

Hall Bower look for more income

AN urgent appeal to members to find new sources of income for the club was made at the Hall Bower Cricket Club annual meeting this week.

Reminding members that Hall Bower were the only club in the Huddersfield League without bar facilities, secretary Mr. I. C. Graham warned that more revenue was needed if the club was to continue "and not become a housing estate in future years."

Mr. Graham said that the club were hopeful of securing a spirits licence, which would open up a new source of income — but much more was

needed from members.

The secretary referred to the crippling burden imposed on the club by the Kirklees rate demand for £131, but at the same time he was happy that at least the club had made a small profit of £14.

Despite the club's difficulties, the Ground Improvement Scheme had realised a profit of £555 and the ladies' committee had raised £100.

Mr. Graham reported an unsuccessful playing season, although they had reached the final of the Barnsley Knockout.

"This helped demonstrate the excellent team and club spirit because the £50 prize was generously handed over to the club by the players," said Mr. Graham.

Officials elected were: President, Mr. A. B. Taylor; secretary, Mr. I. C. Graham; treasurer, Mr. G. D. Graham; subscription secretary, Mr. R. Wade; general committee, Messrs. G. Heywood, I. Booth, B. Robertshaw, P. Wallace, S. Heywood, T. Woodhouse, G. Moss, S. Cook, N. Chadwick, T. Kaye, S. Peaker, S. Lawrence, J. Greaves, T. Lynes. League representatives, Mr. J. McShane and Mr. I. Booth.