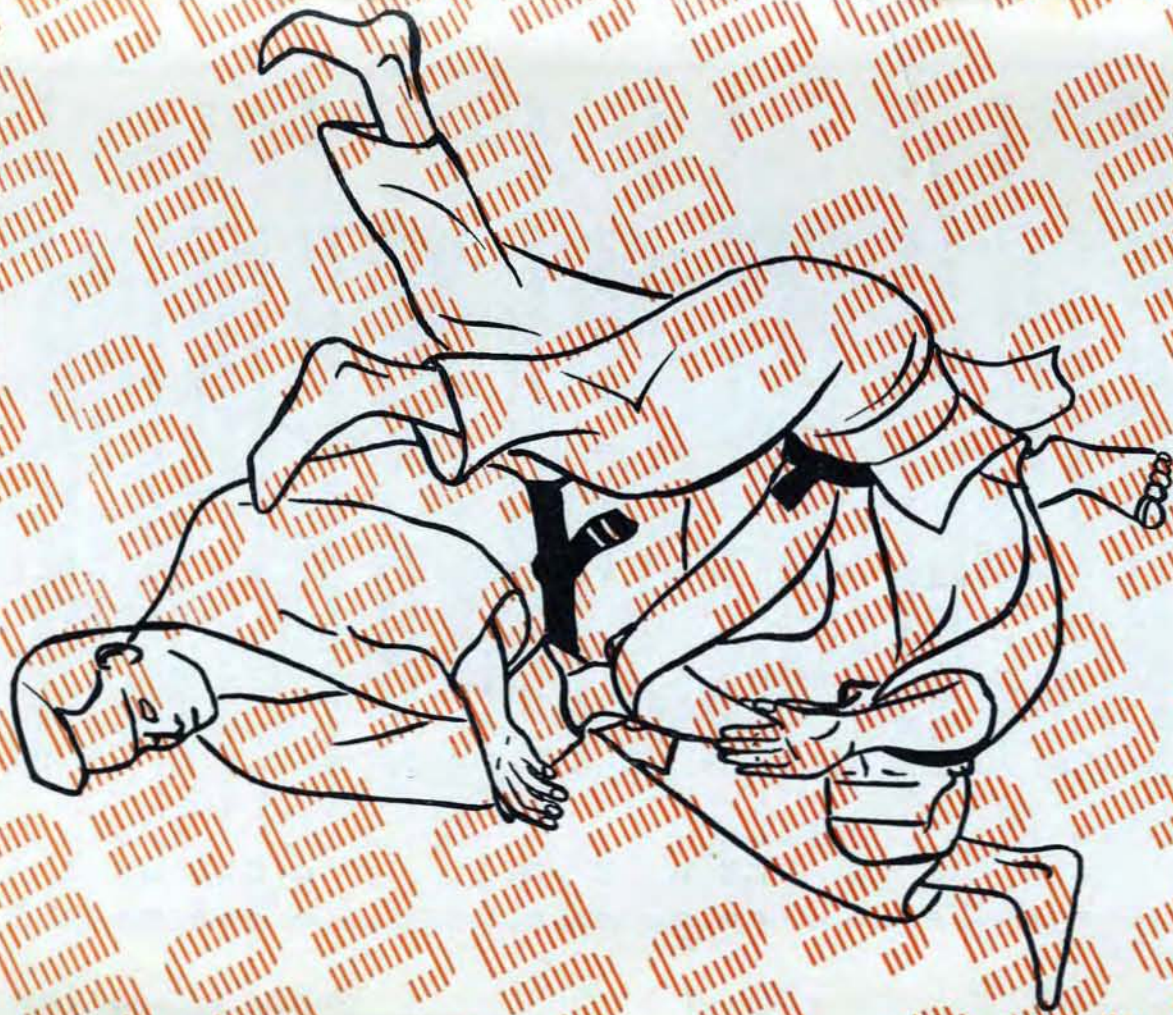


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Whispers in the Wind

Ladies Please Note

Mr. Price of the Midland Area raises a point regarding Margaret Morris which has been troubling me in a vague sort of way for some considerable time, and it is nice to know that others have been thinking along the same lines. I refer of course to the apparent lack of incentive in the way of Championships, competitions and the like. Whilst contest judo as the men-folk know it may be open to some criticism, I think it essential from the self-defence point of view, and agree with Miss Ormerod's comments in the correspondence column. Yes, I believe a ladies' show could be quite popular; and quite a decent programme made up with the katas, randori and aikido, self defence, and say a championship.

If sufficient response was forthcoming I am sure such a show could be organised. What about it, ladies? Sometimes I wonder whether it is lack of interest—Gret Stott had something to say about this a little while ago. Also, I seem to remember this magazine having more than one try at running a special section for women without much result. Is there a knowledgeable lady around who would undertake to run such a section each month?

Distribution

Please Mr. Macleod I did not mean to include *all* station bookstalls in my remarks, as some I know are very good at displaying — mainly in country areas, though. It is the London termini where I personally seem to look in vain for JUDO.

In response to your request . . .

There is no need for me to supply the elaboration asked for by Mr. P. Butler in the last issue, as the necessary disclaimers were printed in this magazine by the organisations concerned. It is a pity Mr. Butler missed them, but I can assure him hundreds of others did not.

Now, J.M. of Sussex, my request for official and authentic proof of Mr. Butler's status in the shape of questions has not been directly answered here at any time. Play on words cuts no ice with me, for we all know he possesses the status he lays claim to. A burglar possesses the goods he has pinched.

The Southern Area

Yes, there is one — my bush telegraph must have stopped working. A team was entered in the recent national championships, and a very good account they gave of themselves, too. More details of officials, etc., would be most welcome.

BEST SEASONAL WISHES TO YOU ALL.

Veritas

CORRESPONDENCE

The Editor invites letters on any topic whatsoever for publication. Anonymous communications cannot be printed; but, if requested, names and addresses will not be disclosed.

Sir,

I note from Mr. Clifford Leggett's fresh letter appearing in your November issue that he is unable to adopt the Japanese fashion of squatting which I had recommended, and that he also considers that physically it is too late for him to attempt it. Not knowing his age I am not, of course, in a position to decide this issue. Nevertheless, he may perhaps be interested to learn that one of my most esteemed friends, Dr. R. A. Baudisch, a doctor of jurisprudence of Vienna University, a man of vast erudition who has spent many years in the East and is now quite seventy years old, did not begin squatting in the Japanese fashion until he was fifty. When I first met him he was at least sixty, but demonstrated in my presence both the everyday Japanese squatting posture (*suwaru*) and in addition the far more difficult so-called *kekka fuza* or manner of sitting when engaged in the practice of Zen austerities described in my book "The Fighting Spirit of Japan." Yet personally I had never before, even in Japan, seen such a demonstration and had never myself been able to accomplish such a feat. Moreover, I make bold to say that if any of your subscribers take the trouble to read the following summary of this method they will understand why it has hitherto failed to become universally popular.

"After assuming a squatting posture place your right foot on your left thigh and your left foot on your right thigh. Then place your right hand on your left foot and join the palms of both hands with the thumbs erect. Sit upright; do not lean either to the right or left or backwards or forwards. Keep your ears on an even line with your shoulders and your nose in a vertical line with your navel. Keep your mouth firmly closed, lip to lip and teeth to teeth, the tongue well drawn up towards the palate. Keep your eyes open."

I may add that it is comparatively easy to place one foot on the opposite

thigh, but by no means so easy to place both feet on the opposite thighs. The average youngster ought to be able to assume this posture, but if he delays the experiment until his bones are set he may well find that it is too late. Yet Dr. Baudisch assumed the *kekka fuza* posture with perfect ease and can still do so.

Ending this letter on an egotistical note, I can assure Mr. Leggett that although now in my 86th year I rarely omit every morning after my shave and bath to include in my routine half-hour exercise the squatting posture on my bare heels for perhaps ten minutes at a stretch while engaged in deep abdominal breathing, or *fukushiku kokyu*, also described in my book, and the object of which is to strengthen the lower abdomen, or *saika tanden*.

E. J. HARRISON.

Sir,

I am always pleased to read opinions in your pages, but the impression given to me by two of your regular contributors namely "Kyu" of L.J.S. and "Veritas" is that in some of their items they have not taken the trouble to inform themselves of the relevant facts before writing.

The case which brought this home to me is the formation of the Southern Section of the B.J.A. Mr. J. Bussey of Bowaters (Sittingbourne) Judo Club has been attending meetings of the B.J.A. for the past few months with a view to the formation of the section, which has now taken place. But "Kyu" in the October issue and "Veritas" in the November issue are asking for somebody to take over.

Surely if they are going to take the trouble to write their pleas they should also take the trouble to check beforehand that the effort has not yet been made.

P. C. CLEGG,

Bowaters (Sittingbourne) Judo Club.

Sir,

In the November issue of this publication, Mr. G. Thomas, writing his area news for the Welsh Section of the B.J.A. drew the attention of judoka to the fact that the Instructor in Judo at the Y.M.C.A. Pontypridd, Glam., is NOT a registered Black Belt of the B.J.A. As the party concerned, I am happy to confirm his statement, and add that I have no intention of seeking membership of this body.

I was awarded the Black Belt by Mr. J. W. Robinson, 6th Dan, at the London Judokwai, 14 Orange Street, W.C.2, on Friday, 18th July last. This award is recognised by the International World Judo Federation, the South African National Judo Association, and the Amateur Judo Association, to which latter body I am the Assistant Coach for Wales.

The Pontypridd Y.M.C.A. Judo

(The Editor does not accept responsibility for views expressed by correspondents, and does not necessarily agree with statements.)

Club is affiliated to the Amateur Judo Association, of which I am an Honorary Life Member. As I have caused these latter facts to appear in the local press on several occasions, I fail to see Mr. Thomas's point in citing them in his area news letter.

If one can judge an Instructor's ability by the measure of success his pupils have when contesting against visiting Judoka, I have every reason to be satisfied with the progress made since the club was formed twelve months ago.

In closing, I draw his attention to the fact that two B.J.A. clubs in his area have requested my services as instructor, and are contemplating affiliating to the Amateur Judo Association, whose purpose is to unite Judoka in one body which is free from animosity and petty jealousy.

CLIFFORD G. ALLEN.

The British Judo Association

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BRIEF REPORT OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

16th November, 1958.

Membership

For a number of years the exact membership of the Association has not been known, so during this year a revision of the records of the members of the Association was made, resulting in the information that during 1957-58, 336 judo organisations joined the B.J.A. of which 28 are new clubs seeking full membership at the eleventh Annual General Meeting. A detailed list of Members at 31st August, 1958, has been compiled, grouped into the twelve areas. This list is now available on request from headquarters.



S. Woollam, Chairman of the B.J.A.

Headquarters

The appointment of Mr. John L. Capes to a full-time paid position has proved without doubt the necessity of employing a paid officer to ensure efficient administration of the Association, and the Committee are convinced that the business of the B.J.A. has been conducted much more successfully since the appointment was made in April.

Executive Committee

Once again difficulties have been experienced in ensuring that a full Committee has been available for the year, for although Mr. Dennis Bloss was co-opted to the Committee in December, he was only able to attend one Committee Meeting, and eventually resigned in June.

At the April meeting of the Committee, Mr. A. G. Blackmore resigned as Registrar of the Association after eight years of office. The Committee asked Mr. Capes to accept the position of Registrar jointly with that of Secretary, and under Clause 11 (d) of the Constitution Mr. Capes presents himself for re-election to the post of Secretary/Registrar.

During the year the following duties were allocated:—

Mr. F. W. PEARSON, Courses Secretary.

Miss I. EDWARDS, Book Keeper.

Mr. G. R. GLEESON, appointed Secretary to the Technical Board after the position was relinquished by Mr. C. S. Palmer.

Mr. G. ELMORE, appointed Press Officer after the position was relinquished by Mr. D. Bloss.

Area Associations

During the year the Northern Home Counties and the Northern Area Associations held inaugural meetings and are now active Areas of the B.J.A. We congratulate the clubs in these Areas for the support to the Associations and their efforts to improve our sport in these regions. This leaves only the Southern, Eastern and London Areas to be correctly constituted, but it is hoped that all will be formed during the next twelve months.

Technical Appraisal

As regards technical standards, all honest critics must agree that they are rising. There are the successes in the European Championships, where not only did the Japan trained men do well, but also our home-produced judoka gave an excellent account of themselves. Looking, too, at the various Area Championships, the judo is definitely improving. There are, of course, still some plodders and maulers, but on the whole judo is becoming fast and more efficient. Instruction is still in short supply, but what with the return of still more men from Japan, and



G. Gleeson receiving the European Championship Cup at Rotterdam

several new schemes for improving instruction in the provinces, the situation may gradually ease. We welcomed back from Japan during the year Dennis Bloss and 'Pep' Stepto, who already have assisted the Association in very practical ways.

Since George Kerr, of Scotland, with financial aid from the B.J.A. and other bodies, went to Tokyo in December a further non-Londoner has arrived in Japan, and according to reports is doing extremely well. Yet another Budokwai member also made the journey, and it is heartening to know that some judoka are willing to make personal effort and sacrifice to improve their judo and through them the standards in Great Britain.

When one looks at judo objectively we have not done so badly over the past year, for six years ago the Black Belts outside London could be counted on two hands, now most Areas have several Black Belts, and some provincial clubs have as many as three Dan grades. Such an increase is living proof that we are progressing, and of such progress we can be justly proud.

European Championships, 1957-58

During the past year Britain gained magnificent victories in the two European Championships that were held at Rotterdam on November 9th/10th, and Barcelona on May 10th/11th.

At Rotterdam, under the leadership of Geoff. Gleeson, Britain for the first time triumphed in the team championship. In the final, after a close and exciting contest, they defeated Holland, having already scored wins over Italy and Spain in earlier rounds. In addition, John Newman swept to victory in great style in the 1st Dan championship, whilst Alan Petherbridge battled his way through to the final of the 2nd Dan championship only to miss the title by a hair's breadth. The British Team consisted of Geoff. Gleeson, Charles Palmer, Doug. Young, Alan Petherbridge and John Newman. George Kerr and Sid Hoare were the reserves, and Percy Sekine the Team Manager. To these men go the honour of bringing back to Britain the European Championship Trophy for the first time.

At Barcelona the team, captained by Charles Palmer, consisted of Dennis Bloss, Doug. Young, Alan Petherbridge and John Newman, with Rab. Smith as reserve and George Chew the Team Manager. The team won their hard and gruelling contests against France and Germany, and then defeated Holland in the final to retain the title. The 2nd Dan



The Victorious British Team in Barcelona,

championship was won in brilliant style by John Newman, whilst Alan Petherbridge, although severely troubled by a personal complaint, showed great courage in fighting through to the semi-final. Doug. Young looked unbeatable as he smashed his way through all opposition in the 3rd Dan championship, only to lose the final.

Throughout both these championships, the style and skill of the British contingent was outstanding. All performed their tasks in admirable fashion, and we can be justly proud of their efforts on our behalf.

National Inter-Area Championships

The second National Inter-Area Championships were held on 28th September, 1958, at Brighton. This was the first large judo display to be held in the Southern Area, and it drew an audience of some 1,500 people, despite the fact that the 'flu epidemic was at its height in Brighton at the time.

On reflection, it would seem that the decision of the Executive Committee to support the Inter-Area Championships in preference to holding an annual B.J.A. display in London has been a wise one, and has done much to publicise the Association's activities throughout Great Britain. It is hoped that with each succeeding year they will indicate the improving standard of judo, and the value of the Area Associations.

Courses

Once again our thanks are offered to the C.C.P.R. for their assistance and the use of their centres, and Messrs. G. Gleeson and C. S. Palmer for the instruction they gave. It had originally been hoped to make use of the services of Mr. D. Bloss, but unfortunately his other commitments did not allow him to accept the invitation.

It is very pleasing to know that a new Recreation Centre has been opened at Largs in Scotland, and the Scottish Section has already organised courses at this Centre.

Despite the response this year, it is anticipated that a similar number of courses will be organised during the coming year. In addition a course will be arranged during the Spring for Instructors and potential Instructors, the cost of which will be largely borne by the Association. It is hoped that this new course will assist in the development of Instructors in the Areas, and thus help to overcome the lack of coaches.

Press Liaison

Previously there has been no regular channel for the distribution of news items or a definite procedure to follow in keeping judo before the public eye. In fact, publicity was a very much hit-or-miss affair. In April, therefore, Mr. G. Elmore was appointed "Press Officer." However, until the Association has good representation with at least one national daily paper, no real progress can be made in making judo and the B.J.A. synonymous in the public eye. Mr. Elmore, as Press Officer, is aiming at such contact in the forthcoming year.

Universities

During the year the British Universities Judo Association was formed, since when they have sent a representative team to the European University Judo Championships. It is yet early days, but the potential growth of judo in educational establishments in Great Britain is tremendous, and it is hoped that the B.U.J.A. will play a great part in that growth.



Members of team demonstrating Judo for H. M. The Queen at "Inverclyde" Largs on the occasion of the opening. They are Left to Right:—

Robert Smith 3rd Dan;
Gordon Forbes 2nd
Dan; Bill Hislop 1st
Dan; Alison Hogan 1st
Kyu (seated).

Conclusion

In this last twelve months which has been the 10th year of the Association, progress has been apparent in all aspects of our sport. It has indeed been a birthday year, but we cannot be satisfied until everyone in Great Britain who wishes to take up judo has the opportunity, and until everyone has the chance of receiving instruction from our higher graded men. Let us look back with pleasure, but let us also look forward to, and work for, even greater achievements in the future.

Statement of Accounts and Balance Sheet will appear in the January issue.



Budokwai News

G. Gleeson (4th Dan)

C. Mack, who I mentioned in the last issue, has more or less just arrived in Japan, has been chosen as Great Britain's No. 3 representative for the World Championships to be held in Tokyo at the end of November. Selection contests were arranged by the Technical Board to be held in Tokyo among the British judoka living in Japan. The result of these selection contests is very pleasing to us as it makes all three representatives of Great Britain Budokwai members. The interesting thing about these World Championships is not to see who wins (that is a foregone conclusion), but to see how the other nations do in the earlier eliminating rounds. It is interesting to note in passing that Japan's No. 3 is a 4th Dan of about twenty-three; he will undoubtedly be the "baby" of the meeting, particularly considering the general age of the foreign competitors, which is usually around the thirty mark (and often over). I would like to take this opportunity to wish our representatives all the best of luck in the championships.

J. Newman has finally reached Japan, and is now settling down in his job and Judo. He teaches English at Tenri University, which is a University organised by a religious sect, which in turn maintains its own city several miles outside Kyoto. The judobu (Judo section) is among the three strongest in Japan, and has won the All-Japan Universities Championship once, so Newman should get all the tough practise he wants. I hear that already he has received his "initiating" injury, so by now he should be all set to adopt his style to the different methods and get down to some work.

Back home at the club proper, the main activity is that of the members re-decorating the building. Such a "face-lift" has been wanting for some time, but due to lack of money and opportunity it has been postponed several times. However, recently the committee decided that something had to be done, and so asked the members if they would help. The answer was "Yes," and so from then on things began to hum. It is, of course, a big undertaking, so it will take some time, but in the end will be well worthwhile.

The Beginners' Course of late seems to be attracting several minor personalities, particularly in the literary line. Authors, art critics and a couple of painters have joined, most of them being quite young (hence why I said minor celebrities, their "stones" have only made the first ripple in the pond of life), so that they are quite useful in the physical field. I only hope we are as helpful to them as they can be to us.



Scottish Judo Association

R. E. Stanton

The Association, established on April 12th this year, held their first Display and Championships at St. Mungo Halls, Glasgow, October 22nd. The Scottish Coal Industry Judo League were granted permission to run off the finals of their championships on this occasion.

There were few seats vacant in the hall at the commencement of the show and several old and well kent faces were amongst the spectators and a pipe band in full Highland regalia enhanced the Scottish setting.

Mr. Kenshiro Abbe (7th Dan), who had been invited north from London, provided an exhibition of Kendo, umpired several contests and successfully defeated a line-up of 12 Black Belts inside two and a half minutes. Each man in this line-up seemed determined to "get him," but an exponent of "soft Judo," Mr. Abbe overcame each one in turn. As well as a considerate teacher, Mr. Abbe has proved himself no mean contest man. Indeed, off the mat I found him to be of an unassuming nature and of a kind and gentle disposition, principled and dedicated to Judo.

A boxing ring (without ropes) had been set up for the purposes of the occasion, which allowed all but those in the front row of the ringside an unimpaired view. Perhaps the ring was rather high for good viewing, but I am unsure whether on a future occasion this could be remedied. Two chairs were reduced to matchwood resulting from bodies dropping from such height.

The Scottish Individual Championship Trophy was won by Colin Baxter (1st Dan), Lothian Judo Club, who defeated Johnny Fraser, Glasgow, in the finals after a most exciting bout lasting 10½ minutes.

During the evening there were few demonstrations, but T. McDermott (3rd Dan), although suffering from cracked ribs, gave an exhibition of several techniques and assisted in umpiring the contests.

Organisation was accomplished by Mr. Peter Reid (1st Kyu), Glasgow, who must have employed all of his spare time to ensure the show the success it undoubtedly was in all its aspects.

As a matter of interest to Scottish mining judoka, their trophy was also won by Colin Baxter. The Lothian Judo Club, of which Colin is the principal, carried away the Miners Team Trophy, both of which were presented by Mr. Abe Moffat, President of the N.U.M. These trophies were donated by the Coal Industry Social Welfare Organisation. Mr. James A. Young, Chairman of the Scottish Coal Industry Judo League, has requested that I intimate here that he welcomes all enquiries for membership of the "League" at his address at 30 Third Avenue, Newcraighall, Musselburgh, Midlothian.



Warmest Christmas Greetings
to all Readers

from THE EDITOR AND STAFF OF JUDO

AREA NEWS

NORTHERN HOME COUNTIES SECTION *J. H. D'Arcy-Evans*

The first news about our area is necessarily somewhat staggering, and my only difficulty as your informant is how to make the article short enough for acceptance.

Since the formation of the area in June we have had the National Inter-Area Championships in Manchester and, because of the shortness of the notice, a great deal of frantic preparation took place to stage eliminations to pick a representative team. This was finally done at Vauxhall Motors Judo Club, and such was the response from clubs in the area that we were forced to use three mat areas, with contests being fought on each simultaneously. Even so, the eliminations took best part of the afternoon and evening, and eventually resulted in the following teams being chosen:—

T. Leaper	(1st Dan)	<i>Captain</i>	South Bucks J.C.
L. Riddell	(1st Kyu)		South Bucks J.C.
W. Partridge	(1st Kyu)		Vauxhall Motors J.C.
R. Russell	(2nd Kyu)	<i>Reserve</i>	South Bucks J.C.

Just how good this team was I was later to witness at Manchester, for against higher-grade opposition they fought their way heroically and deservedly to the National Semi-finals. Mention must be made of Mr. L. Crewe's (3rd Dan) part in this, for he trained the team and welded it into a pretty formidable fighting weapon, and I hope he is well-pleased with the results.

We are not complacent, however, and this titbit of success has only served to whet our appetites for better things to come, so watch out for your laurels all other areas.

Very shortly now we hope to start our area gradings, and I would point out to Club Secretaries that these are not necessarily meant to replace ordinary club grading, but to supplement them. Obviously it will be found that it will be sometimes cheaper and more convenient to utilise area facilities, particularly in view of having a greater variety of unknown opposition with whom to compete.

NORTHERN SECTION *T. F. Pettman*

The day for kata classes has been altered since the last issue. It is now on Friday nights at 8 p.m.

The final arrangements for the area display in December are as follows. The show will be held at the Armstrong Hall, Stanhope Road, **South Shields**, on Wednesday, 10th December, at 7.30 p.m. This change in date will save a lot of dashing round at the week-end transferring mats which will need to be relaid for the course.

The instructors on the week-end course for 3rd kyu and above which takes place in December on the 13th and 14th, will be Messrs. Gleeson and Bloss. This is not an opportunity to be missed, and we, the area committee, hope that the course will receive the support it deserves. There will be a grading with the course so we hope to see one or two more Dan grades. We certainly need them.

The eliminations for the Marr Cup have been held and while I think

they could have been better supported at least it is a step forward and after all, we have only been in operation as an area since June of this year.

The semi-finalists will have until the area display to get into strict training. The teams selected to go forward to the semi-finals are as follows: **Middlesbrough, Crinion, Head Wrightson** and Yoshin Ryu. Some of the judo was a little rough but that is to be expected among the lower kyu grades. As they grow in contest experience they will, we hope, relax a little. Middlesbrough did very well to go through the eliminations without losing a single team contest. The eliminations showed that the idea of the cup is on the right lines, namely to give the small clubs a chance in contest with the larger ones. In fact, the largest club in the area was eliminated.

I am pleased to note that the Kent section of the Southern Area is developing. As a Man of Kent myself (Margate), it takes me a little nearer home to see news from Kent in "Judo." Perhaps I may be able to drop in on some of the clubs when next I am down that way.

It is good to see that the British Register of Black Belts appears to be taking on a new lease of life. Let us hope it will continue to grow, and not only the 1st and 2nd Dan columns but the higher Dan grades as well.

We have seen in the correspondence columns many arguments for and against "background talks." I for one would like to see these made more general throughout the country. Even an hour from each week-end course would be a start, and would give judoka a better idea of how his Japanese counterpart lives and passes his hours off the mat. I, myself, spent some time in Japan and I still strive to improve my little knowledge of Japanese customs and arts. Things like Kabuki, No dramas, even small things like Netsuke, may not be interesting to all, but at least everyone should have the chance to decide they don't like it, for themselves.

WESTERN SECTION *Peter J. Murphy*

I feel that I must preface my report this month with an apology, and sincerely regret that no news was included from the Western Section. This omission is entirely due to the lack of news from the western clubs, and once again I request Judokwa throughout this area to forward any items of news, no matter how small.

St. Luke's College Judo Club and **Bristol University J.C.** travelled to **Southampton University J.C.** and participated in a friendly three-cornered match. Bristol J.C. captained by Tony Sweeney received the laurels, but by far the most important thing was the goodwill and good time had by all. Henlys J.C., **Weston-Super-Mare** held their Annual Social on the 1st of November. Invitations to all clubs in the area produced an excellent representation, and Aspirins and Ice-bags were worn. Among the honoured guests present were Don Burr (2nd Dan), John Cornish (1st Dan), and Frank Pearson (1st Dan), and in respect of the latter—hearty congratulations from all your friends in the west on obtaining Shodan. **Bridgwater Judo Club** is now re-christened Bridgwater Y.M.C.A. Judo Club, and have just opened a new Dojo. This might sound a minor affair, but I know what a colossal amount of hard work and patience that made this possible. Good luck in the future and we hope the floor stays sound, as it's a long way to the street.

Dojo Digest. I wish every success to Messrs. Philpotts and Nickoskiss of the Judokwai, **Bristol**, in both their academic studies and their judo which they will now practice at the Budokwai. I should mention that the former will take place at London University, in their spare time. Once again we come to the season of Annual General Meetings, ours being held at Taunton on the 22nd November and I will advise you of any developments next month. If you have not already purchased your ticket for the W.J.A. Social Event of the Year, namely the **Annual Dinner and Dance at Taunton, on Saturday, December 20th**—do it now—as the committee must soon make all necessary arrangements.

Once again Rab Smith (3rd Dan) is taking a course for the B.U.J.A. at **Bristol University**, sometime in the New Year.

Although a little on the early side, this is my last opportunity to wish all friends the Seasons Greetings, and a successful 1959.

NORTH WEST SECTION *R. Gellatley*

The Annual General Meeting of the North West Area of the B.J.A. was held at Gaddum House, Manchester, on Saturday, 11th October. Unlike last year, when we had to have two attempts before we could even raise a quorum, this meeting was well attended.

It was a very lively meeting with many questions being fired from the floor to the retiring Committee. Eventually a new Committee was elected which is now: Mr. Doug. Pastore, Chairman; Mr. F. Rhoden continues as Secretary; Treasurer, Mr. P. Connor, who replaces Mr. J. Walker; Recorder, Mr. G. Walker; Eastern Representative, Mr. W. Miles; Western Representative, Mr. J. Kearsley; Southern Representative, Mr. J. Knight; Northern Representative, Mr. W. Stinson; and Messrs. Evans and Gunning are Committee Members.

As you can see, there have been a few changes. Mr. D. B. Jones, who did sterling work for the Area, has retired from the Chairmanship owing to the pressure of other commitments. However, we would all like to thank him for his efforts for Judo in general and the Area in particular. We are all interested to see how the new Committee shapes—particularly as some of the most vociferous critics of the old Committee are now on the new one.

The second edition of the North West Area Judo Magazine has just been published, and I can sincerely recommend it to all Judoka. I think that this second edition is better than the first one. Some interesting points are raised—particularly by someone who prefers to be known as “KYU.” If he is in your club you will recognise him because he does at least 30 minutes hard exercise *before* practising Judo. Also, he is of the opinion that all big men who are only 1st Kyu's or 1st Dans are bums, otherwise they would be 2nd or 3rd Dans. So now we know! Still, it is a healthy state of affairs when people can air their views in print about Judo.

Also in this issue, Mr. D. B. Jones says what is the last word about the use of English for Judo throws. The Japanese terms are now International. Any Judoka, whether he speaks a foreign language or not, can communicate with a fellow Judoka from abroad. If we Anglicise Judo, then this valuable means of getting across to foreigners is lost.

The show at **Liverpool** on 25th October—the first to be held by the B.J.A., although several have been held by the A.J.A.—went down very well. It was well attended and the audience seemed to like what they saw.

The North West Area are now considering making it an annual event. I think that this is a good idea—why not take in some more places, too? Some roughnecks who were making more noise than was good mannered were silenced by Wilf Miles, 1st Kyu, who good naturedly enquired who were the ones who fancied themselves. It appeared that it was all a mistake—they didn't fancy themselves, still less did they fancy tangling with Wilf!

Rhyl Judo Club were honoured by a visit from G.K. in September, and Mr. R. Gunning tells me that all the club are now very much G.K. minded. Rhyl is a flourishing centre for Judo and any visiting Judoka, particularly if they are high grade, are very welcome.

Metropolitan Vickers Judo Club are planning an “At Home” night on 3rd December, when members and friends will be invited to see how the club is run and to enjoy tea and cakes. I think that this is an excellent idea. Not only does it give good publicity to a club, but it also brings the members closer together and helps to build up a club spirit. I had the pleasure of reading three pamphlets written by Metro's Secretary, John Bosley, and extremely interesting they are. He deals very impartially with the origin of Judo, its history—and I can say with conviction that I learned quite a lot from them. I suggested that he submit them in article form for publication in JUDO—I think that everyone would enjoy them. At present he is engaged on one showing the difference between Judo and wrestling—when published it should be very illuminating! Well, that's all the news from the North West for now—don't forget, Club Secretaries, let me have your news and views—especially if they are controversial.

WELSH SECTION

G. Thomas

Many complaints have reached me regarding Clubs who have not paid their 1957/58 fees. The Area Committee took a firm stand on this matter and informed members that unless the fees were forthcoming they could no longer be considered to be Members of the Association. In fairness to other Clubs who have paid their dues, this step was necessary, but more important, it is a Constitutional matter.

The position is this: Clubs who have not paid the National/Area fees for 1957/58 are *not* members of the B.J.A. and are not allowed to participate in activities. They are, however, at liberty to join again for 1958/59 by paying the £7 7s. and supplying me with two copies of their Constitution and two copies of their Nominal Roll of Members.

Members who have paid their fees for 1957/58 can enjoy the privileges of the Association until 1st December, 1958. If these Members do not pay their 1958/59 fees by the latter date they cannot participate in any Gratings, Eliminations, Displays or any other activity. If they do not pay by 1st March, 1959, they shall cease to be members of the Association. Clubs seeking reduced fees because of financial difficulties must apply to me, enclosing a detailed financial statement. Recommendations for reduced fees can only be made if such information is known.

Your Secretary attended the Annual Display of the Budokwai at the Royal Albert Hall on Saturday, 11th October. This was one of the best displays I have witnessed. Its success was undoubtedly due to the appearance of Saburo Matsushita, 5th Dan, and Issamu Ishii, 4th Dan. These two young men certainly highlight the difference between Japanese and British Judoka. Although, through the efforts of our National Coach, Geoff Gleeson, 4th Dan, and his foreign trained colleagues, British Judo

is certainly improving, something else is needed to reach the standard of the distinguished guests of the Budokwai. The results may well be forthcoming when our present Juniors of ten or eleven are 1st Dans at fifteen or so! Praise is due to Alan Petherbridge for the excellent manner in which he participated in the Display. As long as Alan is at our helm we shall proceed from strength to strength; thank you, Alan.

Whilst on the subject of Displays, on Sunday, 26th October, the Samurai J.C. Swansea held elimination contests prior to their Annual Display on Monday, 27th October at the Patti Pavilion, Swansea. Mr. Petherbridge wishes to thank all Welsh Judoka for their support in this Display.

This month I received a letter from the Further Education Officer in the Director of Education Office for Glamorgan, asking us for confirmation of the Grade held by a person who was being considered as Judo Instructor in a Youth Club. This, for Welsh Judo and our Association is a real step forward. It means that the Education Authority recognises the authenticity of the B.J.A., no longer tolerating anyone who cannot give efficient instruction.

S. Matsushita, 5th Dan, has accepted the position of Technical Advisor to the Welsh Area of the B.J.A. What wonderful news! What Kawamura did for Scottish Judo, perhaps Matsushita can do for Wales! It is up to Welsh Clubs to fully support any arrangement made by the Area Committee with regard to coaching, etc., in Wales.

The Free Grading mentioned previously has now been arranged. Proposed dates are as follows:—

Novice to 3rd Kyu.

East Wales—10th and 11th January, 1959, at the Judokwai, Cardiff.

West Wales—10th and 11th January, 1959, at the Samurai J.C., Swansea.

2nd Kyu upwards.

17th and 18th January, 1959.

Application for Grading forms must reach the Area Registrar not later than 13th December, 1958. No late applications will be considered. The only Clubs who may participate in these Gradings are those who are fully paid up Members of the B.J.A. for 1958/59.

The Area Film Show promised has also now been arranged. Details will be forwarded to all Club Secretaries shortly, together with more details of the Gradings and other business.

Terry Edmunds, 2nd Dan, Area Chairman, has once again won the Open Police Championships of Great Britain. Well done, Terry.

MIDLAND SECTION *E. Price*

In last month's issue I wrote that I believed Margaret Morris, of Wulfruna J.C., was the Midlands' first lady 1st Kyu. This has brought me a very interesting letter from Mr. J. Shaw, who is the Secretary of the Kagami Shin Nozo Judo Kwan at Stoke on Trent.

Mr. Shaw does not dispute Margaret's claim to be the first lady 1st Kyu in the Midlands, but he informs me that she is no longer the only one. In his own words:—

"I would like to bring to your notice that at the last grading at Stafford my club also gained a lady 1st Kyu who has been practising Judo for only 18 months, is only 4ft. 5½in. in height (I measured her myself) and also weighs

only 7st. 4lbs.; in fact, a dainty little thing who unleashes terrible fury in the form of Taiotoshi. She is Miss Christine Thomas."

Here is a thought for those whose job it will be to organise the 1959 National Inter-Area Championships in the Midlands. Can we have a Ladies' Randori item, including a randori between Margaret and Christine, our two lady 1st Kyus? Or will they both be 1st Dans by then?

I should like to wish them both the very best of luck for the future. I have always had the very greatest admiration for all ladies who practise Judo. It is difficult enough for men, with their generally superior strength and aggressiveness. It must be much more difficult for a girl to stand up to the bumps and bruises, the shuddering crashes, and the sheer heart-breaking impossibility of moving some of the monstrous club-footed dinosaurs that seem to abound at every grading.

While on the subject of grading, here are the figures for the Area gradings held at five venues on Saturday, October 11th, 1958:—

VENUE	APPLIED	ATTENDED	UPGRADED
English Electric, Stafford ...	53	41	30
Smethwick Judo Society ...	38	27	18
Coventry J.C.	28	20	16
Leicester Judokwai	53	43	35
Birmingham Koizumikwai ...	70	58	39
	242	189	138

I mentioned last month G. White, of Taki Judokwai, who was graded from 3rd Kyu straight to 1st Kyu. I now learn that he has always gone up two grades at a time. His first grading was 24.1.57, 5th Kyu; six months later, 13.7.57, 3rd Kyu; now, 15 months later, 11.10.58, 1st Kyu. Everyone is now asking whether his next grading will take him straight to 2nd Dan!

Another very good effort was the grading of H. Gould, of the newly formed Derby Olympus J.C., straight to 4th Kyu, after only two months instruction under Albert Wilde, 1st Dan.

There has been some criticism recently of the line-up system of grading, though I personally cannot see why.

On October 11th, I faced a line-up of six men. Of the six, I defeated one fairly easily, and one with some difficulty; I scored waza-ari on another; I drew with two, and the remaining one scored waza-ari twice against me. Immediately afterwards, G. White faced the same line-up. He threw five out of the six, in most cases with very little difficulty. The one he drew with, he had already defeated very convincingly in his first contest, earlier in the afternoon. He was awarded 1st Kyu: I was not.

Now can anyone tell me what on earth I could find to complain about? I did badly, and was not upgraded; someone else did well, and was most deservedly upgraded. There is nothing wrong with the system, as far as I can see. I simply was not good enough.

Incidentally, when I came to the last man, I still felt full of fight, so I cannot plead lack of stamina, but simply lack of technique. It may be that some of the people who condemn the system are really, like me, lacking in the technique necessary for a higher grade, and would fail anyway, no matter what system is used.

Returning now to Mr. Shaw's letter, he brings in another subject which

has been under criticism recently. I think his letter is worth quoting verbatim again:—

"The club itself is decorated in a distinctly oriental manner, with paintings relating to both Judo and Japanese history and culture covering its walls and beams.

"Occasionally on a weekend we get together and have lectures and discussions on things Japanese, e.g. Principles of Bushido, Training of the Samurai knights of old, The Old Martial Arts, etc.

"I have even been asked to run elementary Japanese language courses to aid them in the pronunciation of the Judo terms, and this I do in the form of printed sheets of exercises and explanations of the fundamentals of grammar to the best of my ability, which the judoka studies at home, then we all go over the lesson for accent and tone in actual speaking."

For the information of those who are opposed to any attempt to study anything except Judo technique, I should like to point out that Mr. Shaw's club has not been in existence for very long, yet it has two male 1st Kyus and one lady 1st Kyu, so they evidently have not allowed their study of Japanese culture to interfere with their study of Judo on the mat.

I have given a lot of space to Mr. Shaw's comments. I am not going to quote the things he wrote in praise of my own literary efforts, though I should like to thank him very much for his kind remarks. But, Mr. Shaw, I will now volley the ball right back into your court.

Are you aware of the fact that it cost the Midland Area £19 5s. to put on five gradings on October 11th? And that your 2s. recording fee goes entirely to London, so the Area gets nothing back to help to pay that £19 5s.? Did you know that, Mr. Shaw? Do you know much about how the Area is organised? Has your club ever been represented at an Area A.G.M.? Have you ever entered the Area Championships? Did either of your 1st Kyus consider entering the eliminations for the Area team?

Please don't take this too personally. There are a number of clubs which take very little part in Area events; yours is far from being the only one which we seldom or never see. I know that distance makes things difficult but **Northampton** managed to get a couple of 1st Kyus to the team eliminations at Wolverhampton. The Area Committee works very hard to put on these events for the benefit of all Midland judoka, and we want to see you, **Stoke on Trent**. We want to see you, **Nottingham**. We want to see you, **Kettering**. We want to see you, every club that exists anywhere in the Midland Area.

It would not be right for me to write a whole article without any mention of Juniors, so I will conclude by announcing that on Saturday, December 13th, we are hoping to receive a visit at my own club from the Junior section of the **Leicester Judo Club**. Unfortunately, December 13th was the only date when we could get the use of our dojo on a Saturday this side of Christmas, so I had already made all the arrangements before I realised that there is an Area Committee meeting on the same date, so I am afraid that the Committee will have to manage without me, at least for the first part of the meeting. This Junior get-together is something that I have wanted to arrange for a long time, so I hope to be able to give a full report of it in next month's issue.

SCOTTISH SECTION

W. Hislop

The winter season is well under way again and we can expect regular hard practising attendances at the dojo now that the holidays and summer slackness is over.

I doubt if there is a city left which does not have a dojo somewhere for the local and visiting enthusiasts to practise in. Our National Coach, R. L. Smith (3rd Dan) has been much in demand recently, with week-end courses of instruction and grading at the **Cluarankwai J.C., Kilmarnock**, where 1st Dan's R. Houston, R. Trainer and Ted Routley practise; also similar visits to dojos in the **Glasgow, Edinburgh and Fife** areas.

Members of the **Osaka J.C., Glasgow**, have now got spacious premises with at least two tatami, one being, or claiming to be, the largest mat area in Scotland. With the many clubs in and around Glasgow, a central dojo with such facilities will come in very handy for mass gradings and the usual area elimination contests which are held annually, i.e. **Kawamura Trophy**, etc.

The Annual Dinner and Dance of the **S.O.K. J.C., Arbroath**, will be held at the beginning of December, bringing together members of the **Perth** and **Y.M.C.A. Dundee**, who usually turn up on this occasion.

The following day the contests for the **Hislop Cup** will be decided amongst the three clubs. This cup is so named after the Dan grade who, over a period of time, has instructed and graded many judoka in the area.

Inter-club competitors is one way to ensure regular get-togethers whereby the judoka will develop skill and experience in handling all sizes and grades. We all know the stalemate reached by many a club simply through the lack of visiting and competing against new opposition.

Two new clubs have been started in the Borders, one at **Hawick** and one at **Peebles**. At present there are about forty judoka practising in each club and with the help and guidance of the **Kitsune Ryugi J.C., Galashiels**, it is only a matter of time till they will be competent enough to enter for grading.

The **Border Area** is gradually being introduced to judo and with another club at **Kelso**, in the preliminary stage of being organised, the competition in the future should prove interesting.

The grading arranged for the 22nd November at the **Tora Scotia, Edinburgh**, will bring together Judoka from the **Fife, Edinburgh, and Border Clubs**. Black Belts officiating will be **V. Taylor** and **R. Scott (1st Dans)**. A week-end course will be held at the **Tora Scotia** on the 13th/14th December, instruction by **R. McKinnon (2nd Dan)** and **R. Scott (1st Dan)**. The fee is 10s. (instruction only). All judoka are welcome, irrespective of grade or sex.

The **Azami J.C. (Grangemouth)** ladies and juniors were graded by **W. Hislop (1st Dan)** on the 9th November. A good turn-out and contest showing by both groups says a lot for the club instructor, **J. Cocker (2nd Kyu)**, who is hoping for higher honours at the **Tora Scotia** grading; and the best of luck, Jack.

According to reports, **W. Woodcock (1st Dan)** from England is in the **Inverness** district for a week or so. I am sure the local lads will keep him busy instructing and perhaps a grading to keep the judoka happy. The Secretary of the **Inverness J.C.** tells me that the club members are keen but, like many other dojos they just don't have enough high-graded instruction.

Aberdeen J.C. have arranged a grading for the 30th November, to which members of the **Arbroath** and **Dundee** clubs have been invited. Black Belt officiating is **W. Hislop (1st Dan)**, **Tora Scotia, Edinburgh**.

The **Yoshin Judokwai, Gorebridge**, under the leadership of the brothers **Bob** and **Pete Purves**, both 1st Dans, have under way a plan to get a new dojo built to their own specification. This club has a large membership of seniors, juniors, and a strong ladies' section. The **Yoshin Judokwai** has taken part in many contests throughout the country, including the **Matsui Cup** and

Kawamura Trophy, and were the winners of last year's Shiai Trophy, an East of Scotland contest.

The Scottish Section, B.J.A., in conjunction with the Scottish Council of Physical Recreation, are to hold a week-end course on the 6th and 7th February at the Inverclyde Sports Centre, **Largs**. The Instructor will be R. L. Smith (3rd Dan), Scottish National Coach. All queries for courses, gradings, etc., should be sent to: *Hon. Secretary, W. Hislop, 38, Bank Street, Galashiels. Telephone 2396.*

British Register of Black Belts

A. P. HARRINGTON,

Secretary, Register of Black Belts.

It is with a sense of achievement that the Council announces that Kodokwan diplomas have been distributed to the majority of members. A further batch of twenty certificates have been applied for, and these documents will be apportioned amongst the remaining members immediately they come to hand.

The acquisition of these certificates is a great stride forward in the Register's aim of providing a worthwhile service, on limited funds, to all the Black Belt holders in Great Britain. This measure was advocated by our Vice-President, Mr. Leggett, at the last annual general meeting, and by his foresight we are now all registered at the Kodokwan.

A letter has been received from Mr. Peter Connor (1st Dan), of 135. Brendon Drive, Audenshaw, Manchester, concerning the possibility of corresponding with, and meeting groups of B.J.A. Black Belts in other districts to discuss technique and perhaps hold practice sessions. It is understood that Black Belt holders in Manchester are meeting regularly for an interchange of ideas. Participants include: Mr. F. Rhoden (2nd Dan), Mr. P. Connor (1st Dan), Mr. E. Cocksey (1st Dan), Mr. D. B. Jones (1st Dan), Mr. J. Lever (1st Dan), and Mr. B. Murdey (1st Dan).

If any "geographical group" of black belts would be kind enough to contact Mr. Connor at the address already given, I am sure that it would prove beneficial to all concerned.

BLACK BELT REGISTER

J. NEWMAN	3rd. Dan
P. CONNOR	1st "
S. G. FISACKERLY	1st "
A. J. MOORE	1st "
D. B. MUIRCROFT	1st "
F. PEARSON	1st "

Promotions to and within the British Register of Black Belts month ending 31st October, 1958.



THE KODOKWAN DIPLOMA



Name : DAVID ALAN PETHERBRIDGE.

Born : 1927.

Occupation : Company Director.

Started Judo at Swansea Judo Society at age of 22, Captain of the Team to win Matsui Challenge Cup 1955. 1st Dan 1955. Won the Goldberg Vass Memorial Trophy 1956.

Member of the British Team 1956-7-8. 2nd Dan 1957. Appointed Welsh National Coach 1957. Finalist 2nd Dan European Championships 1957. Member of the British Team against Belgium, November, 1958.

First Welshman to attain 1st Dan. Represented Wales in the three-cornered match against England and Scotland 1953.

Hobbies : Cinematography and Skin Diving.

B.J.A. 11th Annual General Meeting

A DELEGATE'S VIEW

Denison House was once again the venue for the Annual General Meeting of the British Judo Association.

This year there were fewer clubs attending than there have been in the past, only thirty-eight being represented, although there were upwards of fifty people present.

Mr. Koizumi as President of the Association opened the meeting at 2.50 p.m. and commented on the success of the National Team, and individuals, in the European theatre during the past year, and congratulated the British Team on their fine effort.

He went on to say that although Britain has not yet reached the highest standard in the world, each year we progress and are getting better.

Internally, continued Mr. Koizumi, we can do better. The B.J.A. is the national body for judo but, owing to the fact that we are not fully recognised, dangerous elements arise. As soon as we obtain full recognition these undesirable elements will disappear. Member clubs can, by putting on displays and keeping the standard of judo high, improve the B.J.A. relationship with the public.

Following the President's speech, Mr. Woollam, Chairman of the B.J.A., opened the meeting proper and this year, for the first time, the first five items on the Agenda were moved and passed unanimously, there being very little comment from the floor regarding the Treasurer's report and accounts (which in previous years has often been a controversial point) or the Annual Report.

Mr. John Capes, the present Secretary-Registrar, was unanimously re-elected, and Mr. Woollam pointed out to the meeting the confidence which the Committee had in Mr. Capes' ability.

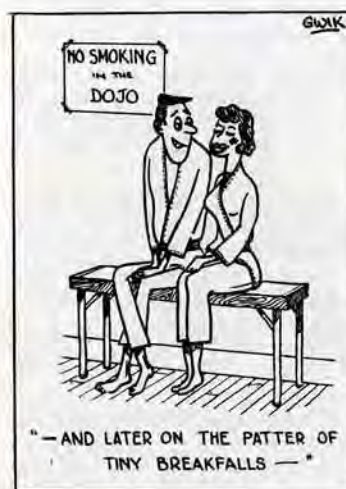
There were vacancies for three committee members to be filled, Miss Irene Edwards and Mr. F. Pearson being retiring members. Mr. Pearson offered himself for re-election, but Miss Edwards expressed deep regret that she could no longer continue on the committee and wished to resign. She explained that the large amount of work entailed in coping with the administrative problems of the B.J.A. could no longer be done in her spare time and, as she had other commitments, it would be impossible for her to continue.

The Chairman drew the attention of the meeting to the very fine work which Miss Edwards had done as a committee member in the four or five years she has been connected with the committee and its work, and this was heartily endorsed by the members present.

The new committee members elected were Mr. F. Pearson (Budokwai), Mr. J. Walker (Transjukwai) and Mr. W. Hislop (Tora Scotia). As these were the only three nominations and there were three places available, all three were returned unanimously.

Mr. Woollam pointed out that this was not a very desirable way of conducting the election of members as, although democratic, there were but three nominees for three vacant places and the floor had no choice but to elect them. He went on to say that, in future, members should see that some competition and choice is made available to the electors.

On the whole, this year's meeting was a very quiet and well-ordered affair, but it is to be hoped that this is due to the superb managing of the Association's affairs by the Committee, and not through a sense of apathy.



Club Forum

BEDFORD

BEDFORD JUDO CLUB.—*M. J. Darlow, Hon. Secretary, writes:* The number of our members belonging to the Budokwai Sunday Class has been increased by the inclusion of J. Hand (1st Kyu).

Recent visitors have included Budokwai members and one Judoka from Scotland. The club dojo is at 49, Conduit Road, and practice hours are Monday and Thursday at 8.10 p.m., and Saturday 3-5 p.m., and visitors are always welcome.

The club is considering changing the badge, and members have been consulted on their preference from several designs.

GLASGOW

THE OSAKA JUDO CLUB. *David Gray, Hon. Secretary, writes:*—October has been an eventful month for certain members of the Osaka. Don Stewart, one of our promising lower grades, is now training in the Scots Guards, and Jim King (1st Kyu) is waiting for his call-up papers. But we have better news from Don Purdie (1st Dan). He tells us in a letter that he is on his way home from Jordan and will be demobbed in November. Also Hugh McGarry (1st Kyu), in Germany at present, is due to be demobbed about the same time.

Jim McWade, our 2nd Dan, has been "ordered off" the mat with a slipped disc. He is under doctor's orders, possibly for three months, but we hope he gets the all-clear soon. Big Bill Robertson, his keenest club rival, is trying to convince anyone who is willing to listen that "it wisnae me."

The new committee, which took office three months ago, are being highly praised by all members of the club, and I am duty bound to express my congratulations to them for the fine job they are doing.

From the Osakakwai Judo Club in Dumbarton, Secretary John Carter visited us last month. He tells me that the club is steadily increasing its membership but is losing Larry McGarry (1st Dan) who intends to emigrate to Australia. "Bon Voyage," Larry. We wish you all the best for the future.

A letter was received from Secretary Pat McAteer of the Kosaka Judo Club, Londonderry. He says everybody is practising hard. That is, except Bob Brady and Bill Gilkinson, who were recently injured. This is not the first time Bob has been injured this year and I'm sure he is looking forward to the new year in the hope that 1959 does not hold another jinx for him.

Pat also says that the Kosaka is taking a hand in starting two new Judo clubs in Londonderry, namely, the "Waterside Boys Club" and the "Long Tower Boys Club."

Pat also writes that the Kosaka has had the pleasure of a week's visit from Ray Christie. "Ray organised a Judo film show," says Pat, "and everyone thought it was wonderful." Best of luck Pat in your new ventures and our best wishes to Ray.

Everyone is training hard at Kosakakwai, Shettleston. The secretary, Vince Rooney, is quite busy just now with the young judoka. I heard a whisper that Tam McAllister is training very hard on the mat. Keep it up Tam, we are all thinking of you.

And Jim Leckie, secretary of the Osaka-Ryugi in Hillington, in a letter says, "I'm very busy at the club these days." I should hope so, we rarely see him in the Osaka now. The Hillington boys have just completed a course under R. Smith (3rd Dan), which was followed by a very successful grading.

LONDON

LONDON JUDO SOCIETY. *From "Kyu":*—**Visits and visiting.** We recently welcomed a member of the Belgian national team to our dojo. He was actually searching for the dojo of Kenshiro Abbe but we were unable to direct him. The last month has been quite quiet, but Eric Dominy visited Blackburn, Sir Phillip Game and the Bedfordshire College of Physical Culture Judo section. The membership of the Bedford club is increasing fast. Later Eric and a team of juniors took part in the Sir Phillip Game club's annual display during which the boys defeated the home club by 5-0, thus avenging last year's defeat. They also gave their spectacular self-defence display. team was R. Boulton, A. Hens, D. Nixon, R. Down, D. Corcoran, B. Jacks.

The Pentonville Prison Warders also visited us for a grading as did their junior section on a Saturday morning.

Judo behind the "Iron Curtain"! As most judoka will have read in the national press the arrangements for Dominy's visit to Poland have reached their final stages. Since then, however, he has been invited to extend his trip to the Soviet Union where the Russian "Sambo" authorities are playing with the idea of varying their sport in order that it may come within the rules of the European Judo Union. Sambo is a contraction of the Russian words for unarmed combat. Eric tells me that it is extremely doubtful whether he can make the longer trip to Moscow but being so far on the way it will be a pity if the rest of the journey proves impossible.

Festival of Judo—1959. We are well on the way to concluding our arrangements for the main item of next year's festival which takes place at the Royal Albert Hall on Saturday, February 14th. The final acceptance may arrive before I have to post these notes, if so I will make a stop press announcement.

You may be interested to hear that the Royal Albert Hall is now so popular we only just managed to book a date for 1960, Easter Saturday being the only Saturday available in the first six months. Naturally this date was accepted. This booking up almost two years ahead is quite a problem.

The Southern Area. At last the Southern Area of the B.J.A. is formerly in existence. In this respect I owe Portsmouth Judo Club an apology. They rescued the area when they made last minute arrangements to hold the eliminations for the southern team, the impossibly short notice being due to the lack of an effective area secretary at that time. Rather than my condemnation Portsmouth J.C. deserve my thanks for their effort.

The new committee should be a live one. Under the chairmanship of John Capes, the secretary is John Gowland of Griffin Judo Club (also a well-known L.J.S. Black Belt). John Capes is the energetic secretary of the

B.J.A., whilst Gowland has for years devoted far more time than he could really spare to travelling hundreds of miles to grade and teach. Mike Leigh (L.J.S.), another hard working and very enthusiastic Black Belt, is also on the committee. I know nothing of the other members personally, but I wish them well.

It will be interesting to see what effect the formation of the area will have on the clubs involved. The main problem to overcome is the question of grading and teaching, the time of many of the local Black Belts being fully booked. It is a strange fact that as far as our club is concerned almost all the requests for assistance come from the north and midlands. It was a pity that two of the main clubs in the area, Portsmouth and Croydon, were unable to send representatives to the first vital meeting.

KENDAL

THE KENDAL JUDO CLUB. *Hon. Secretary, T. W. Thompson, writes:—* We have our dojo at the Y.M.C.A. Kendal and practice is held on Wednesday and Friday evenings at approximately 7.30 to 10 p.m. There are about twelve members who practise, including a few ladies.

This club has been in existence about five months and I have been instructing them for the past month, finding they are very keen to learn, and am thoroughly enjoying practising with them. Visitors have been the Furness Judo Club, Barrow, where some time ago I had some enjoyable evenings.

The Kendal Club are having difficulty in obtaining suitable material for a mat, which MUST be laid down and taken up each night. Have any readers suggestions on this point.

The members are doing very well for the length of time they have been learning Judo and should be ready for grading in the New Year.

UNIVERSITY NEWS

British University Judo Association

W. J. Semple

It is with great pleasure that I report that Mr. John Barnes has honoured us by accepting the Presidency of this Association, and Mr. Christmas Humphreys a Vice-Presidency. I know we are extremely lucky in obtaining the help and services of Mr. Barnes in the running of the Association.

Most clubs have had a record intake of freshers this term, showing the rising position and interest of this sport in the Universities. I gather that Liverpool have gained a 1st Dan and Manchester a 1st Kyu, which should certainly give these clubs a big boost. Several inter-University matches have already been fought, and a report of the B.U.J.A. International Championships will appear in the next issue.

I welcome the Judo Clubs of Imperial College, London, and Nottingham and Edinburgh Universities to the B.U.J.A. this year, and hope that some of the other University Clubs who have so far only shown interest will follow

their lead. I would remind some member clubs that subscriptions are already due, and should be paid to the Treasurer with all speed.

Finally a reminder to Club Secretaries:

1. Send me a list of the officials of their clubs.

2. Let me know if a course is being held in the Christmas or Easter vacation, so that I may circularize this to other member clubs.



OFFICIAL NOTES

GRADING EXAMINATIONS.—For a number of months there has been controversy and debate on the methods of grading employed by this Association, and many of the arguments advocating alternative methods are very logical. It is essential, however, that before grades can be awarded on results of contests alone, the standards of the sport must be high and based on a firm foundation of technique and knowledge. It is considered that such a level of achievement has not yet been reached, but when it is, and this may be in the foreseeable future, then an alternative method of grading can be laid down.

The present system of grading therefore, will be continued in which not only the result of the examination contests are noted, but also the technique, the attitude, and the theoretical knowledge of the candidate considered for an overall assessment of ability.

GRADING RECOMMENDATIONS.—In conjunction with this policy, the Executive Committee are issuing instructions to all Dan Grades that at examinations the recommendations being made by the Examiner in respect of promotions into 1st Kyu and Dan Degrees must NOT be made known to the candidate or any official at the grading. The Examiner will be required to forward his recommendations direct to the Area Recorders or the Registrar, who will place them before the Technical Board for ratification. Within the past few months a number of candidates for these grades have been disappointed when the recommendations made known to them were not confirmed, and such action has also caused some embarrassment to the examiners concerned.

This new regulation will ensure that these unfortunate occurrences will not happen again. Recommendations in respect of grades up to and including 2nd Kyu can be made known to the candidates concerned at the examiner's discretion at the time of the examination. Separate grading sheets to be completed by the examiner will be issued for gradings of Judoka holding blue belts and above in order to facilitate this new regulation.

NATIONAL COACH.—The National Coach, Mr. G. R. Gleeson, 4th Dan, has been retained by the Executive Committee to attend a total of 18 events organised by the Association or the Area Associations in any financial year commencing 1st September, 1958.

Six of these occasions have been reserved for events organised on a National basis, and the remaining twelve are available to the Area Associations on the basis of one per Area for the purpose of the National Coach attending a show or display organised by the Area. The Area concerned must pay the travelling and accommodation expenses involved.

Applications for such services by the National Coach must be made by the Area Associations to the Secretary, Mr. J. Capes, at least four weeks before the proposed event.

SERVICES OF DAN GRADES.—A number of enquiries have recently been made at Headquarters requesting the services of Dan Grades for examinations, instruction or displays. The Association does its utmost to arrange for Black Belts to be available on such occasions, but has no authority to demand that high-grade Judoka perform these services. Apart from the personal arrangements made with the National Coach, the Association can only request Black Belts to be available to members. The Association will continue to try to arrange for Dan grades to be present on these occasions, but since such arrangements are personal between the club concerned and the Dan grade, it may facilitate matters for the club to approach the Dan grade direct, requesting his services.

EASTERN AND SOUTHERN AREAS.—Both the Eastern and Southern Area Associations having held Inaugural Meetings in September will, during November, have held their first Annual General Meetings. Our thanks are extended to the clubs in these Areas who are supporting the formation of these Associations and congratulations on the interest they are showing in attempting to improve the administration and standard of Judo in their respective Areas.

This leaves but the London Area to be constitutionally set up, and it is hoped that the clubs concerned will shortly request Headquarters to arrange a meeting of the London clubs to formulate an Association for the Metropolis.

G.T. BRITAIN v. BELGIUM. Although by no means our strongest team we certainly won the contest in really grand style, thus justifying the faith of the Executive Committee when it decided to give provincial judoka a chance to enter for international status. Our team made most of its opportunity and we can thank them for upholding the high standard set down by our more experienced internationals.

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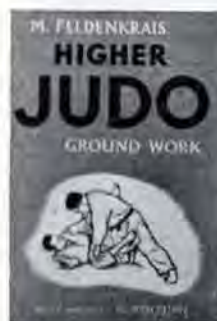
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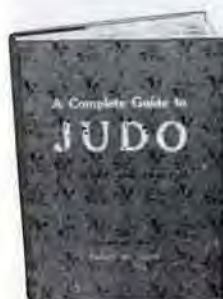
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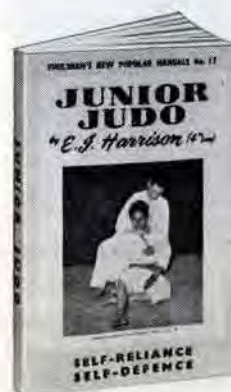
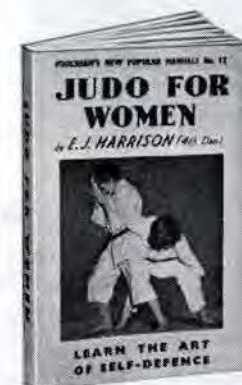
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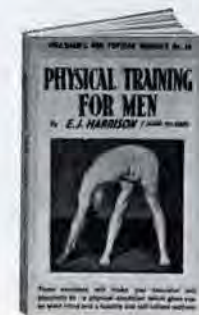
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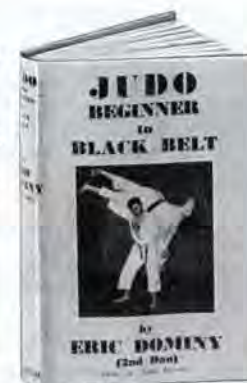
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By R. Bullock		By G. R. Gleeson		Green, N.	
22nd July, 1958		11th July, 1958		BISHOP AUCKLAND	
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Dodds, Susan	2nd ..	7th July, 1958		Marriott, W.	
Dodds, Sylvia	2nd ..	Gray, S. I.		Walker, J. L.	
Melville, S.	1st ..	4th Kyu		4th ..	
Amos, L.	1st ..				
De Laurey, J.	1st ..				
Smith, T.	1st ..				
Smith, F.	1st ..				

BETTESHANGER WELFARE JUDO CLUB

By G. Koizumi
6th September, 1958

Titball, A.	3rd Kyu
Smith, B.	4th "
Gibb, G.	5th "
Stevens, M.	5th "
Stevens, P.	5th "
Stevens, B.	6th "
Sweeney, R.	6th "

THE BUDOKWAI

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30th August, 1958

Jones, H. D.	6th Kyu
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THE BUDOKWAI

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Silver, I.	1st Kyu
Bernard, H.	1st "
Hall, R.	2nd "
Reay, A.	2nd "
Hurley, G.	2nd "
Pauls, A.	2nd "
Spender, J.	2nd "
Bellamy, P.	3rd "
Richardson, K.	3rd "
Trant McCarthy	3rd "
Barrow, A.	3rd "
Mahoney, L.	4th "
Lodder, T.	4th "
Jones, H.	5th "
Riddell, C.	5th "
Beaumont Nesbitt	5th "
Curry, J.	5th "
Wright, P.	5th "
Rayner, D.	5th "
Wigglesworth, J.	5th "
McManus, P.	6th "
Baker, R.	6th "
Fell, E.	6th "
Trappes Lomax	6th "
Rack, A.	6th "
Trevelyan, W.	6th "

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THE BUDOKWAI

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2nd September, 1958

Ingram, J.	2nd Kyu
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THE BUDOKWAI

By G. Hamilton
12th September, 1958

Moseley, K. H.	2nd Kyu
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BOWATER LLOYD

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Handford, G.	6th Kyu
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Spull, J.	5th "
Hughes, A.	6th "
Spink, E.	6th "
Thorogood, K.	6th "

BOWATER THAMES JUDO CLUB

By J. Gowland
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Carey, F.	4th Kyu
Chantler, W.	4th "
Peters, R.	4th "
Still, D.	4th "
Clark, A.	5th "
Tinsley, D.	6th "
Norman, S.	6th "
Patterson, J.	6th "

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BOWATER THAMES JUDO CLUB

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17th August, 1958

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CAER GWENT JUDO CLUB

By M. Hill

20th August, 1958

Coux, A.	5th Kyu
Coombs, F.	5th "
Cook, D.	6th "
Roase, J.	6th "

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By M. Hill

20th August, 1958

Ellis, M.	5th Kyu
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CENTYMEA JUDO CLUB

By J. Cornish

5th September, 1958

Welch, J.	5th Kyu
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CERES JUDO CLUB

By G. Hamilton

12th September, 1958

Ingre, J.	5th Kyu
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CHERTSEY JUDO CLUB

By P. Porter

1st September, 1958

Johnson, J.	4th Kyu
Diss, G.	6th "

COMMANDOKWAI

By G. Hamilton

12th September, 1958

Bartlett, A. D.	6th Kyu
Cornock, T.	6th "
Hoffman, J.	6th "
Crozier, J.	6th "
Smith, W.	6th "
Martin, J.	6th "

CRINION JUDO CLUB

By H. Marr

25th July, 1958

Cadwallender, D.	2nd Kyu
Brewis, E.	4th "
Maughan, T.	5th "
Cowell, M.	5th "
Young, R.	5th "
Taylor, W.	5th "
Muter, B.	5th "

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Thain, E.	1st Mon
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1st, 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 6th Sept.

Lintott, P.	3rd Kyu
Stanley, J.	3rd "
Relph, C.	3rd "
Forsyth, R.	3rd "
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Webber, S.	4th "
Brown, G.	4th "
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LADIES CROYDON AND DISTRICT JUDO SOCIETY

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1st, 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 6th Sept.

Swift, S.	6th Kyu
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DE HAVILAND, HATFIELD JUDO CLUB

By The Technical Board

1st and 6th September, 1958

Batho, R.	4th Kyu
Caunt, A.	5th "
Prout, J.	6th "
Whitnough, C.	6th "

GLACIER JUDO CLUB

1st September, 1958

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Russell, R. 1st Kyu

GOSPORT JUDO CLUB

By G. Koizumi

6th September, 1958

Staplehurst, S.	6th Kyu
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HARLOW JUDO CLUB

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1st September, 1958

O'Flanagan, C.	4th Kyu
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6th September, 1958

Burgess, F.	4th Kyu
Boon, P.	5th "
Peak, M.	6th "
Silverthorn, R.	6th "
Tempest, K.	6th "

HEADINGTON JUDO CLUB

By G. W. Chew

19th July, 1958

Abbey, S.	3rd Kyu
La Forte, E.	4th "
Hughes, W.	5th "
Richardson, K.	5th "
Reay, J.	5th "
Gordon, J.	5th "
Widdowson, J.	5th "
Turrell, C.	5th "
Fleet, G.	6th "
Johnson, S.	6th "
Burn, D.	6th "
Castle, R.	6th "
Flanagan, J.	6th "
Edwards, R.	6th "
Hunt, R.	6th "
Jones, B. R.	6th "
Baughan, A.	6th "
Evet, C.	6th "

LADIES HEADINGTON JUDO CLUB

By G. W. Chew
19th July, 1958

Terry, A.	5th Kyu
Hawker, B.	5th "
Gordon, S.	6th "
Bubb, C.	6th "

JUNIOR BOYS HEADINGTON JUDO CLUB

By G. W. Chew
19th July, 1958

Vincent, J.	2nd Mon
Gould, J.	2nd "
Morby, R.	2nd "
Cooper, S.	1st "
Abbey, T.	1st "
Young, T.	1st "
Tillotson, R.	1st "
Campbell, K.	1st "
Caswell, N.	1st "
Sheppard, W.	1st "
Stone, R.	1st "
Birch, M.	1st "
Brand, D.	1st "

JUNIOR GIRLS HEADINGTON JUDO CLUB

By G. W. Chew
19th July, 1958

Bubb, F.	2nd Mon
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HORNCHURCH JUDO CLUB

By C. Gilbert

30th June, 1958

Smith, G.	4th Kyu
Bridges, L.	4th "
Easton, G.	5th "
Bull, B.	5th "
Wood, J.	6th "
Stimpson, L.	6th "

IRISH JUDO ASSOCIATION

By J. McWade

12th August, 1958

Manuel, R.	1st Kyu
Kavanagh, James	2nd "
Clery, N.	3rd "
Dolan, James	3rd "
Redmond, G.	5th "
Dodd, A.	5th "
Murphy, R.	5th "
Meers, B.	5th "
Manning, G.	5th "
Conroy, H.	5th "
Meade, T.	5th "
Hegarty, C.	5th "
Nolan, J.	5th "
Cummins, F.	5th "
Kavanagh, Joe	5th "

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12th August, 1958

Fagan, C.	1st Mon
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IRISH JUDO ASSOCIATION

By P. Porter
9th August, 1958

Dolan, C.	3rd Kyu
Kavanagh, S.	5th "

THE JUDOKAN

By P. Sekine
6th August, 1958

Bloom, H.	4th Kyu
Petterson, S.	4th "
Worleddge, D.	5th "
Launders, E.	5th "
Stephens, H.	5th "
Ettridge, P.	5th "
Bede, A.	6th "
Golding, C.	6th "
Harris, W.	6th "

KAWASHI JUDOKWA

By R. Lewis
21st June, 1958

Gardener, P.	5th Kyu
Wood, M.	5th "
Davies, F. C.	6th "
Salter, R.	6th "
Taylor, A.	6th "
New, R.	6th "

LADIES

KAWASHI JUDOKWA

By R. Lewis
21st June, 1958

Evans, J.	5th Kyu
McCarthy, E.	5th "

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By R. Lewis
21st June, 1958

Seaborne, N.	2nd Mon
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KINGS LYNN JUDO CLUB

By C. Palmer

6th September, 1958

Judd, C.	3rd Kyu
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KOSAKA JUDO CLUB

By W. Robertson
28th August, 1958

McAteer, P.	2nd Kyu
Gilkinson, W.	3rd "
McKay, F.	4th "
Mitchel, F.	4th "
McLoone, E.	4th "
Deehan, M.	5th "
Coyle, J.	5th "
Downey, J.	5th "
Clark, H.	6th "
Duffy, A.	6th "
Sharkey, T.	6th "
Bond, W.	6th "

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KOSAKA JUDO CLUB

By W. Robertson
28th August, 1958

McLaren, J.	2nd Mon
Brady, E.	2nd "
Morrison, T.	2nd "
Miller, J.	2nd "

LARKMEAD JUDO CLUB

By I. Thomas
12th July, 1958

Purbrick, B.	4th Kyu
Short, T.	4th "
Matthews, C.	4th "
Owen, R.	5th "

JUNIOR BOYS

LARKMEAD JUDO CLUB

By I. Thomas
12th July, 1958

Brian, K.	2nd Mon
Trinder, H.	1st "
Cookson, D.	1st "

MACALEY JUDO CLUB

By J. Ryan
10th August, 1958

Wiley, A.	3rd Kyu
Harvey, J.	4th "
Bristol, W.	5th "

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MACALEY JUDO CLUB

By J. Ryan
10th August, 1958

Soanes, J.	5th Kyu
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MANCHESTER Y.M.C.A. JUDO CLUB

By G. R. Gleeson
11th July, 1958

Batty, W.	6th Kyu
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MATSUMACHI JUDO CLUB

By J. Loney

1st September, 1958

Geary, D.	5th Kyu
Croucher, C.	5th "
Bergemon, P.	5th "
Dowling, R.	5th "
Batchelor, J.	6th "

MATSUMACHI JUDO CLUB

By G. Hamilton

12th September, 1958

Sweeney, A.	5th Kyu
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MEDKWAJ JUDO CLUB

By G. W. Chew
31st August, 1958

Williams, F.	4th Kyu
Demeter, S.	4th "
Diprose, G.	5th "
Hastings, W.	5th "
Lillis, D.	5th "
Smithies, S.	5th "
McPhee, D.	6th "

MIDDLESBROUGH JUDO CLUB

By G. R. Gleeson
11th July, 1958

Gent, D. H.	5th Kyu
Alder, J.	6th "

MOUNTAIN JUDO CLUB

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7th July, 1958

Hopkinson, M.	4th Kyu
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MUNDANSHAKWAI

By C. Palmer
27th July, 1958

Potter, L. 6th Kyu

NEWPORT JUDO CLUB

By T. Edmunds
30th August, 1958

Gadd, E. 2nd Kyu
Nurmi, R. 3rd "
Collins, A. 3rd "
Nicholls, J. 4th "
Buchanan, R. 4th "
Young, R. 5th "
Hoare, R. 5th "
Coombes, R. 5th "
Griffin, J. 6th "
Pocock, F. 6th "
French, C. 6th "

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Shead, M. 5th Kyu
Parker, J. 5th "
Young, Y. 5th "
Richards, V. 6th "
Biddiscombe, P. 6th "

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NEWPORT JUDO CLUB

By T. Edmunds
30th August, 1958

Dyer, M. 4th Mon
Nicholls, R. 2nd "
Toms, T. 1st "
Clancey, T. 1st "

NEWPORT DOCKS JUDO CLUB

By L. Crewe
28th June, 1958

Holliday, J. 2nd Kyu
Ashill, K. 3rd "
Ashill, F. 3rd "
Brady, J. 3rd "
Faulkner, C. 3rd "
Mulcahy, B. 3rd "
Manship, D. 3rd "
Watkins, R. 3rd "
French, L. 4th "
Williams, A. 4th "
Veryard, J. 4th "
Fitzpatrick, J. 4th "
Martin, F. 5th "
Morgan, T. 5th "
Davies, G. 5th "
Bell, M. 5th "
Johnsey, A. 5th "
Brown, W. 6th "

LADIES

NEWPORT DOCKS JUDO CLUB

By L. Crewe
28th June, 1958

Corrigan, K. 5th Kyu
Cook, J. 6th "
Price, J. 6th "

NORTH LONDON JUDO CLUB

By T. P. Leggett
5th October, 1958

Power, M. 1st Kyu

JUNIOR BOYS NEWPORT DOCKS JUDO CLUB

By L. Crewe
28th June, 1958

Maddock, K. 3rd Mon
Magness, D. 3rd "
Taylor, H. 2nd "
Smith, L. 2nd "

NORWICH JUDO CLUB

By J. Ryan

10th August, 1958

Miller, N. 6th Kyu
Randall, B. 5th "

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10th August, 1958

Atkinson, B. 6th Kyu

JUNIOR BOYS NORWICH JUDO CLUB

By J. Ryan

10th August, 1958

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Morgan, T. 1st "
Pickering, R. 1st "

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By J. Ryan

10th August, 1958

Morgan, S. 1st Mon

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By D. Burr
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Buer, M. 2nd Kyu
Forbes, J. 3rd "

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By J. Wilkinson

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Di Fazio, A. 4th "
Gow, N. 5th "
Scarlett, R. 5th "
Clark, B. 6th "

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Lambert, J. 5th Kyu
Laxton, J. 6th "

PEGASUS JUDO CLUB

By G. Koizumi

6th September, 1958

Bauers, C. 6th Kyu
Middlemiss, S. 6th "
Smyth, J. J. 6th "

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By G. R. Gleeson

11th July, 1958

Hearman, P. 6th Kyu

OXFORD CITY JUDO CLUB

By Dr. R. Morris-Owen
14th August, 1958

JUNIOR BOYS

Black, G. 4th Mon
Bowen, C. 3rd "
Jones, G. 3rd "
Hathaway, R. 3rd "
Bradbury, R. 2nd "
Edens, D. 1st "

PORTSMOUTH JUDOKWAI

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20th August, 1958

Corbin, M. 3rd Kyu

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1st and 6th September, 1958

Askew, E. 5th Kyu
Hutchinson, R. 6th "
Walker, R. 6th "

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Wales, G. 5th "
Francis, R. 5th "
Stamp, E. 6th "
Gallagher, J. 6th "
Jones, P. 6th "
Evans, J. 6th "
Moore, J. 6th "

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Wallwork, J. 4th Kyu
Moore, T. 3rd "
Miles, W. 3rd "
Young, P. 5th "
Woods, J. 5th "
Jones, D. 6th "

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Prince, G. 4th Kyu
Wicks, D. 5th "
Pearce, E. 5th "
Salvat, B. 5th "
Wilkins, A. 6th "
Boutwood, M. 6th "
Beeson, C. 6th "
Brace, T. 6th "
Forster, L. 6th "
Laybourn, B. 6th "
Lloyd, P. 6th "
Morrissey, M. 6th "
Marcham, D. 6th "
Hearnden, F. 6th "
Reading, S. 6th "

WALLINGFORD JUDO CLUB

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12th July, 1958

Witts, H. J. 6th Kyu

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Webb, D. A. 2nd Kyu
Green, A. 5th "
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