. and visiting or temporarily resident in England may participate in any open Championship or other competition sanctioned by the E.T.T.A., without special permission from the E.T.T.A., provided they have the authorisation to do so of their own national association and do so at their own expense

It shall be the obligation of the organisers of such open championship to assure themselves that the entrant has such permission before accepting entry.

6. Such foreign players may receive expenses or other remuneration for playing the game in England, and participate in exhibitions, or give instruction with or without expenses or remuneration, only with the specific consent previously requested and obtained in writing of the E.T.T.A., and provided they have authorisation of their own association as above.

It shall be the obligation of the foreign players concerned to ascertain that the organiser of the event proposed has the assent of the E.T.T.A. before undertaking to play, exhibit or instruct.

7. Foreign players affiliated to a national association not affiliated to the I.T.T.F. must, in addition, request and obtain through the E.T.T.A., permission of the I.T.T.F.

Matches Between Representative Teams of Clubs, Leagues, Counties, Cities, etc., of England and other Countries

8. Clubs, Leagues, Counties, Cities or other bodies, clubs affiliated or composed of bodies duly affiliated to the E.T.T.A. may arrange team matches with corresponding bodies of other countries provided that

- the body concerned of the other countries has obtained sanction from a national association affiliated to the I.T.T.F. (the responsibility to ascertain that this has been done shall be the responsibility of the English party);
- where the other country concerned has no national association affiliated to the I.T.T.F. sanction shall have been obtained from the I.T.T.F. by intercession of the E.T.T.A.;
- if remuneration or expenses are paid or received by either party, specific permission shall have been requested and obtained from the E.T.T.A.;
- copies of all correspondence relating to the event shall be furnished, currently and immediately, to the E.T.T.A.

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RULES FOR NATIONAL TEAM COMPETITIONS WILMOTT CUP (MEN) AND J. M. ROSE BOWL (WOMEN)

1. The competitions shall be open to teams representing affiliated leagues, University clubs being considered as leagues for these competitions. All entries, with the entry fee of 10/- a team, must be received at the E.T.T.A. office not later than 30th September, in each season.

2. A league shall be represented in each tie by three players, each a member of that league taking part in the league competition. No player may represent more than one league in the competitions in one season.

3. Each round shall consist of a tie of up to nine matches, as defined in Rule 5, the tie being completed when one team has won five matches. Each match shall be the best of three games.

4. Before each tie the two captains shall decide by lot the right of being A, B, C, or X, Y, Z and each captain shall then name his team to the Referee allotting a letter to each of his players. The order of play shall then be as defined in Rule 5 and may be altered only by mutual agreement of the captains and consent of the Referee.

5. (a) In a Wilmott Cup tie the order of play shall be A v. X, B v. Y, C v. Z, B v. X, A v. Z, C v. Y, B v. Z, C v. X, A v. Y.

(b) In a J. M. Rose Bowl tie the order of play shall be B & C v. X & Z, A v. Y, B v. Z, C v. Y, A v. X, A & B v. X & Y, C v. Z, B v. X, A & C v. Y & Z.

In both competitions the interval, if any, should be taken after the fifth match.

6. The entrants shall be divided by the Committee into two areas, which shall be further divided into zones and sub-divided into groups, no group containing more than eight entrants. The competitions shall be played on the knock-out system to determine successively group winners, zone winners and area winners, the area winners being the finalists of the competitions.

7. The draw for each group, zone and area, shall be made by the Committee and the result of each round shall be sent to all surviving entrants.

8. Except as provided in Rule 12, the league drawn first in each tie except the final shall play at home unless both leagues agree to reverse the fixture or unless a combination is drawn that has occurred previously in the same competition, when the league playing away on the previous occasion may claim the right to play at home. The home league shall write to the E.T.T.A. office and the visiting league not later than 2 weeks before the date fixed for the round confirming its acceptance of the responsibility for staging the tie.

9. The closing dates for all rounds shall be decided by the Committee at the beginning of each season, and notified to all participating leagues. The Committee shall have power to grant an extension of the date for a tie in any round provided application is made to the E.T.T.A. office by both leagues before the closing date for that round.

10. The home league shall offer the visiting league the choice of three dates, one of which shall be a Saturday or Sunday, giving not less than one week's notice. The visiting league must accept one of these dates, failure to reach agreement being reported immediately to the E.T.T.A. office.

11. Except as provided in Rule 12, in all rounds except the final each league shall be responsible for all expenses of its own team. The home league shall be responsible for the cost of staging the match and for providing refreshments for the visiting team.

12. If not less than $\frac{1}{2}$ of the entrants in a group agree, all the matches in that group may be played on one day at one venue, the expenses and receipts being shared equally among all the entrants agreeing to take part in the group play-off.

13. The final of each Competition shall be played on a date and at a venue selected by the Committee. The E.T.T.A. shall be responsible for the cost of staging the final and for the expenses of the participating teams up to an amount not exceeding the combined cost of second-class rail fare, hotel accommodation and breakfast for three persons in each team. Any profit made shall be divided 10% to each of the participating leagues, 10% to the league or affiliated body organising the staging of the tie, and the remainder to the E.T.T.A.

14. Ties must begin within 30 minutes of the previously appointed time. Any player not present when called upon by the Referee to play shall forfeit the match for which he is called. Any team playing with less than three players shall be liable to disciplinary action by the Committee.

15. The scores in each tie, signed by a representative of each team, shall be sent to the E.T.T.A. office within 2 days of the tie by the winning league. Failure to do so shall render the league responsible liable to disciplinary action by the Committee.

16. A Referee for each tie or group play-off shall be appointed by the person or body responsible for staging the tie or group play-off.

17. The playing conditions for each tie shall be as defined in the current E.T.T.A. regulations for Open Tournaments, and the ball shall be any ball currently approved by the E.T.T.A.

18. The competitions shall be managed by a sub-committee, referred to in these rules as the Committee, who shall be appointed each year by the N.E.C. The Committee's decision shall be final on all matters arising from these rules.

19. The rules of the competitions may be altered only by consent of a simple majority of a Trustee Committee, consisting of H. M. Bunbury, A. K. Vint and I. G. S. Montagu or their nominees.

20. (a) The winner of the competition for men's teams shall be the holder until the penultimate round of the following season's competition of the Cup presented by the late A. J. Wilmott. (The original Wilmott Cup was lost in the bombing of the E.T.T.A. office in 1940 and the Cup now presented to the winners is a substitute.)

(b) The winner of the competition for women's teams shall be the holder until the penultimate round of the competition in the following season of the Bowl presented by the late J. M. Rose.

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REGULATIONS DEFINING TOURNAMENTS AND COMPETITIONS

1. **OPEN TOURNAMENT:**
Open Tournaments shall be in two categories:—
 - (i) **OPEN.** These must comply with all the Regulations for Open Tournaments and shall be open for entry to the players in membership of all Associations affiliated to the I.T.T.F.
 - (ii) **APPROVED OPEN.** These must comply with all the Regulations for Open Tournaments except Regulation 12 and shall be open for entry only to players in membership of the E.T.T.A.
2. **CLOSED TOURNAMENT.** A Closed Tournament shall be any Tournament promoted by an affiliated body the entries for which are restricted to affiliated playing members of:—
 - (i) a particular Club or
 - (ii) a particular Local Association or League or County or
 - (iii) a defined area within a County approved by the appropriate County Association or
 - (iv) an area approved by the E.T.T.A.

3. **OTHER TOURNAMENTS**
(e.g. Invitation, Requests, Radius, etc.):
Other Tournaments shall be any Tournaments promoted by an affiliated body of invited affiliated players and for which general invitation to play are not issued. All Tournaments must have been approved by the County Association for the area in which the Tournament is to be held and by the E.T.T.A. In the event of these Tournaments including players in the area of another County then these invitations shall be given only with the consent of the E.T.T.A. and the County Association concerned. All organisers of 'invitation' Tournaments to forward to the Secretary of the E.T.T.A. the names of the players they intend to invite, together with the entry form (if any). For the purpose of Rule 28 (c) of the E.T.T.A. Rules these Tournaments shall be divided into three sections, as follows:

- (a) Tournaments which comprise of up to and including 32 players per event, Rule 28 (c) not to apply.
 - (b) When the area from which the players are invited is approved by the E.T.T.A., Rule 28 (c) not to apply.
 - (c) All other Tournaments in this Category, Rule 28 (c) to apply.
- NOTE:** Any Tournament in Section 3 'OTHER TOURNAMENTS' run for a Charitable purpose may apply to the E.T.T.A. for the E.T.T.A. Levy. The E.T.T.A. shall have power to donate such Levy to the Charitable purposes of that Tournament providing that satisfactory evidence is received that the Charity has received a sum equivalent to at least 50% of the gross Entry Fees.

4. **GENERAL COMPETITION:** Any competition consisting of affiliated and/or unaffiliated players organised by an affiliated body or by a non-affiliated organisation, the matches in which are played over a long period of time and/or in various places shall be known as a general competition and shall require the permission of the National Executive Committee who shall decide the conditions upon which such sanction shall be granted.

REGULATIONS FOR OPEN TOURNAMENTS

1. **PERMISSION:** An Open Tournament may be held only with the authority of the National Executive Committee.
2. **APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION:** Applications from affiliated Associations, Leagues, or Clubs to organise an Open Tournament shall be made to the appropriate County Association on a form to be provided by the E.T.T.A., and sent to the County Secretary not later than the 15th March preceding the Season in which the Tournament is to be held who will send it to the E.T.T.A. by the 31st March. The County Secretary must indicate on the form whether the County Association recommended that the application be approved.
3. **MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE:** A Committee shall be appointed by the promoting body to manage the Tournament.
4. **COMPETITORS:** All competitors must be affiliated members of the E.T.T.A. or members of an Association in membership with the I.T.T.F.
Each competitor must complete an Entry Form but in the case of Juniors a parent or guardian may sign for the competitor.
5. **ENTRY FORM:** An Entry Form which shall be issued by the organising body, shall contain the conditions of the Tournament and shall include the following particulars:—
 - (i) Name of Tournament, whether Open or Approved Open, and promoting body.
 - (ii) That the Tournament is sanctioned by the E.T.T.A.
 - (iii) That the Tournament will be conducted under the present laws of the game and in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the I.T.T.F. and the E.T.T.A., with particular attention to the Time Limit Rule and the Dress Regulation.
 - (iv) The names of the Referee, the names of the members of the Committee organising the Tournament and the name and address of the Tournament Secretary.
 - (v) The dates in full of the period in which the Tournament is to be organised and the hours of commencement of play.
 - (vi) The names of each event and the amount of entry fees for each event.
 - (vii) The Cups to be awarded (if any) and the nature, number and approximate value of prizes intended to be given for each event.
 - (viii) The name and address of the person to whom entries should be sent and the closing date for entries.

- (ix) The date and place of the draw.
 - (x) The make and class of ball to be used which must be one duly authorised by the E.T.T.A.
 - (xi) The location of the Hall and if catering and changing room facilities are available.
 - (xii) The make and number of tables to be used.
 - (xiii) The number of games to be played in each tie.
- NOTE: The number of games for each tie in every event shall be the same and shall not be varied for the Finals.
- (xiv) The distance (in feet) of run-back from ends of table and the distance (in feet) between each table where the tables are side by side.
 - (xv) If it is necessary to restrict entry that it will be on the basis of last received first out.
 - (xvi) The date of birth of a junior player.
 - (xvii) If preliminary play is to be by knock-out or in groups
 - (xviii) The help of players in umpiring especially in the early stages of the Tournament would be much appreciated, but no player will be obliged to umpire.
 - (xix) All competitors are strongly recommended to adhere to the following Dress Regulations Experiment:
 - (a) Shoes to be clean and rubber soled or sports type.
 - (b) Socks to be clean, white and ankle length.
 - (c) Trousers, slacks, shorts or skirts to be self-coloured but not white or light coloured.
 - (d) Shirt, blouse jersey or dress to be self-coloured but not white or light coloured, and any shirt or blouse jersey must be worn inside trousers, slacks, shorts or skirt.
 - (e) Pullovers, cardigans or slippers, if worn, to be same colour as shirt, etc. and must not be removed during any one game.
 - (f) No part of a track suit to be worn during actual play.
 - (xx) Reference to the E.T.T.A. Fee of 1/- per player (other than Junior players only entering Junior events) shall be printed clearly so that the players entering the Tournament know of their obligation to pay the appropriate fee.

Two copies of the Entry Form must be sent to the Hon. Secretary of the E.T.T.A. immediately they are printed and in the case of a Tournament being held for the first time a proof copy of the Entry Form shall be sent to the Secretary of the E.T.T.A. for approval prior to being issued to competitors.

6. QUALIFYING GROUPS OR ROUNDS: The winners of each group shall go into the first round proper, and no player shall be excluded beyond the first round unless drawn a bye into the second round. For a Tournament to be run entirely on the knock-out principle then not more than two qualifying rounds shall be held. As an alternative, Tournaments may have the option of playing up to four qualifying rounds and that every player who lives within 20 miles of the Tournament shall play in the

qualifying rounds provided a competitor already entered in another Open Tournament on the same day as the playing of such rounds may be excused.

SEEDING: Seeding of competitors is authorised, provided the following points are observed:-

- (a) Not more than four players in the Singles and two pairs in the Doubles
- (b) Seeded players to be indicated in any published programme and in all lists posted up for the benefit of competitors or spectators.
- (c) The players seeded in the Singles must be chosen from the highest ranked players entered. The International Selection Committee will provide a Ranking list for use for seeding purposes.
- (d) No seeding in groups (other than for (a) but players from the same club may be placed in separate groups.
- (e) At the conclusion of the Tournament full details of any seeding made shall be sent to the E.T.T.A.

8. DRAW: In all cases seeds shall be drawn. In Singles the first two ranked players and in Doubles the first two ranked pairs shall be drawn into top place of the top half and the bottom place of the bottom half. In Singles the next two ranked players shall be drawn into the bottom place of the top half and in the top place of the bottom half. Having first inserted the permitted number of seeds, if any, in their appropriate sections, make a straight draw. Sufficient byes must be introduced in the 1st round to make up a total to the power of two, i.e., 4, 8, 16, and so on; and the number of byes is obtained by subtracting the total entry from the next highest power of 2, e.g. 13 entries means 3 byes (16-13); 49 entries means 15 byes (64-49). Byes are placed equally at the top and bottom of the draw, and if they are an odd number (as above) the extra one goes into the bottom half.

9. FINALS AND ROUNDS: Finals of all events must be staged to commence at a reasonable time, and in any case on not more than two tables simultaneously. Finals of Junior events should be included in the first part of the programme where they are held on the same occasion as Senior events. Where rounds are played during an evening, every effort should be made to conclude at a reasonable hour. Players must be given an adequate rest period between rounds and events.

Finals and rounds of a Junior Open Tournament must be completed by 10 p.m. at the latest.

10. RESTRICTION OF ENTRIES: All entries shall be kept in strict order of date received, and if more entries are received than can be dealt with exclusion shall be on the basis of last received first out.

11. **PRIZES:** No prizes for an Open Tournament may be given other than medals or trophies except where the value of each is less than £5.

12. **PLAYING CONDITIONS:**

(a) **Nets and Posts.** The net should be of a dark shade of green, and should be of a mesh not less than 7.5 mm nor more than 12.5 mm square. It should have a white top, depending from the cord suspension, not more than 15 mm wide. (Note that in accordance with Law 2, which provides that the net shall be suspended by a cord, only one cord—a single horizontal cord—may suspend the net and the attachment of the net to the post, if any, must be so loose as not to exert tension and thereby constitute a suspension).

The diameter of the post should not exceed 22 mm and any device for adjusting the height or tension of the cord suspending the net should be situated at the base of the post, should not project more than 7 mm from the post and should, at its highest part, not be higher than 28 mm above the height of the table surface.

The arm holding the post and its prolongation at the upper part of the grip holding the table should not project outside the post at its post ends, nor further than 75 mm over the table at its table end; it should not be wider than 42 mm nor higher than 13 mm above the surface of the table.

The lower part of the grip should likewise not project beyond the post, its lower surface should not be lower than 22 mm below the surface of the table at its post end, nor, with the screw of its clamp, lower than 75 mm below the surface of the table at its table end; any screw adjustment of the clamp should be below the table.

(b) **Lighting.** Measured at table height there shall be a minimum of 40 foot candles over the table, 20 to the edges of an area 26 feet long by 13 feet wide, 5 to the edges of the playing area and 2 by reflection from the near surface of the ball at the table end. No light shall be suspended lower than 9 feet 9 inches from the ground.

(c) **Table.** The tables shall be of hard wood and either sprayed (for preference) or painted, but not freshly painted, with a dull green solution of cellulose or paint. The tables shall be rigidly constructed.

(d) **Floor.** The floor shall not be of stone or linoleum but of hard, non-slippery wood or thermo-plastic, not white or brightly reflecting.

(e) **Background.** The background should, for preference, be of a uniform dark green or other uniform dark colour, not light (or patchy) as this tends to unsight the players.

(f) **Playing Space.** For Finals and other staged rounds the minimum playing space shall be 39 feet long by 19½ feet wide. During the rounds the minimum distance of run back from

ends of table shall be 12 feet and 8 feet (Doubles 9 feet) between each table where the tables are side by side and 6 feet between an obstacle and the edge of the table.

13. **REFEREE:** The local Tournament Committee shall appoint as Referee a person to be approved by the National Open Tournaments Committee. Such person should have competent knowledge of the Laws of Table Tennis and Regulations for Open Tournaments and adequate experience of planning and conducting a tournament. It shall be competent for the local Tournament Committee to appoint an assistant Referee. The duties of the Referee shall be in accordance with the Regulations of the I.T.T.F.

14. **E.T.T.A. OFFICIAL PASS.** Every Hon. Life Member (and guest), officer and member of the National Executive Committee, the National Open Tournament Committee and the National Selection Committee shall be entitled to free admission to a Tournament on production of the official pass issued by the E.T.T.A.

15. **RIGHT OF APPEAL:** Any competitor wishing to appeal against a decision of the local Tournament Committee must send a written application to the National Open Tournaments Committee within 7 days of the last date of the Open Tournament concerned.

16. **PROGRAMME:** In the event of a programme being provided it is recommended the following particulars should be included:—

- (i) The full title of the Tournament, whether Open or Approved Open.
- (ii) The name of the promoting Association, League or Club.
- (iii) That the Tournament is sanctioned by the E.T.T.A. and is being conducted in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the I.T.T.F. and the E.T.T.A.
- (iv) The names of the Referee, the Committee organising the Tournament, and the Tournament Secretary.
- (v) Names of Umpires for the Final events. If they are E.T.T.A. County Umpires to be designated "C.U."

Two copies of the Programme should be forwarded to the E.T.T.A.

17. An E.T.T.A. Fee of 1/- per player (including consolation and minor singles but excluding Junior players only entering Junior events) must be sent by the local Tournaments Committee to the E.T.T.A. together with a record of the number of entries in each event, the results of each event including details of the final and semi-final matches and particulars of graded or other players (if required) and their results within 14 days of the completion of the Tournament.

Seeding of players from other countries at Open Tournaments

The following decisions are for the guidance of Open Tournament Organisers. The Home Countries are Ireland, Scotland and Wales.

1. The Current World Ranking List should take precedence over the Current English Ranking List.
2. Ranked players of other countries (not included in World Ranking) may be seeded.
3. Any other Home Countries' players or foreign players may be seeded with the approval of the Secretary of the National Selection Committee, (Senior) Mr. D. Peter Lowen, 652 Grand Buildings, Trafalgar Square, London, W.C.2.
4. Ranked players of other countries should be separated in the draw.

REGULATION DRESS AND BADGES

Dress for players. The standard dress for players selected to represent the E.T.T.A. is the official shirt with E.T.T.A. badge, grey trousers, shorts or skirts, white socks, white shoes. If a cardigan or pullover is worn it must be of the same colour as the shirt. Where players are sent abroad as a team a royal blue track suit with "ENGLAND" embodied on the back of the suit will be provided by the Association. For Junior players the letter "J" to be included after "ENGLAND."

Dress for non-playing Captains. It is recommended that the standard dress for non-playing captains of official E.T.T.A. teams should be a dark blue blazer with appropriate badge, grey flannels or skirt, white shirt and official Association tie.

Dress for Umpires. It is recommended that all Umpires and other match officials in the playing area should be suitably and uniformly clad. Normal uniform to be worn would be grey flannel trousers or skirt and dark blue blazer.

Badges. Players selected to represent the Association in World Championships (Swaythling Cup or Marcel Corbillion Cup teams) will be supplied with a badge with the three leopards in gold. For International matches a badge with three leopards in red on a royal blue background with a gold and silver scroll to be provided. For Juniors the letter "J" to be incorporated in the International badge. For non-playing Captains a badge similar to the International badge with the letter "C" inscribed over the three leopards to be provided. For National Executive Committee members and E.T.T.A. representatives in International matches, a badge similar to the International badge with the leopards in green, with a variation in the design of the scroll to be supplied. The badge to be inscribed with the letter "O."

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APPENDIX **E.T.T.A. RULES AND REGULATIONS CONCERNING** **OPEN TOURNAMENTS**

The following E.T.T.A. Rules and Regulations apply to Open Tournaments:—

E.T.T.A. Rule 28:

- (a) No Open Tournament to be held without the sanction of the National Executive Committee.
- (b) All competitors must be affiliated members of the E.T.T.A. or I.T.T.F.
- (c) An E.T.T.A. Fee of 1/- per player (including consolation and minor singles but excluding Junior players only entering Junior events) must be sent by the local Tournaments Committee to the E.T.T.A. together with a record of the number of entries in each event, the results of each event including details of the final and semi-final matches, within fourteen days of the completion of the tournament. A County Association shall be entitled to a refund of a sum equivalent to one-fifth of the competitors' fees paid to the Association in respect of tournaments played in the area of the County concerned.
- (d) No seeding shall be permitted in any Open Tournament run on the knock-out or group system, except in accordance with conditions which the National Executive Committee may lay down from time to time.
- (e) At all tournaments and matches the decision of the referee appointed by the Committee in charge shall be final on the question of law, the decision of the umpire shall be final on a question of fact, and the decision of the end umpire, if appointed, shall be final on a question of fact relating to the purpose for which he was appointed.
- (f) The make and class of the ball to be used, number and make of tables, distance (in feet) of run-back from ends of tables and between each table where the tables are side by side to be clearly stated on all entry forms in accordance with conditions laid down by the National Executive Committee.
- (g) The age for Juniors shall be that a player under 17 on July 1st shall be entitled to compete in Junior events of the subsequent season.
- (h) The age for Veterans shall be that a player 40 or over on July 1st shall be entitled to compete in Veterans' events of the subsequent season.

E.T.T.A. Rule 25:

In all tournaments and matches sanctioned by the National Executive Committee, players are prohibited from wearing white or light coloured clothes that might, in the opinion of the duly appointed referee, tend to unsight an opponent.

Recommendation adopted at A.G.M. April, 1952:—All competitors are strongly recommended to wear a sports shirt or other top of single colour (except for badge, of reasonable size), trousers,

skirts or shorts of single colour and rubber shoes. All counties, leagues, local associations and clubs are requested to use their best endeavours to secure compliance with this recommendation.

Players representing the Association in an International or other representative match must wear the regulation dress as instructed by the National Executive Committee.

E.T.T.A. Registered Members' Regulations 1 (c), (d) and (e):

- (c) No registered player shall be paid or receive any award or remuneration other than expenses (return fare, hotel accommodation, meals) for playing in a representative match or Open Tournament, except as (d) below. A representative match is one in which a player is playing for his club, league, county or Country against another team, league, county or Country. Proper Trial matches organised by clubs, leagues, counties or the National Association for the purpose of selecting representative teams shall rank as participation in representative matches.
- (d) Prizes of £5 or less in value may be awarded or accepted without special permission other than the general sanction granted for the holding of Open Championships. No prize may exceed £5 in value. Badges and colours may be awarded and accepted for participation in Representative matches.
- (e) No registered member may receive payment, other than expenses, for playing or umpiring in any form of competition (even if of a closed or invitation character) without specific permission of the National Executive Committee of the English Table Tennis Association except as provided in (d) above.

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OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Abbreviations: M.S. Men's Singles; W.S. Women's Singles; M.D. Men's Doubles; W.D. Women's Doubles; X.D. Mixed Doubles; J.S.B. Junior Singles Boys; J.S.G. Junior Singles Girls; J.D.B. Junior Doubles Boys; J.D.G. Junior Doubles Girls; J.X.D. Junior Mixed Doubles; J.S. Junior Singles; J.X.S. Junior Mixed Singles; B.S. Boy's Singles; G.S. Girls' Singles; Y.S. Youths' Singles; Y.X.D. Youths' Mixed Doubles; B.D. Boys' Doubles; G.D. Girls' Doubles; V.S. Veterans Singles; M.V.S. Men's Veterans Singles; W.V.S. Women's Veterans Singles; I.M. Intermediate Singles.

ENGLISH OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

SENIOR & JUNIOR EVENTS

February 19th-24th, 1962, at Corn Exchange Brighton.

Enquiries: English Table Tennis Association, 652, Grand Buildings, Trafalgar Square, London, W.C.2.

Events:—M.S., W.S., M.D., W.D., X.D., M.V.S., W.V.S., J.S.B., J.S.G., J.D.B., J.D.G., J.X.D.

BATH OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

January 20th, 1962, at Drill Hall and St. Peter's Hall, Lower Bristol Road, Bath.

Sec.:—J. A. Butcher, 1, South View Road, Bath.

Events:—M.S.—I. Harrison. W.S.—Miss G. Robinson. M.D.—S. Jacobson and A. Lindsay. W.D.—Mrs. J. Lloyd and Mrs. B. Broad. X.D.—Miss G. Robinson and A. Lindsay. J.S.B.—M. Mordecai.

Closing date for entries: 8th January, 1962.

BIRMINGHAM OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

November 18th, 1961, at Friends Institute, 220 Moseley Road, Birmingham 12.

Sec.:—M. Goldstein, 415, Moseley Road, Birmingham 12.

Events:—M.S. J. Shead. W.S. Mrs. J. McCree. M.D. A. Simons and P. Shead. W.D.—J. McCree and Mrs. Carrington. X.D.—J.S.B.—B. Hill. J.S.G.—Miss M. Shannon. J.D.B.—B. Wright and D. Offenbach. V.S.—H. Spiers. I.M.—

Closing date for entries: 8th November, 1961.

BOURNEMOUTH (APPROVED) OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

November 19th, 1961, at The Drill Hall, Holdenhurst Road, Bournemouth.

Sec.:—C. B. Cashell, 16, Victoria Avenue, Winton, Bournemouth

Events:—M.S.—A. Lindsay. W.S.—Miss J. Williams. M.D.—T. Densham and M. Creamer. W.D.—Miss G. Robinson and A. M. Taft. X.D.—L & I. Sawyer. J.S.—M. Billington.

Closing date for entries: November 4th, 1961.

BUCKS OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

March 10th/11th, 1962, at Slough Community Centre, Farnham Road, Slough, Bucks.

Sec.: L. Thompson, "Auchmead", The Avenue, Sunnymeads, Wraysbury, Bucks.

Events:—M.S.—P. Shead. W.S.—Miss M. Shannon. M.D.—L. Landry and A. Rhodes. W.D.—Miss M. Shannon and Miss S. Prior. X.D.—L. Sawyer and I. Sawyer. J.S.B.—E. Lloyd J.S.G.—Miss M. Shannon.

Closing date for entries: 17th February, 1962.

CHESHIRE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

27th/28th, October, 1961, at Harrowby Road Drill Hall, Birkenhead.

Secretary: W. Gawne, 33, Broadway Avenue, Wallasey, Cheshire.

Events: M.S.—D. Schofield; W.S.—Miss W. Swift; M.D.—D. Schofield and E. T. Johnson; W.D.—Misses E. Leigh and W. Swift; X.D.—V. Hankey and Mrs. M. Wilkinson; V.S.—H. G. Spiers; Y.S.—

CHESHIRE JUNIOR OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

3rd March, 1962, at Livingstone Street Baths, Birkenhead.

Secretary: R. A. Bissell, 75, Southdale Road, Rock Ferry, Birkenhead.

Events: J.S.B.—M. Billington; J.S.G.—M. Shannon; J.D.B.—B. Farnworth and M. Symonds; J.D.G.—M. Shannon and L. Bell; J.X.D.—M. Billington and D. Fitzgerald; B.S. (under 15)—C. Barnes; G.S. (under 15)—L. Bell.

EAST OF ENGLAND OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

September 2nd/3rd, 1961, at Butlin's Holiday Camp, Skegness, Lincs.

Sec.:—Mrs. F. A. Merryweather, c/o Ruston-Bucyrus Ltd., Lincoln.

Events:—M.S.—J. Somogyi. W.S.—Mrs. J. McCree. M.D.—M. Maclaren and L. Adams. W.D.—Mrs. B. Bird and Mrs. P. Clark. X.D.—E. T. Johnson and Miss D. Wright. J.S.B.—M. Billington. J.S.G.—Miss L. Bell.

Closing date for entries: August 26th, 1961.

ESSEX OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

March 31st/April, 1962, at Royal Primrose Hall, John Knights Ltd., Knights Road, Silvertown, London, E.16.

Sec.: H. A. Spraggs, 76 Sherrard Road, Forest Gate, London, E.7.

Events:—M.S.—S. Jacobson. W.S.—Miss D. Rowe. M.D.—I. Harrison and B. Merrett. W.D.—Mrs. E. M. Carrington and Mrs. J. F. McCree. X.D.—Miss D. Rowe and J. A. Leach. J.S.B.—B. D. Wright. J.S.G.—Miss M. Shannon. V.S.—B. G. Fretwell.

Closing date for entries: 17th March 1962.

GLOUCESTER JUNIOR OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

January 27th, 1962, at Public Baths, Gloucester.

Sec.:—J. Chalkley, 17 Woods Orchard Road, Gloucester.

Events:—J.S.B., J.S.G., J.B.D., J.G.D., J.X.D., B.S. (Under 15), GS. (Under 15.)

Closing date for entries: 13th January 1962.

GRIMSBY OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

February 17, 1962, at Augusta Street Barracks, Grimsby.

Sec.:—H. G. Vincent, 4, Orby Grove, Grimsby.

Events:—M.S.—M. Simpson. W.S.—D. Griffiths. M.D.—G. Livesey and D. Schofield. W.D.—Miss K. Blackshaw and D. Proudlove. X.D.—P. Skerratt and C. Moran. J.S.B.—H. Coward.

Closing date for entries: 10th February, 1962.

HARTLEPOOLS (APPROVED) OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

January 27th 1962, at Hartlepoons Trading Estate Canteen.

Sec.:—S. Parker, 12 Stirling Street, West Hartlepool.

Events:—M.S.—J. Clayton. W.S.—H. Elliott. M.D.—W. Barker and E. Taylor. W.D.—D. Ridgway and D. Wright. X.D.—I. Barclay and Miss H. Elliott. J.B.S.—W. Barker.

Closing date for entries: 13th January 1962.

HULL and EAST RIDING OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

4th November, 1961, at Madeley Street Baths, Hessle Road, Hull.

Secretary: K. H. F. Jordan, "Burnlea", Skillings Lane, Brough, East Yorks.

Events: M.S.—D. Creamer; W.S.—D. Wright; M.D.—D. Creamer and L. Landry. W.D.—M. Dyson and P. Morton; X.D.—S. Dyson and P. Morton; J.S.B.—D. Stanley; J.S.G.—L. S. Proudlock.

Closing date for entries: 25th October, 1961.

KENT OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

January 27th/28th 1962, at Marine Pavilion, Folkestone, Kent.

Sec.:—F. G. Mannooch, 216 Park Road, Sittingbourne, Kent.

Events:—M.S.—E. Quaye. W.S.—Miss J. Harrower. M.D.—H. Buist and A. Piddock. W.D.—Miss L. Bell and Mrs. J. Piffold. X.D.—A. Rhodes and Miss J. Fielder. Y.S.B.—I. Giles. Y.S.G.—Miss M. Shannon.

KENT JUNIOR OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

November 4th/5th 1961, at Marine Pavilion, Folkestone, Kent.

Sec.:—F. G. Mannooch, 216 Park Road, Sittingbourne, Kent.

Events:—J.S.B.—M. Billington. J.S.G.—Miss M. Shannon. J.D.B.—I. Giles and B. Hill. J.D.G.—Miss M. Shannon and Miss J. Williams. J.X.D.—D. Offenbach and Miss S. Thomas. B.S. (Under 15)—O. Quaye. G.S. (Under 15)—Miss L. Bell. B.D. (Under 15)—P. Williams and D. G. Holland. G.D.

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Closing date for entries: 21st October 1961.

LANCASHIRE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

13th January, 1962, at De Havilland Aircraft Co. Ltd., Lostock, Bolton, Lancs.

Secretary: A. Howcroft, 94, Bradford Street, Farnworth, Bolton, Lancs.

Events: M.S.—J. Ingber; W.S.—Miss D. Wright; M.D.—J. Ingber and P. Strulovitch; W.D.—Miss M. Leigh and Miss W. Swift; X.D.—S. Dyson and Miss P. Morton; J.S.B.—H. T. Coward; J.S.G.—Miss L. A. Gordon; V.S.—H. M. Nixon.

Closing date for entries: 3rd January, 1962.

MERSEYSIDE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

10th/11th November, 1961, at Dunlop Rubber Co. Ltd., Canteen, Speke, Liverpool, 24.

Secretary: Miss M. Lindner Flat D1, Eaton Close, Eaton Road, Liverpool, 12.

Events: M.S.—J. Clayton; W.S.—P. Morton; M.D.—T. Densham and L. Landry; W.D.—P. Mortimer and Mrs. D. B. Griffiths; X.D.—T. Densham and P. Mortimer; J.S.B.—M. Billing; J.S.G.—D. Fitzgerald; V.S.—H. Spiers.

Closing date for entries: 28th October, 1961.

MIDDLESEX OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

16th/17th December, 1961, at Hanwell Community Centre, Westcott Crescent, Hanwell, W.7.

Secretary: G. James, 19, St. Ann's Villas, Kensington, W.11.

Events: M.S.—I. O. Harrison; W.S.—Miss J. Harrower; M.D.—R. Raybould and R. Stevens; W.D.—Mrs. J. McCree & Mrs. J. Carrington; X.D.—B. Merrett & Miss J. Williams, J.S.B.—R. Ratcliffe; J.S.G.—Miss L. Bell.

Closing date for entries: 2nd December, 1961.

MIDLAND OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

February 10th, 1962, at Friends Institute, 220, Moseley Road, Birmingham 12.

Sec.:—M. Goldstein, 415, Moseley Road, Birmingham 12.

Events:—M.S.—I. Harrison. W.S.—Miss A. Bates. M.D.—L. Landry and A. Rhodes. W.D.—D. Worral and A. Chapman. X.D.—A. Rhodes and J. Fielder. J.S.B.—M. Billington. J.S.G.—I. Ogus. J.D.B.—M. Billington and D. Allen. V.S.—H. Spiers.

Closing date for entries: 31st January, 1962.

NEWBURY OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

2nd/3rd December, 1961, at Corn Exchange, Newbury.

Secretary: A. A. J. Mosson, 29, Croft Road, Newbury, Berks.

Events: M.S.—I. Harrison; W.S.—Miss G. Robinson; M.D.—T. Densham and L. Landry; W.D.—C. Holes and P. Holes; X.D.—P. Henderson and Miss S. Foster. J.S.B.—E. Lloyd.

Closing date for entries: 18th November, 1961.

NORTH EAST OF ENGLAND OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

April 21st—23rd, 1962, at Burniston Barracks, Scarborough.

Sec.:—W. Mitton, 16, The Whins, Newby, Scarborough.

Events:—M.S.—L. Landry. W.S.—Miss J. Fielder. M.D.—S. Jacobson and A. Lindsay. W.D.—M. Leigh and W. Swift. X.D.—A. Lindsay and Miss G. Robinson. J.S.B.—M. Billington. J.S.G.—Miss C. Blackshaw. Y.S.—K. Forshaw. C.H.S.M.—J. Clayton. C.H.S.W.—Mrs. D. Atkinson. V.S.—N. Lusher.

Closing date for entries: April 11th, 1962.

NORTH OF ENGLAND (APPROVED) OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

12th, 13th and 14th October 1961, at Drill Hall, 123 Fd. Engr. Regt. (T.A.), Seymour Grove, Old Trafford, Manchester, 16.

Sec.:—L. W. Jones, 261 Mauldeth Road, Burnage, Manchester 19.

Events:—M.S.—J. Ingber. W.S.—Miss J. Harrower. M.D.—J. Clayton and D. Schofield. W.D.—Mrs. P. A. Clarke and Miss J. Williams. X.D.—L. Landry and Miss M. Fry. J.S.B.—D. Stanley. J.S.G.—Miss L. Proudlock.

Closing date for entries: 30th September 1961.

PONTEFRAC (APPROVED) OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Jan. 20th 1962, at Assembly Rooms and Town Hall, Pontefract.

Sec.:—T. Horrocks, 4 Bondgate, Pontefract.

Events:—M.S.—D. Schofield. W.S.—D. Fitzgerald. M.D.—R. Crusham and K. Forshaw. W.D.—M. Leigh and Mrs. D. Schofield. X.D.—M. J. Pitts and Mrs. M. Dyson. Y.S.—G. Livesey. G.S.—D. Fitzgerald. V.S.—E. A. Brown.

Closing date for entries: 6th January 1962.

PORTSMOUTH (APPROVED) OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

22nd October, 1961, at South Parade Pier, Southsea, Hants.

Secretary: P. Goldring, 52, Winter Road, Southsea, Hants.

Events: M.S.—P. Shead; W.S.—M. Hicks; M.D.—S. Jacobson and A. Lindsay; W.D.—Misses C. and P. Holes; X.D.—A. Lindsay and Miss A. Taft; J.X.S.—S. Ogundipe.

Closing date for entries: 5th October, 1961.

SOUTH OF ENGLAND (APPROVED) OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

17th/18th February, 1962, at I.C.T. Ltd., Aurelia Road, Croydon, Surrey.

Secretary: S. H. Buchan, 124, Portnalls Road, Coulsdon, Surrey.
Events: M.S.—P. Shead; W.S.—Miss M. Shannon; M.D.—E. Hodson and T. Densham; W.D.—Miss M. Shannon and Miss S. M. Hession X.D.—S. Jacobson and Miss J. Fielder; J.S.B.—B. D. Wright; J.S.G.—Miss J. Williams.
 Closing date for entries: 1st February, 1962.

SOUTH YORKSHIRE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

3rd February, 1962, at Somme Barracks, West Street, Sheffield.
Secretary: A. Head, 1, Poplar Avenue, Beighton, Nr. Sheffield.
Events: M.S.—K. Forshaw; W.S.—Mrs. C. Spencer; M.D.—L. Oram and P. Skerratt; W.D.—M. Leigh and W. Swift; X.D.—D. McGarry and Miss L. Hamilton; J.S.B.—B. Farnworth.
 Closing date for entries: 27th January, 1962.

STEVENAGE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

March 23rd/24th/25th 1962, at English Electric Aviation Ltd., Six Hills Way, Stevenage, Herts.
Sec.: F. T. Burvill, 29 Cannix Close, Stevenage, Herts.
Events: M.S., W.S., M.D., W.D., X.D., J.S.B., J.S.G., V.S.
 Closing date for entries: 9th March 1962.

26th SUSSEX OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

October 28th—29th, 1961, at White Rock Pavilion, Hastings.
Sec.: D. N. Tyler, 23, Elphinstone Road, Hastings.
Events: M.S.—H. Alser, W.S.—Miss D. Rowe, M.D.—I. Harrison and B. Merrett, W.D.—Miss D. Rowe and Mrs. J. Mills, X.D.—H. Alser and Miss M. Fry, V.S.—R. Markwell.
 Closing date for entries: 14th October, 1961.

SUSSEX JUNIOR OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

18th March, 1962, at Assembly Hall, Worthing, Sussex.
Secretary: Mrs. E. J. Deadman, 152, South Street, Lancing, Sussex.
Events: B.S.—D. Offenbach; G.S.—Miss C. W. E. Holes; B.D.—B. Wright and D. Offenbach; G.D.—C. Holes and P. Holes; J.S.B. (under 15)—C. Barnes; J.S.G. (under 15)—Miss L. Bell; J.B.D. (under 15)—C. Barnes and G. French; J.G.D. (under 15)—C. Holes and P. Holes; J.X.D.—D. Offenbach and S. Thomas; B.S. (under 13)—S. Seaholme; G.S. (under 13)—Miss L. Henwood.
 Closing date for entries: first post 18th February 1962.

WEST OF ENGLAND OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

March 3rd 1962, at Civic Hall, Exeter, Devon.
Sec.: J. E. Fry, Two Trees, The Silvers, Clyst Road, Topsham.
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Events: M.S.—J. Clayton; W.S.—Mrs. J. McCree; M.D.—R. Stevens and R. Raybould; W.D.—Mrs. J. McCree and Mrs. J. Mills; X.D.—L. Landry and Miss D. Wright; V.S.—H. Nixon.

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Events: J.S.B.—H. J. Coward; J.S.G.—Miss D. Fitzgerald; J.B.D.—B. Hill and M. Billington; J.G.D.—Miss L. Gordon and Miss D. Fitzgerald; J.X.D.—H. J. Coward and Miss C. D. B. Shaw; J.B.S. (under 15)—M. Ford; J.G.S. (under 15)—Miss Dainty.

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| SENIOR | | | JUNIOR | | |
|----------|-----------|-------|----------|-----------|-------|
| Counties | Divisions | Teams | Counties | Divisions | Teams |
| 1947-48 | 15 | 3 | 19 | — | — |
| 1948-49 | 22 | 5 | 27 | — | — |
| 1949-50 | 24 | 6 | 29 | 6 | 1 |
| 1950-51 | 27 | 7 | 34 | 9 | 2 |
| 1951-52 | 29 | 7 | 41 | 8 | 1 |
| 1952-53 | 29 | 7 | 41 | 9 | 2 |
| 1953-54 | 29 | 6 | 33 | 8 | 1 |
| 1954-55 | 32 | 7 | 40 | 8 | 1 |
| 1955-56 | 32 | 8 | 41 | 9 | 2 |
| 1956-57 | 31 | 6 | 38 | 13 | 3 |
| 1957-58 | 31 | 6 | 36 | 14 | 3 |
| 1958-59 | 32 | 6 | 37 | 11 | 2 |
| 1959-60 | 33 | 7 | 39 | 15 | 3 |
| 1960-61 | 33 | 7 | 38 | 14 | 3 |

HONOURS

| Premier Division | 2nd Division (South) | 2nd Division (North) | 2nd Division (West) |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1947-48 Middlesex | | | |
| 1948-49 Middlesex | | | |
| 1949-50 Middlesex | | | |
| 1950-51 Middlesex | | | |
| 1951-52 Middlesex | Middlesex | Lancashire | |
| 1952-53 Middlesex | Middlesex | Lancashire | |
| 1953-54 Middlesex | Surrey | Cheshire | |
| 1954-55 Middlesex | Middlesex | Warwickshire | |
| 1955-56 Surrey | Middlesex | Cheshire | Devon |
| 1956-57 Middlesex | Surrey | Lincolnshire | Glamorgan |
| 1957-58 Middlesex | Kent | Cheshire | Staffordshire |
| 1958-59 Surrey | Hertfordshire | Lincolnshire | Glamorgan |
| 1959-60 Middlesex | Kent | Cheshire | Devon |
| 1960-61 Middlesex | Hertfordshire | Yorkshire | Worcestershire |
| 2nd Division (Midland) | | | |
| 1959-60 Warwickshire | | | |
| 1960-61 Warwickshire | | | |
| Southern Division | | | |
| 1947-48 Hampshire | | | |
| 1948-49 Hampshire | | | |
| 1949-50 Devon | | | |
| 1950-51 Surrey | | | |
| 1951-52 Sussex | | | |
| 1952-53 Kent | | | |
| 1953-54 Berkshire | | | |
| Northern Division | | | |
| | Lancashire | | |
| | Cheshire | | |
| | Northumberland | | |
| | Yorkshire | | |
| | Yorkshire | | |
| | Yorkshire | | |
| Eastern Division | | | |
| | | Buckinghamshire | |
| | | Bedfordshire | |
| | | Hertfordshire | |

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|-------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| 1954-55 | Hampshire | Bedfordshire |
| 1955-56 | Berkshire | Suffolk |
| 1956-57 | Buckinghamshire | |
| 1957-58 | Kent | |
| 1958-59 | Bedfordshire | |
| 1959-60 | Kent | |
| 1960-61 | Suffolk | |
| | <i>Midland Division</i> | <i>South Western Division</i> |
| 1950-51 | No contest | Glamorgan |
| 1951-52 | Warwickshire | |
| 1952-53 | Staffordshire | |
| 1953-54 | Staffordshire | |
| 1954-55 | Worcestershire | |
| 1955-56 | Warwickshire | |
| 1956-57 | Warwickshire | |
| 1957-58 | Warwickshire | |
| 1958-59 | Leicestershire | |
| 1959-60 | Glamorgan | |
| 1960-61 | Oxfordshire | |
| | <i>Home Counties Division</i> | <i>East Anglian Division</i> |
| 1948-49 | Middlesex | |
| 1949-50 | Essex | |
| 1950-51 | Bedfordshire | |
| | <i>Junior Division (South)</i> | <i>Junior Division (North)</i> |
| 1949-50 | Middlesex | |
| 1950-51 | Glamorgan | |
| 1951-52 | Kent | |
| 1952-53 | Sussex (beat Middlesex 7-3 in play off) | |
| 1953-54 | Surrey | |
| 1954-55 | Sussex | |
| 1955-56 | Middlesex | |
| 1956-57 | Middlesex (beat Yorkshire 8-1 in play off) | |
| 1957-58 | Middlesex | |
| 1958-59 | Middlesex | |
| 1959-60 | Middlesex | |
| 1960-61 | Middlesex | |
| | <i>THE CHAMPION COUNTY v. THE REST OF ENGLAND</i> | |
| 1948 (London) | Champion County 4 | The Rest 5 |
| 1949 (London) | Champion County 4 | The Rest 5 |
| 1950 (London) | Champion County 4 | The Rest 5 |
| 1951 (Aylesford) | Champion County 4 | The Rest 6 |
| 1952 (Cheltenham) | Champion County 5 | The Rest 5 |
| 1953 (Hanley) | Champion County 3 | The Rest 7 |

| | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 1954 (London) | Champion County 4 | The Rest 6 |
| 1955 (London) | Champion County 6 | The Rest 4 |
| 1956 (London) | Champion County 4 | The Rest 6 |
| 1957 (London) | Champion County 4 | The Rest 4 |
| 1958 (Bristol) | Champion County 1 | The Rest 6 |
| 1959 (London) | Champion County 3 | The Rest 5 |
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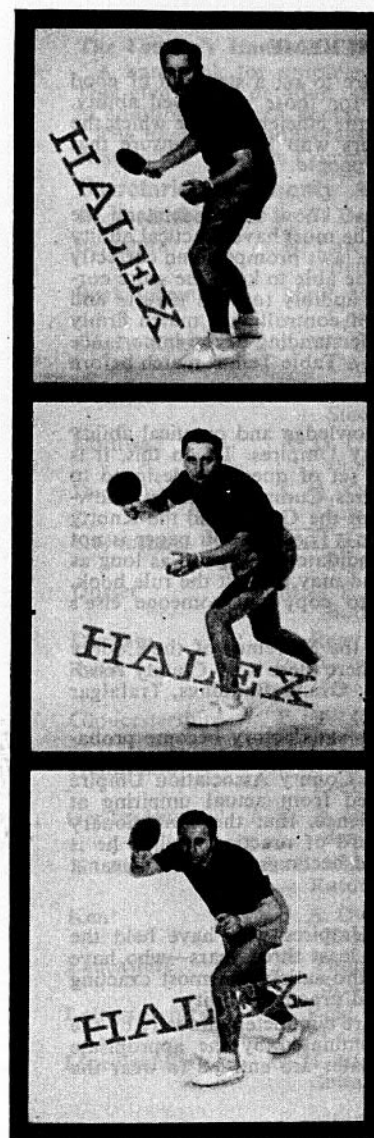
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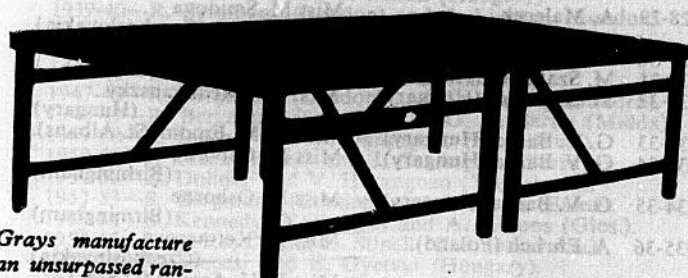
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| | Women's Singles | } Helen Houlston (Scotland) |
| | Girls' Singles | |
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| | Girls' Junior (Under 13 on 1st April, 1956) | Mary Shannon (South London) |

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Boys' Junior (Under 13 on 1st April, 1957)
Ian Gibson (Cardiff)
Girls' Senior (Under 15 on 1st April, 1957)
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Girls' Junior (Under 13 on 1st April, 1957)
Janet Roberts (Birmingham)
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Paul Racey (South)
Boys' Junior (Under 13 on 1st April, 1958)
David Stanley (North)
Girls' Senior (Under 15 on 1st April, 1958)
Linda Gordon (North)
Girls' Junior (Under 13 on 1st April, 1958)
Susan Thomas (South)
- 1958/59 **Boys' Senior** (Under 15 on 1st April, 1959)
Nigel Ive (South)
Boys' Junior (Under 13 on 1st April, 1959)
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Girls' Senior (Under 15 on 1st April, 1959)
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Girls' Junior (Under 13 on 1st April, 1959)
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Girls' Senior (Under 15 on 1st April, 1960)
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1931-32 M. Szabados (Hungary).

1932-33 G. V. Barna (Hungary).
1933-34 G. V. Barna (Hungary).

1934-35 G. V. Barna (Hungary).
1935-36 A. Ehrlich (Poland).

1936-37 G. V. Barna (Hungary).
1937-38 G. V. Barna (Hungary).
1938-39 R. Bergmann (London).
1939-40 R. Bergmann (London).
1940-45 No contest.

1945-46 B. Vana (Czechoslovakia).
1946-47 V. Tereba (Czechoslovakia).

1947-48 R. Bergmann (London).
1948-49 M. Reisman (U.S.A.).
1949-50 R. Bergmann (London).
1950-51 A. Ehrlich (France).
1951-52 R. Bergmann (London).
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1953-54 R. Bergmann (London).
1954-55 Z. Dolinar (Yugoslavia).
1955-56 E. Gyetvai (Hungary).
1956-57 Z. Berczik (Hungary).
1957-58 F. Sido (Hungary).
1958-59 I. Ogimura (Japan).
1959-60 I. Harrison (England).
1960-61 V. Markovic (Yugoslavia).

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1929-30—C. H. Bull (Kent) and F. J. Perry (Ealing).
1930-31—M. Szabados and G. V. Barna (Hungary).
1931-32—H. Kolar and A. Malecek (Czechoslovakia).
1932-33—G. V. Barna and S. Glancz (Hungary).
1933-34—G. V. Barna (Hungary) and T. E. Sears (London).
1934-35—G. V. Barna (Hungary) and T. E. Sears (London).
1935-36—L. Bellak and M. Szabados (Hungary).
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1938-39—G. V. Barna and L. Bellak (Hungary).
1939-40—R. Bergmann (London) and A. Liebster (London).
1940-45—No contest.
1945-46—B. Vana and A. Slar (Czechoslovakia).
1946-47—B. Vana and A. Slar (Czechoslovakia).
1947-48—R. Bergmann (London) and T. Flisberg (Sweden).
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1951-52—Z. Dolinar and V. Harangozo (Yugoslavia).
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1955-56—K. Szepesi and E. Gyetvai (Hungary).
1956-57—I. Ogimura and T. Tanaka (Japan).
1957-58—Z. Berczik and F. Sido (Hungary).
1958-59—T. Murakami and I. Ogimura (Japan).
1959-60—J. A. Leach and M. H. Thornhill (England).
1960-61—H. Alser and T. Larsson (Sweden).

Women's Doubles

1926-27—Miss D. Gubbins (Wales) and Miss J. Ingram (London).
1927-28—Miss W. H. Land and Miss B. Somerville (London).
1928-29—Miss M. Smidova (Czechoslovakia) and Miss P. Moser (London).
1929-30—Miss W. H. Land (London) and Miss M. Gal (Hungary).
1930-31—Mrs. L. M. Holt (London) and Miss N. Wood (St. Albans).
1931-32—Mrs. M. Mednyanszky (Hungary) and Mrs. Martin (London).
1932-33—Miss N. Wood (St. Albans) and Miss W. Woodhead (Amersham).
1933-34—Miss D. M. Emdin (St. Albans) and Miss P. Moser (London).
1934-35—Miss M. Osborne (Birmingham) and Miss W. Woodhead (Amersham).
1935-36—Miss Krebsbach (Germany) and Miss D. M. Emdin (St. Albans).

Women's Doubles—continued

- 1936-37—Miss M. Osborne (Birmingham) and Miss W. Woodhead (Amersham).
- 1937-38—Miss M. Osborne (Birmingham) and Miss W. Woodhead (Amersham).
- 1938-39—Miss V. Depetrisova and Miss V. Votrubcova (Czechoslovakia).
- 1939-40—Miss J. Nicoll (Wembley) and Miss D. Beregi (Hungary).
- 1940-45—No contest.
- 1945-46—Miss D. Beregi (Exeter) and Miss V. Dace (London).
- 1946-47—Miss V. Dace (London) and Miss E. Blackburn (Exeter).
- 1947-48—Miss G. Farkas (Hungary) and Miss L. R. Barnes (Surrey).
- 1948-49—Miss P. McLean and Miss T. Thall (U.S.A.).
- 1949-50—Miss D. Rowe and Miss R. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1950-51—Miss D. Rowe and Miss R. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1951-52—Miss D. Rowe and Miss R. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1952-53—Miss D. Rowe and Miss R. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1953-54—Miss D. Rowe and Miss R. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1954-55—Miss D. Rowe and Miss R. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1955-56—Miss D. Rowe (Middlesex) and Miss A. Haydon (Warwickshire).
- 1956-57—Miss T. Okawa and Miss T. Namba (Japan).
- 1957-58—Miss A. Haydon and Miss P. Mortimer (England).
- 1958-59—Miss F. Eguchi and Miss K. Matsuzaki (Japan).
- 1959-60—Miss D. Rowe and Miss C. K. Best (England).
- 1960-61—Miss C. K. Best (England) and Mrs. A. Simon (Germany D.T.T.B.).

Mixed Doubles

- 1926-27—L. S. E. Farris and Miss J. Ingram (London).
- 1927-28—Dr. D. Peci (Hungary) and Miss Metzger (Germany).
- 1928-29—F. J. Perry (Ealing) and Miss W. H. Land (London).
- 1929-30—S. Glancz (Hungary) and Miss M. Gal (Hungary).
- 1930-31—S. Glancz (Hungary) and Miss V. Blomfield (London).
- 1931-32—M. Szabados and Mrs. M. Mednyanszky (Hungary).
- 1932-33—G. V. Barna (Hungary) and Miss D. M. Emdin (St. Albans).
- 1933-34—G. V. Barna (Hungary) and Miss D. M. Emdin (St. Albans).
- 1934-35—G. V. Barna (Hungary) and Miss M. Osborne (Birmingham).
- 1935-36—G. V. Barna (Hungary) and Miss M. Osborne (Birmingham).
- 1936-37—R. G. Blattner and Miss R. H. Aarons (U.S.A.).
- 1937-38—G. V. Barna (Hungary) and Miss M. Osborne (Birmingham).
- 1938-39—B. Vana and Miss V. Votrubcova (Czechoslovakia).
- 1939-40—G. V. Barna (Hungary) and Miss M. Osborne (Birmingham).

1940-45—No contest.

- 1945-46—E. J. Filby (Plymouth) and Miss D. Beregi (Exeter).
- 1946-47—B. Vana and Miss Votrubcova (Czechoslovakia).
- 1947-48—F. Sido and Miss G. Farkas (Hungary).
- 1948-49—R. Miles and Miss T. Thall (U.S.A.).
- 1949-50—J. Leach and Miss M. Franks (Essex).
- 1950-51—G. V. Barna (Middx.) and Miss H. Elliott (Scotland).
- 1951-52—J. Leach (Essex) and Miss D. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1952-53—G. V. Barna and Miss R. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1953-54—J. Leach (Essex) and Miss D. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1954-55—A. W. C. Simons (Glos.) and Miss H. Elliot (Scotland).
- 1955-56—J. Leach (Essex) and Miss D. Rowe (Middlesex).
- 1956-57—K. Tsunoda and Miss T. Namba (Japan).
- 1957-58—F. Sido and Miss E. Koczian (Hungary).
- 1958-59—T. Murakami and Miss K. Matsuzaki (Japan).
- 1959-60—I. Harrison and Miss D. Rowe (England).
- 1960-61—Z. Berczik and Mrs. E. Foldi (Hungary).

Junior Singles (Boys)

- 1932-33 C. W. Davies (Manchester).
- 1933-34 M. B. W. Bergl (Harrow).
- 1934-35 H. Lurie (Manchester).
- 1935-36 G. B. Sellman (Ealing).
- 1936-37 K. Stanley (Manchester).
- 1937-38 K. Stanley (Manchester).
- 1938-39 K. Stanley (Manchester).
- 1939-40 J. P. Bermingham (Wembley).

Junior Singles (Girls)

- Miss E. Blackburn (Exeter).
- No contest.
- Miss J. Mackay (Birmingham).
- No contest.
- Miss A. Wood (Lancs.).
- Miss A. Wood (Lancs.).
- Miss R. Rowe (Middx.).
- Miss D. Munnings (Lincs.).
- Miss J. Rook (Surrey).
- Miss A. Haydon (Warwicks.).
- Miss J. Rook (Surrey).
- Miss A. Haydon (Warwicks.).
- Miss A. Haydon (Warwicks.).
- Miss H. Dauphin (Germany).
- Miss J. Harrower (Middx.).
- Miss Y. J. Hwang (S. Korea).
- Miss M. Shannon (Surrey).
- Miss L. Guntch (Sweden).

1940-45 No contest.

- 1945-46 D. A. Miller (London).
- 1946-47 W. Rowe (Torquay).
- 1947-48 M. Thornhill (Middx.).
- 1948-49 D. G. Ellison (Lancs.).
- 1949-50 J. Lowe (Middx.).
- 1950-51 B. Malmquist (Sweden).
- 1951-52 K. Freunderfer (Germany).
- 1952-53 K. Freunderfer (Germany).
- 1953-54 K. Freunderfer (Germany).
- 1954-55 B. Onnes (Netherlands).
- 1955-56 I. Harrison (Glos.).
- 1956-57 P. Czichowski (Germany).
- 1957-58 C. Gosling (Middlesex).
- 1958-59 M. Ness (West Germany).
- 1959-60 G. Livesey (Lancs.).
- 1960-61 B. D. Wright (Middlesex).

Junior Doubles (Boys)

- 1949-50—J. Lowe (Middx.) and P. Smith (Essex).
- 1950-51—B. Malmquist and L. Pettersson (Sweden).
- 1951-52—A. Danton and D. M. Eagles (Kent).

Junior Doubles (Girls)

- 1952-53—A. Danton (Kent) and R. Dorking (Essex).
1953-54—R. Dorking (Essex) and M. G. MacLaren (Surrey).
1954-55—E. Klein (U.S.A.) and B. Onnes (Netherlands).
1955-56—K. D. Edwards and I. Harrison (Glos.).
1956-57—P. Czichowski and W. Prandke (Germany).
1957-58—I. Barclay (Scotland) and H. Fromm (East Germany).
1958-59—M. Ness and P. Russ (West Germany).
1959-60—T. Caffrey (Ireland) and C. Thomas (Wales).
1960-61—T. Caffrey (Ireland) and C. Thomas (Wales).
1949-50—Miss R. Rowe and Miss D. Rowe (Middlesex).
1950-51—Miss D. Munnings (Lincs.) and Miss J. Titterton (Lancs.).
1951-52—Miss U. Paulsen and Miss H. Walz (Germany).
1952-53—Miss A. Haydon (Warwicks.) and Miss J. Rook (Surrey).
1953-54—Miss A. Haydon (Warwicks.) and Miss J. Rook (Surrey).
1954-55—Miss J. Fielder (Kent) and Miss A. Haydon (Warwicks.).
1955-56—Miss A. Haydon (Warwicks.) and Miss D. Worrall (Staffs.).
1956-57—Miss H. Dauphin and Miss L. Muser (Germany).
1957-58—Miss C. Bannah and Miss I. Woschee (East Germany).
1958-59—Miss J. Fischer and Miss H. Scheithe (West Germany).
1959-60—Miss J. Harrower (Middx.) and Miss M. Shannon (Surrey).
1960-61—Miss M. Shannon (Surrey) and Miss J. Y. Williams (Herts.).

Junior Mixed Doubles

- 1949-50—P. Smith (Essex) and Miss R. Rowe (Middx.).
1950-51—L. Petterson (Sweden) and Miss D. Spooner (Middx.).
1951-52—K. Freunderfer and Miss U. Paulsen (Germany).
1952-53—D. Phillips (Wales) and Miss F. Lauber (Austria).
1953-54—R. Dorking (Essex) and Miss A. Haydon (Warwicks.).
1954-55—E. Klein (U.S.A.) and Miss W. Bates (Sussex).
1955-56—L. F. Landry (Middx.) and Miss A. Haydon (Warwicks.).
1956-57—P. Czichowski and Miss H. Dauphin (Germany).
1957-58—D. Grant (Hants.) and Miss S. M. Hession (Essex).
1958-59—P. M. Racey (Beds.) and Miss Y. J. Hwang (S. Korea).
1959-60—B. H. K. Midgley (Hants.) and Miss M. Shannon (Surrey).
1960-61—T. Caffrey (Ireland) and Miss M. Carlsson (Sweden).

Men's Veteran Singles

- 1932-33 Z. Mechlovits (Hungary).
1933-34 J. Thompson (Bristol).
1934-35 A. J. Wilmott (London).
1935-36 E. C. Gunn (Plymouth).
1936-37 A. Melnick (London).
1937-38 H. Knibbs (Liverpool).
1938-39 Z. Mechlovits (Hungary).
1939-40 A. J. Wilmott (London).
1940-45 No contest.
1945-46 R. V. Bryant (Salisbury).

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- 1946-47 J. Taylor (London).
1947-48 E. Reay (Durham).
1948-49 S. Sugarhood (Essex).
1949-50 S. Sugarhood (Essex).
1950-51 L. Thompson (Bucks.).
1951-52 A. D. Brook (Sussex).
1952-53 L. C. Kerslake (Devon).
1953-54 L. C. Kerslake (Devon).
1954-55 A. D. Brook (Sussex).
1955-56 H. G. Spiers (Warwicks.).
1956-57 L. C. Kerslake (Devon).
1957-58 R. L. Sharman (Middx.).
1958-59 R. L. Sharman (Middx.).
1959-60 R. L. Sharman (Middx.).
1960-61 R. J. Crayden (Surrey).

Men's Consolation Singles

- 1932-33 F. J. Perry (Ealing).
1933-34 M. A. Symons—S. Shah (Joint).
1934-35 W. Bedford (Huddersfield).
1935-36 E. Buble (London).
1936-37 M. B. W. Bergl (Harrow).
1937-38 E. Hardman (Sheffield).
1938-39 G. Marshall (London).
1939-40 H. F. Walton (Birmingham).

- 1940-45 No contest.
1945-46 M. Bordrez (France).
1946-47 F. Tokar (Slovakia).
1947-48 E. Marsh (Middx.).
1948-49 R. Crayden (Surrey).
1949-50 V. Harangozo (Yugoslavia).

- 1950-51 B. Crouch (Middx.).
1951-52 L. G. Adams (Middx.).
1952-53 D. Burridge (Middx.).
1953-54 K. Freunderfer (Germany).
1954-55 M. Haguenauer (France).
1955-56 R. Allcock (Lancs.).
1956-57 L. G. Adams (Middx.).
1957-58 Z. Dolinar (Yugoslavia).
1958-59 N. Van De Walle (U.S.A.).
1959-60 M. Creamer (Middx.).
1960-61 H. Gomolla (Germany D.T.T.B.).

Women's Veteran Singles

- Mrs. H. Roy Evans (Wales).
Mrs. S. Betling (France).
Mrs. S. Betling (France).
Mrs. I. B. Bell (Essex).
Mrs. C. Cook (Yorkshire).
Mrs. I. B. Hunter (Devon).
Mrs. G. Davies (Lancs.).
Mrs. I. B. Bell (Essex).
Mrs. V. Cherriman (Middx.).
Mrs. I. B. Bell (Essex).
Mrs. I. B. Bell (Essex).
Mrs. C. H. N. Whitehouse (Middlesex).

Women's Consolation Singles

- Mlle. Soulage (France).
Miss R. Doolan (Liverpool).
Mrs. H. Collier (London).
Miss E. Blackburn (Exeter).
No contest.
Miss E. McBryde (Hants.).
Mrs. R. E. Bromfield (Middx.).
Miss J. Mackay (Warwicks.).
Miss E. Steventon (Notts.).
Miss S. Gray (Wales).

- Miss M. Fry (Glos.).
Miss J. Roberts (Surrey).
Miss J. Seaman (Middx.).
Miss S. Jones (Wales).
Miss P. Robinson (U.S.A.).
Miss A. Bates (Wales).
Mrs. J. Head (Surrey).
Miss L. Mosoczy (Hungary).
Mrs. L. Neuberger (U.S.A.).
Miss S. M. Hession (Essex).
Miss I. Muser (Germany D.T.T.B.).

ENGLISH CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIPS

Men's Singles

- 1959-60 B. Merrett (Glos.).
1960-61 I. Harrison (Glos.).

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Women's Singles

1959-60 Miss D. Rowe (Middx.).
1960-61 Miss D. Rowe (Middx.)

Men's Doubles

1959-60 J. A. Leach (Essex) and M. H. Thornhill (Middx.).
1960-61 I. Harrison (Glos.) and B. Merrett (Glos.)

Women's Doubles

1959-60 Miss D. Rowe (Middx.) and Miss J. Rook (Surrey).
1960-61 Mrs. E. Carrington (Essex) and Mrs. J. McCree (Essex)

Mixed Doubles

1959-60 J. A. Leach (Essex) and Miss D. Rowe (Middx.).
1960-61 M. Maclaren (Surrey) and Miss P. Piper (Surrey).

NATIONAL INTER-LEAGUE COMPETITIONS**Willmott Cup**

(For Men's Teams)

1934-35 Manchester.
1935-36 No contest.
1936-37 South London.
1937-38 Manchester.
1938-39 Manchester.
1939-46 No contest.
1946-47 London.
1947-48 Manchester.
1948-49 Manchester.
1949-50 South London.
1950-51 South London.
1951-52 South London.
1952-53 South London.
1953-54 South London.
1954-55 Staines.
1955-56 Manchester.
1956-57 London Civ. Ser.
1957-58 Manchester.
1958-59 Manchester.
1959-60 Manchester.
1960-61 Manchester.

J. M. Rose Bowl

(For Women's Teams)

1934-35 Manchester.
1935-36 No contest.
1936-37 North Middlesex.
1937-38 Northumberland.
1938-39 Manchester.
1939-46 No contest.
1946-47 North Middlesex.
1947-48 Northumberland.
1948-49 Manchester.
1949-50 West London.
1950-51 West London.
1951-52 West London.
1952-53 Birmingham.
1953-54 South London.
1954-55 Birmingham.
1955-56 Birmingham.
1956-57 Birmingham.
1957-58 Birmingham.
1958-59 Birmingham.
1959-60 London Business Houses.
1960-61 Birmingham.

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP RECORDS**Team Championship (Men)—Swaythling Cup**

1926-27, 7-8, 8-9, 9-30, 30-1, Hungary; 31-32, Czechoslovakia.
1932-3, 3-4, 4-5, Hungary; 1935-6, Austria; 1936-7, U.S.A.;
1937-8, Hungary; 1938-9, Czechoslovakia; 1946-7, Czechoslovakia;
1947-8, Czechoslovakia; 1948-9, Hungary; 1949-50, Czechoslovakia;
1950-1, Czechoslovakia; 1951-2, Hungary; 1952-3, England;
1953-4, 4-5, 5-6, 6-7, Japan; 1957-8, No Competition; 1958-9, Japan; 1959-60, No Competition; 1960-1, China.

Team Championship (Women)—Marcel Corbillon Cup

1933-4, Germany; 1934-5, 5-6, Czechoslovakia; 1936-7, U.S.A.;
1937-8, Czechoslovakia; 1938-9, Germany; 1946-7, England;

1947-48, England; 1948-49, U.S.A.; 1949-50, Rumania; 1950-51, Rumania; 1951-2, Japan; 1952-3, Rumania; 1953-4, Japan;
1954-5, 5-6, Rumania; 1956-7, Japan; 1957-8, No Competition; 1958-9, Japan; 1959-60, No Competition; 1960-1, Japan.

Men's Singles—St. Bride Vase

1926-7, Dr. R. Jacobi; 1927-28, Z. Mechlovits; 1928-29, F. J. Perry; 1929-30, G. V. Barna; 1930-31, M. Szabados; 1931-2, 2-3, 3-4, 4-5, G. V. Barna; 1935-6, S. Kolar; 1936-7, R. Bergmann; 1937-8, B. Vana; 1938-9, R. Bergmann; 1946-7, B. Vana; 1947-8, R. Bergmann; 1948-9, J. Leach; 1949-50, R. Bergmann; 1950-1, J. Leach; 1951-2, H. Satoh; 1952-3, F. Sido; 1953-4, I. Ogimura; 1954-5, T. Tanaka; 1955-56, I. Ogimura; 1956-57, T. Tanaka; 1957-58, No Competition; 1958-59, Jung Kuo-Tuan; 1959-60, No Competition; 1960-1, Chuang Tse-Tung.

Men's Doubles

1926-7, Dr. R. Jacobi and Dr. D. Pecs; 1927-8, A. Liebster and R. Thum; 1928-9, 9-30, 30-1, 1-2, G. V. Barna and M. Szabados; 1932-3, G. V. Barna and S. Glancz; 1933-4, 4-5, G. V. Barna and M. Szabados; 1935-6, 6-7, R. H. Blattner and J. H. McClure; 1937-8, S. Schiff and J. H. McClure; 1938-9, G. V. Barna and R. Bergmann; 1946-7, B. Vana and A. Slar; 1947-8, B. Vana and L. Stipeck; 1948-9, F. Tokar and I. Andreadis; 1949-50, F. Sido and F. Soos; 1950-1, B. Vana and I. Andreadis; 1951-2, N. Fujii and T. Hayashi; 1952-3, J. Koczian and F. Sido; 1953-4, V. Harangozo and Z. Dolinar; 1954-5, I. Andreadis and L. Stipeck; 1955-56, I. Ogimura and Y. Tomita; 1956-57, I. Andreadis and L. Stipeck; 1957-58, No Competition; 1958-59, I. Ogimura and T. Murakami; 1959-60, No Competition; 1960-1, N. Hishino and K. Kimura.

Women's Singles—G. Geist Prize

1926-7, 7-8, 8-9, 9-30, 30-1, M. Mednyanszky; 1931-2, 2-3, A. Sipos; 1933-4, 4-5, M. Kettnerova; 1935-6, R. H. Aarons; 1936-7, Title Vacant; 1937-8, T. Pritzi; 1938-9, V. Depetrisova; 1946-7, 7-8, 8-9, G. Farkas; 1949-50, 50-1, 1-2, 2-3, 3-4, 4-5, A. Rozeanu; 1955-56, Miss T. Okawa; 1956-57, Miss F. Eguchi; 1957-58, No Competition; 1958-59, Miss K. Matsuzaki; 1959-60, No Competition; 1960-1, Chiu Chung Hui.

Women's Doubles

1927-8, M. Mednyanszky and F. Flamm; 1928-9, E. Metzger and Muller Ruster; 1929-30, 30-1, 1-2, 2-3, 3-4, 4-5, M. Mednyanszky and A. Sipos; 1935-6, M. Kettnerova and M. Smidova; 1936-7, 7-8, V. Depetrisova and V. Votrubcova; 1938-9, T. Pritzi and H. Bussmann; 1946-47, G. Farkas and T. Pritzi; 1947-8, Mrs. V. Thomas and Miss P. Franks; 1948-9, H. Elliot and G. Farkas; 1949-50, D. Beregi and H. Elliot; 1950-1, D. Rowe and R. Rowe; 1951-2, S. Narahara and T. Nishimura; 1952-53, G. Farkas and A. Rozeanu; 1953-4, D. Rowe and R. Rowe; 1954-5, 5-6, A. Rozeanu and E. Zeller; 1956-57, L. Moscovy and A. Simon;

1957-58, No Competition; 1958-59, T. Namba and K. Yamai-zumi; 1959-60, No Competition; 1960-61, M. Alexandru and G. Pitica.

Mixed Doubles

1926-7, 7-8, Z. Mechlovits and M. Mednyansky; 1928-9, I. Kelen and A. Sipos; 1929-30, 30-1, M. Szabados and M. Mednyanszky; 1931-2, G. V. Barna and A. Sipos; 1932-3, I. Kelen and M. Mednyanszky; 1933-4, M. Szabados and M. Mednyanszky; 1934-5, G. V. Barna and A. Sipos; 1935-6, M. Hamr and G. Kleinova; 1936-7, B. Vana and V. Votruba; 1937-8, L. Bellak and W. Woodhead; 1938-9, B. Vana and V. Votruba; 1946-7, S. Soos and G. Farkas; 1947-8, R. Miles and T. Thall; 1948-9, F. Sido and G. Farkas; 1949-50, F. Sido and G. Farkas; 1950-1, B. Vana and A. Rozeanu; 1951-2, F. Sido and A. Rozeanu; 1952-3, F. Sido and A. Rozeanu; 1953-4, I. Andreadis and G. Farkas (Gervai); 1954-5, K. Szepesi and E. Koczian; 1955-6, E. Klein and Mrs. L. Neuberger; 1956-57, I. Ogimura and F. Eguchi; 1957-58, No Competition; 1958-59, I. Ogimura and F. Eguchi; 1959-60, No Competition; 1960-61, I. Ogimura and K. Matsuzaki. No contests for years 1939-46.

VENUES OF PAST WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

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| 1926-27 | London | 1948-49 | Stockholm |
| 1927-28 | Stockholm | 1949-50 | Budapest |
| 1928-29 | Budapest | 1950-51 | Vienna |
| 1929-30 | Berlin | 1951-52 | Bombay |
| 1930-31 | Budapest | 1952-53 | Bucharest |
| 1931-32 | Prague | 1953-54 | London |
| 1932-33 | Baden (nr. Vienna) | 1954-55 | Utrecht |
| 1933-34 | Paris | 1955-56 | Tokyo |
| 1934-35 | London | 1956-57 | Stockholm |
| 1935-36 | Prague | 1957-58 | No Championships held |
| 1936-37 | Baden (nr. Vienna) | 1958-59 | Dortmund |
| 1937-38 | London | 1959-60 | No Championships held |
| 1938-39 | Cairo | | |
| 1946-47 | Paris | | |
| 1947-48 | London | 1960-61 | Peking |

EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS RECORDS

Team Championships—Men

1957-58 Hungary.
1958-59 No Competition.
1959-60 Hungary.
1960-61 No Competition.

Team Championships—Women

1957-58 England.
1958-59 No Competition.
1959-60 Hungary.
1960-61 No Competition.

Men's Singles

1957-58 Z. Berczik.
1958-59 No Competition.
1959-60 Z. Berczik.
1960-61 No Competition.

Women's Singles

1957-58 E. Koczian.
1958-59 No Competition.
1959-60 E. Koczian.
1960-61 No Competition.

Men's Doubles

1957-58 L. Stipek and L. Vyhnantovsky.
1958-59 No Competition.
1959-60 Z. Berczik and F. Sido.
1960-61 No Competition.

Women's Doubles

1957-58 A. Rozeanu and E. Zeller.
1958-59 No Competition.
1959-60 A. Rozeanu and M. Alexandru.
1960-61 No Competition.

Mixed Doubles

1957-58 Z. Berczik and G. Farkas.
1958-59 No Competition.
1959-60 G. Cobirzan and M. Alexandru.
1960-61 No Competition.

VENUES OF PAST EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

1957-58 Budapest.
1958-59 No Competition.
1959-60 Zagreb.
1960-61 No Competition.

HINTS ON PLAYING CONDITIONS

by G. W. Decker

Floor:

The table should rest on a wood floor. A linoleum covered floor is not good and the bounce of the ball is affected. Linoleum is all right for footwork but pieces should be cut out for the legs of the table to rest on. The holes must be filled with small pieces of wood same thickness as the linoleum. If the cutting is done by an expert the linoleum pieces can be replaced when the table is not in use and the break in the linoleum is hardly noticeable. It has been found that the difficulty of a table on a soft surface where cutting is not possible can be overcome by heavily weighting the table, say 56 lbs. on each leg—4 cwt.

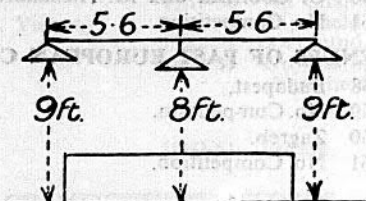
Surrounds:

For exhibitions or special occasions the court should be enclosed by a cloth-covered barrier 2 feet or 2 feet 6 inches high. This can easily be constructed and should be made up in frames 5 feet by 2 feet or 6 feet by 2 feet 6 inches, supported by wooden triangles nailed or screwed at the base of each upright. If the four corner sections of the arena are hinged this will obviate the triangles for eight of the sections. The frames can be covered with green cloth, muslin or sisalcraft which can be glued to each side and then sprayed with green paint. This latter method has been found very satisfactory.

Lighting:

The very minimum for club play and ordinary matches should consist of three 150 watt lamps in 20-inch circular billiards shades—one over the centre of the table and one over each end of the table. A very convenient method is to wire the whole outfit on to an 11 feet beam with a lead to the nearest lampholder and suspend the whole by two chains or cords from the ceiling and six feet apart. The distance from lamp to lamp should be 5 feet 6 inches and the height from the floor 9 feet 9 inches. Unless good lighting is provided in clubs eyestrain and nasty headaches will result.

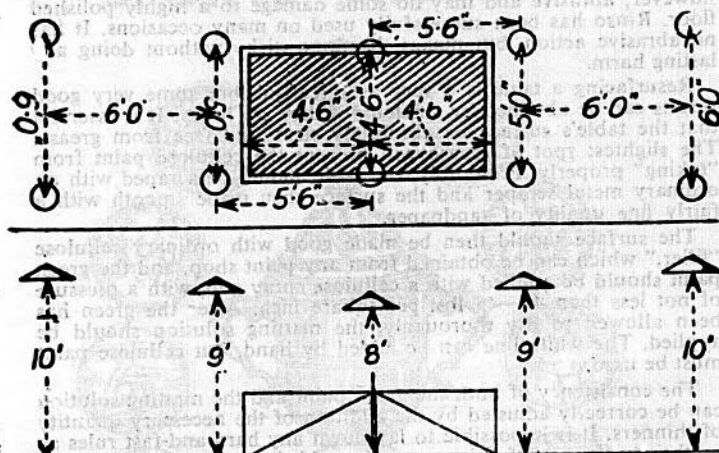
For Club Room:



Exhibition and Representative Matches:

The playing space should not be less than 36 feet by 18 feet. At the first Championships at Wembley we had 60 feet by 40 feet. The following year it was reduced to 50 feet by 25 feet. Later it was

reduced to 40 feet by 20 feet and has remained at this ever since and is ample. A large area gives the player much further to go when picking up the ball and also dwarfs the spectacle of a player retrieving boundary hits. The thrill of the game is felt much more in the smaller area.



DISTANCE TO FLOOR IS MEASURED FROM BOTTOM RIM OF SHADE

Ten 150 watt lamps are used in 20 inch billiards shades spaced as shown. 200 watt lamps are not too much. Sometimes it is necessary to go much higher with the lights when they obscure the view for spectators in a gallery. Three 1,000 watt lamps on a 16 foot bar at a height of 16 feet will be found satisfactory and gives nearly as much light as the system shown in figure 2. It must be remembered that the light thrown on any given area of surface varies as the square of the distance. A 500 watt lamp at a height of 16 feet (13 feet 6 inches from the table) would not give as much light as 150 watt lamp at a height of 9 feet (6 feet 6 inches from the table). For this reason the higher the lights are the more powerful they should be. Lamps with silvered reflecting surfaces, bright metal reflectors, or looking glass reflectors should never be used as their light distributions are very uneven.

Fluorescent lighting presents special problems because of its stroboscopic effect. Some success has been achieved by using dual tubes but experiments and trials are still proceeding.

On the Umpires' table a jug of water and glasses should be provided, also towels.

For big international matches scoring machines should be used. It is also necessary to provide stop clocks in case the time limit

rule has to be applied. Chess clocks have been used for the purpose but for real exactitude a stop watch or a clinical clock should be used.

Where a floor is slippery scrubbing is essential, but, in cases of emergency, powdered pumice makes a good surface. Its action is, however, abrasive and may do some damage to a highly polished floor. Rinso has been successfully used on many occasions. It has no abrasive action, but makes the floor sticky without doing any lasting harm.

Resurfacing a table is a very technical job but some very good results can be obtained by amateurs if they are lucky. It is essential that the table's surface be absolutely clean and free from grease. The slightest spot of grease will prevent the cellulose paint from "taking" properly. Preferably, the table should be scraped with an ordinary metal scraper and the surface then made smooth with a fairly fine quality of sandpaper.

The surface should then be made good with ordinary cellulose "filler," which can be obtained from any paint shop, and the green paint should be applied with a cellulose spray gun, with a pressure of not less than 40-45 lbs. per square inch. After the green has been allowed to dry thoroughly, the matting solution should be applied. The white line can be added by hand, but cellulose paint must be used.

The consistency of both the green paint and the matting solution can be correctly adjusted by the addition of the necessary quantity of thinners. It is impossible to lay down any hard-and-fast rules as to the percentage of thinners to be added to the paint, but any good cellulose paint sprayer will be able to judge this accurately.

The paint necessary to resurface one table consisting of green undercoat, matting lacquer and thinners, can be obtained for £3 plus postage. Various firms are resurfacing tables at from £8 to £19 10s. 0d. plus cartage, but as with most things the best is cheapest in the end.

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THE CHART SYSTEM FOR ARRANGING LEAGUE FIXTURES

Originally produced in the Handbook in 1938 by Leslie Bennett;
revised and expanded by G. R. Harrower in 1948.

The Chart System has now become a necessity to all Table Tennis Organisers. In order that clubs can compete in leagues, they must be able, if they enter more than one team, to be certain that two teams from the same club will not be called upon to play at home in the same week. This can always be guaranteed, providing the divisions making up a league have the same number of teams in each, irrespective of whether the two teams are in one division, or separate, and irrespective of how many clubs enter with two teams.

Most leagues to-day publish their own handbook, and the amount of space taken up by printing fixtures is considerable. This can be cut down to a maximum of two pages (including explaining the chart) by using the chart system. Even if you decide to print your fixtures in full you will find that to obtain satisfactory fixtures you must prepare them with the aid of a chart.

The following charts can be used for divisions from 6 to 16 teams: if an odd number of teams, say 7, you give a blank week to the team due to play No. 8 in each case. Use of these charts guarantees that no team is ever called upon to play three consecutive home or away matches, and that they get the maximum possible number of alternate home and away games. Furthermore, by using the combinations shown underneath each chart, you safeguard your clubs and their few match nights. For example, if you have a club with two teams, one in the premier division and one in the third division, with only one home night, allot the first team to position No. 1 in the premier division and the second team to position No. 5 (for divisions of eight) in the third division. It should be noted that although only four combinations are listed as alternatives for divisions of eight these combinations can be reversed; i.e. 5 and 1, 6 and 2, giving eight combinations for eight places, covering every possibility.

The tables used cover the first half of the season, and the letter "a" denotes an away match. For example, again quoting from divisions of eight, Team No. 1 plays Team No. 8 at home in the first week, and then meets Team No. 7 away in the second week. Obviously, for the second half of the season, the homes and aways are reversed.

Shortage of space precludes giving all details, but further information can be supplied and queries answered if a communication is sent to the Association.

There is a way in which EACH team can play alternate home and away matches, providing that two extra weeks can be devoted to the league programme. Obviously, this is more satisfactory if time permits, and you are recommended to use the charts numbered 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11.

(1) CHART FOR 16 TEAMS

| | | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week | 8th week | 9th week | 10th week | 11th week | 12th week | 13th week | 14th week | 15th week |
|-----|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| No. | 1 plays | 16 | 15a | 14 | 13a | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 |
| " | 2 | 15 | 14a | 13 | 12a | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 |
| " | 3 | 14 | 13a | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 15a |
| " | 4 | 13 | 12a | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 15a | 14a |
| " | 5 | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 15a | 14a | 13a |
| " | 6 | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a |
| " | 7 | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a |
| " | 8 | 9 | 8a | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a |
| " | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a |
| " | 10 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a |
| " | 11 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a |
| " | 12 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a |
| " | 13 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a |
| " | 14 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a |
| " | 15 | 2a | 1 | 16a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a |
| " | 16 | 1a | 8 | 15 | 7a | 14 | 6a | 13 | 5a | 12 | 4a | 11 | 3a | 10 | 2a | 9 |

Always alternately home and away: 1 & 9.

Always opposite: 1 & 9; 2 & 10; 3 & 11; 4 & 12; 5 & 13;
6 & 14; 7 & 15; 8 & 16.

(2) CHART FOR 14 TEAMS

| | | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week | 8th week | 9th week | 10th week | 11th week | 12th week | 13th week |
|-----|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| No. | 1 plays | 14 | 13a | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 |
| " | 2 | 13 | 12a | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 |
| " | 3 | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 13a |
| " | 4 | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 13a | 12a |
| " | 5 | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 13a | 12a | 11a |
| " | 6 | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a |
| " | 7 | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a |
| " | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a |
| " | 9 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a |
| " | 10 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a |
| " | 11 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a |
| " | 12 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a |
| " | 13 | 2a | 1 | 14a | 12a | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 |
| " | 14 | 1a | 7 | 13 | 6a | 12 | 5a | 11 | 4a | 10 | 3a | 9 | 2a | 8 |

Always alternately home and away: 1 & 8.

Always opposite: 1 & 8; 2 & 9; 3 & 10; 4 & 11; 5 & 12;
6 & 13; 7 & 14.

(3) CHART FOR 12 TEAMS

| | | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week | 8th week | 9th week | 10th week | 11th week |
|-------------|-----|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| No. 1 plays | ... | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 |
| " 2 " | ... | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1a |
| " 3 " | ... | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 11a |
| " 4 " | ... | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 11a | 10a |
| " 5 " | ... | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 11a | 10a | 9a |
| " 6 " | ... | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a |
| " 7 " | ... | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a |
| " 8 " | ... | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a |
| " 9 " | ... | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a |
| " 10 " | ... | 3 | 2a | 1 | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a |
| " 11 " | ... | 2 | 1a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a |
| " 12 " | ... | 1 | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a |

Always alternately home and away: 1 & 7.

Always opposite: 1 & 7; 2 & 8; 3 & 9; 4 & 10; 5 & 11; 6 & 12.

(4) CHART FOR 10 TEAMS

| | | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week | 8th week | 9th week |
|-------------|----|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| No. 1 plays | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a |
| " 2 " | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 1a |
| " 3 " | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 1a | 9a |
| " 4 " | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 1a | 9a | 8a |
| " 5 " | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 1a | 9a | 8a | 7a |
| " 6 " | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 1a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a |
| " 7 " | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 1a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a |
| " 8 " | 3 | 2a | 1 | 1a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a |
| " 9 " | 2 | 1a | 1a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a |
| " 10 " | 1 | 1a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a |

Always alternately home and away: 1 & 6.

Always opposite: 1 & 6; 2 & 7; 3 & 8; 4 & 9; 5 & 10.

(5) CHART FOR 8 TEAMS

| | | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week |
|-------------|-----|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| No. 1 plays | ... | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 |
| " 2 " | ... | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1a |
| " 3 " | ... | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 7a |
| " 4 " | ... | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 7a | 6a |
| " 5 " | ... | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 7a | 6a | 5a |
| " 6 " | ... | 3 | 2a | 1a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a |
| " 7 " | ... | 2 | 1a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a |
| " 8 " | ... | 1 | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a |

Always alternately home and away: 1 & 5.

Always opposite: 1 & 5; 2 & 6; 3 & 7; 4 & 8.

(6) CHART FOR 16 TEAMS

| | | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week | 8th week | 9th week | 10th week | 11th week | 12th week | 13th week | 14th week | 15th week | 16th week |
|-------------|----|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| No. 1 plays | 16 | 15a | 14 | 13a | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 16 |
| " 2 " | 15 | 14a | 13 | 12a | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 16a | 15 |
| " 3 " | 14 | 13a | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 16a | 15a | 14 |
| " 4 " | 13 | 12a | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13 |
| " 5 " | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12 |
| " 6 " | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11 |
| " 7 " | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10 |
| " 8 " | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9 |
| " 9 " | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8 |
| " 10 " | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7 |
| " 11 " | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6 |
| " 12 " | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5 |
| " 13 " | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4 |
| " 14 " | 3 | 2a | 1 | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3 |
| " 15 " | 2 | 1a | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2 |
| " 16 " | 1 | 16a | 15a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1 |

All teams alternately home and away.

Always opposite: 1 & 9; 2 & 10; 3 & 11; 4 & 12; 5 & 13; 6 & 14; 7 & 15; 8 & 16.

(7) CHART FOR 14 TEAMS

| No. | 1 plays | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week | 8th week | 9th week | 10th week | 11th week | 12th week | 13th week | 14th week |
|-----|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1 | 14 | 13a | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | - | - |
| 2 | 13 | 12a | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 14a | 13 |
| 3 | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 14a | 13a | 12 |
| 4 | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11 |
| 5 | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10 |
| 6 | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9 |
| 7 | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8 |
| 8 | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7 |
| 9 | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6 |
| 10 | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5 |
| 11 | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4 |
| 12 | 3a | 2a | 1a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3 |
| 13 | 2a | 1a | 14a | 13a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2 |
| 14 | 1a | - | 13 | 12a | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 |

All teams alternately home and away.

Always opposite: 1 & 8; 2 & 9; 3 & 10; 4 & 11; 5 & 12; 6 & 13; 7 & 14.

(8) CHART FOR 12 TEAMS

| No. | 1 plays | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week | 8th week | 9th week | 10th week | 11th week | 12th week |
|-----|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1 | 12 | 11a | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | - | - |
| 2 | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 12a | 11 |
| 3 | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 12a | 11a | 10 |
| 4 | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9 |
| 5 | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8 |
| 6 | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7 |
| 7 | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6 |
| 8 | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5 |
| 9 | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4 |
| 10 | 3a | 2a | 1a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3 |
| 11 | 2a | 1a | 12a | 11a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2 |
| 12 | 1a | - | 11 | 10a | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 |

All teams alternately home and away.

Always opposite: 1 & 7; 2 & 8; 3 & 9; 4 & 10; 5 & 11; 6 & 12.

(9) CHART FOR 10 TEAMS

| No. | 1 plays | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week | 8th week | 9th week | 10th week |
|-----|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| 1 | 10 | 9a | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | - | - |
| 2 | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 10a | 9 |
| 3 | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 10a | 9a | 8 |
| 4 | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7 |
| 5 | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6 |
| 6 | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5 |
| 7 | 4a | 3a | 2a | 1a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4 |
| 8 | 3a | 2a | 1a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3 |
| 9 | 2a | 1a | 10a | 9a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2 |
| 10 | 1a | - | 9 | 8a | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 |

All teams alternately home and away.

Always opposite: 1 & 6; 2 & 7; 3 & 8; 4 & 9; 5 & 10.

(10) CHART FOR 8 TEAMS

| No. | 1 plays | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week | 7th week | 8th week |
|-----|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 1 | 8 | 7a | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | - | - |
| 2 | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 8a | 7 |
| 3 | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | 1a | 8a | 7a | 6 |
| 4 | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5 |
| 5 | 4a | 3a | 2 | 1a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4 |
| 6 | 3a | 2a | 1 | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3 |
| 7 | 2a | 1a | 8a | 7a | 6a | 5a | 4a | 3a | 2 |
| 8 | 1a | - | 7 | 6a | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a | 1 |

All teams alternately home and away.

Always opposite: 1 & 5; 2 & 6; 3 & 7; 4 & 8.

(11)

CHART FOR 6 TEAMS

| | | | | | | 1st week | 2nd week | 3rd week | 4th week | 5th week | 6th week |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| No. 1 plays | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6 | 5a | 4 | 3a | 2 | - |
| " 2 " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 4a | 3 | - | 1a | 6 |
| " 3 " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | - | 2a | 1 | 6a | 5 |
| " 4 " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3a | 2 | 1a | 6 | 5a | - |
| " 5 " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2a | 1 | 6a | - | 4 | 3a |
| " 6 " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1a | - | 5 | 4a | 3 | 2a |

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THE ORGANISATION OF AN OPEN TOURNAMENT.

By G. James (Hon. Referee English Open Championships and Chairman—National Umpires-Referees Committee)

Run an Open Tournament? Easy! Yes, of course it is - once you know how. Fortunately most of us who take on the task do know its major pitfalls but, as one requirement is many willing hands - a commodity not found so readily these days - the following broad coverage may serve as a useful guide to those contemplating shouldering the burden for the first time. At the outset, however, it must be stated that during the 1961-62 season new regulations for open tournaments are being prepared in conjunction with the tournament organisers; the first of these is already law in that the referee is now required to have a competent knowledge of the laws of the game and experience of tournament running. No longer, therefore, is a figurehead or prestige official allowed.

The most vital maxim is that a great deal of time must be spent in advance and never forget that even hours of work beforehand which will save say one minute on every match played, may well make the difference between a smooth-running tournament and one which leaves players disgruntled, officials worn out and the general public wondering whether table tennis really is a great national sport.

The first step is to form the tournament committee under the chairmanship of the referee. This committee should be as small as possible and contain officials all of whom are themselves chairmen of even smaller sub-committees each responsible for the various essential side of the organisation. These are normally a Playing Committee which handles matters connected with the draw and the actual playing of the matches, while the others such as Umpires, Stewards, Box Office, Programmes, Press, Hospitality, etc. have obvious duties. This system generally ensures a fair division of the work and avoids vital matters being overlooked.

The preparation of the entry form is best left to the referee who must take great care to see that the various items are included as laid down in the Association's rules. Here should be mentioned the experimental "pushing play" regulation which is in operation for the current season. As this is new it would be a good idea to include its wording in full as well as the new definition of the racket.

Here perhaps is the best time to mention what is probably the most vital part of any tournament - the provision of umpires. A plentiful supply will enable the tightest schedule to be completed on time but insufficient can run the easiest of tournaments. Open tournament rules do not allow the loser umpires system as it has always been felt that the provision by the organisers of an adequate number of umpires is as important as the supply of tables and balls. How this is done is something that I would not dare to be dogmatic about but there are still many

tournaments who manage to make some hospitality contribution to the expenses of leading players - well surely the hard working umpire is just as important if not so obviously so. It would seem that he is equally entitled to the little that is available and a policy which recognises this even to the extent of a very small increase in entry fees might go some way to dealing with the problem.

Entries would normally be received by the tournament secretary, who, working under the referee, arranges for their collation. It still seems impossible for every player to fill in an entry form correctly however simple, therefore the easiest way is to prepare a complete list of all competitors, as entries are received, on the following lines, immediately address to each entrant a notification card to be completed later by the playing committee:

| No. | Name | Events Entered | Partners | Fees Paid | Owed or to be refunded | Remarks |
|-----|---------------|----------------|------------------------------|-----------|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 | J. Smith | M/S. M/D | J. Brown | 4s. | — 6d. | Extension till Sunday |
| 2 | Miss J. Green | W/S, W/D, X/D | Miss L. Jones A. Robinson | 7s. | + 1s. | Extension till 2 p.m. Saturday |

At the same time separate lists of competitors are built up—one for each event, containing only the entrant's name.

After entries have been closed the basis of the time schedule is worked out according to the number of matches to be played with particular reference to days on which competitors will be required to play in more than one event. Normally 15 minutes is the allowance for a three game set and even with the most experienced organisation it is unwise to try to reduce this.

We are now ready to go ahead with the draw. Here careful attention must be made to the Association's rules on seeding, details of which will be found earlier in the handbook under Rules for Open Tournaments, and note should be taken of the alteration this year which allows the holder to be seeded even if not entitled to such ranking list position. Most organisers are able to make a draw but as the calculation of the number of byes, which should occur only in the first round still causes some confusion, perhaps the following method may assist. To give four semi-finalists and two finalists the number of competitors must be a power of two in the first round. If not, sufficient byes must be introduced in the first round to make the number in the second round a power of two, i.e., either 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, 128, 256, etc. This is done by subtracting the number of entrants from the next highest power of two. This figure is the number having byes into the second round.

Example: With 99 entries the next highest power of 2 = 128, 128—99=29.

In the first round we have 29 byes with 70

actually playing, giving 35 winners+29 byes=64 for the second round.

These byes are then inserted on alternate lines of the draw sheet—half in the top half of the draw and half in the bottom half. Where the number of byes is not exactly divisible by 2, the extra bye should go in the bottom half. To illustrate this the following table shows the number of byes for up to 64 competitors:—

| Byes | Top half | Bottom half |
|------|----------|-------------|
| 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 4 | 4 | 4 |
| 5 | 5 | 5 |
| 6 | 6 | 6 |
| 7 | 7 | 7 |
| 8 | 8 | 8 |
| 9 | 9 | 9 |
| 10 | 10 | 10 |
| 11 | 11 | 11 |
| 12 | 12 | 12 |
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| 31 | 31 | 31 |
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| 43 | 43 | 43 |
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| 59 | 59 | 59 |
| 60 | 60 | 60 |
| 61 | 61 | 61 |
| 62 | 62 | 62 |
| 63 | 63 | 63 |
| 64 | 64 | 64 |

| Byes | Top half | Bottom half |
|------|----------|-------------|
| 8 | 8 | 8 |
| 9 | 9 | 9 |
| 10 | 10 | 10 |
| 11 | 11 | 11 |
| 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 13 | 13 | 13 |
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| 15 | 15 | 15 |
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| 57 | 57 | 57 |
| 58 | 58 | 58 |
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| 60 | 60 | 60 |
| 61 | 61 | 61 |
| 62 | 62 | 62 |
| 63 | 63 | 63 |
| 64 | 64 | 64 |

while a draw for 5 players called A, B, C, D and E would appear thus:—

| | |
|-----|-------|
| A | ..... |
| Bye | ..... |
| B | ..... |
| C | ..... |
| D | ..... |
| Bye | ..... |
| E | ..... |
| Bye | ..... |

The easiest way, then, of making the draw, after inserting the byes, if any, is to use numbered pieces of paper—one for each competitor or pair, divide these into halves or quarters according to the permitted number of seeds, insert the seeds in their appropriate section and make a straight draw.

The foregoing has been given as the most usual way of dealing in this country with the "bye" problem. It must, however, be pointed out that the I.T.T.F. who lay down basic regulations for Open tournaments, recommend that the byes should be evenly spaced throughout the draw. The only plan so far devised for this is that of the late Marcel Corbillon whose rather complicated system is as follows:

CHAMPIONSHIP DRAW

| | | | |
|----|-------|----|-------|
| 2 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 63 | ..... | 31 | ..... |
| 34 | ..... | 17 | ..... |
| 31 | ..... | 16 | ..... |
| 18 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 47 | ..... | 24 | ..... |
| 50 | ..... | 25 | ..... |
| 15 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 10 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 55 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 42 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 23 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 26 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 39 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 58 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 7 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 59 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 38 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 27 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 43 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 54 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 11 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 14 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 51 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 46 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 19 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 30 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 35 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 62 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 3 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 4 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 61 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 36 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 29 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 20 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 45 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 52 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 13 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 12 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 53 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 44 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 21 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 28 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 37 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 60 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 57 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 8 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 40 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 25 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 24 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 41 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 56 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 9 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 16 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 49 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 48 | ..... | 15 | ..... |
| 17 | ..... | 9 | ..... |
| 32 | ..... | 8 | ..... |
| 33 | ..... | 5 | ..... |
| 64 | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| 1 | ..... | 15 | ..... |

Having completed the draw the next stage is to schedule each match, i.e., allow one match per table for each period of 15 minutes. This is a fairly straightforward matter so long as care is taken in endeavouring to even out players' rest periods between each round.

A point to remember here is, that as your final will presumably not be played until all preliminary rounds of other events are completed, you can play one half of an event at a time, i.e., if you have 64 first round matches you do not have to play more than 32 of them before beginning the second round. In this way, if you have say only six tables you can play the first half of the draw down to the third round before commencing the first round of the second half of the draw. Thus players' waiting time between rounds is evened out and all your tables are kept in play for a longer period with a corresponding lessening of wasted tables.

If more than one event is being played in the same session it is best to select non-clashing events to follow each other, e.g., Men's singles, Ladies' singles, Men's doubles, Ladies' doubles, Junior singles, Mixed doubles. Here you have only to arrange that your better Juniors are excluded from the first round Mixed doubles matches which are scheduled to be played at the same time as the last Junior matches.

Now, notification cards have to be filled in giving players the times of their first matches in each event. This is really essential as it always seems pointless to insist on a large number of players being available at the commencement of each session when an examination of the schedule shows that many of them can be given but one match in two hours.

We now come to preparations for the actual operation of play. Draw sheets are already completed and each match shown thereon should have its time and number stated beside it. Every match should of course, be numbered, both for checking purposes and for easy reference when Umpires' scorecards are returned. These numbers should never be duplicated but should follow on from event to event, e.g., if there are 127 matches in the Men's singles and 63 in the Ladies' singles the former will be numbered 1 to 127 and the latter 128 to 191 and so on.

It is far simpler to work from a schedule and use the actual draw sheets only for entering up results. This sheet should have sufficient columns of two-inch width to permit one for each table, while lines are ruled across to denote the 15-minute periods. Each oblong thus formed has the number and competitors for each match entered into it (later rounds, will, of course have only a number—the names being filled in as they become available). In this way your matches are played as scheduled with no overlapping, so long as matches are announced for play only in their correct time sequences. Naturally, unless you have unlimited time, there is no need to tie

matches down to table numbers denoted by the column heading on the schedule. They can be put on any available table but must be in their time sequence.

At long last we have reached the commencement stage of play itself. Competitors should report to the Referee with their notification cards. From this their names are easily found on the schedule and play is ready to begin. If sufficient time can be found beforehand it is advisable to have match cards already written out for the first round matches. The appropriate matches are then taken crossed off the schedule and handed to the announcer who allocates them to tables, announces them, and hands the match cards to the Chief Umpire who immediately despatches Umpires to the tables with the cards and balls. The cards, of course, return by the same process.

So your tournament will continue until the final stages which should naturally be on one table only in some sort of staged manner. Nothing, surely, is more unfair to both players and spectators for a final to be put on with a Junior quarter final on one side of it and a Consolation singles battle on the other. Also your finals are your greatest opportunity of drawing a "gate" and thus would be your greatest source of revenue as well as being a duty of yours to the players who have patronised your tournament. They should at least be given the kudos of winning a title before an audience unhampered by the diversions of play on other tables.

Two further points to watch at your finals—never play Consolation singles finals with your major finals. They are seldom popular with either players or spectators and only detract from public interest. Secondly, always present your prizes after each final. If these are left to the end they are but a source of embarrassment to the dignitary who has to dispense them amid a diminishing audience and to the accompaniment of the muffled conversation and clattering chairs of the departing.

In conclusion, keep your officials at the Committee table to the absolute minimum—four is ample, pick your officials carefully—an Umpires' Committee which fails to get Umpires is just as useless as a Press Committee which does not obtain Press publicity—and be prepared to work hard in advance. If these are done there is no reason why the whole tournament should not run successfully and be a credit to the organisers.

Seeding of players from other countries at Open Tournaments

The following decisions are for the guidance of Open Tournament Organisers. The Home Countries are Ireland, Scotland and Wales.

1. The Current World Ranking List should take precedence over the Current English Ranking List.
2. Ranked players of other countries (not included in World Ranking) may be seeded.
3. Any other Home Countries' players or foreign players may

be decided with the approval of the Hon. Sec. of the National Selection Committee, Mr. D. P. Lowen, 652 Grand Buildings, Trafalgar Square, London, W.C.2.

4. Ranked players of other countries should be separated in the draw.

These notes should be read in conjunction with the Open Tournament Regulations. See Regulation 7, Page 45.

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Singles

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It shall be made of any material and shall yield a uniform bounce of not less than 8ins. and not more than 9ins. when a standard ball is dropped from a height of 12ins. above its surface.

The upper surface of the table shall be termed the "playing surface"; it shall be non-reflecting, of a dark colour with a white line 4in. broad along each edge.

The lines at the 5ft. edges or ends of the playing surface shall be termed "end lines." The lines at the 9ft. edges or sides of the playing surface shall be termed "side lines."

2. The Net and its Supports.—The playing surface shall be divided into two courts of equal size by a net running parallel to the end lines and 4ft. 6ins. from each. The net, with its suspension, shall be 6ft. in length; its upper part along its whole length shall be 6ins. above the playing surface; its lower part along the whole length shall be close to the playing surface. The net shall be suspended by a cord and attached at each end to an upright post 6-ins. high; the outside limits of each post shall be 6ins. outside the side line on the same side.

N.B. For more detailed specification of the net, see Regulations for International Competitions Recommendations (b). Page 107.

3. The Ball.—The ball shall be spherical. It shall be made of celluloid, white, but not brightly reflecting; it shall not be less than 4½ins. nor more than 4½ins. in circumference; it shall not be less than 37 grains (2.40 grammes) nor more than 39 grains (2.53 grammes) in weight.

4. The Racket.—The racket may be of any size, shape or weight. Its surface shall be dark coloured and non-reflecting. The blade shall be of wood, continuous, of even thickness, flat and rigid. If the blade is covered on either side, this covering may be either (a) of plain, ordinary pimples rubber, with pimples outward, of a total thickness of not more than 2mm; or (b) of "sandwich" consisting of a layer of cellular rubber surfaced by plain ordinary pimples rubber—turned outwards or inwards—in which case the total thickness of covering of either side shall not be more than 4 mm.

Directive from the I.T.T.F.

All Associations are requested to take necessary, practical steps to stop the use and, so far as possible, the manufacture of yellow and light-coloured rackets, permitting only dark red, dark green, dark brown, dark blue and black, as well as the use and manufacture of rackets with reflecting surfaces. Further, rackets are to be the same colour on both sides.

Definition: For the purpose of Law 4 plain, ordinary pimples rubber shall be defined as follows:—

A single covering with pimples evenly distributed not fewer than 10 nor more than 50 to the square centimetre (60—330 to the square inch) of rubber which, whether natural or synthetic, is non-cellular, and of which the total thickness includes the height of the pimples and adhesion.

5. The Scoring of Points.—A game shall be won by the player who first wins 21 points, unless both players shall have scored 20 points, when the winner of the game shall be he who first wins two points more than his opponent (except as provided in the "Pushing Play" Regulation, Page 123).

6. The Choice of Ends and Service.—The choice of ends and the right to be server or striker-out in every match shall be decided by toss, provided that, if the winner of the toss chooses the right to be server or striker-out, the other player shall have the choice of ends, and vice versa and provided that the winner of the toss may, if he prefer it, require the other player to make the first choice.

7. The Change of Ends and Service.—After five points the striker-out shall become the server, and the server the striker-out, and so on after each five points until the end of the game or the score 20-all*. At the score 20-all* the striker-out shall become the server, and the server the striker-out, and so on after each point until the end of the game. The player who served first in a game shall be striker-out first in the immediate subsequent game, and so on until the end of a match *or as provided in the "Pushing Play" Regulation, Page 123.

The player who started at one end in a game shall start at the other in the immediately subsequent game, and so on until the end of the match. Where the match consists of only one game, or where it consists of more than one game, in the deciding game of the match, the players shall change ends at the score 10*, or as provided in the "Pushing Play" Regulation, Page 123.

8. Out of Order of Ends of Service.—If a player serve out of his turn, play shall be interrupted as soon as the mistake is discovered and shall continue with that player serving who, according to the sequence established at the beginning of the game, should have been the server at the score which has been reached. In any circumstances, all points scored before the discovery shall be reckoned.

If the players shall not have changed ends when ends should have been changed, the players shall change ends as soon as the mistake is discovered, unless a game shall have been completed since the error, when the error shall be ignored. In any circumstances, all points scored before the discovery shall be reckoned.

9. The Order of Play.—The server shall first make a good service, the striker-out shall then make a good return, and thereafter server and striker-out shall each alternately make a good return.

10. A Good Service.—The service shall begin by the server

projecting the ball by hand only, without imparting of spin, up into the air. The ball shall then be struck so that it touch first the server's court and then, passing directly over or round the net touch the striker-out's court.

The free hand, while in contact with the ball in service, shall be open, with the fingers together, thumb free and the ball resting on the palm without being crimped or pinched in any way by the fingers.

At the moment of the impact of the racket on the ball in service, the latter shall be behind the end line of the server's court and between an imaginary continuation of the side lines.

11. A Good Return.—A ball having been served or returned in play shall be struck by the player so that it pass directly over the net or round the net and touch directly the opponent's court; provided that, if the ball, having been served or returned in play, returns with its own impetus over the net or round the net, it may be struck, while still in play, by the player so that it touch directly the opponent's court.

12. A Let.—The rest is a let:

(a) If the ball served in passing over the net touch it or its supports, provided the service either be otherwise good or be volleyed by the striker-out.

(b) If a service be delivered when the striker-out is not ready provided always that he may not be deemed to be unready if he attempt to strike at the ball.

(c) If either player be prevented by an accident, not under his control, from serving a good service or making a good return.

(d) If either player lose the point, as provided in Law 13 (c), (d), (e), or Law 14, owing to an accident not within his control.

(e) If it be interrupted as provided in Law 8.

13. A Point.—Either player shall lose a point:

(a) If he fail to make a good service, except as provided in Law 12

(b) If a good service or a good return having been made by his opponent, he fail to make a good return, except as provided in Law 12.

(c) If he, or his racket, or anything that he wears or carries, touch the net or its supports while the ball is in play.

(d) If he, or his racket, or anything that he wears or carries, move the playing surface while the ball is in play.

(e) If his free hand touch the playing surface while the ball is in play.

14. A Point.—Either player shall lose the point:

(a) If, before the ball in play shall have passed over the end lines or side lines not yet having touched the playing surface on his side of the table since being struck by his opponent, it come in contact with him or anything that he wears or carries.

(b) If at any time he volley the ball, except as provided in Law 12 (a).

15. In Play.—The ball is in play from the moment at which it

is projected from the hand in service until:—

(a) It has touched one court twice consecutively.

(b) It has, except in service, touched each court alternately without having been struck by the racket intermediately.

(c) It has been struck by either player more than once consecutively.

(d) It has touched either player or anything that he wears or carries, except his racket or his racket hand below the wrist.

(e) On the volley it come in contact with the racket or the racket hand below the wrist.

(f) It has touched any object other than the net, supports, or those referred to above.

16. Further Definitions.—The period during which the ball is in play shall be termed a rest.

A rest the result of which is scored shall be termed a point.

A rest the result of which is not scored shall be termed a let.

The player who first strikes the ball during a rest shall be termed the server.

The player who next strikes the ball during a rest shall be termed the striker out.

If the ball, in passing over the net, or round the net touch it or its supports, it shall nevertheless, be considered to have passed directly except as referred to in Law 12 (a).

"Round the net" shall be considered as including "under or round the projection of the net and supports outside the side line."

If the ball in play come into contact with the racket or racket hand, not yet having touched the playing surface on one side of the net since last being struck on the other side, it shall be said to have been volleyed.

The racket hand is the hand carrying the racket: the free open hand is the hand not carrying the racket.

Doubles

17. The above Laws shall apply in the Doubles Game except as below.

18. The Table.—The surface of the table shall be divided into two parts by a white line $\frac{1}{4}$ in. broad, running parallel with the side lines and distant equally from each of them. This line shall be termed the service-line. The part of the table surface on the nearer side of the net and the right of the service-line in respect of the server, shall be called the server's right half-court, that on the left in respect to him the server's left half-court. The part of the table surface on the farther side of the net, and the left of the service-line in respect to the server, shall be called the striker-out's right half-court, that on the right in respect to the server the striker-out's left half-court.

19. A Good Service.—The service shall be delivered as otherwise provided in Law 10, and so that it touch first the server's right half-court or the centre line on his side of the net, and then, passing directly over or round the net, touch the striker-out's right half-court or the centre line on his side of the net.

20. The Choice of Order of Play.—The pair who have the right to serve the first five services in any game shall decide which partner shall do so, and the opposing pair shall then decide similarly which shall first be striker-out.

21. The Order of Service.—The first five services shall be delivered by the selected partner of the pair who have the right to do so, and shall be received by the selected partner of the opposing pair. The second five services shall be delivered by the striker-out of the first five services and received by the partner of the server of the first five services. The third five services shall be delivered by the partner of the server of the first five services and received by the partner of the striker-out of the first five services. The fourth five services shall be delivered by the partner of the striker-out of the first five services and received by the server of the first five services. The fifth five services shall be delivered as the first five services. And so on, in sequence, until the end of the game or score of 20-all, when the sequence of serving and striking-out shall be uninterrupted, but each player shall serve only one service in turn until the end of the game.

in a one-game match, or in the deciding game of a match of more than one game, the pair that served the first five services has the right to alter their order of striking-out or that of their opponents at the score 10.

22. Out of Order of Striking-out.—If a player act as striker-out out of his turn, play shall be interrupted as soon as the mistake is discovered and shall continue with that player striking-out who, according to the sequence established at the beginning of the game, or at the score 10 if that sequence has been changed under Law 21, should be striker-out at the score which has been reached. In any circumstances all points scored before the discovery shall be reckoned.

23. The Order of Play.—The server shall first make a good service, the striker-out shall then make a good return, the partner of the server shall then make a good return, the partner of the striker-out shall then make a good return, the server shall then make a good return, and thereafter each player alternately in that sequence shall make a good return.

24. Further Amendments and Additions to Singles Laws for Doubles.

Law 6.—Alter "server," "striker-out," "winner," "he," to their respective plurals; alter "player" to "pair".

Law 7.—Delete first two sentences of first paragraph. In the third sentence, first paragraph, and in the second paragraph, alter "player" to "pair"; "players" to "pairs"; "striker-out" to "strickers-out."

Law 8.—Insert "or at the score 10 if that sequence has been changed under Law 21" between the words "game" and "should".

Law 12 (b).—Insert "or his partner" after "striker-out". "they" in place of the first "he"; "the striker-out" in place of the second "he".

Law 12 (c).—Insert "any" in place of "either".
Law 12 (d).—Insert "pair" in place of "player"; "their" in place of "his".

Law 12 (e).—Add at end "or Law 22".

Law 13.—Insert "pair" in place of "player".

Law 13 (a).—Insert "the server" instead of "he".

Law 13 (b).—Insert "one of their opponents in proper sequence" in place of "his opponent"; "they" in place of "he".

Law 13 (c).—Insert "either partner" in place of the first "he".

Law 13 (d).—Insert "either partner" in place of the first "he".

Law 13 (e).—Insert "of either partner" after "hand" and "the" in place of "his".

Law 14.—Insert "pair" instead of "player".

Law 14 (a).—Insert "their" in place of the first "his"; "one of their opponents in proper sequence" instead of "his opponent"; "either partner" instead of "him".

Law 14 (b).—Insert "either partner" in place of "he".

Law 15 (c).—Insert "any" in place of "either"; add "or by any player out of proper sequence, except as provided in Law 22".

Law 15 (d).—Insert "any" in place of "either".

Add as Law 15 (g).—"In service it has touched the server's left half-court or the striker-out's left half-court".

APPENDIX TO LAWS: KNOTTY POINTS

Decisions of the Rules Committee of the International Table Tennis Federation

1. Edge Balls.—The phrase, "Table Surface" is to be interpreted as including the top edges and corners of the table-top, and a ball in play which strikes these latter is therefore good and still in play; though if it strikes evidently the side of the table-top below the edge, it becomes dead and counts against the last striker.

2. Ball Returned with Empty Hand.—If a player drop his racket, he cannot return the ball with empty hand. (See definition, "the racket hand is the hand carrying the racket.")

3. Racket Thrown at Ball.—If in returning the ball the racket leave the player's hand, it is a good return only if it were still in his hand at the moment of contact with the ball (see Law 11, "a ball ... shall be struck"), and if it does not touch the net or move the table surface (Law 13 c, d) before the ball is out of play.

4. Missed Service.—If a player in attempting to serve miss the ball altogether, it is a lost point (Laws 10 and 1.) because the ball was in play from the moment it left the server's hand, and a good service has not been made of the ball already in play.

5. Volleyed Net Service.—A net service is a let not only if otherwise good, but also if it be volleyed by the striker-out. (See Laws 12 (a) and 14 (b).)

6. Open Hand in Service: Physical Disability.—Strict observation of the prescribed method of service may be waived where the Umpire is notified, before play begins, that compliance by the player in question is prevented by physical disability.

7. Ball Fractured in Play.—If the ball split or becomes otherwise fractured in play, affecting a player's return, the rest is a let (Law 12c). It is the umpire's duty to stop play, recording a let, when he has reason to believe that the ball in play is fractured or imperfect; and to decide those cases in which the faulty ball is clearly fractured in actually going out of play, and in no way handicaps the player's return, when the point should be scored. In all cases of doubt, however, he should declare a let.

8. Fixtures.—A moving spectator, a neighbouring player, a sudden noise, i.e., any neighbouring object in movement (except a partner) should be regarded as an accident not under control (Law 12c), interference from which implies a let. A stationary spectator, fixed seating, the umpire, the light, a nearby table, a continuous sound of even volume, i.e., any relatively constant or motionless hazard, should not be so regarded, and complaint against interference from it during play should be regarded as void.

9. Service Visible to Umpire.—It is the responsibility of the server to serve so that the correctness of his service can be checked by the umpire. If the server is serving so that the umpire's view is obstructed, the umpire shall warn him and, on any subsequent occasion on which his view is obstructed and he may have doubt about the correctness of the service, the umpire shall call a fault.

EXTRACT FROM REGULATIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS

Recommendations:

(a) The table surface should be of hard wood, and either sprayed (for preference) or painted, but not freshly painted, with a dull green solution of cellulose or paint. The table shall be rigidly constructed.

(b) The net should be of a dark shade of green, and should be of mesh not less than 7.5 mm. nor more than 12.5 mm. square. It should have a white top, depending from the cord suspension, not more than 15 mm. wide. (Note, that in accordance with Law 3, which provides that the net shall be suspended by a cord, only one cord—a single horizontal cord—may suspend the net and the attachment of the net to the post, if any, must be so loose as not to exert tension and hereby constitute a suspension).

The diameter of the post should not exceed 22 mm. and any device for adjusting the height or tension of the cord suspending the net should be situated at the base of the post, should not project more than 7 mm. from the post and should, at its highest part, not be higher than 28 mm. above the height of the table surface.

The arm holding the post and its prolongation as the upper part of the grip holding the table should not project outside the post at its post ends, nor further than 75 mm. over the table at its table end; it should not be wider than 42 mm. nor higher than 13 mm. above the surface of the table.

The lower part of the grip should likewise not project beyond

the post, its lower surface should not be lower than 20 mm. below the surface of the table at its post end, nor with the screw of its clamp, lower than 75 mm. below the surface of the table at its table end; any screw adjustment of the clamp should be below the table.

(c) It is preferable that the doubles centre line should not be marked permanently in full length on the table. 1 in. (25 mm.) of the doubles centre line at each end should be permanently marked so that the correct position of the line may be easily found, and a temporary centre line should be made with string and chalk as required, for each Doubles game, being erased again for Singles play.

Note: Disregard of this recommendation does not, however, invalidate the use of the table for Singles.

(d) Floors not of stone or linoleum, but of hard, non-slippery rigid wood, not white nor brightly reflecting.

(e) The background should for preference be of a uniform dark green or another uniform dark colour, not light (or patchy) as this tends to unsight the players.

(f) The nearest possible approximation to the space requirements for World Championships.

(g) **Lighting.** Measured at table height, there shall be a minimum of 40 foot candles over the table, 20 to the edges of an area eight metres long by four metres wide, five to the edges of the playing area, and two by reflection from the near surface of the ball at table end. No light shall be suspended lower than three metres (nine feet nine inches) from the ground.

Clothes. White or light-coloured clothing may not be worn at World Championships, or in International Matches, unless both sides agree.

Associations may, however, make white clothing optional, or obligatory on their own players, at other events within their jurisdiction.

Otherwise, players shall not wear white or light-coloured clothing which might tend to unsight an opponent. The decision as to an offence under this rule shall be with the referee.

Knock-up. Players should be regarded as entitled to a knock-up of two minutes, but without special permission of the referee, not more than two minutes, before the beginning of the match. If all the players concerned in a match have already played that day on that same table, the time of knock-up to which they should be entitled, without special permission of the referee, should be one minute.

Pushing Play. In all events held under the Laws and Regulations of International Competitions, except as below, the following modifications shall be added to the Laws of Table Tennis, Law 5:—

"If a game be unfinished fifteen minutes after its commencement, the umpire (or timekeeper if one be officiating) shall cause the game to be interrupted by declaration of a 'let' and the players shall be notified before the next service that the

game in progress will proceed under the following rules (slight amendment of wording to ensure it is clearly understood that the sequence of service remains).

"The player shall be permitted to hit the ball 12 times excluding the service stroke, and if all such strokes are safely returned by the opponent, one point shall be scored by the opponent. The service shall alternate after each point while this rule is in force."

"Where, in a match, this rule has been applied in one game it shall be applied ten minutes after commencement in each of the subsequent games of the match."

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(for Forehand Service)



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English Table Tennis Association

Administration Account for the year ended 31st May, 1961

| EXPENDITURE | | | | INCOME | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------|------|----|---|-------|-----|-----|
| 11 months 1960/61 | £ | s. | d. | 11 months 1960/61 | £ | s. | d. |
| Salaries, Fees and National Insurance | 1213 | 12 | 6 | Affiliation Fees: | | | |
| Travelling Expenses | 382 | 0 | 11 | Leagues | 1231 | 13 | 0 |
| Hire of Rooms | 37 | 17 | 6 | Clubs | 20 | 10 | 0 |
| Rent and Rates | 298 | 5 | 5 | Individuals | 6 | 15 | 0 |
| Light, Heat and Office Expenses | 24 | 23 | 10 | Special | 9 | 51 | 512 |
| Telephone and Telegrams | 221 | 13 | 4 | | 9 | 13 | 107 |
| Postages | 111 | 11 | 7 | Less: County Rebates | 578 | 7 | 4 |
| Printing and Stationery | 232 | 2 | 7 | | 3129 | 6 | 2 |
| Press Expenses | 33 | 11 | 11 | Registered Members | 167 | 235 | 17 |
| Insurance | 22 | 11 | 11 | Open Tournament Levy | 260 | 26 | 18 |
| Postal Ballot | 10 | 15 | 6 | Less: County Rebates | 50 | | |
| Translations | 61 | 15 | 0 | Players' Levy | 210 | | |
| Audit Fee | 37 | 8 | 9 | Ball Rebates | 857 | | |
| Office Equipment and Repairs | 32 | 10 | 0 | Shirt Rebates | 19 | | |
| International Table Tennis Federation | 10 | 1 | 0 | Donations | 11 | | |
| Presentations and Donations | 7 | 1 | 0 | Surplus on Sales of Ties, Badges, etc. | 11 | 20 | 9 |
| Sundries | 3 | 10 | 6 | Surplus on Sales of Sundry Publications | 15 | 40 | 19 |
| Handbook | 2761 | | | Interest on Investments | 15 | | |
| National Coach: (11 months only) | 427 | | | | | | |
| Salary and National Insurance | | 1163 | 10 | | | | |
| Less: Recoveries | | 1616 | 13 | | | | |
| Expenses | | 611 | 1 | | | | |
| Less: Recoveries | | 380 | 7 | | | | |
| Balance to Working Account | 988 | | | | | | |
| | £4176 | | | | £4176 | | |

English Table Tennis Association

Balance Sheet as at 31st May, 1961

| ASSETS | | | | LIABILITIES | | | |
|---|-------|----|----|---|-------|----|----|
| 31st May, 1961 | £ | s. | d. | 31st May, 1961 | £ | s. | d. |
| Sundry Debtors and Debt Balances | 537 | | | Accumulated Fund: | | | |
| Loan to Table Tennis Sup- | 255 | | | Balance at 31st May, 1960 | 2679 | 3 | 3 |
| Less: Repaid during season | 179 | 19 | 10 | Add: Transfer of Reserve for one month, at 31st May, 1960 | 327 | 8 | 0 |
| Balance at 31st May, 1960 | 179 | 19 | 10 | Add: Excess of Income over Expenditure for the season | 515 | 8 | 7 |
| Investments: | | | | | £3006 | 11 | 3 |
| £1000 5% Defence Bonds | 1000 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| South Eastern Trustee Savings Bank | 736 | | | | | | |
| Stocks: | | | | | | | |
| Umpires Badges | 49 | | | | | | |
| Coaches Badges | 17 | | | | | | |
| Tie and Pin Badges | 120 | | | | | | |
| Motor Car Badges | 193 | | | | | | |
| Cash at Bank: | | | | | | | |
| Current Account | 1239 | | | | | | |
| Deposit Account | 1272 | | | | | | |
| Cash in Hand: | | | | | | | |
| Treasurer | 29 | | | | | | |
| Secretary | 27 | | | | | | |
| Reserve for Russian Tour | 300 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| King George V Jubilee Trust Fund | 350 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| Reserve for one month's fees: | | | | | | | |
| Balance at 31st May, 1960 | 327 | 8 | 0 | | | | |
| Less: Transferred to Accumulated Fund | 327 | 8 | 0 | | | | |
| Balance at 31st May, 1960 | 327 | 8 | 0 | | | | |
| Add: Interest to date | 78 | 1 | 0 | | | | |
| Balance brought forward | 223 | 13 | 7 | | | | |
| Victor Barna Testimonial Fund: | | | | | | | |
| Less: Appropriated to cover cost of Peking Championship | 1113 | 4 | 0 | | | | |
| Club | 360 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| Transfer from Supporters' Add: Receipts, less expenses | 597 | 8 | 9 | | | | |
| Balance at 31st May, 1960 | 155 | 15 | 3 | | | | |
| World Championships Guarantee Fund: | | | | | | | |
| Balance at 31st May, 1960 | 328 | 9 | 2 | | | | |
| Sundry Creditors and Credit Balances | 3521 | 19 | 10 | | | | |
| Expenditure for the season | 515 | 8 | 7 | | | | |
| Add: Excess of Income over Expenditure for the season | £3006 | 11 | 3 | | | | |
| Balance at 31st May, 1960 | 327 | 8 | 0 | | | | |
| Add: Transfer of Reserve for one month, at 31st May, 1960 | 2679 | 3 | 3 | | | | |
| Balance at 31st May, 1960 | 2679 | 3 | 3 | | | | |
| | £4802 | 3 | 7 | | | | |

We have compared the accounts of the English Table Tennis Association at 31st May, 1961, with the books and vouchers relating thereto, and certify them to be correct and in accordance therewith.

Signed: A. K. VINT, Chairman.
Signed: T. BLUNN, Hon. Treasurer.

Chartered Accountants.
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1, Old Burlington Street, London, W.1.

| EXPENDITURE | | 11 months 1959/60 | | 11 months 1958/59 | |
|---|------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------|------------|
| English Open Championships | £ 520 3 0 | £ 515 8 7 | £ 515 8 7 | £ 515 8 7 | £ 515 8 7 |
| Less: Profit on English Closed Championships | £ 30 3 8 | £ 489 19 4 | £ 489 19 4 | £ 489 19 4 | £ 489 19 4 |
| World's Championships—Felling | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 |
| International Matches and Tours | £ 591 0 3 | £ 591 0 3 | £ 591 0 3 | £ 591 0 3 | £ 591 0 3 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 | £ 1113 4 0 |
| Selection Committee Expenses | £ 121 4 11 | £ 121 4 11 | £ 121 4 11 | £ 121 4 11 | £ 121 4 11 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 121 4 11 | £ 121 4 11 | £ 121 4 11 | £ 121 4 11 | £ 121 4 11 |
| Umpires' Committee Expenses | £ 24 5 6 | £ 24 5 6 | £ 24 5 6 | £ 24 5 6 | £ 24 5 6 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 24 5 6 | £ 24 5 6 | £ 24 5 6 | £ 24 5 6 | £ 24 5 6 |
| Coaching Committee Expenses | £ 6 10 0 | £ 6 10 0 | £ 6 10 0 | £ 6 10 0 | £ 6 10 0 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 6 10 0 | £ 6 10 0 | £ 6 10 0 | £ 6 10 0 | £ 6 10 0 |
| Junior Trials | £ 86 6 1 | £ 86 6 1 | £ 86 6 1 | £ 86 6 1 | £ 86 6 1 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 86 6 1 | £ 86 6 1 | £ 86 6 1 | £ 86 6 1 | £ 86 6 1 |
| County Secretaries' Conference | £ 56 19 8 | £ 56 19 8 | £ 56 19 8 | £ 56 19 8 | £ 56 19 8 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 56 19 8 | £ 56 19 8 | £ 56 19 8 | £ 56 19 8 | £ 56 19 8 |
| Ball Testing | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 |
| International Dress and Badges | £ 31 1 1 | £ 31 1 1 | £ 31 1 1 | £ 31 1 1 | £ 31 1 1 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 31 1 1 | £ 31 1 1 | £ 31 1 1 | £ 31 1 1 | £ 31 1 1 |
| Practice Course for Juniors | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 | £ 25 0 0 |
| Racket Cages | £ 26 0 0 | £ 26 0 0 | £ 26 0 0 | £ 26 0 0 | £ 26 0 0 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 26 0 0 | £ 26 0 0 | £ 26 0 0 | £ 26 0 0 | £ 26 0 0 |
| European Championships | £ 194 0 0 | £ 194 0 0 | £ 194 0 0 | £ 194 0 0 | £ 194 0 0 |
| Less: Transfer from World's Championship Fund | £ 194 0 0 | £ 194 0 0 | £ 194 0 0 | £ 194 0 0 | £ 194 0 0 |
| Excess of Income over Expenditure | £ 588 0 0 | £ 588 0 0 | £ 588 0 0 | £ 588 0 0 | £ 588 0 0 |

English Table Tennis Association Working Account for the year ended 31st May, 1961

| INCOME | | 11 months 1959/60 | | 11 months 1958/59 | |
|--|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Balance from Administration Account | £ 988 0 0 | £ 988 0 0 | £ 988 0 0 | £ 988 0 0 | £ 988 0 0 |
| Television Fees | £ 248 0 0 | £ 248 0 0 | £ 248 0 0 | £ 248 0 0 | £ 248 0 0 |
| Wharfedale Cup and J.M. Rose Bowl | £ 69 0 0 | £ 69 0 0 | £ 69 0 0 | £ 69 0 0 | £ 69 0 0 |
| Table Tennis Supporters' Club | £ 143 6 3 | £ 143 6 3 | £ 143 6 3 | £ 143 6 3 | £ 143 6 3 |
| Profit on Football Pools | £ 100 0 0 | £ 100 0 0 | £ 100 0 0 | £ 100 0 0 | £ 100 0 0 |
| Profit on Cricket Pools | £ 360 0 0 | £ 360 0 0 | £ 360 0 0 | £ 360 0 0 | £ 360 0 0 |
| Profit on Premium Bond Draw | £ 603 6 3 | £ 603 6 3 | £ 603 6 3 | £ 603 6 3 | £ 603 6 3 |
| Less: Repayment against Loan | £ 179 19 10 | £ 179 19 10 | £ 179 19 10 | £ 179 19 10 | £ 179 19 10 |
| Transfer to World's Championships Fund | £ 360 0 0 | £ 360 0 0 | £ 360 0 0 | £ 360 0 0 | £ 360 0 0 |
| Transfer to Senior Selection Committee | £ 31 13 2 | £ 31 13 2 | £ 31 13 2 | £ 31 13 2 | £ 31 13 2 |
| Transfer to Junior Selection Committee | £ 31 13 3 | £ 31 13 3 | £ 31 13 3 | £ 31 13 3 | £ 31 13 3 |
| Match Expenses International | £ 603 6 3 | £ 603 6 3 | £ 603 6 3 | £ 603 6 3 | £ 603 6 3 |
| Carried forward | £ 2104 11 5 | £ 2104 11 5 | £ 2104 11 5 | £ 2104 11 5 | £ 2104 11 5 |

English Table Tennis Association Supplementary Information

| English Open Championships: | | 11 months 1959/60 | | 11 months 1958/59 | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Expenses: | | | | | |
| Hire of Albert Hall | £ 430 13 6 | £ 430 13 6 | £ 430 13 6 | £ 430 13 6 | £ 430 13 6 |
| Hire of Baths | £ 30 0 0 | £ 30 0 0 | £ 30 0 0 | £ 30 0 0 | £ 30 0 0 |
| Travel, Hospitality, Meals, etc. | £ 460 13 6 | £ 460 13 6 | £ 460 13 6 | £ 460 13 6 | £ 460 13 6 |
| Printing, Stationery and Postages | £ 665 14 10 | £ 665 14 10 | £ 665 14 10 | £ 665 14 10 | £ 665 14 10 |
| Advertising | £ 212 7 2 | £ 212 7 2 | £ 212 7 2 | £ 212 7 2 | £ 212 7 2 |
| Press and Telephones | £ 2 0 0 | £ 2 0 0 | £ 2 0 0 | £ 2 0 0 | £ 2 0 0 |
| Trophies | £ 54 15 7 | £ 54 15 7 | £ 54 15 7 | £ 54 15 7 | £ 54 15 7 |
| Less: Income | £ 52 6 9 | £ 52 6 9 | £ 52 6 9 | £ 52 6 9 | £ 52 6 9 |
| Admission—Albert Hall (net) | £ 648 13 0 | £ 648 13 0 | £ 648 13 0 | £ 648 13 0 | £ 648 13 0 |
| Baths | £ 125 13 6 | £ 125 13 6 | £ 125 13 6 | £ 125 13 6 | £ 125 13 6 |
| Donations | £ 774 9 6 | £ 774 9 6 | £ 774 9 6 | £ 774 9 6 | £ 774 9 6 |
| Entry Fees | £ 141 14 6 | £ 141 14 6 | £ 141 14 6 | £ 141 14 6 | £ 141 14 6 |
| Programmes: | | | | | |
| Sales | £ 101 3 0 | £ 101 3 0 | £ 101 3 0 | £ 101 3 0 | £ 101 3 0 |
| Advertisements | £ 178 12 0 | £ 178 12 0 | £ 178 12 0 | £ 178 12 0 | £ 178 12 0 |
| Less: Printing costs | £ 279 15 0 | £ 279 15 0 | £ 279 15 0 | £ 279 15 0 | £ 279 15 0 |
| Net Profit | £ 273 4 5 | £ 273 4 5 | £ 273 4 5 | £ 273 4 5 | £ 273 4 5 |
| Loss per Accounts | £ 6 10 7 | £ 6 10 7 | £ 6 10 7 | £ 6 10 7 | £ 6 10 7 |
| English Closed: | | | | | |
| Entry Fees | £ 88 13 6 | £ 88 13 6 | £ 88 13 6 | £ 88 13 6 | £ 88 13 6 |
| Programmes: | | | | | |
| Sales | £ 3 0 0 | £ 3 0 0 | £ 3 0 0 | £ 3 0 0 | £ 3 0 0 |
| Advertisements | £ 40 0 0 | £ 40 0 0 | £ 40 0 0 | £ 40 0 0 | £ 40 0 0 |
| Less: Printing | £ 40 0 0 | £ 40 0 0 | £ 40 0 0 | £ 40 0 0 | £ 40 0 0 |
| Net Profit | £ 3 0 0 | £ 3 0 0 | £ 3 0 0 | £ 3 0 0 | £ 3 0 0 |
| Less: Expenses | £ 21 5 6 | £ 21 5 6 | £ 21 5 6 | £ 21 5 6 | £ 21 5 6 |
| Trophies | £ 31 7 4 | £ 31 7 4 | £ 31 7 4 | £ 31 7 4 | £ 31 7 4 |
| Travel, etc. | £ 52 12 10 | £ 52 12 10 | £ 52 12 10 | £ 52 12 10 | £ 52 12 10 |
| Carried forward | £ 3 96 3 | £ 3 96 3 | £ 3 96 3 | £ 3 96 3 | £ 3 96 3 |

| International Matches and Tours: | | 11 months 1959/60 | | 11 months 1958/59 | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Losses (Seniors) | | | | | |
| France (Balance 1959/60)—Slough | £ 13 12 2 | £ 13 12 2 | £ 13 12 2 | £ 13 12 2 | £ 13 12 2 |
| Yugoslavian Tour | £ 425 15 3 | £ 425 15 3 | £ 425 15 3 | £ 425 15 3 | £ 425 15 3 |
| Scandinavian Tour | £ 205 11 3 | £ 205 11 3 | £ 205 11 3 | £ 205 11 3 | £ 205 11 3 |
| Sweden—Stockholm | £ 4 3 6 | £ 4 3 6 | £ 4 3 6 | £ 4 3 6 | £ 4 3 6 |
| Quadrangular Match—Cardiff | £ 40 13 0 | £ 40 13 0 | £ 40 13 0 | £ 40 13 0 | £ 40 13 0 |
| Welsh Open—Cardiff | £ 1 0 1 | £ 1 0 1 | £ 1 0 1 | £ 1 0 1 | £ 1 0 1 |
| Profits (Seniors) | £ 6693 17 2 | £ 6693 17 2 | £ 6693 17 2 | £ 6693 17 2 | £ 6693 17 2 |
| Russian Tour: | | | | | |
| Bristol | £ 70 18 6 | £ 70 18 6 | £ 70 18 6 | £ 70 18 6 | £ 70 18 6 |
| Manchester | £ 87 6 5 | £ 87 6 5 | £ 87 6 5 | £ 87 6 5 | £ 87 6 5 |
| Sunderland | £ 64 5 3 | £ 64 5 3 | £ 64 5 3 | £ 64 5 3 | £ 64 5 3 |
| Greenwich (T.V. Fee £350) | £ 340 13 7 | £ 340 13 7 | £ 340 13 7 | £ 340 13 7 | £ 340 13 7 |
| Loss at Birmingham | £ 563 3 9 | £ 563 3 9 | £ 563 3 9 | £ 563 3 9 | £ 563 3 9 |
| Less: General Expenses | £ 47 2 0 | £ 47 2 0 | £ 47 2 0 | £ 47 2 0 | £ 47 2 0 |
| Net Profit | £ 156 1 9 | £ 156 1 9 | £ 156 1 9 | £ 156 1 9 | £ 156 1 9 |
| Less: Transfer T.V. Fee to reserve | £ 16 12 4 | £ 16 12 4 | £ 16 12 4 | £ 16 12 4 | £ 16 12 4 |
| Net Profit | £ 424 9 5 | £ 424 9 5 | £ 424 9 5 | £ 424 9 5 | £ 424 9 5 |
| Yugoslavia—Tottenham | £ 350 0 0 | £ 350 0 0 | £ 350 0 0 | £ 350 0 0 | £ 350 0 0 |
| Net Profit | £ 74 9 5 | £ 74 9 5 | £ 74 9 5 | £ 74 9 5 | £ 74 9 5 |
| Yugoslavia—Tottenham | £ 34 7 6 | £ 34 7 6 | £ 34 7 6 | £ 34 7 6 | £ 34 7 6 |
| Total Cost to Seniors | £ 108 16 11 | £ 108 16 11 | £ 108 16 11 | £ 108 16 11 | £ 108 16 11 |
| Losses (Juniors) | | | | | |
| German Tour: | | | | | |
| Warrington | £ 26 18 9 | £ 26 18 9 | £ 26 18 9 | £ 26 18 9 | £ 26 18 9 |
| Oxford | £ 60 2 7 | £ 60 2 7 | £ 60 2 7 | £ 60 2 7 | £ 60 2 7 |
| Slough | £ 36 15 3 | £ 36 15 3 | £ 36 15 3 | £ 36 15 3 | £ 36 15 3 |
| Less: Donation from Supporters' Club | £ 123 16 7 | £ 123 16 7 | £ 123 16 7 | £ 123 16 7 | £ 123 16 7 |
| Net Profit | £ 31 13 3 | £ 31 13 3 | £ 31 13 3 | £ 31 13 3 | £ 31 13 3 |
| Carried forward | £ 693 3 4 | £ 693 3 4 | £ 693 3 4 | £ 693 3 4 | £ 693 3 4 |

ENGLAND INTERNATIONAL PLAYERS

Compiled by Leslie Woollard.

This is a complete register of every player who has represented England in at least one official senior international match up to and including the season 1960-61, here published for the first time. ("B" Team appearances do not qualify).

The surname of lady players (i.e., single or married) is given in the name under which they played. Both names are given if applicable.

In the past a considerable number of errors of fact have become perpetuated in writing presumably based on unjustified assumptions. This list and the following notes on players with identical surnames should be noted.

NOT RELATED: Baker; Berry; Brown; Cohen; Jones; Merrett; Seaman.

FATHER and DAUGHTER: Bromfield; Harrower.

BROTHERS: Hyde (2); Rumjahn (3).

SISTERS: Emdin; Rowe (twin).

HAYDON: Adrian and Marjorie are brother and sister. Ann is Adrian's daughter.

† indicates that the player is dead.

‡ indicates that we are anxious to find the present whereabouts of the player so indicated. Any information should be sent to Leslie Woollard, 50 Castle Road, Bedford.

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|------------------------|------------------------|
| Adams, L. G. | Blatchford, V. H. |
| Allcock, R. | † Booker, Mrs. F. |
| Allwright, C. W. | † Bowyer L. |
| Amies, Mrs. H. | Bromfield, P. |
| † Armstrong, M. | Bromfield, Miss V. L. |
| † Astill, Miss P. | Brook, A. D. |
| † Atkinson, W. | † Brown A. C. |
| † Attree, Miss C. | † Brown A. R. F. |
| Baker, R. | Brumwell B. F. |
| Baker, Miss Y. J. | Bubley, E. |
| Barna, V. | † Bull, C. W. |
| Barnes, Miss L. R. M. | Burls, F. J. |
| Bartholomew, Miss J. | † Burton, Miss M. |
| Beazley, Miss G. M. | Burridge, D. C. |
| † Belsten, G. | Carrington, J. H. |
| Bennett, H. A. | Carrington, Mrs. M. A. |
| Beregi, Miss D. | Carris, A. F. |
| Bergl, M. B. W. | Casofsky, B. |
| Bergmann, R. | Cohen, L. |
| Bernstein, B. | † Cohen, M. |
| † Berry, Miss M. S. | † Collett, Miss M. |
| Berry, R. H. | Collier, Mrs. H. |
| Best, Miss C. K. | Cooke, H. C. |
| Blackbourn, Miss E. F. | |

English Clubs:

| | | | |
|-------------------------|-----|----|----|
| Brought forward | £ | s. | d. |
| Less: Expenses | 36 | 3 | 8 |
| Printing and Stationery | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| | £30 | 3 | 8 |

World's Championships—Peking, 1961:

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| Fares | 847 | 2 | 11 |
| Practice sessions and sundry tours | 180 | 9 | 8 |
| International Table Tennis Federation Levy | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Entry Fees | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Dress | 21 | 13 | 7 |
| Cables, Telephones | 14 | 6 | 4 |
| Badges and Ties for presentations | 25 | 11 | 6 |
| | £1113 | 4 | 0 |

Contributions:

| | | | |
|-------------------|-------|---|---|
| World's Fund | 753 | 4 | 0 |
| Premium Bond Draw | 360 | 0 | 0 |
| | £1113 | 4 | 0 |

Handbooks:

| | | | |
|----------------|------|----|----|
| Printing | 420 | 0 | 0 |
| Supplement | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| Distribution | 55 | 0 | 0 |
| Less: Advertis | 123 | 15 | 6 |
| Sales | 8 | 2 | 11 |
| | £393 | 1 | 7 |

Cost per Accounts

£393 1 7

English Table Tennis Association Supplementary Information

Losses (Juniors)

| | | | |
|---------------------|----|----|----|
| Brought forward | £ | s. | d. |
| France—Canning Town | 92 | 3 | 4 |
| Wales—Birkenhead | 7 | 6 | 6 |
| | 48 | 13 | 6 |

Total Cost of Juniors b/f.

£148 3 4

Total Cost of Seniors b/f.

£591 0 3

Cost per Accounts...

£739 3 7

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|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| † Corn, L. | † Hookins, B. L. |
| † Cornett, Mrs. (R. Rowe) | House, D. A. |
| Cowan, M. J. | Hurlock, K. I. |
| Craigie, K. R. | † Hutchings, Mrs. L. |
| † Craggs, S. T. | Hyde E. W. |
| Crayden, R. J. | Hyde, J. K. |
| Cromwell, F. | Ingber, J. |
| Crosby, Mrs. J. | † Ingram Miss J. |
| † Crouch, B. E. | Isaacs, Miss B. |
| Cumberbatch, Mrs. M. | Jacobson, S. |
| Dace, Miss V. S. | Jones, Miss H. M. |
| (Mrs. Thomas) | Jones, R. D. |
| Dawes, C. W. | Jordan, Miss D. |
| † Davies, C. | Joyce, J. |
| Dawson, R. C. | Kaffell, D. |
| Dawn, T. S. | Kennedy, B. H. |
| Decker, G. W. | Land, Miss W. H. |
| Densham, J. T. | Landry, L. F. |
| Devereux, L. N. | † Lawes, F. S. B. |
| Donaldson, A. | Leach, J. A. |
| † Doolan, Miss R. | Lentle, Mrs. I. |
| Emdin, Miss D. L. | Lewis, J. W. |
| † Emdin, Miss D. M. | Litten, R. F. |
| † Emery, E. | Liverton, E. M. |
| Ewbank, T. | Lowe, J. W. |
| † Farris, L. S. E. | † Malley, Miss E. |
| Fielder, Miss J. E. | Lurie, H. |
| Filby, E. J. | Marshall, G. W. |
| † Findon, E. | Martin, Mrs. H. |
| Foulis, D. | Mase C. G. |
| Franks, Miss M. E. J. | Melnick, A. |
| Fry, Miss M. G. | Merrett, B. R. |
| Griffin, R. E. | Merrett, K. A. |
| Goodman, E. G. | Milbank, Miss B. E. |
| Hales H. J. | Miles, Mrs. C. |
| † Hardman, E. | Millar, A. G. |
| Harrison, I. O. | Miller, D. A. |
| Harrower, G. R. | † Moreton, R. |
| Harrower, Miss J. | Mortimer, Miss P. |
| Haydon, A. A. | Moser, Miss P. |
| Haydon, Miss A. S. | Newey, Miss D. |
| Haydon, Miss M. E. | Norrish, Miss N. |
| Head, J. E. | Nye, E. G. |
| Hewitt, W. | Osborne, Miss M. |
| Hinchliff, R. | Patterson, Miss V. M. |
| Hindmarch, C. | Perry, F. J. |
| Hodgkinson, Miss P. M. | Piper, Miss M. |
| Hodson, E. R. | Pollitt, Miss A. |
| Hollingsworth, T. | † Poole, W. |
| † Holt, Mrs. L. M. | Price, Miss F. E. |

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| Somerville, Miss A. B. | Proffitt, S. |
| Stanley, K. | Raybould, R. F. |
| Stead, Mrs. D. A. | Reay, E. |
| Steventon, Miss E. | Rhodes, A. |
| † Stilwell, A. E. | Rich, G. |
| † Stott, Miss W. I. | † Rimer, R. S. |
| Stevens, R. J. | Roberts, Miss J. |
| † Swann, J. W. | Rogers, J. |
| † Tanner, C. | Rook, Miss J. |
| † Tapper, E. | † Rosen, H. |
| Thomas, Mrs. (V. Dace) | † Ross, G. J. |
| Todd, L. J. | Rowe, Miss D. |
| Thompson, J. | Rowe, Miss R. |
| Thornhill, M. H. | (Mrs. Cornett) |
| † Tucker, W. | Rumjahn, E. J. |
| Venner, H. T. | Rumjahn, P. U. |
| Waite, A. | Rumjahn, R. M. |
| Wheaton, Miss C. | Scott-Hall, Mrs. M. R. |
| Wilde, F. H. D. | Seaman, C. A. |
| † Wilmott, A. J. | Seaman, Miss Y. J. |
| Winn, Miss J. | Sears, T. E. |
| † Wood, Miss A. | † Shalson, H. |
| Woodcock, G. | Sharman, R. L. |
| Woodhead, Miss W. | Shead, P. J. |
| † Woods, E. | Shepherd, A. H. |
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first point after the interruption, and thereafter the service shall alternate after each point whilst this rule is in force.

Where, in a match, this rule has been applied in one game it shall be applied ten minutes after commencement in each of the subsequent games of the match.

Counting shall be carried out by an official other than the umpire (by the time keeper if one be officiating)."

Law 4 - The Racket

At the last International Congress meeting, the question of the colour and the reflecting surfaces of certain rackets was considered. The International Table Tennis Federation therefore made the following announcement regarding this matter:—

"It is noted that many rackets in use at the 26th World Championships and, currently, elsewhere, contravene Law 4 regarding the racket:

"Its surface shall be dark coloured and non-reflecting".

Rackets of yellow and other light colourings are in common use in many competitions, and the plain outer surfaces of "reverse" (pimples inward) sandwich is often brightly reflecting.

This must stop. The equipment and Rules Committee are jointly charged with submitting to the Advisory Committee in 1962 a Regulation, with definitions, that shall more clearly define the existing prohibition of light colourings and reflecting surfaces, for provisional adoption thereafter and confirmation at the General Meeting in 1963.

In the meantime, all Associations are requested to take necessary practical steps to stop the use and, so far as possible, the manufacture of yellow and light coloured rackets, permitting only dark red, dark green, dark brown, dark blue and black, as well as the use and manufacture of rackets with reflecting surfaces. Consultations with manufacturers and importers with this object are recommended. Further, rackets are to be the same colour on both sides.

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THE ORGANISATION AND MANAGEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL MATCHES

1. EQUIPMENT AND PLAYING CONDITIONS:

- (i) **Ball.** The English Table Tennis Association will advise organisers on the make of ball to be used for the match and the programme must specify the name of the ball adopted.
- (ii) **Table.** The table surface should be of hard wood, and either sprayed (for preference) or painted, but not freshly painted, with a dull green solution of cellulose or paint. The table should be rigidly constructed and preferably should be one of a recognised standard make, but prior approval must be obtained from the Hon. General Secretary of the Association for the particular make of table proposed to be used.
- (iii) **Nets and Posts.** The net should be of a dark shade of green, and should be of a mesh not less than 7.5 mm nor more than 12.5 mm square. It should have a white top, depending from the cord suspension, not more than 15 mm wide (Note that in accordance with Law 2 which provides that the net shall be suspended by a cord, only one cord—a single horizontal cord—may suspend the net and the attachment of the net to the post, if any, must be so loose as not to exert tension and thereby constitute a suspension). The diameter of the post should not exceed 22 mm and any device for adjusting the height or tension of the cord suspending the net should be situated at the base of the post, should not project more than 7 mm from the post and should at its highest part, not be higher than 28 mm above the height of the table surface. The arm holding the post and its prolongation as the upper part of the grip holding the table should not project outside the post at its post ends, nor further than 75 mm over the table at its table end; it should not be wider than 42 mm nor higher than 13 mm above the surface of the table. The lower part of the grip should likewise not project beyond the post, its lower surface should not be lower than 22 mm below the surface of the table at its post end, nor, with the screw of its clamp, lower than 75 mm below the surface of its table end; any screw adjustment of the clamp should be below the table.
- (iv) **Floor.** The floor should not be of stone or linoleum, but of hard, non-slippery rigid wood, not white or brightly reflecting.
- (v) **Background.** The background should, for preference, be of a uniform dark green or another uniform dark colour, not light (or patchy) as this tends to unsight the players.
- (vi) **Space and Lighting.** The nearest possible approximation to the space and lighting requirements for World Championships should be provided. Where possible suitable surrounds should be placed around the playing space.

NOTE: *World Championship minimum playing space is*

39' long and 19' 6" wide and 9' 9" high, and for lighting, measured at table height, there shall be a minimum of 40-ft. candles over the table, 20 to the edges of an area eight metres long by four metres wide, five to the edges of the playing area, and two by reflection from the near surface of the ball at table end. No light shall be suspended lower than three metres (nine feet nine inches) from the ground.

- (vii) **Clothes.** White or light coloured clothing may not be worn at International matches unless both sides have agreed beforehand. The decision as to an offence under this rule shall be with the Referee.
- (viii) **Time Clock.** A time clock should be provided which if necessary may be obtained from the English Table Tennis Association. A gong should also be available.
- (ix) **Table and Chairs.** A small table and two chairs should be placed on one side of the table for the Umpire and Time-keeper. On the table should be time clock, gong, copy or programme, score pad, pencils, balls and a water jug and glass. The general advice given by the National Umpires Committee is that the Umpire, unless provided with a raised chair, should stand for doubles. It may not be possible for this arrangement in some halls if it interferes with the view of the spectators.
- (x) **Scoring Device.** If possible a scoring device to display the points score should be provided for the benefit of the players and the public. If necessary this can be obtained by communicating with the E.T.T.A.
- (xi) **Practice.** Facilities should be available for teams to practice before the match.

2. **REFEREE:** The English Table Tennis Association will appoint a Referee who will be responsible for the general conduct of the contest and the carrying out of the Regulations governing International competitions. The decision of the Referee shall be final on any question of interpretation of the Laws of the Game arising in the course of the match. An appeal to the Committee responsible for organising the match from a ruling of the Referee may be made on a question of match conduct not covered in the Laws of the Game, such as time or conditions of play, etc. but in no circumstances shall it be made on a question of interpretation of rules. Any appeal can only be made by the Captain of a team.

3. **UMPIRES:** The local organising Committee shall arrange for Umpires through the appropriate County Secretary (address of whom are printed in the Official Handbook on page 68.) Umpires should be National Umpires where possible but, failing this, qualified County Umpires. The Referee may change Umpires if he thinks this is necessary. The decision of the Umpire

shall be final on any question of fact occurring whilst he is controlling a match.

It is recommended that all Umpires and other match officials in the playing area should be suitably and uniformly clad. Normal uniform would be grey flannel trousers or skirt and dark blue blazer.

4. **MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE:** The English Table Tennis Association will where necessary delegate to an Association, League or Club the organisation of the match. A small Management Committee should be appointed by the Association, League or Club. A visiting Association and the English Table Tennis Association shall be entitled to nominate at least one representative to the Management Committee of any international match in which it is taking part.

NOTE: No agreement between captains can modify a decision on fact by a competent umpire or rule by the competent referee, or on other questions of match conduct by the competent Committee.

5. **E.T.T.A. REPRESENTATIVE:** For each contest the English Table Tennis Association will appoint an official representative to attend on behalf of the Association who will serve on the Management Committee. The representative will only be required to attend meetings in the event of an appeal as provided in Paragraph 2.

6. HOSPITALITY:

- (i) Hospitality should be provided for all playing members of the visiting and home teams, including non-playing Captains. In addition suitable arrangements should be made for the Referee and the E.T.T.A. representative and any National Officers of the visiting and home teams who may be present.
- (ii) If teams are required to stay the night they should be placed in one hotel if this is practicable.
- (iii) From the playing point of view it is not necessary to arrange for an interval but, if local organisers require to do so then light refreshments should be provided for the teams.
- (iv) If possible at the conclusion of the match the teams and officials should be invited to an informal meal and a selected number of the local officials should join them. The President or Chairman or other local officials should preside, and an opportunity given at the conclusion of the meal to allow a welcome to be given to the teams and for each captain to speak.
- (v) Teams should be met on arrival and arrangements made for their departure and where necessary, transport should be arranged.
- (vi) It is advisable that a steward should be appointed who can assist the teams in the cloakrooms and get the players, etc. to the table at the right time.

- (vii) If there is a team from abroad, it is necessary to arrange for an interpreter to be available.

7. PROCEDURE AT MATCH:

- (i) Before the match commences the teams should be lined up and introduced to the public. The visiting teams should be introduced first and if there are non-playing captains they should be included in the presentation.
- (ii) If the Mayor or other local dignitary is present it might be convenient to arrange for a welcome to be given to the teams.
- (iii) It is possible Press photographers may require to take pictures of the teams and this should be arranged to take place before play commences and certainly not during the match.
- (iv) If the visiting team is from abroad the captain of the E.T.T.A. team will present a pennant to the visiting captain.
- (v) If desired the local committee may arrange for some small (but inexpensive) souvenir to be given to the teams if the match is one with a team from abroad.
- (vi) Where appropriate the national flag of the countries may be displayed and the National Anthems played.
- (vii) Arrangements should be made to appoint a capable announcer who can make clear and concise announcements. The public should be well informed as to the procedure being followed and the results of each game, and the state of the match should be given from time to time. Play should not be interrupted to make announcements not directly connected with the game in progress.

8. **PROGRAMME:** If possible a printed programme should be provided for sale to the public. Suitable advertisements may be included, the rates for which shall be fixed by the local committee as also the selling price of the programme to the public. The following details should always be included:—

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- (ii) The name of the Association, League or Club organising the match for the English Table Tennis Association.
- (iii) Names of the National Officers of the English Table Tennis Association.
- (iv) Name of the Referee.
- (v) Names of the Captains or non-playing Captains of the teams.
- (vi) Name of the E.T.T.A. representative for the match.
- (vii) Names of the Local Officers and Committee arranging the match.
- (viii) The make of the ball being used.
- (ix) Score sheet giving names of players and, where known, order of play. The order of play and the nature of the matches will be decided by the E.T.T.A.

- (x) The names of the Umpires. If County Umpires are appointed the letters (C.U.) should be placed after their names. C.U. :— County Umpire, should be recorded on the Programme in a suitable place.
- (xi) If possible short biographical details should be given of the players taking part.

Two copies of the Programme with complete results should be forwarded to the English Table Tennis Association at the conclusion of the match. A copy of the Programme should be given to the Referee the Captains and each member of the teams and the E.T.T.A. representative present at the match.

9. **PRESS:** Representatives of the local press should be invited to the match and the necessary seat tickets sent to the Editor.

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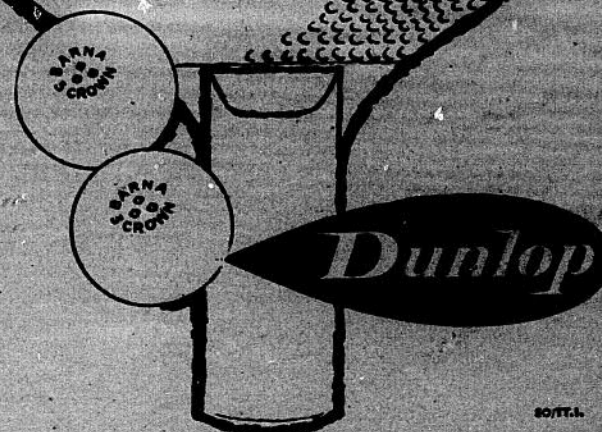
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| CHESTERFIELD & DIST. | D. Atkinson | 51 Walton Road, Chesterfield, Sheffield 23683 | 23 | 196 |
| • CHESTERFIELD YOUTH | A. D. Bannister | 17 Duke Street, Whittington Moor, Chesterfield. Chesterfield 5725 (H) | 7 | 39 |
| CHILTERN | R. K. Brown | 175 Waterside, Chesham, Bucks, Watford 25821 Ext. 18. (B) | 23 | 175 |
| CLACTON | Mr. & Mrs. M. Caley | 367 St. Johns Road, Clacton-on-Sea, Essex. | 17 | |
| COALVILLE & DIST. | R. V. Marriott | "Charnwood," Newbold, Coleorton, Leics. | 7 | 65 |
| COLCHESTER & DIST. | S. E. Orrin | 68 All Saints Avenue, Colchester, Essex. | 13 | 105 |
| COVENTRY & DIST. | A. Grey | 16 The Graylands, Coventry. Coventry 88733 | 41 | 550 |
| CRAWLEY & DIST. | W. G. Brinkley | 17 Duncton Close, Ifield, Crawley, Sussex. | 21 | 280 |
| CROYDON & DIST. | K. C. Joyes | 10 The Grove, Coulsdon, Surrey. Uplands 6035 | 40 | 360 |
| CROYDON BUS. HOUSES | J. Teal | 45 Holmwood Avenue, Sanderstead, Surrey. SAN 2584 | 24 | 212 |

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| DAGENHAM & DIST. | P. J. Beazley | | 34 Percy Road, Rcmford, Essex. | 15 | 110 |
| DARLASTON, WEDNESBURY & DIST. | Miss B. Vernon | | 57 For Street, Wednesbury, Staffs. Jamesbridge 2401 Ext. 73 | 12 | 122 |
| DARLINGTON | E. Firth | | 80 Victoria Road, Darlington. | 19 | |
| DARWEN | W. Mellish | | 27 Gladstone Street, Darwen. | 10 | 100 |
| DEAL & DIST. | J. W. Martin | | Coondahs, Herschell Road, Walmer, Kent. Deal 1815. | 9 | 93 |
| DERBY & DIST. | W. Reeves | | 142 Enfield Road, Derby. | 20 | 200 |
| DEREHAM | D. E. Craske | | 21 Norwich Street, Dereham. Dereham 34. | 9 | 160 |
| DEVIZES | D. Hillier | | Buena Vista, Devizes Road, Rowde, Nr. Devizes, Wilts. 146. | 17 | |
| DEWSBURY | P. G. Hodgson | | 36 Kirkgate, Hanging Heaton, Batley, Yorks. | 26 | 295 |
| DIDCOT & DIST. | D. E. Thompson | | 6 Ship Street, Oxford. (o) Ox. 59613-4. | 5 | 35 |
| DONCASTER & DIST. | A. E. Shearman | | 23 Atholl Crescent, Intake, Doncaster. | 14 | 178 |
| DONCASTER YOUTH | A. Shirtcliffe | | 28 Goldsmith Road, Doncaster, Yorks. | 11 | 60* |
| DORCHESTER | D. A. Dolphin | | Icen Lodge, Icen Way, Dorchester, Dor 1508 | 15 | 155 |
| DORKING | A. J. Stringle | | Abbotsley, 25 Hillside Gdns., Betchworth, Surrey. Betchworth 3176. | 11 | 100 |

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| DOVER & DIST. | N. King | | 16 Beaconsfield Road, Dover, Kent. | 9 | |
| DUDLEY | Miss V. M. Royal | | 26 Springfield Cres., Tansley Hill, Dudley, Worcs. | 13 | 121 |
| TEMPERANCE DULWICH & DIST. | J. Newson | | 246 Norbury Avenue, London, S.W.16. POL 5741 | 16 | 180 |
| DUNSTABLE | E. W. Ball | | 52 Waller Avenue, Luton, Beds. | 8 | 66 |
| DURHAM & DIST. | G. Dent | | 10 Cleve Cottages, Duncombe, Ferryhill, Durham. | 19 | 194 |
| EASTBOURNE & DIST. | A. T. Southern (Acting Sec.) | | 94 Langney Rise, Eastbourne (1454) | 12 | 95 |
| EAST HAM YOUTH | E. A. Gibbs | | 46 Norfolk Road, East Ham, E.6. GRA 9115 | 33 | 320 |
| EAST LONDON | R. K. Hayes | | 52 Eastway, Hackney Wick, London, E.9. | 8 | 70 |
| ECKINGTON & DIST. YOUTH | D. K. Laird | | Holywell Chambers, 27 Holywell Street, Chesterfield, Derbys. (Chesterfield 3788) | 22 | 240 |
| EDWASCA | F. R. Gash | | 17 Browning Road, Enfield. HOW 2011 (B) | 8 | 106 |
| ELLESMERE PORT | R. Farrington | | 27 George Street, Ellesmere Port, Cheshire. | 10 | 84 |
| EVESHAM | Miss F. Bomford | | "Highfield," Greenhill Park Rd., Evesham, Worcs. Evesham 2723. | 25 | 320 |
| EXETER & DIST. | J. E. Fry | | "Two Trees," The Silvers, Clyst Rd., Topsham, Exeter. Topsham 3878. | 13 | 140 |
| FARNWORTH & DIST. | C. Ridings | | 39 Kildare Street, Farnworth, Bolton. | 4 | 24 |
| FENLAND | T. Wilkinson | | South Street, Swineshead, Boston, Lincs. | | |

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| FILM RENTERS | Miss D. Welch | | 106 Empire Road, Perivale, Greenford, Middx. PER 6406 (B) | 7 | 56 |
| FOLKESTONE & DIST. | F. Betts | | 14 Julian Road, Folkestone. Folkestone 53813. | 14 | 191 |
| GAINSBOROUGH & DIST. | J. L. Ellis (Acting) | | 43 Alfred Street, Gainsborough, Lincs. | 7 | 71 |
| GLOUCESTER | N. E. Saunders | | 21 Hillview Road, Hucclecote, Gloucester. | 22 | 240 |
| GOOLE & DIST. | E. G. Anderson | | 144 Hook Road, Goole, Yorks. Goole 1166. | 12 | 90 |
| GOSPORT | Miss D. E. Gay | | 36 Layton Road, Bridgemary, Gosport, Hants. | 16 | |
| GRAVESEND & DIST. | G. M. Burles | | 81 Old Road West, Gravesend. | 21 | 209 |
| GT. YARMOUTH | D. Jenkinson | | 57 High Street, Caister-on-Sea, Gt. Yarmouth. | 19 | 135 |
| GRIMSBY | Miss J. Kerman | | 9 Homefield Avenue, Grimsby. Grimsby 77748. | 27 | 600 |
| GUILDFORD & DIST. | Miss E. D. Allison | | 16 Waterden Road, Guildford, Surrey. (Guildford 3317) | 24 | 400 |
| HALESOWEN | W. H. Barrington | | 25 Southwick Road, Blackheath, Birmingham. | | |
| HALIFAX & DIST. | H. S. Rogers | | 38 Springwood Ave., Halifax, Yorks. Halifax 5642. | 30 | 270 |
| HARLOW | N. J. Barker | | 39 Pennymead, Harlow, Essex. | 19 | 209 |
| HARROGATE | M. Wild | | 22 Kingsley Drive, Harrogate, Yorks. 5031 | 16 | 160 |
| HARTLEPOOLS | T. Snowdon | | 23 Bailey Street, West Hartlepool. | 20 | 260 |

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| HASTINGS & DIST. | C. M. Wyles | | 48 Eversfield Place, St. Leonards-on-Sea. | 15 | 276 |
| HAYWARDS HEATH & DIST. | Mrs. A. Bonwick | | St. Leonards-on-Sea 391. Gander House, Gander Hill, Haywards Heath, Sussex. | 12 | 80 |
| HEMEL HEMPSTEAD & DIST. | G. E. Foster | | 64 Springfield Road, Adeyfield, Hemel Hempstead, Herts. | 25 | 300 |
| HEREFORD | V. A. Lawrence | | 27 Brockington Drive, Hereford. 2283 (Day) | 23 | 340 |
| HERTFORD & DIST. | C. R. Smith | | 12 Sele Road, Hertford. | 18 | 160 |
| HIGH WYCOMBE & DIST. | D. E. Norton | | 83 Adelaide Road, High Wycombe, Bucks. | 42 | |
| HINCKLEY & DIST. YOUTH | D. F. Shade | | 60 Southfield Road, Hinckley Leics. 2869. | 8 | 50 |
| HITCHIN | R. A. Harding | | 385 Western Way, Letchworth, Herts. Hitchin 4452 (B) | 13 | 80 |
| HOROLOGICAL SPORTS | E. P. Groom | | c/o Tucker, Nunn & Grimshaws, Ltd., 57a, Hatton Garden, E.C.1. HOL 6064 | 6 | 24 |
| HORWICH & DIST. | D. S. Parr | | 339 Chorley New Road, Horwich. (Horwich 680) | 8 | 75 |
| HUDDERSFIELD & DIST. | D. A. Hirst | | 27 Coniston Avenue, Dalton, Huddersfield. (B) Hudds. 2720 | 42 | 400 |
| HULL & EAST RIDING | R. M. Campbell | | 18 Seafeld Rd., The Broadway, Holderness Rd., Hull. (76707) | 70 | 850 |
| HUNTS | Mrs. B. Arnold | | 56 High Leys, St. Ives, Hunts. | 9 | 180 |
| HYDE & DIST. | Miss K. Abbott | | 4 Auburn Avenue, Hyde, Cheshire. | 22 | 218 |

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| ILFORD | H. D. Olley | | 67 Hastings Avenue, Ilford, Essex. (CRE 9657) | 35 | 361 |
| • INGLEWOOD | G. T. Drinkwater | | 20 Fairywell Drive, Brooklands, Sale, Cheshire. | 17 | |
| INSURANCE OFFICES ASSN. | I. D. Crane | | Flat 1, Cranleigh House, 6 Overbury Ave., Beckenham, Kent, WHI 6122 Ext. 271 (o) BEC 1243 (H) | 50 | |
| IPSWICH & DIST. | D. Morley | | 28 Dorset Close, Ipswich. | 36 | 425 |
| ISLE OF THANET | J. L. Culver | | 66 King Street, Ramsgate. Thanet 51067 | 14 | |
| • ISLE OF WIGHT | Mrs. E. D. Young | | Hazelmere, Lower Hyde, Shanklin, I.O.W. | | |
| KENT SCHOOLS ASSCN. | R. G. Mannooch | | 216 Park Road, Sittingbourne, Kent. (Sittingbourne 3763) | 20 | |
| KETTERING & DIST. | Miss M. Coleman | | 53 Laburnum Cres., Kettering, Northants. (Kettering 4294) | 10 | 70 |
| KIDDERMINSTER & DIST. | Miss E. Porter | | 168 Hoo Road, Hoobrook, Kidderminster, Worcs. | 25 | 224 |
| • KING'S LYNN | M. L. Fendley | | 22 Kempe Road, West Lynn, King's Lynn, Norfolk. | 18 | |
| KNARESBOROUGH & DIST. | R. G. Grainge | | 63 Kingsley Road, Harrogate, Yorks. | 7 | 67 |
| LEAMINGTON & DIST. | Mrs. M. E. Evans | | 17 Gaveston Road, Leamington Spa. Leamington Spa 790 | 19 | 146 |
| LEATHERHEAD EPSOM & DIST. | R. L. Bond | | 3 King Edward Drive, Chessington, Surrey. (Elmbridge 8987) | 25 | 260 |

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| LEEDS & DIST. | N. Rushton | | 7 Luttrell Place, Leeds, 16. Leeds 671226 (H) Leeds 29667 (H) | 64 | 750 |
| • LEEDS CIVIL SERVICE | A. S. Payne | | 20 Old Farm Walk, Leeds 16. Castleford 3011 | 7 | 60 |
| LEEDS COUNCIL OF BOYS CLUBS | A. Beevers | | 33 Parkfield Row, Leeds 11. 77684 | 6 | 93 |
| • LEEK & DIST. | B. Mansfield | | 3 Jubilee Terrace, Leek, Staffs. | 9 | 52 |
| LEICESTER & DIST. | K. J. Pendred | | 36 Eastwood Rd., Aylestone, Leicester. Leicester 31743 | 58 | 820 |
| LEICESTER Y. O. C. | H. Davenport | | 72 Welford Road, Blaby, Leicester. | 15 | 108 |
| LEIGHTON BUZZARD | A. Dixon | | 147 Vandyke Road, Leighton Buzzard, Beds. 3501 | 15 | 110 |
| LETHWORTH T. T. A. | Mrs. G. Calver | | 2 The Link, Letchworth, Herts. | 34 | 269 |
| • LEWES & DIST. | N. R. Tucker | | Great Homewood, South Chailey, Nr. Lewes, Sx. Plumpton 326 | 11 | 50 |
| LINCOLN & DIST. | Miss D. Wells | | 79 Foster Street, Lincoln. | 19 | 230 |
| LIVERPOOL & DIST. | J. C. McKim | | 79 North Linkside Road, Woolton, Liverpool 25. (Gateacre 2500) | 46 | 800 |
| • LIVERPOOL BUS. HOUSES | P. A. Nicholson | | 30 Camphill Road, Woolton, Liverpool 25. | | |
| • LONDON | A. E. Haynes | | 24 Eatonville Road, London, S.W.17. | 8 | 60 |
| LONDON BANKS | Miss P. Woollaston | | Midland Bank Limited, 27-32 Poultry, E.C.2. MON 9911 Ext. 8053 | 43 | |

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| LONDON BUS. HOUSES | L. C. T. Bulport | 26 Brackenwood Road, St. John's, Woking, Surrey. (Wat. 5000 Ext. 7454) | 110 | 878 |
| LONDON CIVIL SERVICE | J. M. Killmister | 34 Oakford Road, London, N.W.5. CIT 5733 Ext. 698 | 72 | 800 |
| LONDON REGION | J. A. Cooper | 58 Tidford Road, Welling, Kent. WOO 6088 | 7 | 24 |
| L. T. R. WEST AREA | E. C. Pratt | 25 Downs Avenue, Pinner. Middx. | | |
| LOUTH T. T. A. | K. W. Dewar | 133 Eastgate, Louth. 806 | 21 | 140 |
| LOWESTOFT & DIST. | I. R. Russell | 38 Trafalgar Street, Lowestoft, Suffolk. | 17 | 200 |
| LUDLOW & DIST. | W. J. Moody | Blythwood House, Corve St., Ludlow, Shrops. Lud 285 | 5 | 42 |
| LUTON & DIST. | C. J. Rowley | 7 Holland Road, Luton. Beds. Luton 53018 | 36 | 440 |
| MACCLESFIELD & DIST. | J. Baxter | 18 Highfield Road, Macclesfield, Cheshire. | 21 | 190 |
| MAIDENHEAD & DIST. | J. Stewart | 4 Cromwell Road, Maidenhead. | 20 | 150 |
| MAIDSTONE & DIST. | M. Hibbin | 9 Alexandra Street, Maidstone, Kent | 20 | 220 |
| MALVERN | D. J. Howell | 33 Abbey Road, Malvern, Worcs. | 15 | 130 |
| MANCHESTER & DIST. | L. W. Jones | 261 Mauldeth Road, Burnage, Manchester, 19. Rusholme 6672 | 72 | 950 |
| MANCHESTER BANKS & INS. OFFICES | H. Finn | c/o 98 King Street, Manchester, 2. DEA 4831 | 17 | 175 |

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| MANSFIELD & DIST. | J. D. Ellis | 20 Hardwick Avenue, Skegby, Sutton-in-Ash, Notts. | | |
| MATLOCK & DIST. | E. S. Taylor | "Windyridge," 2 Oaker Rd., South Darley, Nr. Matlock, Derbys. | 11 | 82 |
| MEDWAY TOWNS | J. Tulloch | c/o 240 High Street, Rochester, Kent. Chatham 44621 | 27 | 220 |
| MERSEYSIDE CIVIL SERVICE | B. Hird | c/o H.M. Inspector of Taxes, London Prov. Dist., 72 Church St., Liverpool, 1. Royal 6495 | 7 | 60 |
| MID-CHESHIRE | K. Brown | 13 Hough Lane, Anderton, Northwich, Cheshire. | 14 | 128 |
| MIDDLESBROUGH | T. R. Hogg | 541 Normanby Rd., Normanby, Middlesbrough, Normanby 293 | 19 | 220 |
| MORLEY | E. Stephenson | 86 Corporation St., Morley, Yorks. Morley 378 | 8 | 40 |
| MURTON & DIST. | T. Porter | 2 Victoria Terrace, Murton, Seaham, Co. Durham. | 6 | 56 |
| NALGO (MET.) | F. G. Heath | Town Hall, Mitcham, Surrey. Mitcham 2091 | 25 | |
| NELSON & DIST. | C. Riley | 28 Brennand Street, Burnley. (Burnley 7671 - Works) | 11 | 73 |
| NEWARK | R. White | Winthorpe Post Office, Newark, Notts. Winthorpe 200 | 15 | 111 |
| NEWBURY & DIST. | A. A. J. Mosson | 29 Croft Road, Newbury, Berks. | 26 | 200 |
| NEWCASTLE YOUTH | E. Bishop | Education Offices, Newcastle. Staffs. | | |
| NEWTON ABBOT & DIST. | E. Morgan | 94 Oakland Road, Newton Abbot. | 2 | 24 |

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| • NONCONFORMIST CHURCHES | R. Gallaher | 22 Willow Close, Flackwell Heath, Bucks. | 6 | 30 |
| NORTH ACTON | J. M. Wright | 124 Rusthall Avenue, Bedford Park, W.4. (CHI 7485) | 36 | 350-400 |
| NORTHALLERTON | C. K. Palmer | 11 Millfield Crescent, Northallerton, Yorks. | 18 | 155 |
| NORTHAMPTON | R. E. W. Reynolds | 159 Wellingborough Road, Northampton. | 26 | 275 |
| NORTH DERBYSHIRE | G. R. Haywood | 65 Bennett Street, Buxton, Derby. Tideswell 387 (B) | 5 | 45 |
| NORTH MENDIP | M. R. Board | 33 Ladymeade Lane, Langford, Nr. Bristol. | 11 | 90 |
| NORTHMET | G. W. Lane | Northmet House, N.14. | 14 | |
| NORTH MIDDLESEX | B. G. Brown | 64 Ashley Road, N.19. ARC 4504 | | |
| • NORTH SOMERSET | C. M. Tincknell | 75 Thicket Mead, Midsomer Norton, Nr. Bath. | 14 | 80 |
| NORTHUMB- BERLAND | D. M. Robson | 36 Whitefriars Way, Longbenton Newcastle-on-Tyne, 12. (Newcastle 663520) | 53 | 699 |
| NORTH-WEST KENT | L. H. Pilfold | 44 Cadwallon Road, London, S.E.9. ELT 0674 | 28 | 420 |
| NORTHWICH METH. | A. Siddall | 17 Solvay Road, Winnington, Northwich. | 6 | 42 |
| NORWICH & DIST. | H. E. Betts | 16 Branksome Close, Eaton, Norwich. (Eaton 1492) | 54 | |
| NOTTINGHAM & DIST. | D. F. Page | 87 Southfield Road, Ainsley Estate, Nottingham. (Nottingham 74849) | 62 | 410 |

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| NUNEATON & DIST. | T. R. Lewin | 62 Fitton Street, Nuneaton, Warwicks. | 29 | 253 |
| OLDBURY & DIST. | B. J. Mallard | 25 Shenley Ave., Woodsetton, Nr. Dudley, Worcs. Broadwell 1651 (B) | 17 | 120 |
| • OLDHAM & DIST. | T. G. Robinson | 2 Wren Street, Oldham, (MAI 7369) | 31 | 298 |
| OLDHAM E. CIRCUIT Y. C. | G. S. Hall | 2 Chelmsford Street, Oldham, Lanes. | 4 | 18 |
| OLDHAM YTH. SERVICE | H. Prescott | Cannon St. Y.C., Cannon Street, Oldham. MAI 6428 | 12 | |
| OXFORD & DIST. | S. T. Parsons | 27 Crotch Crescent, Marston, Oxford. | 39 | 415 |
| PEASENHALL & DIST. | Miss M. Dunnett | Kelvin, Kelsale, Saxmundham, Suffolk. Saxmundham 2242 | 9 | 76 app. |
| PETERBOROUGH & DIST. | Miss P. Tate | 111 Montagu Road, Walton, Peterborough. | 13 | 119 |
| • PETERSFIELD | H. J. Newman | 4 The Arcade, Liss, Hants. | 5 | 24 |
| PHILADELPHIA & DIST. | F. J. Inch | "Willkommen," Mount Pleasant, Houghton-le-Spring, Co. Durham. | 14 | 104 |
| • PLYMOUTH | R. J. Nicholls | 27 Palmerston Street, Stoke, Plymouth. PLY 52028 | 49 | 532 |
| • POOLE & DIST. | T. D. McQuade | 11 Chapel Lane, Poole, Dorset. | | |
| PORTSMOUTH & DIST. | C. H. Staples | 271 Francis Avenue, Southsea, Hants. | 34 | 450 |
| • POTTERIES & DIST. | D. A. Simpkin | 70 Elm Street, Corridge, Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs. | 35 | 330 |
| PRESTON & DIST. | C. G. Stokes | 94 Tulketh Crescent, Ashton-on-Ribble, Preston. 85421 Ext. 22 (9 a.m. - 3 p.m.) | 32 | 330 |

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| PRINTING & PUBLISHING & ALLIED TRADES | L. C. Garland | | 68 Effra Parade, Brixton, S.W.2. CHA 6281 Ext. 11. | 26 | 250 |
| READING & DIST. | B. R. Latham | | 29 Western Road, Reading, Berks. Reading 53893 (s) | 45 | 400 |
| • REDDITCH & DIST. | J. E. Clark | | 32 Archer Road, Redditch, Worcs. | 10 | 68 |
| REIGATE, REDHILL & DIST. | R. F. Brown | | "Wheeler's Rest," 23 Linnell Road, Redhill. Redhill 3521 | 16 | 135 |
| ROMFORD & DIST. | F. H. Bateman | | Cromer Lodge Hotel, Cambridge Park, Wanstead, E.11. EAST 5467 (o) | 26 | 315 |
| ROSSENDALE YOUTH | T. H. Fletcher | | 5 Dearden Nook, Rawtenstall, Rossendale, Lancs. (s) Ross 2360. (o) Bacup 560 | 6 | 44 |
| ROTHERHAM WORKS | J. Platts | | 77 Broadway East, East Dene, Rotherham. | 7 | 60 |
| RUGBY & DIST. | G. McPherson | | 16 Cromwell Road, Rugby. | 4 | 27 |
| • RUNCORN & DIST. | Miss P. M. Barnes | | 21 Morval Crescent, Runcorn, Cheshire. | 7 | 69 |
| RYEDALE | T. W. B. Bolam | | 18 The Croft, Beadlam, Nawton, York | 28 | 272 |
| ST. ALBANS & DIST. | C. B. Cubitt | | 10 Breakspear Avenue, St. Albans, Herts. | | 115 |
| • ST. HELENS & DIST. | J. Greenall | | 89 North Road, St. Helens, Lancs. | 12 | 100 |
| ST. NEOTS | A. C. Olver | | 60 Avenue Road, St. Neots, Hunts. | | |

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| SADDLEWORTH & DIST. | Miss M. J. Smith | | 49 Clough Lane, Grasscroft Oldham, Lancs. | 11 | 100 |
| SALFORD, ECCLES & DIST. | G. Thomas | | 46 Cholmondeley Road, Pendleton, Salford 6. (Pen 3176) | 18 | 146 |
| SALISBURY & DIST. | A. D. Ward | | 26 Attwood Road, Salisbury, Wilts. (3558 - if urgent) | 18 | 160 |
| SCARBOROUGH & DIST. | W. Mitton | | 16 The Whins, Newby, Scarborough. Scalby 202 | 14 | 100 |
| SCUNTHORPE | P. Cook | | 3 Marsden Drive, Scunthorpe, Lincs. | 13 | 170 |
| SHEFFIELD & DIST. | G. Torry | | 6 Rex Avenue, Sheffield, 7, Sheffield 365366 | 54 | 630 |
| SHEFFIELD WORKS | A. Hattersley | | 50 Fairthorn Road, Sheffield, 5. 387619 | 40 | 300 |
| SHREWSBURY & DIST. | W. Marsh | | 40 Meole Crescent, Shrewsbury, Salop. | 19 | 180-200 |
| SILVERTOWN & DIST. B.H. | H. W. Brickwood | | 26 Eastwood Drive, Rainham, Essex. WAT 2070 | 13 | 110 |
| SITTINGBOURNE & DIST. | W. J. Hubbard | | 93 Shortlands Road, Sittingbourne, Kent. | 21 | 244 |
| • SKEGNESS | R. J. Piggins | | 8 Briar Close, Skegness, Lincs. | 11 | 80 |
| SLOUGH & DIST. | I. White | | 8 Parkland Avenue, Slough, Bucks. Langley 455 | 24 | 250 |
| SOUTHAMPTON | M. S. Greatrex | | 38 Cecil Avenue, Shirley, Southampton. 25473 (s) | 45 | 520 |
| SOUTH DEVON & TORBAY | Mrs. B. J. Currie | | Bay Lodge, Princes Street, Babbacombe, Torquay. 87442 | 13 | 136 |
| SOUTH-EAST HANTS | Mrs. D. Bailey | | 16 St. James Road, Emsworth, Hants. | | |

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| SOUTHEND | Mrs. K. Peer | | 111 Dawlish Drive, Leigh-on-Sea, Essex. 72662 | 27 | 300 |
| • STH. GLOUCES- TERSHIRE YTH. SERVICE | E. C. Deadman | | Area Youth Office, Top Floor, 96, Regent Street, Kingswood, Bristol. Bristol 673948 | 12 | 65 |
| SOUTH LONDON | R. G. Parsons | | 2 Penderley Road, Catford, S.E.6. MAN 7685 | 19 | 140 |
| SOUTHPORT & DIST. | J. Bagot | | 21 Rosemary Lane, Formby. (F. 3035) | 12 | 170 |
| • SOUTHWARK & DIST. | S. L. Hudson | | 51 Mera Drive, Bexley Heath, WAT 3631 | 15 | |
| • SOUTH-WEST MIDDLESEX SPALDING & DIST. | R. Stevens | | 21 Lebanon Park, Twickenham, Middx. | 28 | 278 |
| STAFFORD | B. Duffy | | 118 Queen's Road, Spalding, Lines. | 18 | 145 |
| | G. Stone | | 43 Bideford Avenue, Weeping Cross, Stafford. Stafford 3232 Ext. 275 | 17 | 75 |
| STAFFORD & DIST. YOUTH | A. L. Dunn | | 2 Bramall Close, Seighford, Stafford. | 6 | 40 |
| STAINES & DIST. | Mrs. J. M. Gresswell | | 3 Fawns Manor Road, Bedfont, Middx. (Feltham 2469 (Day)) | 22 | 250 |
| STANLEY & DIST. | T. Wade | | 12 Jane Street, South Moor, Stanley, Co. Durham. | 8 | 50 |
| STAVELEY & DIST. YOUTH SERVICE | D. K. Laird | | Holywell Chambers, 27 Holywell Street, Chesterfield, Derbys. (Chesterfield 3788) | 10 | 90 |

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| STEVENAGE & DIST. | C. D. Bungay | | 93 Leaves Spring, Stevenage, Herts. | 20 | 220 |
| STOCKPORT & DIST. | F. Thomas | | 12 Williamson Street, Reddish, Stockport, Ches. (STO 7077) | 31 | 450 |
| STOCKPORT YOUTH | A. Spedding | | 7 Ambleside Road, Reddish, Stockport. | 16 | |
| STOCKTON | L. W. Ellis | | 186 Thorntree Road, Thornaby-on-Tees. | 23 | |
| • STOKE-ON-TRENT YOUTH | Mrs. E. M. Annear | | Education Office Annexe, Mitchell Memorial Youth Centre, Broad St., Hanley. 29561 | 21 | |
| • STONE & DIST. | M. Foulkes | | 76 Churchill Road, Walton, Stone, Staffs. | 8 | 67 |
| STOWMARKET & DIST. | R. Last | | 22 Crown Street, Stowmarket, Suffolk. | 9 | 81 |
| STROUD & DIST. | L. J. Smith | | Endfield, Cowle Road, Stroud, Glos. Stroud 1217 | 15 | |
| SUFFOLK N.A.L.G.O. | W. G. Buxton | | 23 Glencoe Road, Ipswich, Suffolk. (Ipswich 55801) | 7 | 50 |
| SUNDERLAND | E. Reay | | 7 Forfar Street, Fulwell, Sunderland. 57818 | 36 | |
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