

# Proteas unlucky with Angels

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## Angels 1, Proteas 1

Proteas, the combined South African Universities hockey team, played their second drawn match in two days of their brief English tour, sharing two goals with the Angels, a roving side whose activities are largely confined to overseas tours, on the Standard Bank ground, Beekenhams yesterday. The Proteas women's team were beaten for the second day running, by a single goal scored for the Angels by Honor Bushnell. Not a demonstrator was in sight.

The men's match was fast and intelligently played and Proteas were a shade unlucky not to score a winning goal. Fit, strong, fast in certain positions and with some of their players as big and tall as

second row forwards, they dominated the first half and came again in the second when Crompton, in goal for the Angels, was called upon to make some gallant saves.

Early on Small, the Proteas centre back, who several times thwarted Angels' attacks, made one of his rare raids and shot over. This was the first taste of things to come. Larkin who combined splendidly in breakaways on the left flank with Kay, repeatedly threatened and once Svehlik, the England international, only just managed to run the ball off him as he prepared to shoot.

In reply Angels' efforts at scoring were modest: a fierce shot from a short corner by Svehlik, a specialist at this, which Small pushed round the corner, and a shot by Stephenson that was well saved. When, after four minutes of the second half, Meeres scored

after Childs had worked the ball down the left wing, it looked as if the Angels were at the point of gaining control.

This proved an illusion. Boonzaier equalized with a cracking shot off a pass from Bray and soon Proteas were urgently seeking their favourite breakaways. This time it was Ellis their tall centre half, who dominated the play. Several times Angels, in attempting counter-attacks, and throwing everything into attack, left their defence dangerously open.

ANGELS.—D. Crompton (Letchworth); M. MacMahon (Teddington); P. Svehlik (England and Cambridge University); B. Christensen (Denmark and Beekenhams); P. Siebert (Richmond); J. Pollock (Guildford); A. Jones (Wales and Surbiton); G. Wilkinson (Guildford); A. Stephenson (Guildford); R. Meeres (Wales and Richmond); P. Childs (Guildford).

PROTEAS.—I. Richter (University of Cape Town); B. Small (University of Natal); J. de Villiers (Witwatersrand University); M. Martin (Witwatersrand University); A. Ellis (Witwatersrand University); A. Forbes (Witwatersrand University); N. Berman (Witwatersrand University); K. Kay (Natal University); T. Larkin (Natal University); B. Boonzaier (Natal University); M. Bray (University of Cape Town).

Umpires.—M. L. Pecker (S.C.H.U.A.) and D. Bell (Proteas).