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CITY OF SALFORD

CULTURAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

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SALFORD: U129
 Records of Adelphi Lads' Club, 1888-1980, n.d.
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 per Manchester Studies Unit, Manchester Polytechnic,
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In 1868 the Adelphi Ragged School was established. In 1888, Walter Southern, one of the School's teachers, arranged to meet his class one evening weekly for recreation, drill, etc., the first of these meetings being held on 3 October. The Club was formally established a few months later, membership being limited to scholars of the Ragged School. Its first title was "The Adelphi Ragged School Lads' Evening Club", later "The Adelphi Ragged School and Lads' Club" and, from 1890, the Adelphi Lads' Club. For accounts of its history see U129/21.

For lists of material collected by the Manchester Studies Unit and for information on the Club, see A/TR294. For records of its Old Boys' Association see U130.

ADMINISTRATION

Minutes

U129/LM1 Signed minutes, annual general meetings or meetings of the executive or other committees of the Club (1 vol.) 1931-48

/AM2 Signed minutes, annual general meetings, 1955-62, and meetings of the executive committee, 1955-63, of the Club (1 vol.) 1955-63

Administrative miscellanea

/AZ1 Typed list of caretaker's duties (1 doc.) 1922

/AZ2 Blank camp subscription card (1 doc.) n.d.

COMMITTEES

/CO1/AM1 Signed minutes, committee of Adelphi Ragged School Lads' Evening Club (1 vol., poor condition) 1889-96

/C1 Note of suggestions from the "Joint Conciliation Board for the Consideration of the Teachers" of the Ragged School (1 doc.) 1895

/C2 Letter from Walter Southern apparently referring to matters as in U129/CO1/C1 (1 doc.) 1895

UNOFFICIAL COLLECTIONS

COMMITTEES (contd.)

U129/C02/AM1	Signed minutes, joint committee of workers of the Adelphi Ragged School and the Adelphi Lads' Club, 20 Nov., 1894 (1 vol.)	1894
/C03/AM1	Signed minutes, committee for Adelphi Lads' Club and Ragged School Extension Scheme comprising delegates of both the Club and the School, 1937-38 (1 vol. enclosing letters, accounts, newspaper cuttings and other loose papers relating to the Extension Scheme, 1937-38, n.d.)	1937-38, n.d.
CORRESPONDENCE		
/C1-2	Letters of thanks on receipt of "Remembrance Books" (see U129/Z2/2) (2 docs.)	1921-22
/C3-4	Two letters concerning the estate of John Dempsey deceased (2 docs.)	1965
ESTATE		
/E1	Typescript copy of valuation of goods part of the estate of John Dempsey deceased (1 doc.)	1965
FINANCE		
/F1	Journal of accounts of Club (1 vol., poor condition)	1891-99
/F2	"Canteen a/cs" (1 vol. enclosing loose receipts)	1947-49
/F3/1	Accounts apparently for recording contributions towards cost of attending camp (1 vol.)	1962-68
/2	Account for camp chiefly for recording contributions towards cost and also with figures for "savings at camp" (1 vol. enclosing loose papers incl. printed notice advertising the camp amended for use in 1973)	1968-73
/F4/1	Adelphi Lads' Club Harriers, record consisting chiefly of accounts (with other records e.g. copies of rules and notes of members, fixtures, officers and winners) (1 vol.)	1923-38
/2	Adelphi Lads' Club Harriers, accounts, 1938-39, 1946-49 (1 vol.)	1938-39, 1946-49
/F5	Bills and receipts from Salford Corporation in respect of paving, gas, electricity and water (7 docs., 2 joined together)	1915
/F6	Receipt for profit from canteen (1 doc.)	1948
/F7	Printed card for collection of old clothes, etc., used for rough financial notes (1 doc.)	n.d.
OFFICIAL		
/O1	Certificate of Merit awarded to the Club by the Manchester and District Lads' Clubs Federation as runners up in the 1st Division Football League and in the "B" section, 1945-46 (1 doc. badly marked, in wooden frame)	?1946

UNOFFICIAL COLLECTIONS

OFFICIAL (contd.):

U129/02	List of "Rosette Lads 1909-10" (1 doc., slightly torn)	c.1909
/03	Notice with Club's motto for year 1977 (1 doc.)	?1976
/04	Printed annual reports, 78th for year 1967 and 90th for year 1979 presumably printed in years 1968 and 1980 (2 pamphlets)	1968, 1980
	REGISTRATION	
/R1/1-5	Registers (5 vols.) U129/R1/1-4 were used for recording attendance and from 1889 for noting payment by members in the form of stamped entries, "Paid". From 1891 to 1894 there were separate registers for attendance (U129/R1/5, 7) and for noting payment (U129/R1/6, 8). From 1895 registers had just the stamped weekly entries "Paid", presumably indicating attendance as well as payment. The registers usually note name, address and age and have weekly entries though U129/R1/5, 7 omit address and age from 1890. U129/R1/5-6 overlap in dates. The registers often include information on the officers of the Club.	1888-91
	U129/R1/1-4 have the stamp "Adelphi Ragged School Lads' Evening Club", U129/R1/5 the stamp "Adelphi Lads' Club". U129/R1/6 is marked "Pay Book" on the cover.	
/6-39	Registers containing information as indicated above (34 vols., U129/R1/22 enclosing a completed enrolment form)	1891-1911, 1912-19, 1920-30, 1931-38
/40	Register for seniors, 1937-39, 1943-51 (1 vol., names for 1937 extracted from list in U129/R1/39)	1937-39, 1943-51
/41	Register for seniors or youths (1 vol.)	1952-63
/42-46	Registers for juniors (5 vols.)	1944-71
/R2	Register, "Men's Club", ages omitted and names not corresponding with those in U129/R1/40 (1 pamphlet)	1939-40
/R3	"Adelphi Lads' Club Index" containing names arranged by years under alphabetical order of first letter of surnames (1 vol.)	1930-34
/R4/1-4	Sunday School registers (4 pamphlets)	1950

UNOFFICIAL COLLECTIONS

REGISTRATION (contd.)

Written Roll of Honour containing:

c.1915-22

Entries "Entered in Book up to Oct. 23rd 1920",
incl. details of name, regiment and home and
service addresses, arranged in alphabetical
order of first letter of surname, with references
to names entered in "New Book", c.1915 onwards;
List of men killed arranged in alphabetical order,
incl. details of regiment and of date of birth,
?1918-19;

List of men returned, arranged in alphabetical
order, incl. details of regiment, ?1918-19;

List of men believed to have returned, arranged
in alphabetical order; ?1918-19;

Lists of abbreviations used for ranks, regiments
and corps, n.d.;

Lists of recipients of "Book" (presumably
U129/Z2/2) during years 1921-22

(1 vol. enclosing loose sheet giving totals relating
to distribution of Remembrance Books; binding worn)

LITERARY AND MISCELLANEOUS

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|---------|---|---|
| /Z1 | Club <u>Weekly News</u> , vols. 4-5, 7-8, 10, 13-14, 16
(incomplete) (8 items comprising sheets stapled
together; kept in damp condition) | 1900-02,
1903-05,
1906-07,
1909-11,
1912-13 |
| /Z2/1-3 | Publications of the Club or the Old Boys' Association: | 1913-49 |
| /1 | <u>Souvenir of twenty-five years' work 1888-1913</u>
(1 pamphlet); | ?1913 |
| /2 | <u>In Remembrance of the 1080 members who served
their country in the Great War 1914-1919</u>
(1 pamphlet); | n.d. |
| /3 | <u>The Story of Adelphi: sixty years history of the
Adelphi Lads' Club 1888-1948</u> , written by Henry
Hill (1 booklet) | 1949 |
| /Z3 | <u>Manchester Battalion News of the Boys' Brigade</u> ,
issues for Sept., 1925, Feb., 1926, and May, 1929
(3 leaflets) | 1925-26,
1929 |

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LITERARY AND MISCELLANEOUS

U129/z2/1-	Publications of the Club:	1949, n.d.
/2 (addnl. copy)	<u>In Remembrance of the 1080 members who served their country in the Great War 1914-1919</u> (1 pamphlet, stained by water and margin of first page missing);	n.d.
/3 (addnl. copy)	<u>The Story of Adelphi: sixty years history of the Adelphi Lads' Club 1888-1948, written by Henry Hill (1 booklet)</u> (1 pamphlet, 1 booklet)	1949

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U129/AM3	ADMINISTRATION Signed meetings, annual or other general meetings, 1963-77, and meetings of the Executive Committee, 1964-79 (1 vol.)	1963-79
/CO4/AM1	COMMITTEES Signed minutes, meetings of the Buildings' Committee comprising delegates of both the Club and the Ragged School, with also lists of conditions of duties of caretaker and attached brief report on visit to Richmond Lecture Hall and used for some weeks by the Club and the Ragged School (1 vol. containing writing and also attached typescript sheets; cover missing, badly damaged by damp)	1922
/04	OFFICIAL Printed annual report, 7th annual report for year 1918 (1 leaflet, found torn)	1919
/05	Order of service, Lads' Club 4th Memorial Service (1 printed leaflet)	1918
/R1/47	REGISTRATION Register, marked "Youths" (1 vol., much stained)	1939-42
/48	Registers for "Youths" or "Seniors" (1 vol., worn)	1963-82
/49	Register for "Juniors" (1 vol., binding weak)	1972-82
/Z1 (contd.)	LITERARY AND MISCELLANEOUS <u>Adelphi Lads' Club Weekly News</u> , printed leaflets incl. extracts from the letters of members serving in the Forces in France and elsewhere (235 leaflets incl. duplicate copies, incomplete series)	1915-20
/Z4	Extract from the <u>Salford City Reporter Advertiser</u> describing the Club with photographic illustrations, 29 Oct. (1 doc.)	1982

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Administrative miscellanea

U129/AZ3

Invitation card to Centenary dinner dance (2 docs.)

1988

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CORRESPONDENCE

Correspondence with other papers or copies, partly relating to the state of the building, incl. photocopies of docs. relating to a visit to the Club in 1982 by H.R.H. the Duke of Gloucester and letters referring to other matters, 1978-83, n.d., with duplicated copy of accounts in 1973 and docs. or photocopies (incl. photocopy of trust deed of 1892 and of appointments under it to 1939) of papers apparently regarding application in 1974 for rate relief, 1973, [1974], n.d. (1 stationery wallet enclosing docs.)

1973-83,
n.d.

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FINANCE

Printed certificates of sums due for work done and receipts acknowledging receipt of sums due (2 bdles.)

1921-22

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For records of Adelphi Lads' Club see U129. For information on
the history of the Association, which was founded in 1911, see U129/Z1.

ADMINISTRATION

U130/AM1 Signed minutes, annual general meetings or committee
meetings, Adelphi Lads' Club Old Boys' Association 1932-54,
(incl. some attached printed annual reports and n.d.
accounts), 1932-52 (1 vol. enclosing bdle. of notes
on book-keeping in general, n.d., and loose papers
relating to the Association or to the Lads' Club,
1936, 1947-54, n.d., incl. printed notices and
invitations on the Diamond Jubilee of the Club, 1948,
and membership card for the Association, n.d.)

FINANCE

/F1 Adelphi Old Boys and P.S.A. Book Club, account book
listing members and their payments and withdrawals 1920-23,
(1 vol., poor condition) 1927, n.d.

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OFFICIAL

Printed order of service of thanksgiving to
commemorate the centenary of the Adelphi Lads'
Club (1 leaflet)

1988

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