Ferntree Gully Cricket Club

Established 1882/83, formally commenced 1889/90

1892/93

1st XI Scorebook

Arranged Matches

Last Update: February 2021

Scorecards for Season 1892/93

AFFILIATION: Arranged Matches

Date(s)	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>H/A</u>	FTG	<u> Opp</u>	Result
15/10/1892	Ringwood Railways	Н	4/79	73	Won by 6 Wkts
Thursday 20/10/1892	St. Kilda Tradesmen	Н	79	116	Lost by 37 Runs
22/10/1892	XXII Juniors	H	100	66	Won by 34 runs
29/10/1892	Ringwood Railways XII	Α	160	60	Won by 100 runs
Tuesday 1/11/1892	Elmbank (Collingwood), 2 nd XI	Н			Won O/R by Inn & 18 Runs
Tuesday 1/11/1892	YMCA, 1 st XI	Н			Match abandoned
5/11/1892			00	100	Match abandoned
Wednesday 9/11/1892	Hawksburn	Н	26	160	Lost by 134 runs
12/11/1892	11 4		0/75	70	Match abandoned
19/11/1892	Hawthorn	Н	6/75	70	Won by 4 Wkts
26/11/1892	South Melbourne Ramblers	Н	7/89	101	Match Drawn
3/12/1892	O (1 M II) T 1		00	00	Match Abandoned
Thursday 8/12/1892	South Melbourne Tradesmen	Н	96	93	Won by 3 Runs
10/12/1892	Sargood, Butler & Nicholls	Н	150	2/78	Match Drawn
17/12/1892	Melbourne 2 nd XI	Н		132	Match Drawn
17/12/1892	Ringwood (2 nd XI Game)	Α	33	86	Lost by 53 Runs
24/12/1892	Hawthorn	A	52	108	Lost by 56 Runs
Monday 26/12/1892	North Melbourne Rovers XIII	Н	216	78	Won by 138 Runs
31/12/1892	Canterbury	Н	320	97 & 1/58	Won by 223 Runs
Sunday 1/1/1893	St. Vincent (2 nd XI Game)	Н	111	114	Lost by 3 Runs
7/1/1893	Cozen's & Harvey (XIV a side)	H	183	23	Won by 160 Runs
Thursday 12/1/1893	St. Kilda Tradesmen	A	83	104	Lost by 21 Runs
14/1 & 21/1/1893	Dandenong	Α	143 & 3/153	162	Lost by 19 Runs
14/1 & 21/1/1893	Croydon (2 nd XI Game)	Н	3/130	109 & 61	Won by 7 Wkts
Thursday 19/1/1893	Prahran Tradesmen	Н	112	49 & 4/70	Won by 63 Runs
28/1/1893	Middle Park	Н	6/262		Match Drawn
4/2/1893	Richmond 2 nd XI	Н	8/276		Match Drawn
11/2/1893	Ferguson & Mitchell	Н	2/147	88	Won by 59 runs
18/2/1893	Melbourne	A	98	7/218	Lost by 120 Runs
25/2 & 4/3/1893	Dandenong	Н	2/109	263	Match Drawn
11/3/1893	Marylebone	Н	8/117 Dec	78	Won by 39 runs
18/3/1893	Steele's Employees (2 nd XI Game)	Н	103	44 & 7/36	Won by 59 runs
18/3/1893	South Melbourne Ramblers	Н	5/90	67	Won by 5 wickets
25/3/1893	(2 nd XI Game)	Н			Match Abandoned
25/3/1893		Н	2/2 / 2		Match abandoned
1/4/1893	George Robinson & Co.	Н	8/213	116	Won by 97 runs
1/4/1893	Ringwood (2 nd XI)	Н	55 0 0/SS 5	00.0 =/:=	Lost by 2 wickets & 52 runs
Thursday 3/4/1893	Chatsworth	Н	55 & 2/63 Dec	62 & 7/45	Lost by 7 runs
8/4/1893	Narre Warren	Н	8/270	28 & 15	Won O/R by Inn & 227 runs
Friday 21/4/1893	North Melbourne	Н	5/101	198	Match Drawn

GAMES PLAYED: 28 1st XI **(5)** (6 Ball Overs) **WON:** 14, **LOST:** 7, **DRAWN:** 7, **TIED:** Nil, **OTHER:** 4 W, L, W, W, L, W, D, D, L, W, W, W, L, L, W, D, D, W, L, D, W, W, W, L, W & D

NOTE: Highlighted dates are probable other matches, the results or details of which are yet to be discovered

GAMES BREAKDOWN: SENIOR XI 28, JUNIOR XI: 7, ABANDONDED: 5

According to the Reporter Newspaper 4/8/1893 the Club played 28 Matches, Won 14, Lost 7 and Drawn 7

<u>Name</u>	<u>G</u> 1	ļ	<u>R</u> 3	N/O	<u>H.S.</u>	<u>Ave</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>o</u>	<u>M</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>R</u>	Ave	<u>5</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>D</u>
Blackburn E.C. Blazey		1	3 320	2	95*	64.00	<u>2</u>				10	64				1
H.T. Calder	<u>8</u> 3	<u>7</u> 3	<u>320</u> 22	<u>2</u> 1	33	04.00					10	04				2s
F.J. Charman (Capt.)	12	11	139	3	55*		1									1
G. Charman	5	4	38	1	00											
J.S. Crawford	19	20	276	2	55		1				36	454	12.61	2		7
R.A. Crawford	7	7	73	2												
C.N. Daly	1	1	3													1
W.H. Dawson	1	1	0	1												
D. Dobson	3	3	5													
E.S. Dobson	2	2	5													
J. Dobson	2	1	0													
T.E. Dobson	16	11	28	1							10	40				4
J.M. Doyle	9	8	175		125			1			13	59				1
M.T. Doyle	6	6	25													
T.S. Grimwood	1	1	0													
T. Jones	5	5	47	1												
R.H. Kerr (Shire Pres)	1	1	0													1
E. Kettle	2	2	1													
A.R. Lording	9	9	104	2												3
E.E. Lording	5	5	158	1	100			1			1	11				
F.G. Lording	5	6	102	2							4	33				4, 3s
J.O. Lording	1										1	34				
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H. Monk	8	6	28	•							•					
E. Poole	7	5	34	3							8	44		1		1
W.H. Scott	1	1	10													
A.E. Selman	5	5	31	4		00.50					20	400	44.44			_
E.D. Selman	19	19	370	1	59	26.50	1				36	400	11.11	1		7
G.E. Selman	8 20	8 15	85	1							1	12	0.04	4	4	_
F.N. Stevens	_	15 1	120	5	F0		1				68 5	<u>606</u> 26	<u>8.91</u>	<u>4</u> 1	<u>1</u>	9
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O.S. Williams	1	1	30	2	19	27.00	4				3	19	13.10			4
W. Williams	11	12	252	2	82*		2				3	19				1, 1s
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2/8/1893 DEXP The Annual Meeting of the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB was held at Mrs. Blair's Hotel on Saturday last (29/7/1893) – report per BHR below, plus... 15 members had an average of 10 and upwards in batting, E. Blazey the highest with 64, G. Williams and Ed Selman being next with 27 and 26½ respectively. In bowling F. Stevens took 68 wickets at a cost of 8.91, G. Williams 39 at 13.18, Ed Selman 36 at 11.11 and J.S. Crawford 36 at 12.61. Mr. T.S. Grimwood was elected President, H. Monk Hon Secretary and A.E. Selman Hon Treasurer, Mr. E.D. Selman Captain and Mr. F. Stevens vice captain. Votes of thanks were passed to the retiring Secretary, to the president for the use of the ground, and to Mr. F.H. Lording for the use of the roller. Mr. J.S. Crawford moved that the club compete for the Eastern District Trophy – seconded Mr. Stevens and carried. Mr. Crawford was appointed the Club's Delegate. NOTE: Bold averages taken from the above DEXP report

SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Perf</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Played</u>
15/10/1892	J.S. Crawford	5/30	Ringwood Railways	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
20/10/1892	J.S. Crawford	6/33	St. Kilda Tradesmen	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
29/10/1892	J.S. Crawford	55	Ringwood Railways XII	Ringwood
14/11/1892 (POW B'Day)	F.N. Stevens	6/62	Hawksburn	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
19/11/1892	F.N. Stevens	5/36	Hawthorn	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
26/11/1892	E. Poole	6/12	South Melbourne Ramblers	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
8/12/1892	E.D. Selman	6/41	South Melbourne Tradesmen	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
10/12/1892	G.J. Williams	56	Sargood, Butler & Nicholls	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
26/12/1892 (Monday)	C.A. Williams	53	North Melbourne Rovers	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
26/12/1892 (Monday)	C.A. Williams	5/26	North Melbourne Rovers	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
<u>31/12/1892</u>	J.M. Doyle	<u>125</u> 77*	<u>Canterbury</u>	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
31/12/1892	E.C. Blazey	77*	Canterbury	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
31/12/1892		320 78	3 rd Score	over 300
7/1/1893	G.J. Williams	78	Cozen's & Harvey (XIV)	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
<u>7/1/1893</u>	F.N. Stevens	<u>7/<10</u>	Cozen's & Harvey (XIV)	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
14/1 & 21/1/1893	E.D. Selman	59	Dandenong	Dandenong
14/1 & 21/1/1893	W. Williams	82*	Dandenong	Dandenong
19/1/1893	F.N. Stevens	5/12	Prahran Tradesmen	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
<u>28/1/1893</u>	E.E. Lording	<u>100</u> 65	Middle Park	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
28/1/1893	W. Williams		Middle Park	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
<u>4/2/1893</u>	E.C. Blazey	<u>95*</u> 54	Richmond 2 nd XI	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
4/2/1893	G.J. Williams		Richmond 2 nd XI	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
11/2/1893	F.J. Charman	55*	Ferguson & Mitchell	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
1/4/1893	G.J. Williams	79	George Robinson & Co.	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field
3/4/1893	F.N. Stevens	6<25	Chatsworth	Ferntree Gully Hotel Field

Newspaper Notes

14/9/1892 DEXP The Annual Meeting of the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB was held on Saturday evening last (10/9/1892) at Mrs. Blair's Hotel. Mr. J.S. Crawford was voted to the chair and there were about 20 members present. The Hon. Treasurer presented a balance sheet, showing a credit balance of £2 3s 4½d. The Hon. Secretary read the annual report, showing that the club had passed through a fairly successful season, playing 18 matches, winning 5, losing 3 and drawing 10.

The heaviest scoring was against SOUTH MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB RAMBLERS; 6 wickets for 265, SOUTH MELBOURNE TRADES 264 and 331; and against DANDENONG 5 wickets for 205. E. Blazey heads both the batting and the bowling lists, having an average of 110.5 in the former and 7.6 in the latter. G. Williams 67.3, E.E. Lording 35.2, F. Lording 38.5, H.T. Calder 20, E. Selman 18.7, J. Charman 14.6, R. Crawford 14, H. Hughes 11.4, J.S. Crawford 10.3, F. Stevens 6.5, H. Monk 5.2 and A.E. Selman 4.7 are the principle batting averages; whilst in bowling; F. Stevens closely followed Blazey with an average of 8.5 runs per wicket, T. Poole 8.8, J.S. Crawford 10.3, E.D. Selman 12.4, H. Calder 12.8, and G. Williams 13.1 were the runners up.

Mr. T.S. Grimwood was elected President, Messrs Keys, Davies, Hay, G. Bruce, J.T. Dobson, T. Grimwood and the members of the Council, patrons; Messrs H.R. Moore, F.H. Lording, H. Calder, A. Lording, R. Hughes, J. Charman, A.E. Selman, W. Benson, E. Shearn and C.H. Dawson; Vice Presidents; Mr. J. Charman, Captain, Mr. W. Williams, Vice Captain, Mr. J.S. Crawford, Hon. Secretary, Mr. A.E. Selman, Hon. Treasurer; Messrs J. Charman, F. Stevens, H. Monk, T. Dobson and W. Williams, general committee and Messrs Crawford, Monk and Stevens, Match Committee.

It was decided to hold a concert and ball on Wednesday evening, 2nd November, in aid of the funds.

16/9/1892 BHR The FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB held their Annual Meeting at Mrs. Blair's Hotel on Saturday last, about 20 members being present, and Mr. J.S. Crawford was voted to the Chair. The Secretary's (H.T. Calder) Report was read showing the club had decreased in strength, the list being only 38 members as against 44 for the previous year. They had played 18 matches, of which 5 were won, 10 drawn and 3 lost. The highest batting average was achieved by E. Blazey 110.5 from 10 innings, G. Williams 67.3, E.E. Lording 35.2, F. Lording 38.5, H.T. Calder 20, E. Selman 16.7, J. Charman 14.6, R. Crawford 14, H. Hughes 11.4, J.S. Crawford 10.3, F. Stevens 6.2, H. Monk 5.2 and A.E. Selman 4.7 being the averages of the principle players. In Bowling Blazey was again first with 7.6 runs per wicket, F. Stevens 8.5, E. Poole 8.8, J.S. Crawford 10.3 and E.D. Selman 13.4, being the principle bowlers. Election details per OFTG below...

21/9/1892 DEXP Cricket has started, and the new blood is showing up. Alf says he is going to wrest the averages from Blazer and Sammy and won't be satisfied without the captaincy of the first eleven NOTE: This is probably referring to Alf Lording, Ern Blazey and Fred 'Sammy' Stevens.

24/9/1892 OFTG The FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB held their **Annual Meeting** at Mrs. Blair's Hotel, about 20 members being present. Mr. J.S. Crawford was voted to the Chair. The Secretary's (H.T. Calder) Report was read showing the club had decreased in strength, the list showing 38 members as against 44 for the previous year. They had played 18 matches, of which 5 were won, 8 drawn and 3 lost. The highest batting average was achieved by E. Blazey 110.5 from 10 innings, G. Williams 67.3, E.E. Lording 35.2, F. Lording 38.5, H.T. Calder 20, E. Selman 16.7, J. Charman 14.6, R. Crawford 14, H. Hughes 11.4, J.S. Crawford 10.3, F. Stevens 6.2, H. Monk 5.2 and A.E. Selman 4.7 being the principle player averages. In Bowling Blazey was again first with 7.6 runs per wicket, F. Stevens 8.5, E. Poole 8.8, J.S. Crawford 10.3 and E.D. Selman 13.4.

The election of Office Bearers saw the following elected...

President: T.S. Grimwood – re-elected after his initial 3-year term

Vice Presidents: H.R. Moore, F.H. Lording, H.T. Calder, A. Lording, R. Hughes, J. Charman, A.E. Selman, W. Benson, E. Shearn, C.H. Dawson

Patrons: John Keys Esq. MLA, Sir M.H. Davies **, Messrs. G. Bruce, John Hay, J.T. Dobson, S. Grimwood and all members of the Shire Council

Secretary: J.S. Crawford was elected Honorary Secretary **Treasurer:** A.E. Selman was re-elected for his second term

Captain: J. Charman was elected Captain

Committee: Messrs. J. Charman, F. Stevens, H. Monk, T. Dobson, and W. Williams

Match Committee: Messrs. J.S. Crawford, H. Monk, and F. Stevens

A vote of thanks was accorded to the late Secretary (Mr. H.T. Calder), he having been compelled to give up his position owing to his professional duties entailing his absence from the district for extended periods. Also, Box Hill Reporter

NOTE: ** <u>Sir Maurice Henry Davies</u> was a well to do Melbourne businessman, Solicitor and Speaker of the Legislative Assembly who lost his entire fortune and that of many other subscribers to his investment plans on the Land Boom/Bust cycle of the early 1890's. He built and owned Invermay, which became known as Doongalla, located in The Basin, in 1908.

28/9/1892 DEXP The DANDENONG CRICKET CLUB will play the FERNTREE GULLY CLUB on Jan 14th at Dandenong and Feb 25th at Ferntree Gully.

29/9/1892 DA FERNTREE GULLY will play DANDENONG on January 14th, 1893 at Dandenong and February 25th, 1893 at Ferntree Gully in the coming season.

28/9/1892 SBMJ The DANDENONG CRICKET CLUB will play the FERNTREE GULLY CLUB on Jan 14th at Dandenong and Feb 25th at Ferntree Gully.

30/9/1892 BHR The FERNTREE GULLY Cricketers propose holding a concert on November 9th in aid of the funds of the Club and arrangements are being made to bring the affair to a successful issue.

5/10/1892 DEXP The SECOND ELEVEN commenced operation on Sunday last (2/10/1892); ground selected, and matches arranged; Alf (Lording) to the fore with prizes for best batting, fielding, wicket keeping and all round play.

8/10/1892 AGE WILLIAMS - On the 2nd October, at Ferntree Gully, the wife of the late MR. H.T. WILLIAMS, who was accidently killed at Malvern, 23th February, of a son. NOTE: Genealogy research is required to determine if the son played at the Club.

13/10/1892 DA The match between RINGWOOD RAILWAYS and FERNTREE GULLY will be played at Ferntree Gully on Saturday 15th October commencing at 2:00 p.m. sharp.

14/10/1892 BHR The cricket season opens on Saturday 15th with a match against the RINGWOOD RAILWAYS CRICKET CLUB and a pleasant game is anticipated. A SECOND ELEVEN team is being arranged to ensure there is plenty of sport during the season. The loss of E. Blazey will be severely felt though George and Walter Williams intend to play here this season. Although the absence of Blazey and Calder is a serious loss the inclusion of these two will enable the GULLY to keep its reputation as one of a 'warm' team. A cricket match will be played on Thursday 20th against ST. KILDA TRADESMEN, the game commencing at 1:00 p.m.

15/10/1892 LEAD WILLIAMS – On the 2nd October, at Ferntree Gully, the wife of the late MR. H.S. (CORRECTION TO H.T.) WILLIAMS, who was accidently killed at Malvern, 29th February, of a son

19/10/1892 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs RINGWOOD RAILWAYS; The FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB opened the season last Saturday (15/10/1892) with a match against the RINGWOOD RAILWAYS. The weather was fine and there were a fair number of spectators on the ground. The visitors put together 73, and when the stumps were drawn, the GULLY had four wickets down for 79, thus winning the match by 5 runs and 6 wickets – Refer Scorebook.

Our cricketers won their first match of the season last Saturday, defeating the RINGWOOD RAILWAY CLUB. Next Thursday (20th inst) they play the ST. KILDA TRADES CLUB. **Refer Scorebook**.

19/10/1892 HER ST. KILDA TRADES v. FERNTREE GULLY, tomorrow (Thursday) at the F.T. Gully ground. The following will represent St. Kilda Thompson, Ritchie, Punshon, Smiley, Edwards, Hants, Simpson, McShane, Allen, Tye, Clapham and Harris. Train leaves Prince's Bridge at 10.20.

21/10/1892 BHR The first cricket match of the season was played on the local ground last Saturday against the RINGWOOD RAILWAYS CRICKET CLUB; the GULLY scoring their first win. RINGWOOD batted first and totted up 73 runs (G. Williams 3/25, J. Crawford 5/30, and T. Dobson 1/0). At the close of time the GULLY had amounted to 4/79 (F. Charman 3, W. Williams 11, J.S. Crawford 20, G. Williams 34, R. Crawford 7*, F. Stevens 4*) and thus won the match by 6 wickets and 6 runs. Though the game was enjoyable for all the wicket was not in a good state owing to the rain on the preceding evening. **Refer Scorebook**.

21/10/1892 HER ST. KILDA TRADES v. FERNTREE GULLY; This match was played on Thursday, at the Gully, ST. KILDA winning by 37 runs. The scores were - ST. KILDA, 116; Hants, 69, FERNTREE GULLY, 79; Crawford, 18; J. Crawford, 13 and Lording (A.R.), 12. McShane took five wickets tor 20. Refer Scorebook.

22/10/1892 PTEL The St. KILDA TRADESMENS CRICKET CLUB, having given their PRAHRAN confreres something to mediate over last week, took a joyful trip to Ferntree Gully on Thursday (20/10/1892) and had a glorious outing. They were entertained in splendid style by the local "Gullivers", whom they laid out in friendly fashion by 110 to 86. **Refer Scorebook.**

26/10/1892 DEXP A meeting of the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB was held at Mrs. Blair's Hotel on Saturday evening (22/10/1892) for the purpose of making arrangements for the annual concert, which is decided to be held on the 9th November next.

The FERNTREE GULLY cricketers played a match with the ST. KILDA TRADES on Thursday last (20/10/1892) and were defeated by 37 runs. J.S. Crawford, R.A. Crawford and A. Lording were the highest scorers for the home team, and Hants played remarkably well for the visitors, with 68 to his credit. Hants nearly carried his bat but was cleverly bowled by J.S. Crawford with the last ball. **Refer Scorebook**.

The FERNTREE GULLY 1st ELEVEN played 22 juniors last Saturday (22/10/1892), the former scoring over 100 and the latter 66.

 ${\bf \underline{26/10/1892}}$ SBMJ The DANDENONG CRICKET CLUB will play the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB on Jan 14th at Dandenong and Feb 25th at Ferntree Gully.

28/10/1892 BHR A cricket match was played between ST. KILDA TRADES and the locals last Thursday, the visitors emerging victorious by 37 runs. Owing to it being a work day the GULLY did not have its best team fielded, while the visitors were strongly represented. The principle bowlers for the locals were J.S. Crawford 6/33, Ed. Selman 1/49 and G.J. Williams 2/18 while the batting highlights came from J.S. Crawford 13, R. Crawford 18, A. Lording 12, Ed. Selman 10 and Scott 10.

2/11/1892 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs RINGWOOD; The FERNTREE GULLY cricketers played a match against the RINGWOOD club on Saturday (29/10/1892) and defeated them with great ease – **Refer Scorebook**. The GULLY cricketers gave RINGWOOD a great drubbing last Saturday by 100 runs, 160 to 60.

4/11/1892 BHR As per results below but wicket takers F. Stevens 4/5, J. Crawford 2/7, T. Dobson 2/8, G. Williams 2/11 and E. Selman 1/14. A match was played on Cup Day between ELMBANK CRICKET CLUB and a SECOND XI of FERNTREE GULLY which was won by the latter by an innings and 18 runs. The match arranged between the first eleven and the YMCA fell through owing to the non-appearance of the latter team.

Fern Tree Gully News. (From our own correspondent.) The inclement weather on Cup Day greatly interfered with the attendance at the Gully, although a goodly number braved the elements and found some shelter amid the thick foliage of this picturesque place. On Saturday last a cricket match was played between the Gully and Ringwood Railways, at Ringwood, and resulted in a win for the former, who made 160 to their opponents 60. For the winners the principal scorers were Crawford 55, G. Williams 29, A. E. Selman 20, E. Selman 16; the bowlers being Stevens four for 5, Crawford two for 7, Dobson two for 8, G. Williams two for 14, and E. Selman one for 14. For the losers Cuff was the one to reach double figures with a total of 18 runs.

A match was played on Cup Day between the second eleven of the Gully and the Elmbank, resulting in a win for the former by an innings and 18 runs. The arranged between the first eleven and the Y.M.C.A. fell through owing to the non-appearance of the latter team.

5/11/1892 OFTG On Saturday last (29/10/1892), a match was played between RINGWOOD RAILWAY CLUB and the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB at Ringwood's ground.

The game was won by FERNTREE GULLY who scored 160 to RINGWOOD's 60. J.S. Crawford 55, G. Williams 29, A.E. Selman 20 and E. Selman 16 were the principal scorers for the visitors while the trundling honours were divided evenly between F. Stevens, J.S. Crawford, T. Dobson, G. Williams and E. Selman with 2 wickets each. FTGCC 2nd XI also defeated ELMBANK on Cup Day (1/11/92). **Refer Scorebook**.

<u>12/11/1892</u> CHRON On Prince of Wales Birthday (9/11/1892), the HAWKSBURN had a pleasant outing up at Ferntree Gully, when they played the local team. The HAWKSBURN made 160 (Taylor 39, O. Williams 31 not out, O'Connor 30, Jones 16 and "Tom" Chambers 13). The GULLY batsmen found O'Connor and Walton too good in the bowling department, only making 26 runs; "Dodger" got 6/10 and Walton 4/12. Refer Scorebook.

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16/11/1892 DEXP The cricketers disappointed again on Saturday (12/11/1892), the visitors not turning up. FERNTREE GULLY cricketers gave their Annual concert here on Wednesday evening, 9th inst.

16/11/1892 PTEL Some of the musical members of the Prahran (Tradesmen's) Club gave a capital entertainment at Ferntree Gully on Prince of Wales birth night in aid of the local CRICKET CLUB.

18/11/1892 BHR A cricket match was played at Ferntree Gully on the Prince of Wales Birthday (9/11/1892) between teams representing FERNTREE GULLY and the HAWKSBURN CRICKET CLUBS. The latter batted first and totted up 160 with the wicket takers coming from F. Stevens 6/62, G. Williams 2/22 and T. Dobson 1/14. Upon taking the field the GULLY batsmen was a "sad procession" with all wickets being dismissed for just 26 with the first two occurring without a score on the board; J. Doyle 9 and G. Williams 6 the only ones to last any time. Refer Scorebook.

The opposition bowler O'Connor, a left arm fast bowler, gives the ball a vigorous jerk on delivery, and it was generally considered by the locals that throwing was the proper term for his action. The match fixed for Saturday fell through owing to the visiting team missing their train.

The Annual Cricket Concert was held on Price of Wales birthday but owing to the rain and the difficulty of obtaining performers was only a partial success. Messrs E. Ford and E. Reilly kept the small audience well amused during the performance, whilst Mr. Alexander as accompanist was all that could be desired.

It is proposed to hold another concert, and also a Ball in aid of the cricket club funds on Boxing Night, when it is hoped that a better entertainment will be provided.

18/11/1892 HAWB HAWTHORN v. FERNTREE GULLY at Ferntree Gully; HAWTHORN TEAM, Adams, Anderson, Austin, Bennett, Bentick, Crowther, Goodison, Hurst, Mowbray, Musgrove, Parsons, Keogh (2), O'Brien and Utber

19/11/1892 HAWC HAWTHORN v. FERNTREE GULLY; HAWTHORN TEAM, Anderson, Austin, Bennett, Bentick, Crowther, Goodison, Hurst, Mowbray, Musgrove, Parsons, Keogh (2), O'Brien and Utber

23/11/1892 DEXP The FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB played a match with HAWTHORN on the home ground on Saturday last (19/11/1892) and owing to a capital stand and rapid scoring made by J.S. Crawford and F. Stevens just succeeded in winning the match before time was called, with four wickets to go down – Refer Scorebook.

23/11/1892 SBMJ The DANDENONG CRICKET CLUB will play the FERNTREE GULLY CLUB on Jan 14th at Dandenong and Feb 25th at Ferntree Gully.

25/11/1892 BHR The annual cricket concert was held on Prince of Wales birthday (9/11/1892) but owing to the rain and the difficulty of obtaining performers was only a very partial success. Messrs E. Ford and E. Reilly kept the small audience well amused during the performance, whilst Mr. Alexander as accompanist was all that could be desired. The latter also sang several songs in good style. A cricket match was played on Prince of Wales' birthday between teams representing the GULLY and HAWKSBURN CRICKET CLUBS.

The latter batted first and totted up 160. J. Taylor 39, O'Connor 31, C. Williams 30 (not out), Jones 16, and Chambers 12 being the principal scorers, the wickets falling to Stevens, 6 for 62, G. Williams 2 for 22, and T. Dobson 1 for 14. Upon the GULLY taking possession of the wickets a sad pro cession began, the two first wickets falling without any score, the total realised being only 26, of which J. Doyle 9 and Williams 6 were the principal contributions. O'Connor secured 6 wickets for 10 runs, and Walton 4 for 12. The former, who is a left-handed bowler, gives the ball an unmistakable jerk on delivery, and it was generally considered that throwing was the proper term to be applied to it. **Refer Scorebook**.

The match fixed for Saturday fell through owing to the visiting team missing the train. It is proposed to hold another concert, and also a ball in aid of the cricket club funds on Boxing Day night, when it is hoped that a better entertainment will be provided.

25/11/1892 HAWB HAWTHORN v. FERNTREE GULLY at Ferntree Gully; HAWTHORN 70 (Goodison 17, F. Austin 12, the GULLY lost 6 wickets for 75, Adams 4 wickets for 11 runs. Refer Scorebook.

26/11/1892 HAWC HAWTHORN v. FERNTREE GULLY at Ferntree Gully; HAWTHORN 70 (Goodison 17, F. Austin 12, the GULLY lost 6 wickets for 75, Adams securing 4 wickets for 11 runs. Refer Scorebook.

30/11/1892 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs SOUTH MELBOURNE RAMBLERS: The above match was played on Saturday last (26/11/1892) and terminated in a draw – **Refer Scorebook**.

30/11/1892 SBMJ The DANDENONG C.C. (first eleven) will play the following matches during the present season: 1892, Nov. 26 - BERWICK off, Dec. 3 - BERWICK off, Dec. 10 - NARRE WARREN on, Dec. 17 - NARRE WARREN on, Dec. 31 - HAWTHORN on, 1893, Jan. 14 - FERNTREE GULLY on, Jan. 21 - FERNTREE GULLY on, Jan. 28 - NARRE WARREN off, Feb. 4 - NARRE WARREN off, Feb. 11 - BERWICK on, Feb. 18 - BERWICK on, Feb. 25 - FERNTREE GULLY off, Mar. 4 - FERNTREE GULLY off, Mar.11 - MENTONE on, Mar. 18 - DORIC on, April 8. - BERWICK off, April 15 - BERWICK off, April 29 - MENTONE off

<u>2/12/1892</u> BHR A cricket match was played between HAWTHORN CRICKET CLUB and FERNTREE GULLY on the local ground on the 19th inst. The visitors batted first and were disposed of for 70.

After a few minutes interval the GULLY took to the wicket and when time was called had lost 6 wickets for 75 runs, thus winning by four wickets and 5 runs. The wickets fell to F. Stevens 5/36, T. Dobson 3/4, T. Poole 1/5 and J. Crawford 1/24. The locals' principle scorers were J.S. Crawford 22, F. Stevens 21, G. Williams 13 and T. Poole 10*. Refer Scorebook.

Last Saturday (26/11) the Gully took on visitors from the SOUTH MELBOURNE RAMBLERS CRICKET CLUB on the local ground. A very pleasant afternoon was spent, the match resulting in a draw in favour of the local team. The RAMBLERS had the pleasure of handling the willow first and when the bails were knocked off the last wicket the scoreboard showed a total of 101 runs.

The locals took to the wicket and when stumps were called had amassed 7/89 with J.S. Crawford in fine fettle undefeated on 37. Ed. Selman and G. Williams scored 12 runs each and the local wickets takers were Poole, Stevens and Dobson with 3 each. **Refer Scorebook.**

14/12/1892 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs SOUTH MELBOURNE TRADES: The above match was played on Thursday, 8th inst, resulting in a victory for the former by 3 runs – **Refer Scorebook**.

FERNTREE GULLY vs SARGOOD, BUTLER & NICHOLLS: The above match was played on Saturday last (10/12/1892) but was not concluded at the call of time – Refer Scorebook.

16/12/1892 BHR FERNTREE GULLY NEWS: Two cricket matches were played last week at Ferntree Gully against visiting teams from SOUTH MELBOURNE TRADES and Messrs SARGOOD, BUTLER & NICHOL's. The former was played on Thursday and resulted in a win for the locals by 3 runs on the first innings. The visitors had a strong team, Sam Morris (past Test Player) and Harry Graham (future Test Player) of the SOUTH MELBOURNE 1st XI playing for them, while the locals only had 6 of their regulars playing and among the five substitutes Mr. T.S. Grimwood. At his turn at bat he played the first ball well but missed the second and was bowled by a sharp one from Morris.

The principle scorers for the GULLY were R. Crawford 22, G. Williams 22, Ed. Selman 31 and Jacobs 9, the total reaching 96. Innes obtained 2 wickets for 35, Paulin 2 for 18, Morris 4 for 23, and Elms 2 for 13. The visitors scored 98 of which S. Morris made 50 by splendid play; the other principal scorers were Honeybone 10 (not out), Henry Steel 7, and Frank 8, the total being 93. **Refer Scorebook**.

H. Graham who recently made 202 against NORTH MELBOURNE was dismissed for just 2 and Morris made an excellent 50 but they went down by just 3 runs in a close affair. The wickets were taken by Ed. Selman 6/41, G. Williams 1/11 and J. Crawford 2/28. Refer Scorebook. The second match last Saturday against SARGOOD, BUTLER & NICHOL's XI resulted in a draw after the locals had made a good 150 (G. Williams 56, Ed. Selman 42, J.S. Crawford 16 and T. Dobson 11) while the visitors were 2/78 at the call of time of which C.G. Wilson made 59 not out. F. Stevens 1/38 and G. Williams 1/18 were the local wicket takers. Refer Scorebook.

16/12/1892 HER SECOND ELEVENS; MELBOURNE continue their match with ST. KILDA, at St. Kilda, MELBOURNE also play KEW ASYLUM C.C. at Kew Asylum ground; FERNTREE GULLY C.C. at Ferntree Gully.

17/12/1892 AGE CRICKET; the first and second elevens of the MELBOURNE and ST. KILDA continue their matches on their respective grounds. MELBOURNE also play KEW ASYLUM, at Kew Asylum ground; FERNTREE GULLY, at Ferntree Gully; B.S.C. ROVERS, on the Wesley College ground; and SOUTH YARRA UNION, at Fawkner Park.

17/12/1892 ARGUS MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB vs FERNTREE GULLY: To be played at Ferntree Gully

19/12/1892 SPMAN MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB vs FERNTREE GULLY: These clubs met on Saturday. MELBOURNE batted all afternoon and made 133 (J. Cohen 29, McKean 17 not out, and M. Cohen 15, being the highest scorers. Selman, Doyle and Stephens bowled best. Refer Scorebook.

19/12/1892 ARGUS M.C.C. v. FERNTREE GULLY C.C. - In this match MELBOURNE stayed at the wickets throughout the whole of Saturday afternoon, and put together a total of 133, towards which J. H. Cohen contributed 29, V. McKean 17 (not out), M. Cohen 15, Tait 13, and O'Brien 11. Selman, Doyle, and Stephens were the successful bowlers for the GULLY club. Refer Scorebook.

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20/12/1892 ARGUS MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB vs FERNTREE GULLY: In this match, MELBOURNE stayed at the wickets for the whole of Saturday afternoon, and put together a total of 133, towards which J.H. Cohen contributed 29, V. McKean 17 (not out), M. Cohen 15, Tait 13, and O'Brien 11. Selman, Doyle and Stephens (sic) were the successful bowlers for the GULLY club. **Refer Scorebook.**

20/12/1892 SPMAN MELBOURNE v. FERN TREE GULLY. - These clubs met on; Saturday. MELBOURNE batted all the afternoon and made 133. J. Cohen 29, McKean 17 (not out), and M. Cohen 15, being the highest scorers. Selman, Doyle, and Stephens (sic) bowled best. Refer Scorebook.

21/12/1892 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB 2nd XI: This match was played on Saturday last (17/12/1892) at Ferntree Gully. Time would not allow the finish of the match, but in future a later train will permit an extension of time – **Refer Scorebook**. The cricketers enjoyed their afternoon of leather hunting on Saturday (17/121892) but were disappointed in not having an opportunity of returning the compliment to their opponents.

22/12/1892 DA FERNTREE GULLY played a team from the MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB on Saturday last and had a day in the field, MELBOURNE staying at the wicket all day for a total of 132 runs. Ed. Selman 3, J. Doyle 4, F. Stevens 2 and T. Poole 1 were the successful trundlers for the GULLYITES. **Refer Scorebook**.

23/12/1892 NMA During their Country match tour NORTH MELBOURNE ROVERS will play FERNTREE GULLY on the 26th December (Boxing Day).

23/12/1892 BHR FERNTREE GULLY NEWS: The MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB sent a team to do battle with the FERNTREE GULLY CLUB on Saturday and on winning the toss stayed at the wickets all the afternoon with the last wicket falling just before time was called for a total of 132 runs. The batting was very slow throughout and nearly all the runs were scored in singles. Doyle with 4 for 19, Stevens 2 for 23, Ed. Selman 3 for 32 and T. Poole 1 for 27 were the successful bowlers. The return match will be played in February on the Wesley College ground.

A second eleven team visited RINGWOOD who extensively defeated the locals, the scores being 86 to 33. Only seven members of the team turned up which is very encouraging after the efforts, which have been made to afford amusement for the juniors. A team from the CANTERBURY CLUB will venture to FERNTREE GULLY to try conclusions on Saturday 31st play commencing at 11:00 a.m. sharp and a most enjoyable day is anticipated.

23/12/1892 HAWB HAWTHORN 1st XI v. FERNTREE GULLY at Hawthorn; HAWTHORN TEAM, Austin, Biggs, Cooper, Fenton, Geddes, Greaves, Hatherley (3), G. Keogh, McGuigan and Turner

24/12/1892 HAWC HAWTHORN v. FERNTREE GULLY at Hawthorn; HAWTHORN TEAM, Austin, Biggs, Cooper, Fenton, Geddes, Greaves, Hatherley (3), G. Keogh, McGuigan and Turner

28/12/1892 AGE CRICKET; HAWTHORN v. FERNTREE GULLY: This match was played at HAWTHORN and resulted in a victory for the home team— Hawthorn, 108; Gully, 62. A. Hatherley, L. Hatherley and Geddes, with 27 not out, 19 and 17 respectively, batted well for HAWTHORN, as did Williams and Crawford for the GULLY with 24 and 11; Geddes, with six wickets for 33, bowled splendidly for HAWTHORN. **Refer Scorebook.**

28/12/1892 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs HAWTHORN: The FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB ventured to Hawthorn on Saturday last (24/12/1892) where they played a match against the former – **Refer Scorebook**.

FERNTREE GULLY vs NORTH MELBOURNE ROVERS: The above clubs measured strength on the Gully oval on Monday last (26/12/1892). The home team totted up 216 before the last wicket fell. The visitors could only manage to put together 78, thus leaving the GULLYITES victors by 138 – Refer Scorebook.

28/12/1892 SBMJ The DANDENONG C.C. (first eleven) will play the following matches during the present season: 1892, Dec. 31 - HAWTHORN on, 1893, Jan. 14 - FERNTREE GULLY on, Jan. 21 - FERNTREE GULLY on, Jan. 28 - NARRE WARREN off, Feb. 4 - NARRE WARREN off, Feb. 11 - BERWICK on, Feb. 18 - BERWICK on, Feb. 25 - FERNTREE GULLY off, Mar. 4 - FERNTREE GULLY off, Mar. 11 - MENTONE on, Mar. 18 - DORIC on, April 8. - BERWICK off, April 15 - BERWICK off, April 29 - MENTONE off

30/12/1892 HER The CANTERBURY C.C. journey to Ferntree Gully tomorrow to try conclusions with the local team. Play will commence at 11 a.m. sharp. The following are requested to meet on the local station at 7.25 a.m. viz.: — McPherson, Douglas, Scott, McBeath, Keast, Hadlam, Flynn, Martin, Moody, Gill and Quarterman, Emergency, J. Allan.

31/12/1892 AGE CANTERBURY C.C. plays FERNTREE GULLY C.C. at Ferntree Gully at 11 o'clock

31/12/1892 ARGUS CRICKET: CANTERBURY v. FERNTREE GULLY - This match will be played today on the ground of the latter, commencing at 11 o'clock.

31/12/1892 OFTG HAWTHORN vs FERNTREE GULLY: This match was played at Hawthorn and resulted in a victory for the home team. HAWTHORN 108, FERNTREE GULLY 52. G. Williams and J.S. Crawford were best for the GULLY with 24 and 11 respectively. **\Refer Scorebook**.

FERNTREE GULLY vs NORTH MELBOURNE ROVERS on Boxing Day; E.E. Lording and F. Lording with 17 and 4* filled in for NORTH MELBOURNE ROVERS who did not have a complete Team for the 13 a side match. Refer Scorebook.

4/1/1893 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs CANTERBURY; The above teams met at the Gully ground on Saturday last (31/12/1892), the match resulting in a decisive victory for the home team. In their second innings CANTERBURY lost 1 wicket for 58 runs – **Refer Scorebook.**

<u>7/1/1893</u> CHRON On Thursday 19th inst the members of the PRAHRAN TRADESMENS CRICKET CLUB intend having a trip to FERNTREE GULLY. It is proposed to start from the Richmond Station at 7.00 a.m. and proceed from there by train to the Gully. Two or three hours will be spent in rambling about the gully and over the hills, and at 11 o'clock a luncheon will be provided.

After this a move will be made to Mrs. Blair's hotel where dinner will be served. During the afternoon a cricket match will be played between a team picked from the members present and the members of the FERNTREE GULLY club. At six o'clock tea will be provided and after this an impromptu concert will be held, lasting about an hour, at the conclusion of which a train rush will take place and then back home. "Good enough" for one day this.

The PRAHRAN TRADESMENS CRICKET CLUB 1892/93 Fixture includes a match vs. FERNTREE GULLY on Thursday 19th inst.

7/1/1893 PTEL The members of the PRAHRAN TRADESMENS CRICKET CLUB take a trip to FERNTREE GULLY on Thursday 19th inst.

Mr. George Williams having resigned the secretaryship of the BALACLAVA TRADES C.C., Mr. H.C. Pain has taken the position, with Mr. W. H. Hartley as assistant secretary.

11/1/1893 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs COZEN's & HARVEY: The above match was played at the Gully on Saturday last (7/1/1892) and resulted in an easy victory for the home team – **Refer Scorebook**.

A two day match will be commenced on Saturday (14/1/1893) at Dandenong, between the local first eleven and FERNTREE GULLY. The latter will be selected from G.J. Williams, W. Williams, E.E. Lording, J.S. Crawford, Ed Selman, J.M. Doyle, M.T. Doyle, F.N. Stevens, Gib Selman, E.C. Blazey, A.R. Lording, F.G. Lording, G. Charman, T.E. Dobson and H. Monk.

11/1/1893 HER ST. KILDA TRADES v. FERNTREE GULLY, This match will be played on the St. Kilda ground tomorrow (Thursday) starting at 11.30. ST. KILDA team Clarke, Thompson, McShane, Punshon, Smiley, Edwards, Hants, Allen, Ritchie, Wilson and Hubbard.

1/1/1893 PTEL Tomorrow (Thursday 12/1/1893), the same team (ST. KILDA TRADESMEN CC 1ST XI) will play the FERNTREE GULLY on the St. Kilda ground commencing at 11:30 a.m.

11/1/1893 SBMJ The DANDENONG team are far and away too superior for any of the surrounding clubs, unless it is the GULLY team, which they meet on Saturday week...

12/1/1893 DA The 1st XI of the DANDENONG CLUB start a two days match with FERNTREE GULLY on Saturday next (14/1/1893) at the Dandenong ground.

13/1/1893 BHR CRICKET AT FERNTREE GULLY: A match was played on Saturday 31st December 1892 between the CANTERBURY and FERNTREE GULLY CLUBS'. To aid interest to the game it was decided that one or more councillors should play for each side. CANTERBURY was represented by Cr's McBeath and Scott of Boroondara Shire and Mr. Clayton, Town Clerk of Melbourne while President Kerr wielded the willow for the locals.

The FERNTREE's won the toss and elected to bat with the first representatives being J.S. Crawford and G. Williams. With the score at 13 the former was caught in the slips by Keast off a magnificent leg hit.

J. Doyle joined Williams and at 36 lost his partner, who had scored in anything but his usual style. Ed. Selman joined Doyle, and after making 10 retired lbw with the score at 67. An adjournment was then made for lunch, which was laid out in Mrs. Blair's best style and was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The after dinner speeches were short, Cr. Kerr welcoming the team and the Captain briefly responded. A return to the ground was suggested and a start was again made, J. Charman and G. Selman taking their places at the crease with J. Doyle, the not out man being absent.

After running up 20 by free hitting Selman was bowled the score being 100. J. Doyle then continued his innings and at 122 lost Charman who had made 24. M. Doyle joined his brother and was given out lbw for 8 at 153 runs allowing E. Blazey to fill the crease. A prolonged stand ensued with J. Doyle the first to retire when he was stumped off Town Clerk Clayton's slows when his score stood at 125, the total being 276. The retiring batman played careful and safe cricket and was cheered by one and all on his return to the pavilion.

- Cr. Kerr arrayed in full regimentals, bat in hand and confidence in his mien walked to the wickets, carefully took block but was confused by the accuracy of the Town Clerks next delivery which sent him pavilion wards with the enviable 'duck egg' next to his name, the total remaining unchanged.
- G. Sharman joined Blazey and at 283 was bowled for 4 and F. Stevens, the last man, made 14 before the innings concluded with him being caught leaving Blazey on 77 not out and the total on a formidable 320.

Ten bowlers were tried but only five succeeded in capturing wickets in the GULLYITES large score. After a brief interval the first representatives of CANTERBURY appeared in the persons of Cr's McBeath and Scott. The former retired with a 'duck egg' with the score on 8.

Town Clerk Clayton was next at the wicket, but immediately lost his partner, he being bowled for seven runs, the total still being 8. Hadlam was next man in but was soon alone as Clayton was caught and bowled by Stevens for 2, the score being 14. McPherson came in next and started batting freely but soon lost Hadlam who was run out for 4 and the total at 14. Keast filled the vacant crease but left soon after caught with three to his credit the total being 31. G. Quartermain started well with a 4 and a 3 but was lbw with the score at 38, his partner not having scored. Douglas came in next and made 4 before being bowled – total 42.

J. Quartermain now joined McPherson and the only stand of the innings was made, the batsmen playing freely but luckily till the latter was well caught at point by Cr. Kerr for 37 – total 84. Moodie made 3 before being bowled and Johnson, the last man made 1; the innings closing for 97, Quartermain remaining 25 not out.

A very enjoyable game thus concluded in favour of the locals by 223 runs with the bowling honours going to Blazey 2/2, Stevens 4/40, Crawford 2/23 and Ed. Selman 1/28. Refer Scorebook.

A match was played on New Year's Day between a second eleven and a team from ST. VINCENT's which resulted in a victory for the latter by three runs, 114 to 111. Refer Scorebook. A match was also played on Saturday last between FERNTREE GULLY and a team representing COZENS and HARVEY. The visitors batted first and only succeeded in making 23 runs, the locals running up 181 before being disposed of. Refer Scorebook.

14/1/1893 PTEL ST. KILDA TRADESMEN exultant over their victory over the redoubtable FERNTREE GULLY cricketers last Thursday. The ST. KILDA TRADES met the FERNTREE GULLY on Thursday (12/1/1893) on the St. Kilda ground – the game resulting in a win for ST. KILDA by 24 runs.

ST. KILDA won the toss and elected to bat, total 105 runs – McShane 32, Smiley 18, Palmer 13, Wilson 14, Clarke 12 being the highest scorers. The GULLY were all disposed of for 83 runs, O. Williams 35 and Jones 27 making the highest figures. Palmer secured 6 wickets for 44 and McShane 4 wickets for 39. Refer Scorebook.

<u>17/2/1893</u> HER M.C.C. plays BLACKBURN at Blackburn, FERNTREE GULLY at Wesley Ground, CAPULET C.C. at Victoria Park, and KEW COLLEGE at Kew.

18/1/1893 DEXP The cricket match between DANDENONG and FERNTREE GULLY commenced last Saturday (14/1/1893) and will be continued next Saturday at Dandenong. The return match will be played at the Gully.

The cricketers returned home from St. Kilda on Thursday evening (12/1/1893) with their tails down. Had they pulled off that match they intended challenging the AUSTRALIAN XI but recognising that discretion is the better part of valour, the challenge has been postponed indefinitely.

The cricketers were not over pleased at the treatment they got from the DANDENONG players on Saturday – not a scrap to eat nor a drop of anything to quench their parched throats. Of course, they didn't expect a banquet, but some trifling refreshments would have been acceptable after their long journey.

We generally expect a little more life than usual on Saturday's – between cricketing, shooting & c. – but last Saturday was an exception to the rule. The cricketers were away at Dandenong, and there were not sufficient members of the rifle club to proceed with shotting for the club's trophies.

It's amusing to hear some of the "knowing ones" here express their opinions on the cricket contest between DANDENONG and the GULLY. The present match, they say, "Cannot possibly" be played out, and must end in a draw.

In the next match (to be played on the GULLY ground), DANDENONG "cannot possibly win", so that the contest is a "moral" for the GULLY. How these wiseacres will be "sold", if Bobby Burns' words are again realised – "The best laid schemes of mice and men, gang aft a glee, and leave us nought but grief and pain, for promised joy."

DANDENONG vs FERNTREE GULLY: The above clubs commenced a two days match on the local ground on Saturday last (14/1/1893), when some good cricket was the outcome. The visitors batted first and made 143, Ed Selman 59, and F. and E. Lording and G. Williams also batted well. The successful bowlers for DANDENONG were Renfree 3 for 6, Kirkpatrick 2 for 7, I. Keys 1 for 11, I. Evans 3 for 35 and Hyde 1 for 39. DANDENONG have made 58 for three wickets – Refer Scorebook.

18/1/1893 SBMJ On Saturday next the DANDENONG 1st XI will continue the match against FERNTREE GULLY, on the local ground.

18/1/1893 SBMJ The first match of the season between the DANDENONG first eleven & FERNTREE GULLY CLUBS commenced on the weekend last Saturday at the Dandenong ground and proved an enjoyable game, one of great interest. The visitors batted first, Selman and G. Williams going to the wickets. The former made a very good score of 59 before he was caught, but he should have been given out, in the opinion of most spectators when he had made but a few runs only. G. Williams totted up 12, whilst the other double figures men were F. Lording and E. Lording.

Their total was 143 runs to which in reply DANDENONG have made 3 for 58. The DANDENONG team were strong in their disapproval of several decisions of the FERNTREE GULLY umpire. The match will be concluded next Saturday. Refer Scorebook.

18/1/1893 PTEL The secretary of the PRAHRAN TRADESMENS CRICKET CLUB desires us to remind members of the trip to Ferntree Gully tomorrow. Tickets for same can be obtained from his office up till 7 o'clock this evening. Train leaves Prahran station at 6.34 a.m. and Richmond Station at 7.00 a.m.

19/1/1893 DA The FERNTREE GULLY umpire for the match DANDENONG vs FERNTREE GULLY was very erratic in his decisions on Saturday. He gave Keys out Ibw and Wilkinson run out both being doubtful, but they were not as bad as the one he gave Ed. Selman not out. The batsman being fully a yard short of his crease, but the 'umpire' gave him not out. However, with three such decisions, Mr Umpire got the sack, the 'DANDIES' thinking it too much like playing the umpire, which he justly deserves.

We tip the DANDIES to win although the above decisions have greatly handicapped them. We hope the next one will give fairer decisions, which will cause the game to be more friendly and enjoyable. The DANDENONG first eleven continue their match with FERNTREE GULLY next Saturday.

The DANDENONG and FERNTREE GULLY CLUBS started their two days match on Saturday last at Dandenong when some good cricket was witnessed. The GULLYITES winning the toss batted first and made 143 runs. Ed. Selman (with the aid of Mr. Umpire) made 59, and F. Lording, E. Lording and G. Williams also made double figures. Refer Scorebook.

19/1/1893 PSTKC The Prahran Tradesmen's picnic (for members only) to Ferntree Gully, takes place next Thursday. Tickets must be obtained from the secretary not later than Tuesday, so that the necessary arrangements may be made to carry out the affair successfully.

20/1/1893 BHR ORDINARY MATCHES. FERNTREE GULLY v. ST. KILDA TRADES – This match was played on Thursday 12th inst., on the St. Kilda ground. The locals batted first and totted up 104, of which P. McShane made 32, G. Palmer 15, Smiley 18, Wilson 14, and Clark 12. O. Williams secured 3 wickets for 19, McIndoe 2 for 43, G. Williams, 4 for 28, and Lording 1 for II. The GULLY team succeeded in making 83, of which Jones knocked up, 37 and O. Williams 20. Palmer bowled well for "SKILDA", securing 6 wickets at a small cost, McShane obtaining 2. **Refer Scorebook.**

The visiting team was entertained at a luncheon and thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon's sport. FERNTREE GULLY v. DANDENONG: A two day's match was commenced last Saturday between the above clubs at Dandenong and will be continued to-morrow after noon. At the close of the day's play the scores stood - GULLY 143, DANDENONG 3 for 63, so that a close finish may be anticipated

20/1/1893 LILEX CROYDON V. FERN TREE GULLY SECOND ELEVEN.

This match was played on the ground of the former on Saturday last, and resulted in a draw. Croydon, winning the toss, decided to bat and scored 109. Fern Tree Gully lost one wicket for 12. The following are the scores - CROYDON -S. Styles, bowled, 12; C. Walker, caught, 14; Neilson, bowled, 7; Evans, caught, 17; C. Styles, bowled, 0; Silcock, caught, 10; McGivern, bowled, 27; Hardidge, caught, 4; Goble, bowled, 1; H. Godfrey, caught, 5; W. Godfrey, not out, 1; sundries, 11; total, 109. FERN TREE GULLY - A. Westley, caught, 0; D. Dobson, not out, 3; J. Westley, not out, 4; sundries, 5; total for one wicket, 12.

21/1/1893 CHRON The Prahran Tradesmen at Fern Tree Gully. Last Thursday about thirty members of the Prahran Tradesmen's Club spent a very pleasant day at Fern Tree Gully. An early start was made, the party leaving Prahran about half-past six and arrived at the foot of the Gully at half-past nine.

There a capital lunch was waiting, and good justice was done to it, the fresh morning air having considerably sharpened the appetites of everyone present. "Our own Photographer," Mr. Yeoman, made a couple of 'Snap Shots' whilst at lunch, and the result of those, will, no doubt, be seen in a few days. Luncheon over, a start was made up the Gully, our friend Joachim, Snr., volunteering to stop behind and mind the coats and bottles, the remainder moving off at a steady pace, and some who had not been there before, determined to reach the top even if they had to stay in bed all the next day.

But, alas, their good resolutions were like the proverbial pie-crust, and before a quarter of the distance had been travelled mine host of the Royal George and the grocer opposite with one or two others, decided to make a halt and think over it before they went any further.

The remainder, however, struggled on and in good time reached the top, and were amply repaid for their trouble by the splendid view that opened upon them, the day being beautifully fine and clear. A visit was made to Mrs Murphy, and of course the usual soda and milk was obtained. An hour was then spent in roaming about over the hill. About twelve o'clock a start was made downwards, and before long the party left behind were dis-covered napping 'a shilling a corner.' A halt was made here until our friends had concluded their game and then all finished the remainder of the journey together. Friend Joachim was very glad to see us again, after an absence of over two hours. We found everything entrusted to his care quite safe, except the lemonade. This he said the other fellow took away.

After a rest of about half an hour, during which time the bottles were emptied and each of the party supplied with a nice little posy of flowers, a start was again made, and Mrs Blair's hotel reached just in time to have a refreshing wash before the dinner bell rang. At the hotel we found our numbers had increased by other arrivals by the later train, among whom was our genial president, Mr. E.J. Dixon, the Master King, the Ice Cream Man and one or two others. A large marquee had been erected and a splendid dinner set out under its cover, and it need hardly be said that it was thoroughly en-joyed.

After dinner a move was made for the cricket field. We (Obscured) very weak team, only four of the first eleven being present, and these after their exercises of the morning and not feel very anxious for the game. However, it was decided to play and make the best of it. Prahran batted first and were all disposed of for something near one hundred runs, Wallace being the best scorer. The FERN TREE GULLY then went in and were all disposed of for 112 runs. O. Williams bowling capitally, taking 7 wickets for 43 runs. Prahran then commenced a second innings, and by this time some of the gully stiffness had worn away and a much better show was made with the bat, four wickets falling for 70 runs.

An adjournment was then made for the tent, where a capital tea was waiting, and Mrs Blair's scones, salads and her splendid cups of tea were heartily relished. Before leaving the table the President in a very neat speech, congratulated the members on the success of the days outing, and trusted the same good feeling which had always exist amongst the Prahran Tradesmen in the past would continue in the future. Cheers were then given for the president and secretary, and the next half-hour was spent in listening to a few songs, after which a move was made for the train. 'All Aboard' and in a very comfortable carriage, some very good part-singing, led by friend Levy, of the Royal George and the Secretary, was rendered, and the result was a very pleasant journey home. Prahran was reached about half-past nine, and all agreed that this had been one of the most pleasant trips the members of the Prahran Trades-men's Club had ever held.

21/1/1893 PSTKC Large write up on the PRAHRAN TRADESMENS vs FERNTREE GULLY match – Refer above.

25/1/1893 DEXP At the DANDENONG – FERNTREE GULLY cricket match, played at Dandenong last Saturday (21/1/1893), the conduct of a number of roughs thoroughly disgusted every respectable onlooker. But bad as it was, there was certainly some justification for it, as the decisions of one of the umpires were most erratic.

FERNTREE GULLY vs DANDENONG: The two days match between the above clubs was concluded on the ground of the latter on Saturday last (21/1/1893), the match resulting in a victory for DANDENONG on the first innings by 19 runs – Refer Scorebook.

Our cricketers were defeated at Dandenong on Saturday, and Bobby Burns' words came true, as I prognosticated. The defeat they didn't mind much, but the cowardly conduct of the "barrackers" was a disgrace to DANDENONG.

FERNTREE GULLY vs PRAHRAN TRADES: This match was played on Thursday the 19th inst, at Ferntree Gully, resulting in a victory for the home team. In the second innings of the visitors (4 of whose wickets had fallen for 70 runs), Doyle secured all the wickets at a cost of 20 runs – **Refer Scorebook**.

25/1/1893 PTEL The FERNTREE GULLY OUTING. Last Thursday about 30 members of the PRAHRAN TRADESMEN'S CLUB had a pleasant days outing at Ferntree Gully...

After dinner a cricket match was attempted with the players of the FERNTREE GULLY CLUB, but ours were too tired after their exertions of the morning, and after a good game, in which our opponents came off best, an adjournment was made for tea, during which our president congratulated the members present on the success of the day's outing and urged all to put their shoulders to the wheel and make the bay excursion a success. The journey home was made pleasant by some good singing, Prahran being reached about 9.30; all agreeing that they had spent a very pleasant holiday, especially the Ice Cream Man and Turkey Lolly.

25/1/1893 SBMJ The FERNTREE GULLY vs DANDENONG contest was continued on Saturday Last. The bowling commenced with G. Williams and Crawford opening the attack. DANDENONG totalled 162 (19 more than their opponents) considerably aided by the 32 sundries.

After the usual interval DANDENONG again went into the field and at the call of time the GULLYITES were 3/153 in their second innings with W. Williams 82* and G. Williams 41 the best of the batsmen partnering for 113 runs

The genus 'barracker' does not as a rule use his questionable talent in regard to cricket, generally conserving his strength of lung for use during the months of the winter pastime. An exception was made at the Cricket match DANDENONG vs FERNTREE GULLY last Saturday and the remarks made in many cases were considerably outside the range of fair criticism; a fact which is to be deplored. We do not believe that the players themselves favour this kind of thing, and a little firmness on their part would effectually do away with the ill-timed and nonsensical howling of a few pseudo supporters. "Do unto others &c." might well be applied in this matter.

We would suggest that the return match FERNTREE GULLY vs DANDENONG, which will be played at the Gully on February 25th, should be made a three days engagement, in view of the result of last Saturday's game.

From the stand made by the visitors in the second innings, their supporters declare that they must have won had the match been played out, but be this as it may, it would have given general satisfaction had the contest been fought to a finish. The clubs would do well to consider this suggestion, as the match would, in reality, decide the premiership of the district. **Refer Scorebook**.

26/1/1893 DA W. Williams of the GULLY club and Bob Kirkpatrick of the DANDENONG club are the most consistent batsmen this season for their respective clubs.

There was great excitement at the DANDENONG and GULLY match on Saturday when the DANDIES innings closed, and we regret to say some of the GULLYITES showed fight however it was stopped before any blows were struck, and umpiring was again of a questionable nature – was this the cause of the coming together!

27/1/1893 BHR FERNTREE GULLY vs DANDENONG: This match was continued on the ground of the latter club on Saturday last, and resulted in a draw in favour of FERNTREE GULLY.

The DANDENONG, with three wickets down for 58, continued their innings on a wicket that was a marked improvement on that of the previous Saturday, when the GULLY team batted. The innings closed for 161 or 18 ahead of the score made by the latter, the principal scorers being Kirkpatrick 40, Hyde 46, J. Evans 12, J. Keys 10 and sundries 31.

Hyde should have been caught at slip for 2, and was also out after making 40, knocking his wicket down with his foot when hitting at a leg ball, but neither umpire saw it. The fielding was not good throughout and it was the weakness in this department that allowed the GULLY score to be topped. In the second innings three wickets had fallen for 152, W. Williams 82 not out, G. Williams 41 and E. Selman 22.

This score being made is evidence of the quality of the wicket, the runs being made in about an hour's batting. G. Williams bowled well for the GULLY getting 3 for 33, E. Selman 2 for 26, F. Stevens 1 for 15, Crawford 1 for 21 and J. Doyle 2 for 20. The return match will be played at the Gully on the 25th February and 4th March. **Refer Scorebook**.

FERNTREE GULLY vs PRAHRAN TRADES: This match was played on Thursday last and resulted in a win for the Gully by 73 runs. G. Williams 22, A. Lording 11, E. Blazey 25, F. Stevens 16 and Charman 10 did the damage for the local willow wielders. Stevens obtained 5/12; Crawford 4/26 and J. Doyle 4/20 for the GULLY while O. Williams playing for the visitors took 7 wickets. Refer Scorebook.

The second team of the FERNTREE GULLY played a match against CROYDON, which resulted in a win for the GULLYITES, who scored 3/130 against their opponents 61.

NOTE: This was the second days play with Croydon making 109 in their 1st Innings & FTG declaring at 3/130 after being 1/12 at stumps on Day 1 (14/1/1893).

28/1/1893 OFTG FERNTREE GULLY vs DANDENONG: The 2 Day match between these two teams was conducted at the ground of the latter on Saturday last, the result being a victory for DANDENONG on 1st Innings by 19 runs - **Refer Scorebook**.

FERNTREE GULLY vs PRAHRAN TRADES at Ferntree Gully was played on Thursday 19th resulting in a victory for the GULLY by 73 runs. O. Williams and W. Williams played for the Visitors to ensure a full team opposed the locals, with O. Williams taking 7 of his own team mates for 39 runs - Refer Scorebook.

1/2/1893 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs MIDDLE PARK: This match was played on the Gully home ground on Saturday last (28/1/1893), the home team remaining in possession of the wickets the whole afternoon. At the call of time they had lost 6 wickets for 262 – Refer Scorebook.

8/2/1893 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs RICHMOND 2nd XI: The above match was played on Saturday last (4/2/1893) at the Gully, the home team remaining at the wickets until the call of time – **Refer Scorebook**. The cricketers gave a good account of themselves again last Saturday and kept their opponents' leather hunting all the afternoon.

11/2/1893 OFTG FERNTREE GULLY vs RICHMOND 2nd XI: Was played Saturday last (4/2/1893) at the Gully, the home team remaining at the crease when time was called. FERNTREE GULLY 8/276, Ed Selman 19, A. Lording 29, M. Doyle 6, J.S. Crawford 3, G. Williams 54, E. Blazey 95*, T. Dobson 4, W. Williams 31, J. Doyle 3, J. Charman 14*, Sundries 18. **Refer Scorebook**.

15/2/1893 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs FERGUSON & MITCHELL: This match was played on the Gully ground on Saturday last (11/2/1893) and resulted in a win for the home team – **Refer Scorebook.**

20/2/1893 ARGUS MELBOURNE vs FERNTREE GULLY: This game was won somewhat easily by the former team by three wickets and 120 runs. Refer Scorebook.

22/2/1893 DEXP The first elevens of the DANDENONG and FERNTREE GULLY clubs commence a two days match on the Gully ground next Saturday (25/2/1893).

FERNTREE GULLY will be represented by Williams (3), Lording (2), E. Selman, E. Blazey, F. Stevens, Crawford (2), H. Monk, Emergencies: F.J. Charman, M.T. Doyle, G.E. Selman and T.E. Dobson. DANDENONG will be represented by Keys (3), Kirkpatrick, Hyde, Tharle, Williams, I. Evans, Purdy, Wilkinson and Hobbs.

22/2/1893 SBMJ On Saturday next (25/2/1893) the first XI of the DANDENONG will play a match at Ferntree Gully against the local team.

MELBOURNE played FERNTREE GULLY on the Wesley College ground in their return match that the former won easily by three wickets & 120 runs. Scores were FERNTREE GULLY 98 – G. Williams 29, Ed. Selman 19, F. Stevens 15 and J.S. Crawford 14 with MELBOURNE making 7/218.

The best of the bowling for the visitors was managed by Ed Selman. DANDENONG play FERNTREE GULLY this coming Saturday at the Gully ground and the closeness of the game can be assured if past results are any indication. Refer Scorebook.

23/2/1893 DA MELBOURNE easily defeated FERNTREE GULLY on the Wesley Ground last Saturday 7/218 to 98, by 120 runs. **Refer Scorebook**.

24/2/1893 BHR FERNTREE GULLY NEWS: Refers to Tom Grimwood as the "King of Ferntree Gully"

1/3/1893 DEXP DANDENONG vs FERNTREE GULLY: The return two days match between the first elevens of the above Clubs was commenced on the ground of the latter on Saturday last (25/2/1893). Both teams were about the strongest the cubs could place in the field. The home team was skippered by W. Williams, while Bob Keys led the visitors. DANDENONG batted first and remained in possession of the wickets the whole afternoon, scoring 219 for the loss of 6 wickets – Refer Scorebook.

<u>1/3/1893</u> SBMJ The return match between DANDENONG and FERNTREE GULLY commenced last Saturday at the Ferntree Gully ground. DANDENONG were not represented with their full strength side and the news that they had retained possession of the wickets the entire afternoon came as an agreeable surprise to the supporters at home.

The majority of the team went to the Gully in Millet's drag and had a most enjoyable drive. The game was commenced in good time, DANDENONG going to the wickets first. Hyde and Renfree commenced and it could easily be seen that the GULLYITES were would try their level best to retrieve their defeat on the occasion of the previous match. Their fielding and bowling was really first class and any mistakes were at once taken advantage of. G. Williams 2, Ed. Selman 2, E. Lording 1 and E. Blazey 1 took the wickets by time called which saw DANDENONG 6/219. Refer Scorebook.

2/3/1893 DA DANDENONG batted all afternoon in their match against FERNTREE GULLY on Saturday last registering 6/219 at call of time. The GULLY Captain tried all his trundlers to gain the wickets but only 4 were successful, G. Williams, Ed. Selman, E. Lording & E. Blazey.

3/3/1893 BHR FERNTREE GULLY NEWS: The FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB commenced a two days' match against DANDENONG at Ferntree Gully on Saturday last. DANDENONG went to the wicket first, and at the call of time had lost 6 wickets for 219. The match will be continued to-morrow, when the locals hope to down their opponents.

8/3/1893 DEXP DANDENONG vs FERNTREE GULLY: The two days match between the first elevens of the above Clubs was continued on the ground of the latter on Saturday last (4/3/1893).

Rain fell heavily during the forenoon, and it was feared that the match would have to be postponed, but the weather cleared up after lunch, and when the DANENONG players arrived at about 3.30 the ground was in fairly good condition, and play was resumed shortly before four. When the stumps were drawn the previous Saturday, DANDENONG had six wickets down for 219 runs, and continuing their innings last Saturday, they increased their score to 263, towards which Ivo Evans contributed 102.

The GULLY players started their innings at a few minutes to five, having about an hour and twenty minutes to bat. It was scarcely possible for them to score a victory, their only hope being to make a draw, which they succeeded in doing. At six o'clock it became so dark that the umpires had a consultation and decided to draw the stumps, the GULLY having 109 runs to their credit for the loss of two wickets. Ivo Evans, R. Keys, G and W Williams and Lording each gave an excellent exhibition of batting while Wilkinson's wicket keeping was first class.

W. Williams and Lording were so well set when play ceased that it is difficult to say how the match would have ended if it had been played out

Notwithstanding the large score made by DANDENONG, it cannot be said that they had the best of it, as the GULLY runs were made rapidly and only one or two difficult chances were given.

After the match, the two teams assembled in front of Mrs. Blair's Hotel, and having heartily cheered each other, they parted with the best feelings of friendship, the unpleasant events of the previous match having apparently been quite forgotten. As the DANDENONG players drove past the residence of Mr. T.S. Grimwood (President of the GULLY Club) they gave three cheers for that good old veteran – **Refer Scorebook**.

8/3/1893 SBMJ The second day of the match DANDENONG against FERNTREE GULLY resumed on Saturday last on the ground of the latter. Play was not resumed until late and DANDENONG were finally dismissed for 263 with Ivor Evans reaching the century before finally being dismissed for 102. Time was called with the GULLY well placed at 2/109 to which contributions of G. Williams 36, Ed. Selman 13, W. Williams 30* and E. Lording 27* were made.

The DANDENONG 1ST ELEVEN continued their match with the FERNTREE GULLY last Saturday on the ground of the latter. Play was not resumed until late and the DANDENONG batsmen R. Keys and I. Evans who had 44 and 74 respectfully to their credit took their places at the wickets. The former did not greatly increase his score being bowled by G. Williams when he had reached 52. Evans, however, did better, and by vigorous batting carried his score to 102. Hobbs made 5 and A. Evans 6.

G. Williams and E. Selman commenced the Gully innings; the former had the mischance to be run out when he made 36 runs, and Selman contributed a nice 13. W. Williams and Lording remained in possession of the wickets until the call of time, scoring respectively 30 and 27 runs; Two wickets for 109.

Details: DANDENONG - Hyde, c, b Selman 18; Renfree, b G. Williams 5; E. Williams, c, b G. Williams 0; Wilkinson, b Selman 10; Purdy, b Blazey 26; J. Keys, c, b Lording 21; I. Evans, b Blazey 102; R. Keys, b G. Williams 52; Hobbs, b Blazey 5; Price, b Blazey 0; A. Evans, not out 6; Sundries 18; 263 FERNTREE GULLY. G. Williams, run out 36; E. Selman, c, b Hyde 13; W. Williams, not out 30; E. Lording, not out 27; Sundries 3; Total for 2 wickets 109. **Refer Scorebook**.

9/3/1893 DA The DANDIES didn't seem too concerned for accuracy or difficulty in scoring when watching FERNTREE GULLY make a quick 2/109 in the one hour left for batting at the conclusion of their match on Saturday last. The days play highlight was the century of 102 to Ivor Evans of the DANDENONG club, the first of this season. **Refer Scorebook**.

10/3/1893 BHR ORDINARY MATCHES: FERNTREE GULLY vs DANDENONG; The best bowling performances in FERNTREE GULLY'S effort against DANDENONG who scored 263 to FERNTREE GULLY's 2/109, in the match just concluded were Ed. Selman 2/39, E. Blazey 4/41, G. Williams 3/69 and J. Lording 1/34. Refer Scorebook.

11/3/1893 OFTG A two days match continued last Saturday at Ferntree Gully. When stumps were drawn on the previous Saturday DANDENONG was 6/219 and continuing their innings last Saturday, they increased their score to 263. It was late when the GULLY started to bat and in one hour and twenty minutes, they totted up 109 for 2 wickets as darkness came so had time permitted a finish, it is doubtful how the game would have gone. **Refer Scorebook**.

15/3/1893 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs MARYLEBONE: The FERNTREE GULLY club played a match on their own ground last Saturday (11/3/1893) against the MARYLEBONE club from South Melbourne. The GULLY players went first to the wickets, and for a time things looked very ominous, four wickets being down for about a dozen runs. After this a better stand was made, and the innings was closed (with eight wickets down) for 117 runs. The visitors took the wickets and compiled 78 runs, the GULLY thus winning by 39 runs.

22/3/1893 DEXP "Birds of a feather flock together." The GULLY boys in the "trade" particularly enjoyed the match against Steele's nightingales. The utmost good fellowship prevailed, disproving the old saying that "two of a trade never agree." FERNTREE GULLY 2nd XI vs STEELE'S EMPLOYEES:

The above match was played at the Gully last Saturday (18/3/1893) and resulted in an easy win for the home team on first innings by 59 runs. Scores: STEELE'S EMPLOYEES, 44 and seven wickets for 36, FERNTREE GULLY 103. For the home team J. And T.E. Dobson batted well, while T. Poole, H. Monk and J. Dobson bowled best.

FERNTREE GULLY vs SOUTH MELBOURNE RAMBLERS: The above match was played at Ferntree Gully last Saturday (18/3/1893) and resulted in an easy win for the home team by five wickets and 23 runs.

For the GULLY, Stevens secured 4 wickets for 13 runs, G. Williams 3 for 25, and Ed Selman 1 for 15. George Williams, however, had hard luck in having several chances missed off him. For the RAMBLERS, Charley Smith bowled splendidly – Refer Scorebook.

29/3/1893 DEXP No cricket Saturday last (25/3/1893), the 1st and 2nd elevens' both disappointed through their opponents not turning up.

5/4/1893 DEXP FERNTREE GULLY vs GEORGE ROBINSON & CO.: This match was played on the GULLY ground on Saturday (1/4/1893) and resulted in an easy win for the home team. The visitors went first to the wickets and made a very poor score, five of them falling for a few runs, but by good play Walton and Aspinall improved the condition of the game and the innings closed for a total of 116

The GULLY team then went into bat and had lost 8 wickets for 213 at the call of time; G. Williams 79, E. Blazey 31, G. Selman 27, J.S. Crawford 24 not out and Stevens 13 not out played well for their runs. For the GULLY, Selman, Crawford, Williams and Stevens divided the bowling honours. For the visitors Walton bowled very well – **Refer Scorebook**.

The RINGWOOD team easily defeated the FERNTREE GULLY Second XI on Saturday, on the GULLY ground by 2 wickets and 52 runs. For the winners Johnson 35, McComb 20 and Swindon 13 played well, while Monk and G. Charman played best for the GULLY.

FERNTREE GULLY vs CHATSWORTH: This match was played on the GULLY ground on Monday (3/4/1893) and resulted in a rather surprising defeat for the home team. The first two batsmen succumbed to miss hits to leg off Johnson, and the first four wickets fell for 5 runs. However, it was confidently expected that the team would have no difficulty amassing a respectable total, but the collapse continued, F. Lording with 23 and R. Crawford with 15 not out, being the only ones to get into double figures, the innings closing for 55. In their effort the CHATSWORTH only compiled 62, Murray and Cronin showing good form for their runs.

In their second innings the GULLY compiled 63 runs for two wickets, G. Williams 40 not out, J.S. Crawford 15 and Ed Selman knocking them up in half an hour. The innings was then closed, and with 40 minutes to play the GULLY again took the field and had 7 of the CHATSWORTH down for 45 runs when stumps were drawn in consequence of the bad light 15 minutes before time – Refer Scorebook.

14/4/1893 BHR FERNTREE GULLY NEWS: A cricket match was played between 15 of the NARRE WARREN team and a scratch team of GULLY representatives at the Gully. The locals lost 8 wickets in compiling 270 runs and the visitors could only manage 28 and 15 respectively in their innings resulting in a very large win by the locals to the tune of 227 runs.

19/4/1893 DEXP FTGFC The FERNTREE GULLY FOOTBALL CLUB will celebrate the opening of the season by a smoke night on Monday 8th May. FERNTREE GULLY cricketers made 177 for seven wickets last Saturday (15/4/1893) against NARRE WARREN's 25 & 15 NOTE: This is reported at 8/270 in the BHR – see above.

21/4/1893 ARGUS THE NORTH MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB will play the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB today at Ferntree Gully. In the evening the visitors will give a concert in aid of the funds of the local club. The train leaves Prince's Bridge Railway Station at 10 minutes past 10 o'clock.

21/4/1893 AGE CRICKET; The NORTH MELBOURNE play the FERNTREE GULLY to-day, at Ferntree Gully. In the evening the visitors will give a concert in aid of the funds of the local club. The train leaves Princes-bridge railway station at 10.10 a.m.

21/4/1893 NMA FERNTREE GULLY vs NORTH MELBOURNE: A detailed report of the match is produced in the North Melbourne Advertiser 21/4 & 28/4/1893. Refer Scorebook. Some prominent members and friends of the NORTH MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB go to Ferntree Gully today with the dual purpose of playing in a cricket match with the GULLYITES AND giving a concert in the local hall in the evening.

Extensive preparations have been made to ensure the certain success of the latter, and the final rehearsal took place on Monday evening last which went off satisfactorily. Such well-known artists as Messrs. Costello, Nairn, and Gourlay are taking part, whilst the services of the "frisky surveyor" have been enlisted for the occasion.

The GULLY has a team this year that will be able to hold its own with any of the surrounding clubs, and at the close of the season, they should be able to show a very creditable record. Our footballers intend holding a "smoke night" on Monday 8th May, and so far, there is every indication of a pleasant evening being spent by the company.

28/4/1893 BHR FERNTREE GULLY NEWS: A match was played between the NORTH MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB and the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB on Friday last resulting in a draw. NORTH MELBOURNE made 198 and the Gully were 5/101 when time was called.

The Bowling was shared between F. Lording 4/33, J.S. Crawford 2/58, G. Williams 1/27, F. Stevens 1/36 and E. Blazey 1/21 while with the bat F. Lording 23, E. Lording 11, E. Blazey 36, W. Williams 0, G. Williams 1, J.S. Crawford 10*, F. Stevens 2*, Sundries 16 composed the 101 of the GULLY men.

In the evening the cricketers changed their ways to entertainers, many showing additional talents to that exercised on the field of play. Before concluding the evening Mr. Bean, Secretary, NORTH MELBOURNE CRICKET CLUB announced that his club would enjoy the offer proposed to venture out again when the new hall was erected and provide entertainment for the locals, better than the hurried unrehearsed of this evening. The entertainment went on well into the morning and dancing and music were kept on until daylight was visible the next morning!

28/4/1893 NMA FERNTREE GULLY vs NORTH MELBOURNE: A detailed report of the match is produced in the North Melbourne Advertiser 21/4 & 28/4/1893. Refer Scorebook.

3/5/1893 SBMJ Report of match between FERNTREE GULLY & DANDENONG detailing the results of the season's two matches. The most exciting of the local matches was that played against FERNTREE GULLY, which was won by DANDENONG by 21 runs. In this match the GULLYITES lost only three wickets for 153 in their second innings. The return match was drawn, the scores being; Dandenong 263 (I. Evans 102), GULLY; 2 wickets for 109 runs.

7/6/1893 DEXP Comment in Ferntree Gully Shire News that the location for the Shire Pound and Cattle yards will be on land opposite Mrs. Blair's Hotel. The Secretary of the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB corresponds with the Shire asking for assistance in procuring a suitable ground for recreation purposes. After some consideration it was moved Cr. Selman and seconded by Cr. Chandler that the letter be received, and if a suitable site can be obtained that the club submit the same to the council for consideration

9/6/1893 BHR FERNTREE GULLY SHIRE COUNCIL MINUTES: From Secretary of the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB (J.S. Crawford), bringing under the notice of Council the urgent necessity in establishing a RECREATION GROUND at FERNTREE GULLY. All the councillors approved of the necessity of a RECREATION GROUND and favoured such and it was moved by Cr. Selman and seconded by Cr. Chandler – That a reply be sent asking the cricket club to select a site for a RECREATION GROUND and submit same to council, when the matter would be favourably considered.

9/6/1893 BHR FERNTREE GULLY SHIRE COUNCIL: Received from Secretary, FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB (J.S. Crawford), bringing under the notice of the Council the urgent necessity of establishing a RECREATION GROUND at Ferntree Gully. All the Councillors approved of the necessity for a RECREATION GROUND and favoured the establishment of such, and it was moved by Cr. Selman and seconded by Cr. Chandler – "That a reply be sent asking the cricket club to select a site for a RECREATION GROUND and submit same to the council, when the matter would be favourably considered.

10/6/1893 OFTG The Ferntree Gully Shire Council minutes record the receipt of a letter from the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB Sec. (J.S. Crawford) asking the assistance of Council in procuring a suitable GROUND FOR RECREATION purposes.

After some discussion it was moved by Councillor Selman and seconded by Councillor Chandler that the letter be received and that if a suitable site can be obtained that the club submits same to Council for consideration.

23/6/1893 BHR FTGFC – A meeting of the CRICKET CLUB is to be held on Saturday (tomorrow) the business being to endeavour to purchase a suitable site for a RECREATION GROUND. A suitable site has been offered near the Lower Gully station and is favourably received by a large number of members. It will be very convenient for visiting teams, and when properly cleared and laid out will be a very nice ground. NOTE: Earliest promoted location of proposed FERNTREE GULLY RECREATION RESERVE.

2/8/1893 DEXP The Annual Meeting of the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB was held at Mrs. Blair's Hotel on Saturday last (29/7/1893) – report per BHR below, plus... 15 members had an average of 10 and upwards in batting, E. Blazey the highest with 64, G. Williams and Ed Selman being next with 27 and 26½ respectively.

In bowling F. Stevens took 68 wickets at a cost of 8.91, G. Williams 39 at 13.18, Ed Selman 36 at 11.11 and J.S. Crawford 36 at 12.61. Mr. T.S. Grimwood was elected President, H. Monk Hon Secretary and A.E. Selman Hon Treasurer, Mr. E.D. Selman Captain and Mr. F. Stevens vice captain.

Votes of thanks were passed to the retiring Secretary, to the president for the use of the ground, and to Mr. F.H. Lording for the use of the roller. Mr. J.S. Crawford moved that the club compete for the EASTERN DISTRICT TROPHY – seconded Mr. Stevens and carried. Mr. Crawford was appointed the Club's Delegate. The meeting then closed.

4/8/1893 BHR The Annual General Meeting of the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB was held at Mrs. Blair's hotel Saturday last. There was a fair attendance of members present, and the President (Mr. T.S. Grimwood), occupied the chair. The Secretary (Mr. Crawford) read the annual report, showing that the club had passed through a successful cricketing season. They had played 28 matches, won 14; lost 7 and 7 were drawn.

G. Williams, Ed Selman and E. Blazey carried of the honours in batting with 27, 26 and 64 runs per innings, while T. Dobson, T. Poole, E. Blazey, F. Stevens, Ed Selman, J. Doyle, J.S. Crawford and G. Williams did the bowling for the season. The Treasurer's (A.E. Selman) report showed a deficit of £12, the chief cause being the falling off of donations and extra expense in procuring matting and materials.

The election of Officers for the ensuing season then proceeded with Mr. T.S. Grimwood being elected President and Messrs C.T. Cole, John Keys MLA, J.T. Dobson, and the members of the Shire council as Patrons, also about a dozen gentlemen as Vice Presidents. The retiring Secretary stated his inability to again carry out the duties and Mr. H. Monk was elected.

Mr. A.E. Selman was unanimously elected as Treasurer, Mr. Ed. Selman the Captain, Mr. F. Stevens the Vice Captain, Messrs Crawford, J.T. Dobson and Charman the General Committee and Messrs Lording, the Captain and Vice Captain the Match Committee.

Votes of thanks were recorded for the outgoing Secretary (J.S. Crawford), the President for use of the ground and Mr. F. H. Lording for use of the roller. After considerable discussion the membership was fixed at 5s with a call if required.

- Mr. J.S. Crawford referred to the fact that Mr. John Keys had donated £5 5s last season for a Trophy to be played for in the western section of his electorate, but that the Box Hill Secretary had not written to the club in the matter and that the FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB offer for the Eastern District Trophy.
- Mr. F. Stevens seconded the motion, which was carried, and Mr. Crawford was appointed delegate to represent the club. It is proposed to hold a concert about November in aid of the funds of the club and as it is expected that the new hall will be ready for the occasion it is hoped that a substantial sum will be raised.
- **13/9/1893 DEXP** Mr. Trounsen, Photographer & co., still has on hand a few photographs of the laying of the foundation stone of the new Shire Hall. The pictures are really first-class specimens of photographic art and those who feel any interest in the memorable event of the laying of the foundation stone should not fail to secure one. The price (un-mounted) is only 2s 6d each.

A second athletic club has been formed at Ferntree Gully and will meet at Dobson's Hall. Ferntree Gully Shire Council correspondence includes a letter from E.E. Lording, Hon Secretary FERNTREE GULLY CRICKET CLUB, asking for the use of the new shire hall for a concert and a ball to be held on the first available date after opening, and also asking for patronage – to stand over (Recess until further attention)

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	One	Ringwood Railways	Ferntree Gully Hotel	15/10/1892

FTGCC Batting (2nd)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
F.J. Charman	3				
W. Williams	11				
J.S. Crawford	20				
G.J. Williams	34				
R.A. Crawford	7*				
F.N. Stevens	4*		Sundries	-	
T.E. Dobson			Score	4/79	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

	1 st Innings					2 nd Inn	ings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Cuff	В		J.S. Crawford	25				
Johnson	В		G.J. Williams	12				
Luerdon	В		G.J. Williams	10				
J. Dobson	В		T.E. Dobson	8				
Kettle	В		J.S. Crawford	7				
Cr. A.E. Chandler (Sub)	В		J.S. Crawford	6				
Pickett (Sub)		NOT OUT		1				
King	В		G.J. Williams	0				
McComb	В		J.S. Crawford	2				
Ford	Stp	W. Williams	J.S. Crawford	0				
McKay		RUN OUT		0				
			Sundries	2			Sundries	
			Score	73			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st In	2 nd Innings					
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
G.J. Williams			3	25				
J.S. Crawford			5	30				
T.E. Dobson			1	0				

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 6 Wkts

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Two	St. Kilda Tradesmen	Ferntree Gully Hotel	Thursday 20/10/1892

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
G.J. Williams	2		G.E. Selman	1	
T.E. Dobson	0		T. Jones	0	
J.S. Crawford	13		W.H. Scott	10	
E.D. Selman	10		F.J. Charman	3*	
E. Kettle	1				
R.A. Crawford	18		Sundries	9	
A.R. Lording	12		Score	79	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st In	nings			2 nd Inı	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Hants	В		J.S. Crawford	68				
Thompson	В		E.D. Selman	2				
D.G. McShane	С	Unknown	G.E. Selman	5				
Smiley	В		J.S. Crawford	13				
Edwards	В		J.S. Crawford	3				
Puncheon	С	Unknown	G.J. Williams	1				
Prescott	В		J.S. Crawford	5				
Hooloden	C&B		J.S. Crawford	4				
Allen	C&B		J.S. Crawford	5				
Hubbard	В		G.J. Williams	3				
Fawkner		NOT OUT		3				
			Sundries	4			Sundries	
			Score	116			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
J.S. Crawford			6	33				
E.D. Selman			1	49				
G. Williams			2	18				
G.E. Selman			1	12				

Result: St. Kilda Tradesmen won on 1st Innings by 37 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Three	XXII Juniors	Ferntree Gully Hotel	22/10/1892

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score	100	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score	66			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st innings by 34 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Four	Ringwood Railways XII	Ringwood	29/10/1892

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
F.J. Charman	7		A.E. Selman	20	
W. Williams	6		H. Monk	1	
E.D. Selman	16		T.E. Dobson	4	
G.J. Williams	29		E. Dobson	1	
R.A. Crawford	9		G. Charman	5*	
J.S. Crawford	55		Sundries	3	
F.N. Stevens	4		Score	160	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman
5 th Wicket	82	J.S. Crawford	G.J. Williams

Opposition Batting

		1 st In	nings		2 nd Innings			
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Swindon	С	G.J. Williams	E.D. Selman	7				
Minihan	С	F.N. Stevens	G.J. Williams	3				
Shanks	С	W. Williams	J.S. Crawford	9				
O'Keefe	В		G.J. Williams	0				
Cuff	С	G.J. Williams	T.E. Dobson	18				
McComb	В		T.E. Dobson	0				
Kettle	С	E.D. Selman	J.S. Crawford	1				
Craig	В		F.N. Stevens	4				
Cass		NOT OUT		6				
Jones	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
Hazeldine	C&B		F.N. Stevens	0				
Ford	С	E.D. Selman	F.N. Stevens	4				
			Sundries	8			Sundries	
			Score	60			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
G.J. Williams			2	14				
E.D. Selman			1	14				
J.S. Crawford			2	7				
T.E. Dobson			2	8				
F.N. Stevens			4	5				

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 100 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged		Elmbank (Collingwood) 2 nd XI	Ferntree Gully Hotel	Tuesday 1/11/1892

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
								+
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score				Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Ferntree Gully won Outright by an Innings & 18 Runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Five	Y.M.C.A. (1st XI)	1/11/1892	Tuesday 1/11/1892

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score				Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Match abandoned

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Six			5/11/1892

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score				Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Ferntree Gully won – other details unknown

Grade	Grade Round Opponent		Played	Date(s)	
Arranged	Seven	Hawksburn	Ferntree Gully Hotel	Wednesday 9/11/1892	

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	
	0					
	0					
J.M. Doyle	9					
G.J. Williams	6					
F.N. Stevens						
T.E. Dobson			Sundries			
			Score	26		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
J. Taylor				39				
O'Connor *				34				
O. Williams		NOT OUT		31				
Jones				16				
T. Chambers				12				
Walton								
* Took 6/10			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score	160			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings			2 nd Innings				
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
F.N. Stevens			6	62				
G.J. Williams			2	22				
T.E. Dobson			1	14				

Result: Hawksburn won on 1st Innings by 134 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Eight			12/11/1892

Name	Name 1 st Inn 2 nd Inn Name		Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score				Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Lost - no other details recorded

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Nine	Hawthorn	Ferntree Gully Hotel	19/11/1892

FTGCC Batting (2nd)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
G.J. Williams	13				
A.R. Lording	2				
M.T. Doyle	2				
J.S. Crawford	22				
F.N. Stevens	21				
T.E. Dobson	1		Sundries	4	
E. Poole	10*		Score	6/75	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inı	nings			2 nd Inı	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
F. Austin	С	A.R. Lording	F.N. Stevens	12				
Bentick	C&B		J.S. Crawford	9				
Henderson	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
Bennett	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
Crowther	C&B		T.E. Dobson	9				
Goodison	В		F.N. Stevens	17				
Adams	С	T.E. Dobson	F.N. Stevens	0				
Utber	С	J.S. Crawford	T.E. Dobson	4				
Musgrove	В		T.E. Dobson	10				
Anderson		NOT OUT		5				
Young	В		E. Poole	3				
			Sundries	1			Sundries	
			Score	70			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
F.N. Stevens			5	36				
T.E. Dobson			3	4				
E. Poole			1	5				
J.S. Crawford			1	24				

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 4 Wkts

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Ten	Sth Melbourne Ramblers	Ferntree Gully Hotel	26/11/1892

FTGCC Batting (2nd)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
F.J. Charman	7		E. Poole	0	
E.D. Selman	12		T.E. Dobson	0*	
J.S. Crawford	37				
G.J. Williams	12				
G.E. Selman	7				
H. Monk	8		Sundries	2	
F.N. Stevens	4*		Score	7/89	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Innings				2 nd Inı	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
H. McLeery	В		F.N. Stevens	12				
E. Cockram	В		T.E. Dobson	6				
E. Hornby	В		F.N. Stevens	2				
McGuiness	С	F.N. Stevens	E. Poole	32				
Smith	В		E. Poole	36				
Lewis	В		E. Poole	6				
T. McLeery	В		E. Poole	0				
C. Fawcett	В		E. Poole	0				
James		RUN OUT		1				
Jagleman		NOT OUT		5				
Hughes (Sub)	В		E. Poole	0				
			Sundries	1			Sundries	
			Score	101			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
E. Poole			6	12				
F.N. Stevens			2	25				
T.E. Dobson			1	14				

Result: Match Drawn

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Eleven			3/12/1892

Name	1 st Inn	nn 2 nd Inn Name		1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	nings	2 nd Innings				2 nd Innings		
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr		
			Sundries				Sundries			
			Score				Score			

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Match Abandoned

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twelve	South Melbourne Trades	Ferntree Gully Hotel	Thursday 8/12/1892

FTGCC Batting (1st)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
J.S. Crawford	0		T. Jones	9	
R.A. Crawford	22		Blackburn	3	
G.J. Williams	22		W.H. Dawson	0*	
W. Williams	2		T.S. Grimwood (68 y/o)	0	
T.E. Dobson	0				
E.D. Selman	31		Sundries	7	
E. Kettle	0		Score	96	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	nings			2 nd Inn	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
S. Morris (Test XI)	В		E.D. Selman	50				
Frank	В		E.D. Selman	8				
E. Paulin	С	Unknown	E.D. Selman	0				
Sonny Elms	С	Unknown	E.D. Selman	1				
Innes	В		G.J. Williams	5				
H. Graham (Test XI)	В		E.D. Selman	1				
Henry Steele	С	Unknown	J.S. Crawford	7				
J. Honeybone		NOT OUT		10				
F. Honeybone		RUN OUT		1				
T. Paulin	В		J.S. Crawford	1				
Unknown	В		E.D. Selman	1				•
			Sundries	8			Sundries	•
			Score	93			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	
E.D. Selman			6	41					
G.J. Williams			1	11					
J.S. Crawford			2	28					
		Rem	0	5					

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 3 runs.

NOTE: The S. (Sam) Morris & H. (Harry) Graham playing for the South Melbourne Tradesmen are the same players that represented Australia for 1 & 6 Tests respectively in the 1880's/1890's. Graham made a Century (107) on Debut at Lords in 1893 and another at Sydney (105) in 1894/95. He scored nine 1st Class Centuries including these two Test tons with a highest score of 219 vs Derbyshire in 1893. A few weeks prior to the match against Ferntree Gully he made 202 for South Melbourne against North Melbourne – we were fortunate to get him out cheap!!!

This was a great victory considering only 6 regular players represented the team with even Club President, Tom Grimwood having to take part to ensure sufficient numbers – something's don't change.

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Thirteen	Sargood, Butler & Nicholls	Ferntree Gully Hotel	10/12/1892

FTGCC Batting (1st)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
F.J. Charman	8		H. Monk	0	
W. Williams	1		E. Poole	6	
F.N. Stevens	2		A.R. Lording	5*	
G.J. Williams	56		D. Dobson	0	
T.E. Dobson	11				
E.D. Selman	42		Sundries	3	
J.S. Crawford	16		Score	150	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman
5 th Wicket	92	G.J. Williams	E.D. Selman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Ir	nnings			2 nd Inr	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Anderson	С	Unknown	F.N. Stevens	8				
Watling	В		G.J. Williams	0				
C.G. Wilson		NOT OUT		59				
Ross		NOT OUT		6				
			Sundries	5			Sundries	
			Score	2/78			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
F.N. Stevens			1	38				
G.J. Williams			1	18				
		Rem	0	17				

Result: Match Drawn

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Fourteen	Melbourne 2 nd XI	Ferntree Gully Hotel	17/12/1892

FTGCC Batting (2nd)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
E.D. Selman					
J.M. Doyle					
F.N. Stevens					
E. Poole					
F.J. Charman					
			Sundries		
			Score		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inr	nings			2 nd Ini	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
J.H. Tait	С	E. Poole	E.D. Selman	13				
G. Gordon	В		E.D. Selman	5				
W. Davidson	LBW		J.M. Doyle	9				
E.C. Timbury	В		J.M. Doyle	8				
T.R. O'Brien	В		J.M. Doyle	11				
H.A. Templeton	С	E.D. Selman	F.N. Stevens	4				
M. Cohen	С	F.J. Charman	E. Poole	15				
A. Vaughan	С	E.D. Selman	F.N. Stevens	1				
P.W. Virtue	В		E.D. Selman	9				
V. McKean		NOT OUT		16				
J.H. Cohen	В		J.M. Doyle	29				
			Sundries	12			Sundries	
			Score	132			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings			2 nd Innings				
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
E.D. Selman			3	32				
J.M. Doyle			4	19				
F.N. Stevens			2	23				
E. Poole			1	27				
		Rem	0	19				

Result: Match Drawn

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged		Ringwood (2 nd XI Match)	Ringwood	17/12/1892

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score	33	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
								<u> </u>
								-
			0				0	
			Sundries	-			Sundries	
			Score	86			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Ringwood won on 1st Innings by 53 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Fifteen	Hawthorn	Hawthorn	24/12/1892

FTGCC Batting (2nd)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
G.J. Williams	24		T.E. Dobson	0	
D. Dobson	3		E. Poole	3*	
H.T. Calder	2		H. Monk	0	
R.A. Crawford	0		J. Dobson	0	
J.M. Doyle	4				
J.S. Crawford	11		Sundries	5	
F.N. Stevens	0		Score	52	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

	1 st Innings					2 nd Inı	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Fenton	В		F.N. Stevens	1				
Geddes *	C&B		F.N. Stevens	17				
Hunter	C&B		J.S. Crawford	15				
A. Hatherley		NOT OUT		27				
Turner	Stp	H.T. Calder	F.N. Stevens	0				
Greaves	В		G.J. Williams	14				
H. Hatherley	В		J.S. Crawford	1				
L. Hatherley	В		J.M. Doyle	19				
T. Austen	В		J.M. Doyle	0				
G. Beggs	В		T.E. Dobson	0				
Mowbray	В		J.M. Doyle	3				
* Took 6/33			Sundries	11			Sundries	
			Score	108			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	
F.N. Stevens			3						
J.S. Crawford			2						
G.J. Williams			1						
J.M. Doyle			3						
T.E. Dobson			1						

Result: Hawthorn won on 1st Innings by 56 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Sixteen	North Melbourne Rovers	Ferntree Gully Hotel	Monday 26/12/1892

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
R.A. Crawford	2		H.T. Calder	20*	
A.R. Lording	32		F.N. Stevens	2	
C.A. Williams	53		G.E. Selman	13	
E.D. Selman	29		T.E. Dobson	2	
J.M. Doyle	32		A.E. Selman/D. Dobson	6/2	
G.J. Williams	3		Sundries	11	
J.S. Crawford	11		Score	216	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman
3 rd Wicket	67	C.A. Williams	E.D. Selman

Opposition Batting

		1 st In	nings			2 nd Inr	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
E.E. Lording	Stp	H.T. Calder	E.D. Selman	17				
Fuchop	В		C.A. Williams	19				
Fagg	В		E.D. Selman	7				
D. Fox		RUN OUT		7				
J. McIntyre	В		F.N. Stevens	8				
W. McIntyre	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
Lucas	В		C.A. Williams	4				
Chrystal	В		F.N. Stevens	8				
Vaughan	В		C.A. Williams	3				
F. Lording		NOT OUT		4				
Read	В		C.A. Williams	0				
Fox	В		C.A. Williams	1				
McIndoe		Absent		0				
			Sundries	-			Sundries	
			Score	78			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings			2 nd Innings				
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
E.D. Selman			2	23				
F.N. Stevens			3	29				
C.A. Williams			5	26				

Result: Ferntree Gully won by 138 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Seventeen	Canterbury	Ferntree Gully	31/12/1892

FTGCC Batting (1st)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
J.S. Crawford	2		Cr. R.H. Kerr (Shire Pres.)	0	
G.J. Williams	18		F.N. Stevens	14	
J.M. Doyle	125		G. Charman	4	
E.D. Selman	10		F.J. Charman	24	
E.C. Blazey	77*				
M.T. Doyle	8		Sundries	18	
G.E. Selman	20		Score	320	

FOW: 1/13 2/36 3/67 4/100 5/122 6/153 7/276 8/276 9/283 10/320

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman
4 th Wicket	143	E.C. Blazey	J.M. Doyle

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	nings			2 nd Inr	ings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	an Bowler Scr		Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Cr. McBeath	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
Cr. Scott	В		J.S. Crawford	7				
Clayton (Town Clerk)	C&B		F.N. Stevens	2				
Hadlam		RUN OUT		4				
McPherson	C	R.H. Kerr	E.D. Selman	37				
Keast	C	E.D. Selman	J.S. Crawford	3				
G. Quarterman	LBW		E.D. Selman	7				
Douglas	В		F.N. Stevens	4				
J. Quarterman		NOT OUT		25				
Moody	В		E.C. Blazey	6				
Johnson	В		E.C. Blazey	1				
			Sundries	1			Sundries	
			Score	97			Score	1/58

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings					2 nd Innings		
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
F.N. Stevens			4	40				
J.S. Crawford			2	23				
E.D. Selman			1	28				
E.C. Blazey			2	2				

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 223 runs, no Canterbury 2nd innings bowling figures recorded

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)	
Arranged		St. Vincent (2 nd XI Game)	Ferntree Gully Hotel	Sunday 1/1/1893	

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score	111	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
								1
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score	114			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: St. Vincent's won by 3 runs on 1st Innings

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Eighteen	Cozen's & Harvey (XIV)	Ferntree Gully Oval	7/1/1893

FTGCC Batting (XIV)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
H. Monk	12		F.N. Stevens	Absent	
F.J. Charman	8		T.E. Dobson	2	
M.T. Doyle	2		G. Charman	19	
J.S. Crawford	4		T. Jones	11	
E.D. Selman	16		E. Poole	15*	
G.J. Williams	78		E. Dobson	4	
G.E. Selman	0		Sundries	5	
A.R. Lording	7		Score	183	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inr	nings			2 nd In	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Pocklington	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
C. Downey	В		J.S. Crawford	6				
J. Masdyke	С		T.E. Dobson	3				
M. Ellis	C&B		F.N. Stevens	3				
Frame	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
Austen	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
W. Sampson	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
W. Gibb	В		F.N. Stevens	3				
F. Fountain	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
O. See	В		G.J. Williams	5				
P. Brookes	C&B		G.J. Williams	0				
T. Clarke	В		G.J. Williams	0				
A. Campbell	В		G.J. Williams	1				
A. Knight		NOT OUT		0*				
_			Sundries	2			Sundries	
			Score	23			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	vers Maids Wkts Runs C		Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	
F.N. Stevens			7	<10				
G.J. Williams			4	<8				
J.S. Crawford			1					
T.E. Dobson			1					

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 160 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Nineteen	St. Kilda Tradesmen	St. Kilda	Thursday 12/1/1893

FTGCC Batting

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
T. Jones	27				
O.S. Williams	30				
McIndoe					
G.J. Williams					
E.E. Lording					
			Sundries		
			Score	83	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings		2 nd Innings			
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
P. McShane				32				
G. Palmer				15				
Smiley				18				
Wilson				14				
Clark				12				
Thompson								
Punshon								
Hants								
Allen								
Ritchie								
Hubbard								
			Sundries	3			Sundries	
			Score	104			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
O.S. Williams			3	19				
McIndoe			2	43				
G.J. Williams			4	28				
E.E. Lording			1	11				

Result: St. Kilda Tradesmen won on 1st Innings by 21 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty	Dandenong	Dandenong	14/1 & 21/1/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
E.D. Selman	59	22	H. Monk	7	
G.J. Williams	12	41	M.T. Doyle	3	
F.G. Lording	24	1*	A.R. Lording	2*	
E.E. Lording	16	4	F.N. Stevens	3	
J.M. Doyle	1				
W. Williams	5	82*	Sundries	8	3
J.S. Crawford	3		Score	143	3/153

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman
3 rd Wicket	113	W. Williams	G.J. Williams

Opposition Batting

		1 st	Innings			2 nd Inı	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Kirkpatrick	LBW		E.D. Selman	40				
R. Keys	LBW		E.D. Selman	8				
Wilkinson		RUN OUT		8				
Hobbs	В		G.J. Williams	1				
Purdy	В		J.S. Crawford	2				
Geo. Hyde		NOT OUT		47				
Ivo Evans	В		G.J. Williams	12				
H. Renfree	В		G.J. Williams	0				
Jack Keys	В		J.M. Doyle	12				
A. Evans	В		J.M. Doyle	2				
Ike Keys	С	Unknown	F.N. Stevens	0				
			Sundries	32			Sundries	
			Score	162			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings					2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs		
E.D. Selman			2	26						
G.J. Williams			3	33						
F.N. Stevens			1	15						
J.S. Crawford			1	21						
J.M. Doyle			2	20						

Result: Dandenong won on 1st Innings by 19 runs, after they were 3/58 overnight in pursuit of our score of 143

NOTE: It is believe that this match was the first one of Two day duration that the club participated in

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged		Croydon (2 nd XI Game)	Ferntree Gully Hotel	14 & 21/1/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
A. Westley	0				
D. Dobson	3*				
J. Westley	4*				
			Sundries	5	
			Score	Day 1 1/12	3/130 Dec.

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
S. Styles	В			12				
C. Walker	С			14				
Neilson	В			7				
Evans	С			17				
C. Styles	В			0				
Silcock	С			10				
McGivern	В			27				
Hardidge	С			4				
Goble	В			1				
H. Godfrey	С			5				
W. Godfrey		NOT OUT		1				
-			Sundries	11			Sundries	
			Score	109			Score	61

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 7 Wickets

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty One	Prahran Tradesmen	Ferntree Gully Hotel	Thursday 19/1/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
G.J. Williams	22		M.T. Doyle	4	
A.R. Lording	11		F.N. Stevens	16	
J.M. Doyle	0		G. Charman	10	
E.C. Blazey	25		T. Jones	0*	
E.D. Selman	4				
J.S. Crawford	8		Sundries	8	
T.E. Dobson	4		Score	112	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inr	nings		2 nd Innings			
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
O. Williams**	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
P. Farley	LBW		F.N. Stevens	0				
C.N. Daly	Stp	Unknown	F.N. Stevens	8				
J. Wallace	С	A.R. Lording	J.S. Crawford	16				
Davis	С	J.M. Doyle	J.S. Crawford	8				
A. Vaughan	В		J.S. Crawford	4				
Morrison	С	E.D. Selman	J.S. Crawford	0				
W. Williams (sub)		NOT OUT		7				
Stuart	В		F.N. Stevens	3				
Langley		RUN OUT		0				
Conquest	В		F.N. Stevens	1				
** Took 7/43 vs			Sundries	2			Sundries	
FTGCC			Score	49			Score	4/70

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	
F.N. Stevens			5	12					
J.S. Crawford			4	26					
J.M. Doyle							4	20	
_		Rem	0	9					

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 63 runs

NOTE: Oliver Williams took 7/43 for the opposition team!

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty Two	Middle Park	Ferntree Gully Hotel	28/1/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	
J.S. Crawford	5					
W. Williams	65					
E.E. Lording	100					
E.C. Blazey	17					
E.D. Selman	29					
J.M. Doyle	1		Sundries	9		
G.J. Williams	36*		Score	6/262		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman
2 nd Wicket	147	E.E. Lording	W. Williams

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings		2 nd Innings			
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Bond								
Howard								
Honeybone								
Falconbridge								
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score				Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Match Drawn

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty Three	Richmond 2 nd XI	Ferntree Gully Hotel	4/2/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
E.D. Selman	19		W. Williams	31	
A.R. Lording	29		J.M. Doyle	3	
M.T. Doyle	6		F.J. Charman	14*	
J.S. Crawford	3		F.N. Stevens		
G.J. Williams	54				
E.C. Blazey	95*		Sundries	18	
T.E. Dobson	4		Score	8/276	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman
5 th Wicket	71	E.C. Blazey	G.J. Williams
7 th Wicket	92	E.C. Blazey	W. Williams

Opposition Batting

		1 st Innings 2 nd Innings				nings		
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Knewing								
Hutton								
S. Slick								
Selman (Sub)								
Ashford								
Hardy								
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score				Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Match Drawn

Grade	Round	Opponent	ent Played	
Arranged	Twenty Four	Ferguson & Mitchell	Ferntree Gully Hotel	11/2/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
F.J. Charman	55*				
E.C. Blazey	39				
W. Williams	24				
F.N. Stevens	20*				
E.D. Selman					
G.J. Williams			Sundries	9	
			Score	2/147	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman
1st Wicket	68	F.J. Charman	E.C. Blazey
2 nd Wicket	51	F.J. Charman	W. Williams

Opposition Batting

		1 st In	nings			2 nd In	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Payne *		NOT OUT		34				
G.E. Selman (Sub)	В		E.C. Blazey	32				
Walters	В		E.D. Selman	0				
Malchim	В		E.D. Selman	4				
Wood	В		E.D. Selman	0				
Nicholls	В		E.D. Selman	4				
Butler	В		G.J. Williams	3				
Thornton	В		G.J. Williams	9				
Breen		RUN OUT		0				
G. Charman (Sub)	В		E.C. Blazey	0				
Morgan	В		E.C. Blazey	0				
*Batted through the			Sundries	4			Sundries	
entire innings			Score	88			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			gs 2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
E.C. Blazey			3					
E.D. Selman			4					
G.J. Williams			3					

Result: Ferntree Gully won on first innings by 59 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty Five	Melbourne	Wesley College	18/2/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
G.J. Williams	29				
E.D. Selman	19				
F.N. Stevens	15				
J.S. Crawford	14				
			Sundries		
			Score	98	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Innings				2 nd Inn	ings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
R. Green			E.D. Selman	86				
F. Loughnan			E.D. Selman	27				
H. Culliton			E.D. Selman	26				
R.C. Wardill		NOT OUT		22				
A. Amiss			E.D. Selman	10				
D. White								
J.T. Downing								
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score	7/218			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings 2 nd Innings			1 st Innings				
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
E.D. Selman			4					

Result: Melbourne won on 1st Innings by 120 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty Six	Dandenong	Ferntree Gully Hotel	25/2 & 4/3/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
G.J. Williams	36				
E.D. Selman	13				
W. Williams	30*				
E.E. Lording	27*				
E.C. Blazey					
T.E. Dobson			Sundries	3	In an hour
J.O. Lording			Score	2/109	& 20 mins

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman
3 rd Wicket	60*	W. Williams	E.E. Lording

Opposition Batting

		1 st	nnings			2 nd In	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Geo Hyde	С	E.C. Blazey	E.D. Selman	18				
H. Renfree	В		G.J. Williams	5				
E. Williams	С	T.E. Dobson	G.J. Williams	0				
Wilkinson (WK)	В		E.D. Selman	10				
Purdy	В		E.C. Blazey	26				
J. Keys	С	E.D. Selman	J.O. Lording	21				
Ivo Evans	В		E.C. Blazey	102				
R. Keys	В		G.J. Williams	52				
Hobbs	В		E.C. Blazey	5				
Price	В		E.C. Blazey	0				
A. Evans		NOT OUT		6				
			Sundries	18			Sundries	
			Score	263			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
E.D. Selman			2	39				
G.J. Williams			3	69				
E.C. Blazey			4	41				
J.O. Lording			1	34				

Result: Match Drawn after Dandenong batted the entire innings resuming on Day 2 at 6/219

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty Seven	Marylebone (Sth Melb)	Ferntree Gully Hotel	11/3/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score	8/117 Dec.	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Innings				2 nd Inı	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score	78			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1^{st} Innings by 39 runs, after we recovered from 4/12 (No individual results obtained to date – May 2013)

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	_	Steele's Employee's	Ferntree Gully	18/3/1893

FTGCC 2nd XI Batting (2nd)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
J. Dobson					
T.E. Dobson					
E. Poole					
H. Monk					
			Sundries		
			Score	103	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Innings				2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr		
								_		
			Sundries				Sundries			
			Score	44			Score	7/36		

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
E. Poole								
H. Monk								
J. Dobson								

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 59 runs (No individual results obtained to date – May 2013)

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty Eight	South Melbourne Ramblers	Ferntree Gully	18/3/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
W. Williams	0		F.N. Stevens		
C.N. Daly	3				
E.D. Selman	21				
G.J. Williams	22				
F.G. Lording	28*				
A.E. Selman	0		Sundries	6	
G.E. Selman	10*		Score	5/90	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st In	nings			2 nd Inr	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Dunn	В		E.D. Selman	5				
Fawcett	С	C.N. Daly	E.D. Selman	5				
Ah Mouy		RUN OUT		0				
McLeery	С	F.N. Stevens	G.J. Williams	11				
Cockram	Stp	F.G. Lording	G.J. Williams	8				
Boyes	С	F.G. Lording	F.N. Stevens	14				
Maginnis	С	G.J. Williams	F.N. Stevens	8				
Smith		RUN OUT		5				
Thornby	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
James	В		F.N. Stevens	2				
F. James		NOT OUT		5				
_			Sundries	4			Sundries	
			Score	67			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
F.N. Stevens			4	13				
G.J. Williams			3	35				
E.D. Selman			1	15				

Result: Ferntree Gully won on 1st Innings by 5 wickets

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged			Ferntree Gully	25/3/1893

FTGCC 2nd XI Batting (N/A)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Sundries Score		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	nings	2 nd Innings				
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score				Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs Maids Wkts Runs			Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	

Result: Match abandoned when the opponents did not arrive

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty Nine		Ferntree Gully	25/3/1893

FTGCC Batting (N/A)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Sundries Score		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	nings		2 nd Innings			
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score				Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings			2 nd Innings				
Name	Overs	Overs Maids Wkts Runs			Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Match abandoned when the opponents did not arrive

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Thirty	George Robinson & Co.	Ferntree Gully	1/4/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
F.J. Charman	10		A.E. Selman	2	
G.E. Selman	27		F.N. Stevens	13*	
G.J. Williams	79				
E.D. Selman	10				
E.C. Blazey	31				
F.G. Lording	4		Sundries	13	
J.S. Crawford	24*		Score	8/213	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inı	nings			2 nd Inı	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Plaisted	В		E.D. Selman	8				
J. Walton	В		F.N. Stevens	4				
Grace	С	J.S. Crawford	E.D. Selman	7				
Fielding	В		E.D. Selman	0				
Vautin	В		F.N. Stevens	8				
Aspinall	С	F.G. Lording	G.J. Williams	19				
Kenny	С	F.G. Lording	F.N. Stevens	0				
Walton		NOT OUT		43				
Prince	С	E.D. Selman	G.J. Williams	8				
Stewart	В		J.S. Crawford	11				
Stringer	Stp	F.G. Lording	J.S. Crawford	0				
			Sundries	8			Sundries	
			Score	116			Score	

FTGCC Bowling

		1 st Innings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
E.D. Selman			3					
F.N. Stevens			3					
G.J. Williams			2					
J.S. Crawford			2					

Result: Ferntree won on 1st innings by 97 runs

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged		Ringwood 2 nd XI	Ferntree Gully	1/4/1893

FTGCC 2nd XI Batting (Unk)

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
H. Monk					
G. Charman					
			Sundries		
			Score	Unk	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inn	ings			2 nd Inı	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Johnson				35				
McComb				20				
Swindon				13				
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score				Score	

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings			2 nd Innings				
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Ringwood won on 1st Innings by 2 wickets and 52 runs – no individual results obtained to date (May 2013)

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Thirty One	Chatsworth	Ferntree Gully	Monday 3/4/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
F.J. Charman	0		R.A. Crawford	15*	
E.D. Selman	0	8*	G.E. Selman	7	
G.J. Williams	1	40*	F.N. Stevens	0	
F.G. Lording	23		J.S. Crawford	1	15
H.T. Calder	0				
A.E. Selman	3		Sundries	1	0
A.R. Lording	4		Score	55	2/63 Dec

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Inı	nings			2 nd Inı	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
Murray	В		G.J. Williams	13				
Williamson	Stp	F.G. Lording	F.N. Stevens	2				
Johnson	В		F.N. Stevens	0				
Bogle	В		F.N. Stevens	3				
Hunter	С	F.N. Stevens	G.J. Williams	3				
Cronin	В		F.N. Stevens	10				
J. Williamson	С	A.R. Lording	F.N. Stevens	1				
Cox	С	J.S. Crawford	F.N. Stevens	6				
Stewart	В		G.J. Williams	3				
Chapman		NOT OUT		5				
Duncan	В		G.J. Williams	9				
			Sundries	7			Sundries	
			Score	62			Score	7/45

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings			2 nd Innings				
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
F.N. Stevens			6	<25				
G.J. Williams			4					

Result: Chatsworth won on 1st innings by 7 runs (No 2nd Innings bowling figures available)

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Thirty two	Narre Warren	Ferntree Gully Hotel	8/4/1893

FTGCC Batting

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn
			Sundries		
			Score	8/270	

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman

Opposition Batting

		1 st Innings				2 nd In	nings	
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr
			Sundries				Sundries	
			Score	28			Score	15

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings			2 nd Innings				
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs

Result: Ferntree Gully won Outright by an Innings and 227 runs

NOTE: This is reported as 177 in the DEXP (19/4/1893)

Grade	Round	Opponent	Played	Date(s)
Arranged	Twenty Eight	North Melbourne	Ferntree Gully Hotel	Friday 21/4/1893

Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	Name	1 st Inn	2 nd Inn	
F.G. Lording	23		T.E. Dobson			
E.E. Lording	11					
E.C. Blazey	36					
W. Williams	0					
G.J. Williams	1					
J.S. Crawford	12*		Sundries	16		
F.N. Stevens	2*		Score	5/101		

Partnerships

Wkt	Score	Not Out Batsman	Out Batsman		

Opposition Batting

		1 st In	nings			2 nd Innings			
Name	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	Out	Fieldsman	Bowler	Scr	
J. Carlton	С	F.G. Lording	J.S. Crawford	6					
J. Drape		Retired Hurt		101					
C. Armstrong	LBW		G.J. Williams	8					
J. Lazarus	В		F.N. Stevens	10					
E.E. Bean	В		E.C. Blazey	6					
A. Carlton	В		F.G. Lording	21					
E. Armstrong	С	J.S. Crawford	F.G. Lording	14					
Gourlay	В		F.G. Lording	8					
Nairn		NOT OUT		1					
I. Drape	С	T.E. Dobson	F.G. Lording	2					
Oliver	С	F.G. Lording	J.S. Crawford	16					
			Sundries	6			Sundries		
			Score	198			Score		

FTGCC Bowling

	1 st Innings				2 nd Innings			
Name	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs	Overs	Maids	Wkts	Runs
F.G. Lording			4	33				
J.S. Crawford			2	58				
G.J. Williams			1	27				
F.N. Stevens			1	36				
E.C. Blazey			1	21				

Result: Match Drawn

NOTE: The E.E. (Ernie) Bean representing North Melbourne played 1st Class cricket for Victoria between 1887/88 and 1905/06 and also won Club Batting and Bowling averages before becoming the doyen of Club and Victorian cricket secretary's in the post war years. J. (Jack) Carlton also represented Victoria between 1890/91 and 1896/97 and A. (Alf) Carlton between 1892/93 and 1900/01 and I. (Isaac 'Ike') Drape – 1893/94 to 1894/95