ROWING.

A L Y S T H E S I C S.

It is announced that Mr. B. W. Johnstone has been engaged as manager of the Australia International Rowing Club, and that the club has been reorganized under his management. Mr. Johnstone is a well-known rower and has considerable experience in the rowing business. He is expected to bring about a considerable improvement in the club's affairs.

CRICKET.

Our London correspondent states that the Australians have had a good victory over the South Africans. The match was played in front of a large crowd, and the Australians were generally considered the better team. The match ended with the Australians winning by 100 runs.

THOUGHT "TERM ON THIS PLANET" WAS ENDED.

C L E M E N T S T O N I C M A K E S A R A P I D R E V E A L.

(See a special report.)

The public will be interested to learn how it came about that the world's greatest rower and skater defected and took up residence in a mysterious Pacific island. The rower and skater's name was Albert D. Smith, and he has been living in the island for the past six months.

B O W L S.

The New Zealand Bowling team is expected to arrive in Melbourne shortly, and all arrangements are in progress for a match with the Australian team. The match will take place in front of a large crowd, and is expected to be a keen one.

B O X I N G.

Jack O'Brien, of Philadelphia, has cabled to his father, "Match for 100 for your son. Thank you for sending for the match.

The New South Wales Cricket Club's suggestion of an Australian team to be sent to London to compete in English championship matches has been accepted. The Australian team will consist of 12 players, and is expected to make a good showing in England.