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The Late Hon. Sir John Colton, K.C.M.G.

It is with the deepest regret that we record the death on February 6 of our esteemed Treasurer, the Hon. Sir John Colton, K.C.M.G. The Head Master called an assembly on the following morning and told many facts about the career of this great and good man, and reminded us of how long he had been a great supporter of the College and a liberal friend to it. He was one of the gentlemen who in 1865 undertook the responsibility of purchasing at auction the land on which the College has since been built. He was then made Treasurer of the institution, and has held that post to the close of his life. The first scholarships were founded by the liberality of Sir John (then Mr.) Colton and

his partner in business, Mr. Longbottom, and bear their names. And every year since, sometimes in large donations, as in the thousand pounds he gave when the northern wing was being built, and sometimes in steady subscriptions to sports and prizes funds, he has continued to show a practical interest in the boys and in the school he loved so well. His powerful influence as a leading public man in church and state secured many other friends for the College, gave it stability, and helped to bring about its success. A picture by McCormac in our reading room, "presented by the Committee and old scholars in 1887," gives a speaking likeness of the tall, dignified, courteous gentleman whom we used to see at every public gathering at or about the College, but whom we shall see there no more.

The Scholarships we Aim at.

The first term has come and gone. It takes one some time after the excitement of Christmas time and the long summer holidays to realise "where we are"—"*s'orienter*" the French master would say. But by the beginning of the second term all who mean to do anything have settled down to the collar. The senior boys have turned to the Scholarship lists and scanned them and planned the course accordingly, if they are ever to win one. What are they?

The Edward Spicer will be the most sought after. It is of the value of £50 a year for three years. The winner can continue his studies at the Adelaide University, or at any other place of learning of which the Committee of the College approves. The candidate must be under 18 years of age next December 31st, and must have attended at P.A.C. for the three years immediately preceding. The award is made by the Board of Examiners at the Higher Public Examination of the Adelaide University, and the winner can pursue any line of study he chooses.

The Angus Engineering Exhibition is in the gift of the Adelaide University. It is worth £60 a year for three years. It is open to all who have passed the Senior Public or some equivalent examination, if not over 18 by the first of December. The subjects are two

languages, Mathematics pure and applied, and the sciences of the Higher Public. The winner must proceed to the Adelaide University and take the B.Sc. course.

The Hartley Studentship is open to all and is awarded to the most successful candidate at the Higher Public. It means exemption from fees for three years while proceeding to the B.A. or B.Sc. degrees.

The University Scholarships have been established by the Education Department. Three are offered annually, of the value of £35, £30, and £25 per annum respectively, and tenable for three years. Candidates must be under 18 on December 31st. The award is on the results of the Higher Public, the winners must take the Arts or Sciences course at the University. These cannot be held along with any other Scholarship tenable at the University.

The Old Collegians' Scholarship is yearly presented by the P.A.C. Old Collegians' Association. It is of the value of £15 15s., and is tenable either at the University or at P.A.C. It is awarded on the results of the school examinations held just before Christmas. It cannot be taken twice.

The Colton and Longbottom were the first Scholarships founded at P.A.C. Their deed enacts that they "shall be competed for annually in December and shall be open for com-

petition to all scholars in the highest class in the College." The choice of subjects and the awards are left to the Head Master and it has long been the custom to give the Colton for the highest work we do in languages (ancient and modern), and the Longbottom for the highest work in mathematics (pure and applied). The value is £12 12s. cash or one year's free tuition. The two cannot be held together, nor can either be taken more than once.

The Robb Scholarship and the Malpas Scholarship each entitles to £12 12s. a year, conditional upon continued study at College or at the University. The deed of the former states that Scripture must be included in the subjects of examination and have equal rank with other subjects, and the deed of the latter states that it must be awarded for Natural Science. Neither of these can be taken twice.

The Elder Foundation Scholarships were founded by resolution of the Committee in 1897, on receipt of the Elder Bequest. They are six in number. Two open to the school are offered each year, (one to last two years, and one to last one year). A similar two are offered to outsiders each January. One is open to a boy not higher than the Fifth Form, and under sixteen years of age on December 31st. The examination is on the work of the Fifth Form and is decided by the

Junior Examination if all the candidates are of the Fifth Form; if not, by an examination. The successful candidate is exempt from school fees in the Sixth Form for two years. The other is open to a boy under 15 years of age, and not higher in the school than the Lower Fifth Form. The successful candidate is exempt from fees in the Upper Fifth Form for one year.

This will give an outline of the Scholarships at which the senior boys can aim, and together they form very helpful and encouraging assistance towards continuing their education.

The annual amounts thus receivable form a considerable sum, to say nothing of the principal of which these form the interest.

There are many prizes, too. Three prizes are offered annually at the Senior Examination by the University—£10, £5, £3, to the first, second, and third on the list respectively; and similar amounts at the Junior.

Then there is our Alfred Muecke Prize awarded on the Junior Examination. The Smith History Prize, annually presented for many years by Sir E. T. Smith, K.C.M.G. Arithmetic has its prize from the Adelaide Cricketing Association; Drawing, its from the architect of the College (Mr. Garlick); Neatness, its from Messrs. E. S. Wigg and Son; Recitation, its from Mr. W. C. Rigby.

The College funds provide handsome

books bound in red calf and stamped with the College die for the highest fourth of each class, provided the required standard is reached. Also any boy who wins four quarterly certificates is entitled to a prize if not in the highest fourth of his form at Christmas.

There are medals to be won as well. The earliest to be given was founded by the late Hon. G. W. Cotton, so long Hon. Secretary of the College. This is for Chemistry as applied to Agriculture, and carries the "name on the wall." The Tennyson Medals for English Literature were founded by His Excellency the Governor, in connection with the Higher, Senior, and Junior Public Examinations. They were awarded for the first time last Christmas, and we hope that they will encourage P.A.C. boys amongst others to learn to love the great masters of English and their mighty works.

Our Contemporaries.

We beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt since our last issue of the following:—

- "St. Peter's School Magazine."
- "Way College Boomerang."
- "Prince Albert College Magazine."
- "The Sydneian."
- "The Melburnian."
- "O.B.I. Magazine."

"The Geelong Grammar School Quarterly."

"The Newingtonian."

"King's School Magazine" (Parramatta).

"The Yellow Dragon" (Queen's College, Hong Kong).

"The Roseworthy Student."

"The Nelsonian" (N.Z.)

"The Coerwull Magazine" (N.S.W.)

Cricket.

During the past term interest has been well maintained, and our elevens have given a good account of themselves. The first eleven has played eight matches, in most of which someone has distinguished himself, either with bat or ball. The fielding too has been better; no doubt the work of the Englishmen in the field has raised the standard and improved the tone of a too often neglected branch of the game. Our captain, V. Drew, thanks to a couple of centuries and several not outs, has a remarkable average. His batting has been full of vigor and a treat to watch. Townsend's sudden development as a batsman deserves mention, and we have hopes that he will prove a useful fast bowler—our chief need at present. Christoph, Steele, and Jefferis have all done good work with the ball—it is a pity their styles are so similar.

Several of our younger old boys are coming to the fore in electorate cricket, amongst them our late captain, Alec. Raws, and Roy Hill. We congratulate Kirkwood on his successful first season in Intercolonial cricket. The following reference to him we quote from *Cricket*, a home paper:—"Kirkwood, a young player was one of the few South Australians to show to any advantage with the bat in the New South Wales Match at Adelaide, in the middle of last month. He seems to be a batsman of considerable promise. In view of the uphill game that South Australia had to play, the fact that he got the highest aggregate on the side with 33 and 67 shows that he is not lacking in pluck. Nor will it altogether displease some of the less fastidious of us to learn that 'some of his strokes are not quite orthodox.' If it is true that his style, characteristics, and in the manner in which he holds his bat he is strongly reminiscent of Frank Mitchell, the Yorkshire cricketer, he will be good enough for most of us."

FIRST ELEVEN MATCHES.

P.A.C. v. Waverleys.—Waverley, four for 134; Christoph one for 22, Jefferis one for 27, Bowen two for 45. P.A.C., 129; Drew 31, Hill 18, Cowan 14, Bowen 11, Darling 11.

P.A.C. v. Bankvilles.—Bankville, 117; Steele seven for 49, Christoph one for 17, Jefferis two for 35. P.A.C., one for 118; Drew 76 not out, Bowen 25 not out, Cowan 16.

P.A.C. v. Way College.—Way, three for 79; Christoph three for 36. P.A.C., six for 179; Hill 52, Jefferis 32, Throssell 23, Christoph 18, Townsend 18, Holland 14 not out, Claridge 14.

P.A.C. v. Harrows.—Harrows, five for 179; Jefferis three for 60, Hill one for 14, Cowan one for 21. P.A.C., one for 180; Drew 110 not out, Holland 34, Cowan 30 not out.

P.A.C. v. Havelocks.—Havelock five for 258; Jefferis two for 62, Steel three for 69. P.A.C., two for 79; Hill 20, Darling 29 not out, Christoph 23 not out.

P.A.C. v. Ramblers.—Ramblers, nine for 235; Christoph one for 22, Jefferis six for 92, Townsend one for 21, Steele one for 79. P.A.C., six for 59; Townsend 25, Drew 16.

P.A.C. v. G. & R. Wills.—G. & R. Wills, eight for 69; Christoph three for 22, Townsend one for 14, Steel three for 18, Hill one for 12. P.A.C., four for 223; Steele 43, Hill 24, Townsend 87, Throssell 22, Bowen 29 not out.

P.A.C. v. Bedouins.—Bedouins, nine for 137; Christoph six for 35, Cowan two for 28. P.A.C., one for 154; Drew 101 not out, Cowan 47.

SILVER MEDALS.

Drew, 3—110 not out, 101 not out, 76 not out.

Hill, 1—52.

Townsend, 1—87.

FIRST ELEVEN AVERAGES.

| BATTING. | | | | | |
|--------------|-------|----------|------|----------------|------|
| Batsman. | Inns. | Not Out. | Runs | Highest Score. | Avg. |
| Drew | ... 5 | 3 | 334 | 110* | 167 |
| Townsend... | 3 | 0 | 130 | 87 | 43.3 |
| Bowen | ... 4 | 2 | 69 | 29* | 34.5 |
| Hill | ... 5 | 1 | 115 | 52 | 28.7 |
| Cowan | ... 5 | 1 | 108 | 47 | 27 |
| Darling | ... 4 | 2 | 48 | 29* | 24 |
| Christoph... | 3 | 1 | 46 | 23* | 23 |
| Claridge | ... 2 | 1 | 23 | 14 | 23 |
| Holland | ... 4 | 1 | 58 | 34 | 19.3 |
| Throssell | ... 3 | 0 | 50 | 23 | 16.6 |
| Steele | ... 3 | 0 | 50 | 43 | 16.6 |
| Jefferis | ... 4 | 1 | 33 | 32 | 11 |

* Not out.

BOWLING.

| Bowler. | Balls. | Mdns. | Runs. | Wkts. | Avg. |
|-----------|---------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Christoph | ... 446 | 17 | 202 | 15 | 13.5 |
| Steele | ... 384 | 5 | 277 | 14 | 19.7 |
| Cowan | ... 96 | 3 | 60 | 3 | 20 |
| Jefferis | ... 378 | 4 | 342 | 15 | 22.8 |
| Hill ... | ... 72 | 1 | 47 | 2 | 23.5 |
| Townsend | ... 90 | 3 | 56 | 2 | 28 |
| Bowen | ... 102 | 2 | 103 | 2 | 51.2 |

SECOND ELEVEN MATCHES.

February 10—P.A.C. II. v. Berwicks.—P.A.C., 75; Drew 25, Raws 14, Goode 11. Berwicks, 208 for eight wickets; Raws four for 42, Angwin three for 35, Drew one for 13.

February 22—P.A.C. II. v. Avenues.—P.A.C., 53; Ingleton 12 not out, Dumas 9. Avenues, 45; Clarkson six

for 12, Goode two for 8, Raws one for 3.

March 22—P.A.C. II. v. Riverleas.—P.A.C., 141 for seven wickets; Lowe 50, Goode 50. Riverleas, 76 for four wickets; Goode one for 8, Lowe one for 10, Wood one for 27, Angwin one for 15.

THIRD ELEVEN MATCHES.

P.A.C. III. v. Chapel Street.—Chapel Street, 133; Pflaum six for 43, Clarkson four for 54. P.A.C., 61; Clarkson 25, Lowe 19, Dumas 11.

P.A.C. III. v. University College.—University College, 110; Pflaum seven for 23, Jessop two for 45, Patrick one for 10. P.A.C., 137. Hardy 24 not out, Pflaum 33, Foster 19, Jessop 15.

P.A.C. III. v. Giles Street United.—Giles Street, 64; Angwin three for 10, Goode three for 12, Willmore three for 15. P.A.C., 126; Goode 41, Lowe 26, Dumas 14.

Old Boys.

D. R. Osborne was successful in his "little go" at Cambridge last December. This includes Greek—a language which he had to commence to study when he reached England last May. So this success is a great achievement. He has now enrolled as a member of Christ's College. Bob Osborne is also doing wonders at rowing. He is stroke

of John's second boat, and that made four bumps in three nights at the Lent races.

Harold Chapple is doing well at tennis at Cambridge. He won the John's College tournament for "freshers," and got into the final of the 'Varsity Freshmen's Tournament, but was just beaten in the play off.

A. E. Harrington has passed the qualifying examination of the Pharmacy Board.

Eustace C. Black has passed the Civil Service Cadet Examination.

In the LL.B. Examination list this March we read with pleasure that Stanley H. Fleming has passed in Procedure in the second class and in Contracts in the third. This completes his course and makes him qualified for admission to the bar.

Lieut. F. Gordon Sanders has returned to the colony on furlough. He went to South Africa with the Second Contingent, and was granted a commission in the British Army. He is now senior lieutenant in the 18th Royal Field Battery, and is stationed in India.

Mr. A. S. Jackman, for some time the accountant of the Adelaide branch of the Temperance and General Life Assurance Society, has been promoted to the similar position in the head office in Melbourne. Farewells and presentations from the directors and the staff of clerks and the members of the

church showed the high esteem in which our friend was held.

In the names of those who have received Evening Student Scholarships at the Adelaide University this year we read:—For a second year, A. B. Lloyd, A. R. Noltenius; for a third year, J. H. Allen, C. T. Rose; for a fourth year, W. G. Bell, B. L. Gardiner.

In the lists of the successful candidates at the School of Mines we note with pleasure the names of—E. M. Ingamells, who has been appointed student assistant in the Metallurgical Department; E. Sullivan, who has been senior cadet in the same; and W. N. Temby, who has won the Day Entrance Scholarship of the school.

Will. Ashton is increasing in skill and in fame as an artist, as the result of his assiduous devotion to the duties of his profession. We hear that two of his pictures have been accepted by the Society of Royal British Artists. He has also sent in two to the Academy and two to the French Salon, but we have not heard yet with what success.

Rev. J. C. Hill came into Assembly on Tuesday morning, April 8th. The Head Master told us that he had invited Mr. Hill as he was about to leave this state for N.S.W. He said that the name of John Charles Hill appeared in the first list of entries at the school; that he was one of the 28 who on Jan. 18th, 1869 began the now long roll of Prince Alfred boys. He said that there

were Prince Alfred boys who had felt called to the sacred work of the ministry in many lands and in almost all Christian churches, and he was glad it was so; and Mr. Hill was one of them and had preached to some of us many times in Kent Town Church the last three years. Mr. Hill gave a very interesting address, and spoke of his love for his old school and respect for its masters. He said that the friendships there formed had been amongst the best possessions of his life. He said, too, that there was great truth in the sayings, "The child is father of the man," and "Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap." He had noticed the men he knew now were very much like what he knew them to be as boys; and that the harvest they were gathering largely came from their early sowing. He concluded by expressions of hope and confidence in the school's future and the future of its boys.

Boys who have Left.

At the end of the year many leave and go to their "future life", as the speech makers say on Speech Day. Over sixty left last December, over eighty came the following January as new boys so the school roll has had an increase of twenty. Still we miss those who went from the leading places, in every depart-

ment of our school doings. Nearly half of those that left had reached Sixth Form, Upper or Lower. This is as it should be. It would be a good plan if every boy leaving made short notes of the event of his school history and dropped a piece of paper with them on into the editor's box. The next *Chronicle* could then print them and be correct without much searching of records. Now much is sure to be missed, and may be some things said that are incorrect. Let us begin at the top of the Christmas roll however and try what can be done.

REN. PLUMMER, head of the school three out of the four terms of 1901. Manager of the *Chronicle*, member of the first eleven. (Did he not bowl out Gwynne and the great Jennings.) First class at the Senior in 1900, fifth on the Honors list at the Higher Public in 1901, winner of the Colton Scholarship, and now at the Adelaide University studying Medicine.

G. R. WEST, first on the Scholarship list at the University Exams., 1901, with four credits out of five subjects taken up, with top place in Greek and in Mathematics, second place in German, and third in Latin. Winning thereby the Sir Thomas Elder Scholarship and the Hartley Studentship. A haul worth over £200. Also studying medicine at the Adelaide University. Lucky boy!

L. T. LEWIS, for one term last

year, head of the school. Sixth on the Honors list at the Higher Public, 1901, top of the Physics list. Winner of the Longbottom Scholarship.

C. W. HOOPER, first class Senior 1900. Seventh in Honors at Higher Public, 1901. Will probably have third University Scholarship. Right back in first eighteen in Royal Football Match.

G. D. MOORE, no more popular fellow in the school. Played in football on Oval, 1899, 1900, 1901, and a splendid game every time. Corresponding secretary of the Christian Union. Member of the Chronicle Committee. Won third place on the Honors list at the Higher Public, entitling to a University Scholarship, being top in Chemistry, second in Mathematics and in Physics, and fourth in German (four credits out of five subjects). And this March was awarded the Angas Engineering Exhibition. Gained the Robb Scholarship in 1900, and the Old Collegians' in 1901. (Another bag worth a good deal over £200.)

FRANK G. ROONEY.—Head Boarder, in 1901; Librarian; earnest worker in Christian Union; member of the first eighteen in Royal match; high jumper, cleared over 5 feet, at our own sports and at Intercollegiate. He has a position in the office of the Public Analyst, in Melbourne.

C. R. DAVIES, the fast bowler in the oval match, and holding the best bowl-

ing average for the season; in Honors list at Senior, 1901.

J. A. RAWES.—Captain of cricket eleven, 1901; played v. St. Peter's, 1900 and 1901; won Head Master's gold medal for his many "fifties;" member of *Chronicle* committee, of committee of Christian Union; champion tennis player; passed Senior in eight subjects with Honors in Geometry. Has joined the *Register* staff.

C. S. BRAY.—Second boarder (1901), third on our Senior list of Honors, top of Latin and of Chemistry on the University lists; bears away with him the Cotton Medal for Chemistry, and a silver medal for gymnastics.

C. R. DOUDY stood next on the boarders' list. He was on the *Chronicle* committee. A great runner (champion for 1901 and winner of the College Cup), sergeant in the Cadet Corps, won his "colors" in July, 1899, in the football eighteen, and was a tower of strength in the match of 1900 and in the Royal match of 1901; won the Smith Prize for History, 1901.

L. T. COWAN.—The great hurdle racer and long distance jumper, and winner of College Cup, 1900; played three times in an Oval football match, and in 1900 and 1901 was captain; gained three of the Head Master's medals for cricket, and was vice-captain; passed the Senior in 1901 in seven subjects, with honors in Chemistry.

Many more there are that deserve mention. There is W. D. MOFFATT, who got honors at the Senior, 1901; but is best remembered by his valuable 70 in the first innings on the Oval, and by the brilliant catches which dismissed Jennings and Flood. He was a first eighteen man too in the Royal match.

E. W. HOLDEN.—Sergeant in the Cadet Corps; three times played the piano on Speech Day; passed Senior, 1901.

W. E. STOKES has gone too, home to Geraldton, in W.A.; our champion gymnast; his is the first name on the Intercollegiate Shield.

A. W. COLLINS.—Head of second eleven batting averages; in honors at the Senior, 1901.

S. G. L. CATCHLOVE.—Our rover in the Royal match; passed Senior, 1901.

C. A. ELLIS.—Passed the Senior, 1901, and now walks the London Hospital.

C. E. SHORTT.—Senior, 1901; is now in the Eastern Telegraph Company's employ.

W. J. NESBIT too of the first eleven has gone to the *Advertiser* staff; and A. E. RICHARDSON, the diligent and accurate scorer has gone to W.A.

A. R. WIGHT, of football and tennis fame, has passed the Senior and won the Malpas Scholarship and gone to the School of Mines.

To the same place has gone W. N. TEMBY, having passed the Senior and won the Entrance Scholarship there.

These and others less conspicuous have played their parts well at P.A.C. May they keep up its good name in the larger arena upon which they have now entered.

An Old Boys' Match in Perth, W.A.

The following account, extracted mainly from the *Morning Herald*, of March 20th will be read with interest:—

S.P.S.C. V. P.A.C.

Last year an annual cricket match between the old scholars of St. Peter's and Prince Alfred Colleges, Adelaide, was initiated, and was a very great success, so much so that the fixture this year was looked forward to with very great interest. The large number of old scholars of the colleges named in the State will be seen by the fact that the committee sent out notices to over 100 men from each school. There was a very large attendance at the ground yesterday, especially in the afternoon. The chief interest of a match of this kind lies in the fact that men who were at college together, and who probably have never seen each other since their school days, are given an opportunity of meeting again. The scene was remindful of one of the matches between the schools at the Adelaide Oval.

Each team wore the school colors, and the large number of lady and male supporters who attended all sported either the blue and white or red and white. The excitement was very keen, and the applause and "barracking" were frequent. At 1 o'clock luncheon was served in the full members' pavilion, and every seat was taken by the players and old scholars. The chair was occupied by the acting Premier (Mr. W. Kingsmill), and the only toast honored was that of "The King." The pavilion was crowded with ladies in the afternoon.

Kingsmill was chosen captain for S.P.S.C. and Coombe for P.A.C., and the former was fortunate enough to win the toss. The S.P.S.C. men laid on the wood in great style, and helped towards putting up what must be a record scoring for a day's cricket in this State. During the day there were over 530 runs scored by both sides. In the one hour and three-quarters of play before luncheon St. Peter's put on 223 runs for the loss of only four wickets. And at half-past 3, after just over three hours' play, the innings closed for 323 runs. The Prince Alfred men in batting for not quite two hours and a quarter made 212 runs. Therefore the rate of over a hundred runs an hour was kept up all day.

Kingsmill sent in Parker and Blackburn to bat, but the latter was caught for a couple in trying to hit a full toss

from Heath. Edwards filled the vacancy, and the total was carried to 86 before Edwards was got rid of for a well-made 27. Parker batted splendidly. Kelsey was the newcomer, and nearly 100 runs was the result of the partnership. Kelsey was caught on the boundary in endeavoring to lift a full toss from Heath out of the ground. The catch was an excellent one. Parker had played a magnificent innings for 147. He had two strokes of good luck. One was when he was about 60, and a ball bounced off his leg on to the wicket, but did not remove a bail, and the next was when he gave a very simple chance to Crase when he was about 120. Otherwise his innings was clean, hard, and sweet to witness. The fielding of the Prince Alfreds was good, although there were one or two chances missed. These were, however, more than balanced by several really excellent ones which were taken.

P.A.C. had a contract to carry out to score over 300 runs in two hours and a half. Hodge and Heath made a dash for it, and put on 50 runs in a little over 15 minutes, carrying the total to over 80 before a wicket fell. Heath had made 47 when he succumbed. Schmidt came next, and made the only "duck" of the day, though he has made a great reputation for himself as a hard hitter in the ranks of the North Perth Club. Rossiter and Coombe then got together, and it seemed as if

they would never get out. They both played excellent cricket, until nearly time, then Rossiter was caught behind the wickets. The outgoing batsman is also a member of the North Perth Club, and he played a good game for 43. Chapman joined Coombe, and these two batsmen played out time, the scores when stumps were drawn being 212 for the loss of five wickets. Coombe was 69 not out, and fully deserved all the runs he made. By his score he won the bat presented by Mr. T. R. Lowe. The bat given by Mr. R. G. Bagot for the best score on the St. Peter's side was won by E. Parker. The match was a huge success, and was doubtless merely the precursor of many such contests. Appended are the scores:—

ST. PETER'S.

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Parker, c. Chapman, b. Hodge | ... | ... | 147 |
| Blackburn, c. Osborne, b. Heath | ... | ... | 2 |
| Edwards, c. Osborne, b. Crase | ... | ... | 27 |
| Kelsey, c. Farrar, b. Heath | ... | ... | 44 |
| Taylor, b. Heath | ... | ... | 11 |
| Ross, c. Schmidt, b. Hodge | ... | ... | 11 |
| Hill, not out | ... | ... | 25 |
| Church, run out | ... | ... | 1 |
| Haynes, c. Schmidt, b. Heath | ... | ... | 17 |
| Kingsmill, b. Heath | ... | ... | 5 |
| Law, b. Hodge | ... | ... | 1 |
| Sundries | ... | ... | 32 |

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PRINCE ALFRED.

| | | | |
|---------------------|-----|-----|----|
| Hodge, b. Parker | ... | ... | 45 |
| Heath, b. Blackburn | ... | ... | 47 |

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|------------------------------|-----|-----|----|
| Coombe, not out | ... | ... | 69 |
| Schmidt, b. Parker | ... | ... | 0 |
| Rossiter, c. Parker, b. Ross | ... | ... | 43 |
| Crase, b. Ross | ... | ... | 2 |
| Chapman, not out | ... | ... | 4 |
| Sundries | ... | ... | 2 |

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THE DINNER.

In the evening between 60 and 70 old scholars of the colleges dined together at the Melbourne Hotel. The acting-Premier (Mr. Kingsmill) presided.

After the loyal toast,

Mr. T. Coombe, captain of the Prince Alfred team, proposed the toast of "St. Peter's College," coupled with the name of the headmaster, Mr. Girdlestone. He said that, when at college, he had a natural antipathy to any St. Peter's boy, but it was very different now, for he had found some of the St. Peter's boys to be amongst the "whitest" men he had ever met. He was sure that in Mr. Girdlestone the St. Peter's College had the best possible man they could get for headmaster.

Mr. R. G. Bagot responded on behalf of the St. Peter's College. He referred with pride to the fact that the present Premier and acting-Premier of Western Australia were old scholars.

The Chairman as captain of St. Peter's team, proposed the toast of "Prince Alfred College" coupled with the name of the headmaster, Mr. Chapple. He said he could remember

the time when the meeting of the boys from the two schools was the signal for immediate combat. Now all was different, for he felt that the meeting of an old boy from the other college was a passport for good feeling between the two. He paid a tribute to the work of Mr. Chapple, who, he said, had made Prince Alfred College the magnificent institution it was now. He expressed his great pleasure that so many West Australian boys were going to one or other of the colleges. He trusted that the good feeling now existing between the old scholars would ever continue.

Mr. T. R. Lowe responded, and said that Prince Alfred College owed a very great deal to Mr. Chapple, who had done wonderful service for the school. He thought that gatherings such as the one of that day served many good purposes, among which was the bringing together in happy competition the old scholars of the two colleges. He trusted that this now annual gathering would never be allowed to lapse.

Mr. R. T. Robinson, old P.A.C., proposed "The Old Boys in South Africa" of whom, he said, there were a very large number.

During the evening songs were rendered by Messrs. Weylandt, Douglas, Hodge, and Farrar. Mr. C. Osborne acted as accompanist.

Tennis.

At a meeting held at the beginning of the school year it was decided that the annual tennis tournament should take place as usual in the first term, so as not to divide the interest with football, sports, or cricket. Mr. Mitton kindly consented to act as Treasurer, and Raws, Steele, and Jefferis, were elected on the Committee. Nine entered for the championship, seventeen for the handicap singles, and thirty-two for the handicap doubles, an increase in every event on last year's entries.

February the 10th saw the commencement of the contest.

Raws by his steady play was generally expected to prove champion, but he met more than his match in Johnston, who in the semi-finals beat him two sets to nothing. Steele and Johnston then played off in the final heat, Johnston again securing the victory in the first two sets. The champion played a brilliant game and thoroughly deserved his success.

Strange to say Raws in the handicap singles although owing his opponent 2-6, 15, beat Johnston 9-3. In the final of this event Raws and Jefferis played off, the former securing an easy win, 9-1. Raw's style of play could not be termed fast, but he showed good judgment in placing.

After a week's respite, as the Oval tournament was taking place during

that time, Raws obtained second place at the junior handicap singles, and the doubles were commenced.

Some well contested sets were played, but from the onset it was seen that the first place lay between the two pairs, Mr. Newman and Dumas, Goode and Pflaum, who indeed met together in the finals. Mr. Newman's net play ably backed up by Dumas proved however too strong for their adversaries, and the victory fell to the former pair, after a well fought, and lustily barracked round of eleven games to six.

The boys of the committee wish to thank Mr. Mitton very heartily for his invaluable assistance in the management of the tournament.

The annual contest with St. Peter's, that was fixed for March 22, has been postponed owing to the public farewell to Sir Edwin Smith taking place on that date. It will be held on the first Saturday of next term.

The Tennyson Cup.

Our big schoolroom the last few weeks has been adorned by the very handsome silver cup presented by His Excellency the Governor. The cup bears the inscription "Tennyson Football Challenge Cup," and the Governor's coat of arms, with the family motto, "Respicens prospiciens." On

a silver plate on one side of the pedestal it reads, "This cup is to be held by the winner in the annual football match between St. Peter's and Prince Alfred Colleges," and on a similar plate on the opposite side of the pedestal is inscribed, "P.A.C., Royal Match, 1901." Each year below this the name of the winning school is to be engraved. May it have P.A.C. many times. However, hurrah for the first inscription!

Balance-Sheet, No. 71.

RECEIPTS.

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Christian Union.

The Christian Union of the College started afresh with the other organisations in connection with the school life at the beginning of the year. The

annual elections were held, and these were the officers appointed for the year:—Vice-Presidents, F. R. French and W. H. Rayner; Treasurer, R. P. Claridge; Secretary, A. G. Trott; Assistant Secretary, C. T. Drew; Corresponding Secretary, G. D. Moore. The meetings have been held regularly on Wednesdays at 1 p.m., and have evidently been very interesting, as shown by the large attendance of members. Several innovations have been made in the usual order of procedure—the Secretary has called the roll at each meeting and read the minutes of the previous one. K. N. McMichael, Chairman of the Religious Meetings Committee, has undertaken the decoration of the room with suitable texts, and Miss Chapple was appointed to see that fresh flowers were always there. We have to thank Messrs. J. E. Langley and J. A. Haslam for a supply of ornamental texts. The Rev. T. B. Angwin, M.A., gave a stirring address upon one occasion. Mr. Withycombe, the travelling secretary of the Australasian Unions, will visit us at our first meeting of the second term.

No man can walk straight who follows a doubt.

Heads of Forms at end of First Term, 1902.

Upper VI.—G. D. Moore.
 Lower VI.—R. W. Tassie.
 Upper V.—L. F. Burgess.
 Lower V.—F. T. Perry.
 Upper IV.—G. V. James.
 Lower IV.—P. M. Fuller.
 Upper III.—L. A. Whittington.
 Lower III.—A. G. McCoy.
 Upper II.—H. B. Willsmore.
 Lower II.—H. E. Webb.
 First Form.—J. E. Ashby.

Football.

Last year's oval team was considered one of the best we have had for some time, but there is no reason why our 1902 team should not surpass it. Of the eighteen we still have eight men with us—Throssell, Drew, Cowan, Mellor, Homburg, Goode, Rounsevell, and Lang, leaving ten vacancies for aspiring seconds. If surmises be correct the competition for the last few places will be keen, as we have many promising players now coming on. Those wishing to be included in the

team will certainly have a better chance if they try to avoid some common failings. Don't imagine that you are fast with the ball and consequently endeavor to run too much, for too often your kick is so lost. Always secure your kick. Practise kicking with the left foot, as it is often inconvenient to kick with the right. There is room for improvement in goal-kicking, and the forwards should take advantage of Fridays, which are set apart for this purpose. It should be a point of honor with players to turn up to practices and matches, or, if

unable to play, to give due notice to their captain. The Football Committee consists of—Mr. Langley (Chairman), D. R. Cowan (Secretary), H. T. Throssell (Boarders' Secretary), W. A. V. Drew, J. Homburg, R. A. Goode. It is to be hoped that all will do their best to assist the Committee in making the coming football season a great success. Especially let there be no absentees when the second and third eighteens play. School should be first in these matters with every true P.A.C. boy.

