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School Notes.

The Speech Day celebration was most successful. There was a great gathering of fathers and mothers and sisters, and even of some elder brothers. His Excellency the Governor presided, and was most kindly and hearty. On his right sat the Hon. President of the College for the year (the Rev. W. H. Cann) and on his left our Head Master. On both sides and in rows behind were members of the College Council and other friends. The boys sat in a solid square on the left of the floor of the house, and the friends to the right, in the dress circle, and everywhere. There was a fine display of drawings and paintings on tables and brackets, and specimens of neat copy and exercise books, and a special feature this year was the show of drawings, dissections, &c., by the biology and highest physics class—some really wonderful work.

“The Night Wind,” by the Preparatory boys, proved specially interesting, and the singing, always good, was this

year better than ever. A new feature was the “Leaving Song,” by permission of Wesley College, Melbourne, four prefects who are leaving school now singing the soli parts and the whole school joining in the chorus.

Steele read the report of the Sports, as follows:—

“Your Excellency, Mr. Head Master, Ladies, and Gentlemen,

“Again this year we have not been as successful in the intercollegiate contests as we should have liked. Of the four meetings against St. Peter’s, our rivals proved successful in the athletic sports, football, and cricket, while we carried off the honours in tennis only.

“The athletic sports was the first meeting, but the St. Peter’s representatives proved too good for our team, and won easily by 63 points to our 27 points. Davies, Rayner, McNeil, and Thompson performed most creditably for us. Considerable surprise has been expressed at the non-success of our running teams in the past, and some put it down to lack of training, but we can assure them that it is not so. How-

ever, nearly all our best runners will be available again next year, and we feel confident that the cup will be regained.

"As usual, much interest centred round the annual football match, and again an exciting game resulted. Boundary umpires were introduced into the match for the first time, and the innovation certainly made the game more attractive. Misfortune befel our team early, as ten minutes after the opening of the game Prest was so severely injured as to cause his removal from the field, and his able services were greatly missed for the remainder of the match. Both sides played good football, and although beaten we were fighting an uphill game, as a team playing one man short is at a great disadvantage. Each player did his best, but special mention might be made of Mengersen, Trott, Rayner, Campbell, and Dreyer.

"This year we had the satisfaction of carrying off the tennis shield, and now that it adorns our walls once more, we shall endeavour to hold it for some time. We had a good team, and after practising hard were fairly confident of victory, but the result was rather too close to be pleasant. It was only after a very exciting match that we got home by gaining 8 rubbers to our opponents' 7. Gurner and Bogner showed fine form for their school. Here our best thanks are due to Mr. Ward for managing the tournaments, also to those gentlemen who kindly placed their

grass courts at the disposal of the tennis team for practice.

"Lastly the late cricket match. This event ended so recently, and is still so sore in the minds of us all, that we will not say much about it. There can be absolutely no excuse made for our defeat. We were simply beaten by a better fielding side. We had not previously been beaten this season, and really should have shown to greater advantage. Our faulty catching on Tuesday, when we were in a good position, undoubtedly lost us the match. We heartily congratulate St. Peter's on their fine fielding and victory. Ashby bowled excellently throughout the match, and the feature of the second innings was the fine batting of Edwards.

"In cricket and football our second and third teams enjoyed successful seasons, and cricket has been taken up so generally through the school that competition for places is very keen.

"One or two members of the teams have now taken part in their last inter-collegiate contest, but with so much coming talent available they confidently look forward to watching their old school achieve high success in the field. There is good reason to hope that the next captain of the P.A.C. cricket team should be able to report that all the athletic trophies for competition against our worthy rivals, St. Peter's, have been regained.

"In closing we beg to thank the

Head Master and the staff, particularly our enthusiastic Sportsmaster, Mr. Grey, for the kind interest they have shown in the College sports throughout the past year."

From the Head Master's report we print the following paragraphs:—

"An exceedingly important, though gradual, change, has been taking place in the school during the last two or three years, with the result that it is becoming more homogeneous, more of one spirit throughout, and this to its very great advantage. This evolution is to be traced to three causes. 1. A greater portion of the boys come to us young, and stay right through their course with us. 2. Fewer join as exhibitioners from the schools under public control; and 3. Boys stay with us a longer time and carry their studies to further development. The Preparatory School is increasing the strength of the first of these factors; the reduction in the number of State school exhibitions tenable at any school other than the Adelaide High School, accounts for the second; and the altered policy of the University conduces to the third.

"In the three years ending 1901, 27 exhibitioners joined us; in the three years ending 1912, only six. We regret the loss of these boys; there were some fine fellows among them, and for the most part they set a splendid example of diligence in the acquisition of learn-

ing, and often won high places on the lists. But, after all, each school has its own tone, and their earlier and more plastic years had been spent under moulding forces other than ours, and it took some time for them to become quite one with the rest of the class, and the fifth form, which they generally joined, especially seemed to lack cohesion.

"The University has latterly felt that it was being called upon to undertake work that more properly belonged to the province of the schools. Sixteen years is the minimum age for matriculating at the Adelaide University. At Oxford and Cambridge it is nearer 19. Now most educational authorities will agree that it is only the mind of an exceptional boy that is mature enough at 16 to profit greatly by the lectures of a university professor. Most when so young need the daily drill, supervision, and minute correction of errors that is given by schoolmasters.

"These convictions have recently led our University to insist upon it that boys should pass at the Higher Public Examination—a stage considerably in advance of the matriculation standard—in physics, chemistry, and biology, before entering upon the medical course; those taking the science course are encouraged to pass the Higher Public in mathematics and science before commencing at the University, and those following the arts course find it of con-

siderable advantage to have passed the Higher Public in their special branches of study. This arrangement is good all round. It not only ensures to the University students better qualified to proceed to its higher degree courses, but it secures to the school for a year or two longer a few seniors of great value to it, whom it can send forth after further mental training and developed in character by leadership and responsibility, and so endowed with qualities that make them of more worth to themselves and to the community, either in university life or as citizens in the busy world.

"So our Upper Sixth Form has in it now more boys fit to hold school offices of trust and responsibility; the Lower Sixth consists very largely of boys who have been many years with us, and the whole school derives more powerful formative influence from these higher classes, to its great benefit. These tendencies I expect will increase in force and value.

"The school Christian Union has developed its organisation; has adopted the constitution formulated for secondary schools by the Australian Christian Union (in which the branch is officered entirely by the boys themselves), has established Bible Sunday circles, and desires to thank the Rev. F. L. Paton and Messrs. S. Addison and Hazlett (the officials of the A.S.C.U.) and the ministers and others who have

favoured the meetings with addresses. It is becoming increasingly useful and powerful in its good influence.

"The staff of masters once again do I gratefully thank for faithful and efficient service and for loyal support.

"To the prefects, especially to Don Steele, for two years senior prefect, the school owes much for quiet and tactful performances of delicate duties, and it does also to parents for kindly consideration, cordial support, appreciative and encouraging letters; and to "old boys" for enthusiastic promotion in many ways of the best interests of their still-loved school."

As His Excellency the Governor stepped forward to speak all the boys and soon the whole audience rose and cheered. His Excellency acknowledged the heartiness of it by calling for three cheers for the Head Master. These were given with a right good will, too.

His Excellency the Governor congratulated all connected with Prince Alfred College upon the excellent report submitted by the Head Master. The result of the examinations, the scholarships attained, and the number of distinguished young men who had been trained in the school were all highly satisfactory. He congratulated the Head Master and the school upon the success of Mr. Brose, one of their old scholars, who had been selected as the Rhodes scholar for 1913. The practice of attending the University at an early

age had had the effect of reducing the average age of the senior boys in comparison with the average elsewhere. He was glad to hear that that state of affairs was going to be altered. It was a good thing, however, that the University should receive from the residential colleges a large and regular supply of undergraduates at as early an age as possible. It was undoubtedly for the benefit of the community that there should be specialization at an early age. He congratulated D. M. Steele upon his great score against St. Peter's College. (Applause.) He had made more than 4,000 runs for his college, and his place would be hard to fill. (Applause.) He commended H. T. J. Edwards and H. L. Rayner for the totals they had made in the big cricket match. The principal benefit received from games was found in the effect they had upon character. It was good to teach a boy to receive a painful knock upon his shins without losing his temper—(laughter)—and the advantage might be even more marked in playing an uphill losing game with steadiness, patience, and pluck, than in being borne on a wave of enthusiasm to an easy victory. He congratulated the school upon having won the annual tennis competition. In cricket and football each player had to sacrifice his individuality for the success of the whole, therefore those games were good in effect, even if one did not always

win. (Applause.) He had been impressed by the fine bearing and smart appearance of the school cadet company. He had inspected the guard of honour they had formed at Parliament House some time ago, and had then gained a high opinion of their soldier-like steadiness and efficiency. In conclusion, His Excellency remarked:—"I highly appreciate in the boys of Prince Alfred that quality of steadiness which is a sign of discipline, and one of the most important indications of character. I wish you, with all my heart, every happiness, and to those who are leaving, I wish prosperity in their future careers." (Applause.)

Sir Day Bosanquet then distributed the prizes and scholarships saying a kind word to each recipient especially to those whose names he knew from the games.

At the conclusion a hearty vote of thanks was moved to His Excellency by the President, and seconded by the Hon. Alfred Catt and carried with acclamation. The singing of the National Anthem brought a happy function to a close.

And then with the energetic singing of the school songs off we went to our holidays.

The John Dunn Scholarship, £150,
H. P. Tuck.

Old Collegians' Scholarship, £15 15/
(presented by the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association), G. de Q. Robin.

Colton Scholarship (founded by the late Hon. Sir John Colton), A. S. H. Gifford. Longbottom Scholarship (founded by Mr. William Longbottom), F. R. Potts. Robb Scholarship (founded by the late Mr. J. Robb)—D. C. Cooper. Malpas Scholarship (founded by the late Mr. H. Malpas), J. McNeil. Wills Scholarship (founded by the late Mr. George Wills), to be awarded on results of junior Commercial examination.

Scholarships in the gift of S.A. Methodist Conference, — "George Crooks Shierlaw," A. M. Davis; "James Gartrell," B. S. Howland; "John Williams," J. H. Pointon.

Elder foundation Scholars.—Under sixteen years of age, two years' free education.—(To be awarded on results of junior public examination). Under fifteen years of age, one years' free education—R. C. McL. Smyth.

Elder Entrance Scholarships—Senior, not awarded. Junior—S. Howard.

Old Collegians' Entrance Scholarships.—P.A.C. Freemasons' Lodge Scholarships (for entrance to preparatory school)—C. F. Deland and C. Lawrance.

Cotton medal for Agricultural chemistry (founded by the late Hon. G. W. Cotton).—G. H. Kendrew.

Head of the junior School (Gold medal, presented by Mr. Victor Cohen)—A. F. Hobbs.

Smith prizes for history (founded by Hon. Sir E. T. Smith, K.C.M.G.)—

Senior, R. W. Cilento; junior, L. M. Humphrey.

Alfred Muecke prize (founded in memoriam)—To be awarded on results of junior public examination.

Arithmetic prize (presented by S.A. Cricketing Association)—P. S. Hossfeld.

Neatness prizes—Senior (presented by Messrs E. S. Wigg & Son), E. W. G. Bogner; junior, K. R. Cane.

Recitation Prize (presented by Messrs. Rigby)—P. A. C. Lewis. (Adjudged by His Excellency the Governor).

Junior Recitation prize (presented by Mr. E. Reeves)—N. E. Lade.

Music (piano, presented by Mr. E. E. Mitchell)—E. Rosanove and A. S. Chipper.

Music (piano, presented by Miss Collwell)—G. H. Kendrew, R. Engelbrecht, F. Bartlett-Day.

Singing—Senior, G. H. Weylandt; junior, G. M. Hone.

Painting (presented by Mr. James Ashton)—J. E. Plush, V. J. Lewis, R. M. Catt.

Painting—E. W. Davies.

Garlick prize (for architectural drawing)—J. E. Plush.

Mapping (presented by Mr. James Ashton)—E. M. Davidson.

Mapping—G. H. Weylandt.

French (presented by Mr. H. L. Brose)—W. O. Menz.

Boarders' Scripture Knowledge (pre-

by the Methodist Book Depot)—G. H. Kendrew.

Head Boarder's prize—G. H. Kendrew.

Librarian and Curator's prize—W. K. Collins.

Silver medals for gymnastics—VI., G. C. Davies; V., J. C. Roach; IV.u., H. W. McGregor; IV.L., K. Engelbrecht; III.u., G. H. Weylandt; III.L., L. M. Hoare; II. and prep., H. J. Gleeson; general proficiency, W. O. Menz.

Gold medal for gymnastics (presented by Mr. Hugo Leschen)—G. H. Shapley.

Intercollegiate sports medals—J. McNeil, I. G. Thompson.

Cricket Prizes.—First Eleven, batting—D. M. Steele. First Eleven, bowling—A. K. Ashby. Medals (presented by the Head Master)—Gold medal, D. M. Steele: silver medal, H. L. Rayner. Second Eleven, batting—B. Collins. Second Eleven, bowling—E. Jolly. Third Eleven, batting—J. Crompton. Third Eleven, bowling—H. W. Humphries.

Football Prizes.—Gold medal (presented by Dr. E. J. Counter)—N. V. Mengersen. Football (presented by the Sports Club)—E. M. Trott. Football (presented by the Sports Master)—H. L. Rayner. Tennis Champion.—G. Gurner. Athletic Sports.—College Championship—G. C. Davies.

Of the University Public Examinations, at which our present boys com-

pete, only the lists of the Higher Public and the Primary had been issued by Speech Day. On both of these our results are most satisfactory. The form that specially prepares for the Primary sent up 19 candidates, and 17 passed. All the 19 passed in arithmetic, and all that presented themselves passed in geometry, Latin, and German. Eleven went in from a lower form, and only three of those passed, making the total for the school 20 out of 30; even that is a good percentage. It means that 137 papers were passed out of 169 written, or 81 per cent.; the 17 out of 19 is excellent, 90 per cent.

PRIMARY PUBLIC.

[1, English; 2, Arithmetic; 4, History; 6, Latin; 7, French; 8, German; 9, Algebra; 10, Geometry.]

C. A. Barlow, 1,2,6,9,10.

A. S. Chipper, 1,2,4,6,9,10.

T. E. Cooper, 1,2,4,6,7,9,10.

C. G. Davidson, 1,2,4,10.

E. W. Davies, 1,2,4,6,9,10.

F. Bartlett-Day, 1,2,4,9,10.

A. W. Downs, 1,2,4,10.

C. C. Driscoll, 1,2,4,6,8,9,10.

H. W. Farley, 1,2,4,9.

A. F. Hobbs, 1,2,4,6,8,9,10.

R. Inglis, 1,2,9,10.

H. W. McGregor, 1,2,4,6,9,10.

R. J. S. Moseley, 1,2,4,7,9,10.

F. Pearse, 1,2,4,10.

R. A. Piper, 1,2,4,6,8,9,10.

E. V. Roberts, 1,2,6,10.

H. T. Slatter, 1,2,9,10.

R. C. McL. Smyth, 1,2,4,7,9,10.

K. H. Taylor, 1,2,4,7,9,10.

A. F. Walsh, 1,2,9,10.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

F. E. G. Edwards.

HIGHER PUBLIC.

In the Higher Public those we sent in took 74 papers and passed in 59 of them, or 79 per cent. All got through who sat in biology, German, Latin, and modern history. In biology 8 passed out of 8 sent in, in chemistry 11 out of 15, in physics 10 out of 13, in applied mathematics 5 out of 6, in geometry 7 out of 8, in algebra 6 out of 8, in German 5 out of 5, in Latin 3 out of 3, in ancient history 1 out of 2, in modern history 2 out of 2, in English 1 out of 3. We have 6 places in the general honour list, Tuck being the highest boy in South Australia, while Robin, Collins, Potts, H. W. Davies, and J. N. Davies follow. In the special honour list Tuck is placed first in geometry and trigonometry, is in the first bracket in chemistry, and fourth in physics. Robin heads the physics list, and comes second in applied mathematics. Potts is third in algebra and trigonometry. Hossfeld is first in the German honours. Bogner is third in the same, and Rooney is fifth in geometry and trigonometry. Nine have qualified for the bursaries offered by the Education Department, viz., Tuck, Robin, Collins, Potts, H. W. Davies,

J. N. Davies, Cilento, Hossfeld, and Gifford.

A. General Honours List.

H. P. Tuck (4), G. de Q. Robin (13), W. K. Collins (16), F. R. Potts (17), H. W. Davies (23), J. N. Davies (25).

Angas Engineering Exhibition.

H. P. Tuck.

Special Honours List.

German—P. S. Hossfeld (1), E. W. G. Bogner (3).

Algebra and Trigonometry—F. R. Potts (3).

Geometry and Trigonometry—H. P. Tuck (1), L. D. Rooney (5).

Applied Mathematics—G. de Q. Robin (2).

Physics—G. de Q. Robin (1), H. P. Tuck (4).

Inorganic Chemistry—H. P. Tuck (1).

Pass List.

[1, English literature; 2a, Modern history; 2b, ancient history; 3, Greek; 4, Latin; 5, French; 6 German; 7a, Algebra and Trigonometry; 7b, Geometry and Trigonometry; 8, Applied Mathematics; 9, Physics; 10, Inorganic Chemistry; 11a, Biology].

E. W. G. Bogner, 6*; R. W. Cilento, 2a, 6, 9, 11a; W. K. Collins, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10; H. W. Davies, 7a, 7b, 9, 10, 11a; J. N. Davies, 4, 7a, 7b, 8, 10; A. E. C. Gepp, 6; A. S. H. Gifford, 1, 2b, 4, 7b; P. S. Hossfeld, 6*, 9, 10, 11a; G. H. Kendrew, 9, 10, 11a; L. W. Linn,

10, 11a; J. McNeil, 9, 10, 11a; I. B. Pender, 9, 10; F. R. Potts, 7a*, 7b, 8, 9, 10; G. de Q. Robin, 7a, 7b, 8*, 9*, 10; L. D. Rooney, 2a, 7a, 7b*, 10; D. M. Steele, 11a; H. P. Tuck, 7a, 7b*, 8, 9*, 10*.

THE ROYAL DRAWING SOCIETY EXAMINATIONS.

Preparatory.

Honours—W. McGregor, J. H. Gleeson, L. D. Robertson, C. M. De-land, C. Lucas.

(The R.D.S. have awarded W. McGregor a book prize for Memory Drawing, under 10.)

Pass—I. S. Magarey, B. Gordon, T. A. Dancker, A. B. Fry, W. A. Dingle, F. D. Jackman, E. A. Goode, H. Lamerton, H. R. Barlow, K. E. Cornish.

Division I.

Honours—C. J. Pitt, M. W. Gadd, J. E. Plush, J. Thurston, H. W. McGregor, W. Keller, W. E. Gray, A. F. Hobbs, W. N. E. Taplin, C. E. Taylor, C. Dunn, W. A. Shepley, G. C. Richards, F. Warren, A. M. Rodda, J. H. Torr, W. F. Cooper.

Pass—J. Dingle, M. G. Johnstone, G. R. Cowell, C. E. Cockram, G. W. Williams, F. D. Jackman, L. R. Nesbit, R. C. McL. Smyth, L. S. Plush, M. K. May, E. W. Taylor, Hare, H. W. Humphries, R. Gambling, E. M. Davidson, M. C. James, I. G. Thompson, A. E.

F. Trudgen, R. J. Moseley, C. A. Barlow, J. K. L. May, L. D. Robertson, A. E. Hill, M. Kimber, G. W. Harris, A. McI. Hunter, R. Dimond, C. G. Davidson, E. R. T. Nicholls, W. H. French, S. C. Towill.

Division II.

Honours—H. W. Stempel, A. W. McGregor, E. W. Davies, H. W. McGregor, M. W. Gadd, J. Thurston, A. McI. Hunter, C. Driscoll, J. E. Plush, A. M. Rodda, W. E. Gray, M. C. James.

Pass—W. H. French, C. J. Pitt, L. R. Nesbit, M. G. Johnstone, S. P. Allen, J. K. L. May, M. Kimber, C. A. Barlow, G. R. Cowell, L. E. Radloff, R. C. McL. Smyth, S. C. Towill, R. H. Hague, W. J. Keller, E. R. T. Nicholls, R. Inglis, H. W. Farley, A. F. Hobbs, W. N. E. Taplin, G. W. Williams, C. E. Cockram, C. E. Taylor, R. Gambling, R. J. Moseley, J. Dingle, W. A. Shepley, A. F. Walsh, C. G. Davidson, L. S. Plush, W. F. Cooper.

Division III.

Honours—C. G. Davidson, H. W. Stempel, A. McI. Hunter.

Pass—W. N. Eaton, C. Driscoll, J. K. L. May, W. M. Fowler, M. C. James, A. W. McGregor, R. J. Moseley, T. P. Allen, E. R. T. Nicholls, L. S. Plush, A. F. Walsh, J. E. Plush, A. M. Rodda, W. J.

Keller, H. W. Farley, R. Inglis,
B. E. Collins, G. W. Williams, R.
C. McL. Smyth, C. E. Taylor, G.
W. Harris, J. Dingle.

Division IV.

Honours—E. W. Davies.

Pass—J. E. Plush, H. W. Stempel,
H. W. McGregor, C. G. Davidson,
A. McL. Hunter, E. R. T. Nicholls,
W. J. Keller, R. J. Moseley, A.
M. Rodda, R. H. Hague, C. Dris-
coll, W. E. Gray, J. Thurston, C.
J. Pitt.

Division V.

Honours—J. E. Plush.

Pass—H. W. McGregor, A. W. Mc-
Gregor, W. J. Keller, E. W. Davies,
C. Driscoll.

Division VI.

Pass—E. W. Davies.

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The Head Master told us in assembly towards the end of October that he had by invitation of some old boys paid a visit to Gumeracha, where they had decided to inaugurate a branch of the P.A.C. Old Collegians' Association. The "Old Reds" living near that township felt that the annual visits made to Adelaide during "Old Boys' Week" did not fully meet all their desire to know the men who had been at their old school. Only a few could spare the time to go to town. So they had resolved to arrange local meetings, that they might thus get to know one another better—men of their own time

at school and those before and after them. The branch was enthusiastically formed, and seems to have set an example well worth copying in other centres. The Head Master spoke warmly of the welcome given to him and the kindness shown him, and especially was glad to see many of his old friends hearty in church and Sunday school work.

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Mr. J. F. Ward, M.A., of our staff, has been the recipient of many congratulations upon his marriage. The Committee recognised his services and the event in an enduring way. The Head Master, and the rest of the staff, and the boys of the University Fifth Form showed their good wishes and felicitations in various tangible ways. The Bible Leaders Training Class at the Y.M.C.A., which he had conducted for some years and promises to continue, similarly acknowledged his "interest and valuable services."

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Some of our "First Aid" boys took part in the annual demonstration of the St. John Ambulance Association. They were not successful in the competition for which they entered, but learnt much from the more experienced men who were in with them.

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F. E. G. Edwards, of our Commercial Fifth, passed the examination for entrance to the Civil Service. The

list of subjects which he took was a long one, and included typewriting and shorthand (speed test). He came out seventh in a long list of contestants, and is to be congratulated upon his success.

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In the Intercollegiate Gymnastic Competition H. G. Shapley was placed first, and J. C. Roach third, both of our Fifth Form.

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There were not so many wires about the cricket match as usual, but Max Rigby (from Yacka) and S. Roberts (of Kybunga) sent good wishes to the school per the Head Master, and some others to Steele.

Old Boys.

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R. A. Ballantyne, who was a member of the school from 1876 to 1882, but has been for some years in Auckland, N.Z., favoured us with a call early in October.

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Dr. Hugo Flecker, M.B., B.S. Sydney, F.R.C.S. of Edinburgh, after more than three years' absence from Australia, has been paying a visit to his native State before settling in or near Sydney.

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J. Leslie Glasson, B.Sc. (Adelaide), B.A. (Cambridge), who was dux of our

school in 1905, has been granted the degree of Doctor of Science of the Adelaide University for papers connected with research work on the secondary radiations of radio-active substances. Professor Lyle, of Melbourne, and Professor Pollock, of Sydney, were the examiners, and spoke very highly of his papers.

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E. Vincent Clark, B.Sc., Lecturer on Electric Engineering, has been elected Dean of the Faculty of Science at the Adelaide University.

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Dr. Ronald Trüdinger, who took his M.B., B.Sc., in 1909, winning the top place in the list and the Everard Scholarship, has been accepted as a member of the Soudan Mission. A noble dedication of a life to the service of mankind.

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Leslie Taylor has returned from a splendid trip through Japan, Siberia, and many parts of Europe and Great Britain.

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Dr. J. Leon Jona has for the present settled down to research work at the Lister Institute of Preventive Medicine, London.

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Will Ashton, R.D.S., exhibited at the recent show of the Royal Oil Painters. His picture, "Full Moon and a Spring Tide" was "hung on the

line." He has since started on a tour of Great Britain and Europe, and has been granted an honorary commission to enquire into and report upon the construction, internal arrangements, lighting, ventilating, coloring of interior, and general arrangements of art galleries and art museums in Great Britain and on the Continent. He has also been appointed by the Fine Arts Committee to arrange for the purchase of paintings for our Public Gallery.

N. C. Shierlaw has gained the degrees of M.B., B.S. of the University of Edinburgh, and also the F.R.C.S. of Edinburgh.

Harold S. Parsons, by presenting a suitable original musical composition, has completed what is required for the award of the Mus. Bac. degree.

Charles F. Hummell, who has been in the United States of America for three years, Bible training, has been paying a visit to his home. He has graduated at the Moody Bible Institute, and has been accepted as a missionary for the Soudan.

Beauchamp Gardiner, B.Sc., is making a great success of the large mining works he is managing near Salisbury, Rhodesia.

In the Public Accountancy Examina-

tions held this November throughout the Commonwealth, we note with pleasure that in the Final (Book-keeping and Auditing Sections) S. H. Jackman comes fourth (first of the only two South Australian candidates that were successful).

R. Hayley Lever's picture entitled, "The Port of St. Ives," has been purchased by the Sydney Art Gallery for two hundred guineas.

Frank White, who exhibited two pictures at the last exhibition, has been elected an Associate of the South Australian Society of Arts. He leaves for Europe in April to further prosecute his studies.

At the annual meeting of the P.A.C. Old Collegians' Association, the right to nominate two scholars to the College was balloted for, and the ballot fell to Frank Best, and to Frank A. Cann, both of Adelaide.

Mr. J. R. Robertson, head of our Preparatory School, was elected President of the Association in succession to Colonel A. C. Catt.

F. M. Rowell has been appointed Lieutenant-Colonel of the 22nd Light Horse, and R. G. Wilton Lieutenant in the 78th Infantry, and Adjutant to the Colonel commanding that corps.

D. A. Roberts has gone to the Northern Territory to be a member of the bar of the Court there.

A. H. Carne, lately of our staff of masters, has completed the course for the B.A. at the Adelaide University, and has gained that degree. We congratulate him.

R. O. Fox has been elected President of the S.A. Branch of the Pharmaceutical Society.

Will Ashton has sailed for the continent of Europe to further develop his artistic powers. His students took the opportunity offered by his departure to show their esteem and appreciation by presenting him with a gold watch, with suitable inscription.

Edward Erskine Cleland, LL.B. has been appointed one of the King's Counsel in South Australia. This is a high distinction and we congratulate him upon achieving it. For long have we noticed the eminence he has been winning at the bar, and the great cases entrusted to him, and this is the public acknowledgement of his worth by Chief Justice and Government. We rejoice with him.

Our old boys at various universities continue to win honour. From the list printed below, containing 71

separate names, perhaps we may specially notice that J. L. Jona, D.Sc., has been awarded a Beit Memorial Fellowship tenable at Oxford University, and that Oswald Rischbieth, B.A., has gained a classical scholarship at the same great seat of classical learning. Hugh Angwin, B.Sc., with the Angas engineering scholarship, and G. E. M. Jauncey, B.Sc., with a science research scholarship, have gone to join our band of eminent students in Great Britain, and J. Leslie Glasson, just returned from Cambridge, has won the title of Doctor of Science at the Adelaide University. At the Adelaide University 15 take full degrees this year, 3 others have Diplomas for applied science, 1 a Diploma for Commerce, and 7 scholarships or prizes. We rejoiced yesterday to learn that Henry Brose, B.Sc., had been chosen as the Rhodes Scholar for 1913 from South Australia. And a day or two ago we read with a sense of relief and gratitude that a wireless message had been caught from long-silent Antarctica telling that all there were well, for we had two old scholars, Correll and Madigan, ardent students of science, in the expedition led by the intrepid Dr. Mawson. In many directions former students at Prince Alfred College are proving of service to their country, and to the world at large. For instance, seven are members of the present South Australian Parliament, two are Ministers

of the Crown in our State, four (three of them being University graduates) have set forth this year as missionaries, two to Fiji and two to the Soudan.

At Oxford University.—Beit Memorial Fellowship—J. L. Jona, D.Sc. Classical Scholarship—O. Rischbieth, B.A.

At Edinburgh University.—M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S.—N. C. Shierlaw. F. R.C.S.—Hugo Flecker.

At Adelaide University.—Science research scholarship (Oxford)—G. E. M. Jauncey, B.Sc. Angas engineering scholarship—H. T. M. Angwin, B.Sc. M.B. B.S.—L. G. Tassie, K. McEwin. M.A. (honours mathematics)—F. Ellis, B.A., B.Sc. M.A. (ordinary)—F. H. Cowell, B.A., J. L. Rossiter, B.A. B.A. (honours)—A. E. Howard (classics), P. C. A. Fornachon, B.Sc. (mathematics). B.A. (ordinary)—A. G. Carne. D.Sc.—J. L. Glasson, B.Sc. B.Sc.—F. J. Basedow, A. E. Dawkins, W. A. Potts, E. G. Stephens, W. W. E. Gray.

Diploma in applied science and the Fellowship of the School of Mines—F. J. Basedow (Metallurgy), R. M. Scott, B.Sc., and W. W. E. Gray (Electrical Engineering). Mus. Bac.—H. S. Parsons. Diploma in commerce—R. H. Harris.

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATIONS.

(An * denotes first class.)

B.A.—E. G. Dorsch—Latin first year* (Andrew Scott prize, equal), and

Greek first year (Barr Smith prize), French first year. P. C. A. Fornachon, B.Sc.—Latin Second year. F. S. Jeffery—Latin second year, modern European history, compulsory chemistry. A. G. Carne—Greek second year, English language and literature, pure mathematics second year. H. H. L. A. Brose—French first year. W. S. S. Gilbert—English language and literature. W. L. Davis—Modern European history. C. R. Cole—Compulsory mathematics, physics first year, compulsory chemistry, physiography, elementary biology. J. W. Blackett—Compulsory mathematics. F. H. Cowell, B.A.—Economics (II.)* W. S. Kelly—Economics (II.). G. H. Pitt—Psychology. A. P. C. Hart—Logic, ethics.

B.Sc. — R. Pender — Compulsory mathematics. R. H. Berriman—Pure mathematics second year, applied mathematics, physics first year. H. B. Willsmore—applied mathematics.* W. R. Snow—Applied mathematics, physiography. A. L. Nairn, B.A.—Spherical trigonometry and astronomy. J. L. Rossiter, B.A.—Spherical trigonometry and astronomy.

Economics (II.).—W. V. Campbell—Organic chemistry. C. H. Allen—Applied mechanics. N. B. Hall—Physics first year, organic chemistry. I. B. Pender—Physics first year, elementary biology compulsory chemistry. A. H. Virgint—Compulsory chemistry.

A. E. Dawkins—Chemistry Part I. (practical)*, chemistry Part II. (theoretical)*, chemistry Part II. (practical)*, elementary biology. E. G. Stephens—Chemistry Part II. (theoretical)*, chemistry Part II. (practical)*. W. A. Potts—Electrical engineering (II.)*, railway engineering. F. B. Ide—Railway engineering.

M.B., B.S., fourth year—J. S. Verco,* W. J. W. Close,* S. E. Holder, L. L. Davey. Dr. Davies Thomas Scholarship—J. S. Verco. Third year—R. A. Haste, B.Sc.,* B. W. Wibberley, B.Sc.,* F. L. Wall, K. N. Steele, E. A. Guymcr. Dr. Davies Thomas Scholarship—R. A. Haste (equal). Second year D. L. Barlow, J. A. Love, I. E. Ashby, A. H. Guymcr, W. J. E. Phillips. First year—A. R. Southwood, A. K. Gault.

LL.B.—H. B. Piper—Property Part I., constitutional law. J. M. Sinclair—Part I., law of wrongs, logic, psychology. H. G. P. Nesbit—Property Part I., law of wrongs. L. D. Waterhouse—Property Part I., constitutional law. R. S. Davey—Property Part., I., law of wrongs. G. S. Reed—Property Part II., law of wrongs, private international law. R. M. Tucker—Property Part II., law of evidence and procedure, constitutional law. E. W. J. Millhouse—Property Part II., law of wrongs. K. H. Kirkman—Law of contracts, Latin, organic chemistry. S. R. Delbridge—Law of

contracts, Latin. T. R. Mellor—Latin, law of wrongs.

Diploma in Commerce.—R. H. Harris—Economics (I.), economics (II.). H. A. Solly—Economics (II.). W. D. C. Paton—Banking and exchange. G. E. M. Davey—Banking and exchange. C. R. Davies—Banking and exchange. E. L. Medlyn—Banking and exchange. E. S. Williams—Banking and exchange. G. G. Watts—Commercial Geography.

Roseworthy Agricultural College.—Entrance scholarship—G. C. Walkem, Diploma—G. C. Love (first place). W. F. D. Clark (second place), H. Snow, R. W. Mowat.

Admitted to the Bar of South Australia.—G. D. Cowan, LL.B., A. L. Pinch, LL.B., L. A. Whittington, LL.B., H. O. Rankin, D. A. Roberts.

Public Accountancy.—S. H. Jackman.

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AT THE SCHOOL OF MINES.

Diplomas—W. W. E. Gray, R. M. Scott and W. A. Potts (electrical engineering).

F. J. Basedow—Metallurgy.

E. P. Goddard—Architectural history,* building construction, mathematics (I.)*, preparatory physics.

W. R. Snow—Assaying (II.), building construction, physiography, metallurgy (II.)*, ore dressing.

F. J. Basedow—Assaying (III.).

W. A. Potts—Machine design (II.)*

R. H. Berriman—Mechanical engineering (I.), fitting and turning (I.)*

F. B. Ide—Surveying (I* and II.)

H. G. Annells—Elementary wool classing*.

C. A. Shepherd—Elementary wool classing*.

Roy Pender—Fitting and turning.

J. M. Norton—Building drawing (II.) and building construction.

Inter-Collegiate Cricket, 1912.

It was seen early on Saturday that the weather was not going to favour cricket in the afternoon. Heavy showers fell all through the morning, and at 11 o'clock the umpires decided that play was impossible for that day at least.

Plenty of rolling made the wicket fine on Monday, although it was rather slow. Steele won the toss, and decided to have first use of the wicket, as the weather was still treacherous for cricket. Rayner and Fowler opened to Riley and Twopenny, and played a maiden each. Then in Riley's second over Rayner called his partner to run for a short hit to leg. The ball was fielded and Bennet had the bails off before Fowler was near his crease, and he had to retire for 0, which was disappointing for his first appearance in inter-collegiate cricket. 1 for 0. Steele then partnered Rayner, and the pair were very cautious for a

while, Steele occupying thirty minutes to reach double figures, and Rayner was cheered for breaking his "duck" after forty-five minutes at the wickets. Clucas then relieved Twopenny, who was tiring, and soon dismissed Rayner (17), who was enticed to hit a loose high ball into Riley's hands at point. 2 for 41. Steele, who had reached 21 with cautious batting, was next partnered by Edwards, who opened well with a sound straight drive. Lunch was then taken, and a little while after starting Edwards was run out whilst trying to run 3 for a ball that he had hit within a couple of feet of the fence. 3 for 63. Gurner came next, and after seeing Steele make another 20, he was stumped as he played forward to Pellew. Gurner 4. 4 for 81. Mander followed and made 2 off a rather high hit through slips. He was soon caught, however, by Gordon off Twopenny, who had again taken the ball. 5 for 88. Steele had made 51 out of the score of 88 when Magarey came in, and he quickly saw Steele bring the total to 100 with a 2 off Pellew. A few minutes later Steele completed his 4000 runs for the First Eleven of P.A.C., for which he had 100 innings at an average of 40 runs each, which proves that he has a good future before him as a cricketer.

Magarey had only compiled 2 when he was caught in slips by Gordon off Twopenny. 6 for 110. Haslam joined Steele, who started to hit out, and when

Haslam was caught in slips by Jose he had brought his total to a century in two and three-quarter hours. 7 for 150. Davies and Steele were together when a shower sent all in to tea. Soon after resuming Davies was caught by Gordon and the eighth wicket fell for 155. Ashby and Steele brought the score to 175, and then the former was caught in slips off Twopenny's bowling. 9 for 175. Pierce was soon caught, and the innings closed for 179, of which Steele had made 120 not out. He was given a great ovation, and carried shoulder high to the dressing room.

St. Peters opened their innings soon after amid rain that was not pleasant for either batsmen or bowlers, and consequently Ashby could not get much pace out of the ball. When stumps were drawn Gordon had retired to the pavilion with 0 to his credit, Taylor and Pellew being each 18 not out. 1 for 20.

TUESDAY'S CRICKET.

The wicket was faster on Tuesday, but the weather was still unfavourable for cricket. Pellew brought his score to 25 by punishing Pierce's first over, and he was then caught by Rayner in slips off Ashby. 2 for 55. Riley joined Taylor, who soon departed, having given Gurner any easy chance in slips. 3 for 61. Riley was missed in slips when 3, and then succumbed to an appeal for l.b.w. by Ashby. 4 for 69. Murray, who had been playing with Riley, and had

reached double figures in ten minutes, was then bowled by Pierce, who had been bowling well all the morning. Murray 12. 5 for 73. Twopenny then came in, but was not at all sure of the bowling, and when still 0 he gave an easy chance in slips that was dropped. He also survived a chance of stumping by Davies. The century was reached after 125 minutes. Steele and Edwards were being treated rather lightly by the batsmen, when the lunch adjournment was made earlier than usual on account of a shower.

Soon after lunch Twopenny's middle stump was knocked clean out of the ground by Ashby. 6 for 116. Jose joined Clucas, who was soon after dismissed for stepping in front of a straight ball from Rayner. 7 for 135. Robley and Jose became associated, and this proved a disastrous partnership for the Reds, for they added 113 before Robley was caught behind by Davies off Mander. 8 for 248. Colley joined Jose, and saw the latter make his 50, but he was soon dismissed by Haslam, who took a good catch in the deep field. 9 for 263. Bennet joined Jose, who was soon caught by Magarey in slips off Gurner's bowling. The innings closed fitly, for Magarey's was the best and hardest chance taken during the match, as it was low down in slips, and he fell forward and rolled over in the attempt.

WEDNESDAY'S PLAY.

On Wednesday play commenced at 2 p.m., with Princes' total one wicket for 6 runs. Davies and Mander resumed the innings. Davies soon poked one up, and was caught by Pellew off Twopenny. He scored only 1. Two for 8. Rayner filled the vacancy, but a few minutes afterwards Mander gave Pellew a chance off Riley, which was accepted. The retiring batsman had played steadily, but scored only 3. 3 for 14. Steele was the next man in. Rayner was playing confidently, and driving Riley well. Steele was taking things easily, but when his total was 6 a ball from Riley struck his pad, and on the appeal for l.b.w. the captain had to retire. It was a big disappointment, and the scoring was left to the other batsmen. 4 for 30. Riley was bowling with a good length, and the board showed him 3 for 14. Edwards came next. Rayner scored freely, and got 4 to square leg off Twopenny. Edwards started off by driving Twopenny for 3 and then Riley for 1. At 9 he made an uppish stroke over the head of slips. Pellew took Twopenny's place when the total stood at 51. Rayner banged him to leg for 4, thus bringing his tally to 31. In Pellew's next over, Rayner, in trying a sixer, was caught by Jose. 5 for 64; Edwards 13. Fowler was next man. Edwards cut Pellew through the slips with some fine strokes. At 73 Taylor relieved Riley.

Fowler started with a single off Taylor, and followed with 2 through slips off Pellew. Edwards continue to score freely. Fowler was playing steadily, but touched one from Pellew, which was taken by Gordon. 6—3—83. Edwards 31. Haslam followed, but failed to score. 7—0—83. Magarey began with 2 off Pellew. At the tea adjournment the score was 7 for 85; Edwards 31, Magarey 2. When play was resumed Taylor gave way to Clucas. At 33 Edwards gave Twopenny a hot chance off Clucas, and was missed. The next he got to leg very nicely for 3. The century was posted after 175 minutes' play. Magarey hit Pellew and Clucas to leg for 1 and 3 respectively; then he followed with 2 off Clucas. Edwards got Pellew to leg for 2, then shortly afterwards repeated the stroke. After another 2, Magarey was caught by Colley at square-leg. 8—13—111. The partnership had yielded 28. Edwards was then 47. Pellew had 4 for 35. Ashby came next, and drove Riley for 1. Edwards lifted a loose one from Pellew for 4. This brought up his half-century. However, he did not last much longer, being caught off Pellew at point. His was the best display of batting for the afternoon. He had strokes all round the wicket, and was carried off the field by his admirers. 9—54—126; Ashby 7. Pearse was last man in. Ashby added 2, but Pearse succumbed to

Pellow, l.b.w. The innings closed for 128, Ashby 9 not out. Pellow obtained 6 wickets for 48 and Riley 3 for 31.

Forty-five minutes remained for the Saints to wipe off a deficit of 42. Taylor and Gordon opened. The latter scored 2 and was then caught by Gurner off Ashby. Pellow partnered Taylor. Gurner missed Taylor off Pearse before he had scored. Taylor put together 3, and then touched one high in slips over Mander's head off Ashby. Ashby was bowling splendidly, and clearly had Taylor scratching. Finally Ashby clean bowled Taylor. 2 for 19. Pellow hit Ashby for 4, and reached double figures. Bennett, the next man in, got 3 off Pearse through the slips. Then he touched one to Mander off Ashby, but the chance was not held. Pellow reached 17 and was then caught and bowled by Ashby. 3 for 26; Ashby 3 for 15. Murray filled the vacancy at 33. Gurner replaced Pearse. Bennett hit him to leg for 3 and reached double figures. Murray had made 5. Then Bennett put one through the slips, and the totals were level. Murray snicked a 4, and thus Saints had a 7 wickets victory. St. Peters are to be heartily congratulated on their win.

PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE.

First Innings.

Rayner, c. Riley, b. Clucas	...	...	17
Fowler, run out	...	...	0
Steele, not out	...	...	120

Edwards, run out	...	...	6
Gurner, st. Bennett, b. Pellow	...	...	4
Mander, c. Gordon, b. Twopenny	...	...	2
Magarey, c. Gordon, b. Twopenny	...	...	2
Haslam, c. and b. Twopenny	...	...	4
Davies, c. Gordon, b. Twopenny	...	...	0
Ashby, c. Jose, b. Twopenny	2
Pearse, c. Riley, b. Twopenny	0
Byes 4, leg-byes 15, no-ball 1,
wides 2	22
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Total	179

How the wickets fell :—

3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
63	81	88	110	150	155	175	179

Bowling.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	
Riley	...	19	9	30	—
Twopenny	...	23	10	56	6
Clucas	...	13	2	27	1
Pellow	...	14	4	31	1
Taylor	...	6	2	16	—

Riley and Twopenny bowled 1 wide each and Taylor 1 no-ball.

Second Innings.

Gurner, b. Riley	...	...	1
Mander, c. Pellow, b. Riley	...	...	3
Rayner, c. Jose, b. Pellow	...	...	31
Steele, l.b.w., b. Riley	...	...	6
Davies, c. Pellow, b. Twopenny	...	...	1
Edwards, c. Clucas, b. Pellow	...	...	54
Fowler, c. Gordon, b. Pellow	...	...	3
Haslam, b. Pellow	...	...	0
Magarey, c. Colley, b. Pellow	...	...	13

Ashby, not out	9
Pearse, l.b.w., b. Pellew	0
Byes 4, leg-byes 3	7
Total	128

How the wickets fell:—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
3	8	14	30	64	83	83	111	126	128

Bowling.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Riley	23	7	31	3
Twopenny	15	5	26	1
Pellew	16	2	48	6
Taylor	4	1	6	—
Clucas	5	1	10	—

ST. PETER'S COLLEGE.

First Innings.

Gordon, b. Ashby	0
Taylor, c. Gurner, b. Pearse	21
Pellew, c. Rayner, b. Ashby	25
Riley, c. Magarey, b. Ashby	3
Murray, b. Pearse	12
Twopenny, b. Ashby	20
Clucas, l.b.w., b. Rayner	3
Jose, c. Magarey, b. Gurner	60
Robley, c. Davies, b. Mander	56
Colley, c. Haslam, b. Gurner	4
Bennett, not out	2
Byes 19, leg-byes 5, no-ball 1, wides 6	31

Total 265

How the wickets fell:—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
20	55	59	69	73	116	135	248	263	265

Bowling.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Ashby	33	10	46	4
Pearse	22	2	48	2
Gurner	51	1	17	2
Edwards	14	2	52	—
Steele	7	1	23	—
Rayner	10	1	31	1
Mander	10	3	24	1

Pearse bowled 1 no-ball and 3 wides, and Ashby, Gurner, and Edwards sent down 1 wide each.

Second Innings.

Gordon, c. Gurner, b. Ashby	2
Taylor, b. Ashby	3
Pellew, c. and b. Ashby	17
Bennett, not out	11
Murray, not out	9
Byes 3, leg-byes 1	4

Total for 3 wickets 46

How the wickets fell:—

1	2	3
2	19	26

Bowling.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Ashby	7	—	22	3
Pearse	5	—	14	—
Gurner	1	—	6	—

Inter-Collegiate Tennis.

The Annual Tennis Match against St. Peters was played on the Adelaide Oval on the morning of Saturday, 28th September, and the afternoon of Mon-

day, 30th September. The weather was not very favourable for the game. The Saturday was a windy, dusty day, and the morning especially unpleasant. Monday was a better day, but the wind was still rather strong. A considerable amount of rain had fallen during the week before the match, but the courts were in very good condition.

The game resulted in a victory for P.A.C., a victory of which the team and the school may be proud, for the match was very keenly contested right through, and as the scores show, it is one of the closest competitions that the schools have ever had.

On the Saturday morning two rounds were played—one of singles and one of doubles. In the singles, Rayner playing sixth single for us beat St. Peter's sixth man Stevens, 6-1, 6-5. In the fifth single Trott played well against Murray and won the second set, but lost the rubber, 2-6, 6-4, 4-6. McNeil also in the fourth single won the second set easily, but lost the rubber, 5-6, 6-2, 3-6.

In the doubles our first pair, Steele and Gurner, defeated St. Peter's third pair, Jose and Stevens, 6-3, 6-0, while Middleton and Murray, St. Peter's first double, repaid the blow by beating our third pair, McNeil and Rayner, 6-3, 6-1. In the match between the second pairs, Trott and Bogner, in spite of the latter's strenuous efforts, were beaten by Gordon and Taylor, 6-2, 6-4. Thus Satur-

day's play ended with St. Peter's having four rubbers to our two. Play was resumed early on Monday afternoon, and in spite of St. Peter's having the advantage of the score, our players began with good heart.

In the second round of doubles St. Peter's again won two rubbers to our one. Steele and Gurner beat Gordon and Taylor, 6-2, 6-1. Trott and Bogner made a good fight against Murray and Middleton, but were beaten, 5-6, 6-4, 4-6, while McNeil and Rayner had a long struggle with Jose and Stevens, and finally lost, 5-6, 6-5, 3-6.

At the close of the third round the game seemed to be very much in St. Peter's favour, for they had 6 rubbers to 3. However, the round of singles that followed brought a great change. In this we succeeded in winning all three rubbers. Steele beat Gordon, 6-3, 6-2, Gurner beat Jose, 6-5, 6-1, while in the third single Bogner played a very fine uphill game, and in spite of a blistered hand, defeated Middleton, 6-5, 4-6, 6-5.

At the beginning of the fifth and last round, consisting of three doubles, the score stood at 6 rubbers to each side, and now the excitement became intense. St. Peter's won the first rubber of the round, Gordon and Taylor beating McNeil and Rayner, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3. This gave St. Peter's 7 rubbers, and left us with the task of winning each of the remaining two games if we were to win

the match. Trott and Bogner then beat St. Peter's third pair 6-5, 6-3, making the score 7 rubbers each. In the last rubber, Steele and Gurner, against St. Peter's first double, Murray and Middleton, failed to show their usual form at the beginning of the game. The first set was lost, 6-3, and in the second set at one time St. Peters were within one stroke of winning, but our players, by cool well-judged play, managed to save the game and finally won the rubber, 3-6, 6-5, 6-3, and with it the match.

The final scores were :—

P.A.C.—8 rubbers, 21 sets, 181 games.

S.P.S.C.—7 rubbers, 16 sets, 163 games

The tennis this year was on the whole better than last year, Steele and Bogner especially playing very coolly and steadily. In some cases games were lost simply through over anxiety, which led some players into hitting many balls which would have fallen outside the court.

In future years some means must be devised for keeping the spectators back from the courts. In many games strokes were lost by both sides because people were standing so close to the court that it was impossible for the players to get at the ball. It is only natural that the boys of each school should wish to be as near as possible to their champions to urge them on, but too often their eagerness makes them interfere with the play. In future the

sports committee hopes to have some kind of barrier erected to mark the limit for spectators.

Many messages of congratulation were received by the Headmaster after the match; among them was a telegram from Max Rigby, of Port Augusta West.

Duces.

VI. Upper—G. H. Kendrew.

VI. University—L. A. Mander.

VI. Commercial—R. Battye.

V. University—H. W. Stempel.

V. Commercial—H. W. Humphries.

IV. Upper—R. C. Smyth.

IV. Lower—H. W. Farley.

III. Upper—W. A. Shepley.

III. Lower—G. R. Cowell.

II.—A. E. Hill.

Preparatory—

Senior—H. R. Barlow.

Junior—R. Krantz.

Obituary.

Dr. Lionel Praagst (P.A.C., 1879-1881), of Melbourne.

William T. Osborne, of Perth (1882-1893), on July 30th, 1912.

A Peep at Switzerland.

We write from strange places sometimes. Here we are at the top of the Brunig Pass. Our engine has pulled us magnificently up a most startling incline, up and up, toiling along a rack and pinion line—a great feat of engineering worthy of these brilliant and energetic Swiss. The shining sun gives a most gorgeous panorama of the Valley below, the Lake of Brienz and the giant mountains, of this wonderful Bernese Oberland.

Nine supreme days have we had, our party of four. Saturday at 2.20 we left Charing Cross, crossed the Channel undisturbed, and reached France quite happy. At Boulogne seats were reserved through to Bâle. Dinner on the train, then "Oreillers et couvertures." Amiens, Laons, &c., soon were passed. By daylight we had crossed Alsace, and there were evident marks at Alt-Münsterol that we were in a country which is "under the thumb." Thankful for our freedom, we left this spot and soon reached Bâle, and breakfast.

From here onward our journey was of deepest interest, everything charmed us. Gradually we reached the capital, Berne, thence to Lake Thun, and at Scherzligen we entered our first boat. All notices appeared in German and French, and I began to appreciate the wisdom of the school that had drilled

a useful working knowledge of these great languages into us.

Along the lake we paddled, all feeling bound under the spell of the scenery, gigantic mountain tops in every direction. After stopping at Spiez and Merligen, we reached our Beatenbricht. Almost alarming from this point was the funicular railway, which was to lift us nearly 2,000 feet high to our hotel.

This hotel has a magnificent position. From the Terrasse we look down on the whole of the Lac de Thunne on Interlaken, Thun, and far in the background rose the great white-capped giants, the for ever famous Eiger, Mönch, and Jungfrau. None could utter a word, as the veil of mist kindly rolled away and displayed these miracles of creative genius.

Next morning we descended a steep gradient on a rack and pinion line that led us down and down past lovely lakes and forests skirting Mons Pilatus to the lovely town and lake of Lucerne. There we embarked on a paddle steamer to visit William Tell's country. Tell's Platte was the most popular landing place en route, thence to the shrine of Tell's Kapelle, where the hero sprang—so legend tells—from Gessler's boat. Fluelen, at the farther end of the lake, was our terminus. A little electric train took us on to Altdorf, the small capital of the Canton of Uri. There is the grand statue of Tell

and his son with the cross bow over the father's shoulders. We heard a fine organ recital at the Hofkirche. Our short holiday will soon whisk by, photographs, snapshots, and purchases, and the stores of impressions in our minds will keep all the glories and beauties of it for ever vivid to us, an ever-flowing spring of delight.

The last day in Switzerland was perfect, the sun shone gloriously on the Lake of Lucerne, and we had a most inspiring view of the mountains and far distant Alps fifty and more miles away.

The "rush home" was wonderful, by the "Rapide," 7 a.m. we left Lucerne, after much rise and fall Cael (near Olten, two engines in front and one behind), Bâle at 9, to Mülhausen and Alt-Münsterol by 11. At Petit-broix we entered France (there the clock went back one hour), so from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. we tore across France, Chaumont, Chalons, Laons, Rheims, Amiens, Boulogne. Then Folkestone and in London to sleep. A delightful holiday to be dreamt of and recalled ever. With love to all at the old school.

A FAR-AWAY RED.

Prince Alfred Collegians' Lodge.

The Installation of Bro. E. H. Rhodes as Worshipful Master for the ensuing year, and the investiture of his

officers, took place at the Freemasons' Hall on Friday evening, October 4, 1912. Although the weather was cold and wet, there was a very large attendance, an especially gratifying feature being the presence of so many Masters and Past Masters of other Lodges. The ceremony of Installation was admirably performed by the outgoing Master, Bro. Bendall, who was assisted by Bro. J. R. Robertson as Director of Ceremonies. During the ceremony the Wardens' chairs were filled by the Worshipful Masters of St. Peter's Collegiate Lodge and the Lodge of Harmony. On behalf of the brethren of the Lodge the Worshipful Master presented the outgoing Master with a handsome tea and coffee service as a slight recognition of the many services he had rendered the Lodge, and as a token of the esteem in which he was held by all the members.

The following officers were invested:—S.W., W. Lathlean; J.W., H. H. Cowell; Treasurer, F. Lathlean; Secretary, R. G. Neill; S.D., A. W. G. Pitt; J.D., A. H. Goode; D.C., A. A. L. Rowley; Organist, J. A. Haslam; I.G., R. O. Fox; Stewards, E. J. N. Fisher, P. E. Johnstone, H. Solomon, C. P. Forward, A. D. Sutherland, A. H. Dobbie; Tyler, F. I. Grey.

There are now 78 members on the roll, many of whom, in spite of the comparative youth of the Lodge, are occupying prominent positions in the craft.

Old collegians who do not belong to the order, but who are desirous of joining, are requested to communicate with the Secretary, R. G. Neill, 20. National Mutual Buildings, who will give any information that is necessary.

Old Collegians' Royal Arch Chapter.

Motto—"Ex aemulis comites."

For some time there has been a feeling amongst many of the members of the two Collegiate Lodges that the formation of a Royal Arch Chapter to be composed of members of the two Lodges, together with old scholars who belonged to other Lodges, would afford a common ground on which old boys of the two great public schools could meet and work together with mutual pleasure and advantage. The preliminary work was undertaken by F. Lathlean, and as a result of his efforts 22 Royal Arch Masons, who were also old collegians, signed the petition for such a Chapter.

The Chapter was consecrated on Wednesday evening, November 27, and was the largest gathering of Royal Arch Masons that has ever been held in the State. At the conclusion of the consecration ceremony the Principals were installed in their chairs:

First Principal—Comp. J. R. Robertson.

Second Principal—Comp. W. H. Selway.

Third Principal—Comp. F. Lathlean.

As some of the offices had not been filled, the investiture of the other officers was postponed until the regular meeting in January. It has been arranged that as far as possible the offices shall be filled alternately by an old Red and an old Blue.

A large number of brethren from the Craft Lodges have signified their desire of joining the new Chapter, and there is no doubt that it will eventually become one of the strongest in the Constitution.

Old scholars who are already members of the craft, and who may desire to join the Chapter, will get full information from R. G. Neill, 20, National Mutual Buildings, King William St.

Prep. Notes.

We all think we have worked very hard this term, although Sir doesn't always seem to think so.

In the Senior A Division the prizes were won by Barlow, S. Krantz, and G. E. Lewis; and in the Senior B by Smith, Frank Macrow, and Dunstan. R. Krantz and Jack Piper took the prizes in the Juniors.

Our Drawing Master, Mr. Ashton, was very pleased with McGregor for having won a special Honour Prize in the Drawing Society's Examination, and we congratulate Barlow, Dancker,

Good, Lamerton, and Magarey also upon having passed.

The Prep. boys who went up to the big school at the beginning of the year have done very well there. Hill and Lucas won the first and second prizes in the Second Form, and Cowell and Lade won the first and second in the Lower Third. Jackson, C. Piper, and Deland also won prizes, so that the old Prep. boys took seven out of the eleven prizes. We hope we shall be able to do as well when we go up.

We have played several cricket matches this term. The A's played the B's twice, and beat them by 24 runs the first time, but only by 10 at the second try. In a match between the Old and New Boys, the Old Boys won by 3 wickets.

We shall lose Taylor, our captain, after Christmas, but McGregor, our vice, will stay with us. Flint has made a good Secretary, and has looked after things very well.

We had a photograph of ourselves taken a little while ago, and Sir said, when he saw it, that he did not know before he had so many good-looking boys in the Prep.

Critique of the Cricket Team.

[By the Captain.]

Ashby, A. K.—The best bowler in the team. Has bowled well in every match, but has not always been backed

up by the slips. Makes plenty of pace off the wicket, keeps a good length and often comes in from the off unexpectedly. Had the makings of a bat but went off.

Davies, J. N.—Has kept wickets well throughout the year. Is not a brilliant stumper but does not allow many byes, taking the ball well on the on side. Is often a hard man to get out.

Edwards, H. P. J.—A much improved and promising cricketer. Is a good batsman with well-timed strokes all round the wicket and has a sound defence. Bowls with a nice easy action and keeps a good length. Tries hard in the field.

Fowler, W. M.—At first is rather nervous but when set is a difficult man to dislodge. Has some nice strokes and next year should be able to get more power behind them. A fair field at cover point.

Gurner, C.—Is steadily improving. Has still a rather stiff style and could use his reach and feet to more advantage. Bowls a fair ball with high delivery. Fields well at fine slip.

Haslam, S. H.—Shows promise of becoming a good bat; and with more experience should be a good help to the team. Has a good defence. A little slow in the field but has a safe pair of hands.

Magarey, D. D.—A bad starter, but when set hits hard. Needs plenty of

practice against slow bowling, and should not play back too much. Is rather patchy in the field, but has taken some fine catches.

Mander, L. A.—Has plenty of cricket in him. A batsman with a good defence although apt to poke too much at off theory. Bowls a fair ball making pace off the wicket. Gets over the ground well in any part of the field and returns well.

Pearse, F.—Left arm bowler who has performed well on several occasions. Is sometimes rather erratic but when on the spot is a very good bowler. Is better suited to a fast wicket. Rather weak in the field but works hard.

Rayner, H. L. (Vice-Cap.)—A batsman with many fine strokes, but is too inclined to have a go at the wrong ball. Has a fine off drive and cover stroke. Bowls a very fair ball and should persevere with his leg break. A splendid field at point.

[By the Vice-Captain.]

Steele, D. M. (Captain).—Has captained the team with great judgment throughout the year. Brilliant bat possessing beautiful strokes all round the wicket. Fair change bowler. Splendid field at mid-off. Has hearty congratulations of the team on his inclusion in the South Australian Eleven.

CRICKET MEDALS.

Eleven of the medals presented by the Head Master has been won this

year, Don. Steele carrying off eight of them:—

- D. M. Steele—v. East Torrens (65).
- D. M. Steele—v. University (138).
- D. M. Steele—v. East Torrens (118).
- D. M. Steele—v. West Torrens (143).
- D. M. Steele—v. Linden Park (87).
- D. M. Steele—v. Roseworthy (83).
- D. M. Steele—v. Old Scholars (76).
- D. M. Steele—v. St Peter's (120 not out).
- H. L. Rayner—v. East Torrens (68).
- H. L. Rayner—v. Old Scholars (58).
- H. T. J. Edwards—v. St. Peter's (54).

Form Notes.

UPPER SIXTH.

The past term has been one of strenuous and concentrated brain work. Soon after the vacation we realized the nearness and importance of the exams; and hence we have not spared the midnight oil, or fainted at the rosy hour of dawn.

We congratulate G. H. Kendrew on attaining the coveted position of dux. H. P. Tuck ran him very close, and no doubt, had he not omitted so many commas in his Chemistry papers, would have been much closer.

The tennis team, which, in September, so brilliantly defeated S.P.S.C. was mainly composed of members of our form (Steele, Gurner, Bogner and McNeil). All four acquitted them-

selves creditably and deserved their success.

Three representatives of our form have been included in the Cricket Eleven and constitute its real strength.

J. McNeil has the sympathy of the whole form in his illness. He is a very dashing young batsman having on one occasion knocked up thirty runs. His score included three sixes, two fours, one two and two ones. In their final match this term, the second eleven, being without his help, failed miserably.

We are anxiously awaiting the publication of more of his numerous poems. The fame of "He can hardly be called a soldier yet" has established his position in the literary world.

During the year certain members of this form have had an opportunity of showing their ability as essay writers. Some attempts were very original, and their authors are recommended to study these lines:—

"Words are like leaves; and where they most abound
Much fruit of sense beneath is rarely found."

Hossey is still practicing assiduously with his racquet, and, though he has some queer strokes, the hole in his racquet is not nearly so large as it used to be.

Of late Pete has been looking very gloomy—he has lost his cup. Yet, when reminded he has still his mug left, his grief is in no way appeased.

For the majority of the members of

the form this is the last term. We wish them every success in their future lives. Perhaps a few lines of Tennyson would not be inappropriate:

"Man am I grown, a man's work must I do.
Follow the deer? Follow the Christ, the King,
Live pure, speak true, right wrong, follow the
King—
Else, wherefore born?"

LOWER SIXTH.

"The Senior's passed;
Rest at last."

We are sorry to say it is a very short last, owing to the Senior's being a fortnight late. In the noble art of drawing, Mr. Ashton will have missed some familiar faces. Most of us, unwilling to "ape the work of masters," would rather have spent our time studying nature or deriving music from a wheelbarrow (cf. Senior physics). Most of our hon. members, after the Senior, feeling confident of success, were heard to give out the following well-known, shrewd Vergilian phrase: "Haec victor caestus artemque repono."

We have to congratulate L. Alfie Mander on winning the foremost position in our ranks. This young scholar holds the noble rank of corporal in the cadets; so it can be seen that his education is not at all biassed. D. Counter Cooper carried off the Robb Scholarship in a rather easy fashion; and this distinction is all the more worthy of merit, as he was the only candidate to brave the Scripture Exam.

We are justly proud of possessing two such hefty wielders of the racquet as E. Magarey Trott and H. Luscombe Rayner. Both played with great judgment, and displayed that coolness which is ever necessary to success. Had Australia's team included these two noble exponents, there is no doubt whatever that the Pete Davis Cup would have remained within our shores.

The Lower VI. have practically been the back-bone of P.A.C. this year in cricket as well as in other branches of school activities. The team included such notable bats as Mander, H. Thomas, J. Edwards, and A. Keith Ashby, and bowlers like H. Luscombe Rayner and D. "Jum" Magarey, our "hope." Magarey is also a wonderful "slip" field and an improved high jumper.

"Fat" C. Dorsch caused a huge sensation by appearing in a clean collar of huge dimensions approaching the size of "Jumbo's."

Rosanove has at last struck form with his "goo-ooglies." He came out of the Senior Exam. with great success: in fact he had caught something, a proof of his fielding abilities. He was frequently "run out" by the other man this term before he got going. He was generally "bowled out" before the end of the first over.

We have to congratulate G. Cam Davies on giving up the highest num-

ber of marks and thereby winning the Gym. medal.

An incessant smile has been adorning D. Howard Prest's rosy visage all the year. Perhaps he has struck "Tats"! (Any further explanation of this phenomenon will be thankfully received by the "Man," J.N.D.)

Ashby caused a sensation by trying to purloin the laboratory key by concealing it in his "turn-up" trousers. It has been decided that catches with anything whatsoever have been forbidden (Rosy, take note!)

UNIVERSITY V.

After the strenuous work of this our last term we are now enjoying that freedom from work which is so pleasing and beneficial to tired-out minds. But on looking back we see that a great deal of ground has been covered, and that the results are quite satisfactory.

We wish to congratulate Stempel on again obtaining the coveted first place. His attainment is the more to be commended as he has reached this post of honor in three successive terms.

In spite of serious preparation for the Junior Public Examination, many occasions of diversion have occurred. One of our "seniors," when entering for the Junior, through a slight mistake in regard to the date, wished to inform the University that he had been born quite recently, in fact only just this year. However, the timely intervention of

the form master saved the "young" fellow from perpetuating so gross an error. "Duchie" has taken a great interest in motor bicycles, both his brother's and other people's. When coming from the gymnasium the other day, he met a gentleman who was in difficulties over one of these machines. At once our friend's kindly nature overcame him, and he consented to lend a willing hand. Alas, such is this world's hardness and misunderstanding! "Duchie" was *only* a quarter of an hour late for the next lesson. He is still wondering why he was punished simply for showing pity to a fellow-being in distress.

Our class contributed two men to the intercollegiate cricket team to uphold the honour of the good old "Red-and-Whites." These very distinguished persons are Fowler, our class captain, and Haslam.

For the boys leaving the class for the more important duties in life, our sincerest wish is that they may thrive in whatever calling they take up, and prove an honour to their school.

UPPER FOURTH.

The end of this term has been hailed with great rejoicings by the full complement of our form. We congratulate ourselves on the ease with which we have acquired so much knowledge under worthy masters. Great honours were won by our class in the recent Primary,

only two failing out of the nineteen who sat. We have been well represented in the Intercollegiate contests by Pearse, Dreyer, McGregor and Barlow. "Solly" Grundy has not yet come to a definite conclusion as to the meaning of a gerundial phrase. The gym. medal has fallen to H. W. McGregor. We heartily congratulate R. C. Smyth on coming top and gaining the Elder Foundation Scholarship; also A. F. Hobbs, who won the gold medal. An ample proof of our work this year is the fact that we have won 46 certificates. The art world has much benefited by the prodigious labours of Davies and Plush, our stars.

"Baby Banana" is making wonderful progress in his musical studies, and has very optimistic views as to his future career.

LOWER FOURTH.

Once again we are approaching the much-looked-for time of the year, and are preparing for the Christmas holidays and all the good things which come with them.

We have earned great success in class-work and games, and think that we have the right to a splendid holiday.

The class must congratulate Farley on keeping his position at the head of the form.

At the beginning of this term our numbers were swelled by four new

boys, namely, Smith, Jacka, Barton, and H. Rodda. Two of these, Smith and Rodda, have gained excellent positions in the final and weekly examinations.

All honour is due to Engelbrecht for his splendid performance in coming top of Upper and Lower Fourth Gymnastic classes.

Some members of our class entered for the Primary Examination, and, although only three passed, most of the others only failed by a very narrow margin.

In cricket we have played and won two matches against the Upper Thirds, "Igo" Nettelbeck leading us to victory on both occasions.

We have played one tennis match against the Upper Third, and although the match was unfinished, we were in a winning position.

Our friend "Spokes" has lately specialized in the "Theory of Batting," and for recreation he turns to highly-coloured comic papers and other wonderful books. From his wide reading he hits upon many new truths: his latest discovery being that they "make grease out of fat."

"Whiskey" East has made his name famous by doing well in the third and second elevens, and we hope that he will soon be in the "Firsts." His "spirits" seem to have mellowed during the extra vacation, and his store of jokes never seems to run dry.

"Dumb" Inglis proposes to write a book on British History during the Christmas vacation, on account of his marvellous performance in the final examination.

"Fat" May has been trying to end his life by seeing if a gas-generator would blow up if a candle were held close to it. He discovered that it would. However, he seems too tough to kill, and the only effects were fewer eyelashes, two days' holiday, and a beautiful pale-pink complexion that all his girl friends in Gawler are envying.

We find much more space in the form room now that our friend "Pom Pom" has retired from school life to become a farmer.

"Father" Soward is much missed by his "sons" of the Lower Fourth. He thinks of leaving "hard" work and going to the University.

We shall miss Nettelbeck, A. Rodda, and our good natured and popular friend, "Fat" Keller, next term. To each of these we wish success and prosperity in their future careers, and may they long remember the "best form of all."

UPPER THIRD.

This term's work has been very interesting and twelve of us have been able to gain certificates.

We offer our congratulations to W. A. Shepley on securing pride of position, and to K. Dunstan on coming a splendid

second. The latter would have won the coveted honours had he obtained one more mark in the finals. In the gymnastic class under the supervision of Mr. Bennett, G. H. Weylandt gains the medal for his muscular exertions.

Our form has been very successful in its cricket matches this season, having won two out of three. In the first match we played we suffered defeat at the hands of the Lower Fourth; in the second we defeated the Lower Third; and in the third we played we were successful against the Lower Fourth. We were captained by our efficient skipper Thompson, who made 47 runs in the second match while Sauerbier scattered stumps to the extent of 6 for 12 against the Lower Fourth.

From the feathered fledgling songsters soaring aloft into the realms of harmonious discords our singing master has singled out Weylandt, while Cane obtains for us the much-coveted junior prize for neatness.

In the exciting struggle for bottom place between Holland and Mitchell, the latter obtained a good first, while their repressible Dutchy followed him up in fine style.

We are glad to see that some of our class-mates have been endeavouring, during the last week of school, to satisfy Mr. Ashton's artistic taste, and we must not omit to mention that Davidson and Weylandt have carried off first and second mapping honours.

We must before closing these notes wish all those who are leaving us a happy and successful career.

LOWER THIRD.

We started this term with 34 boys, four being new boys: Collins, Juckes, Langrehr, and Lee. We have worked very hard this term, and eleven have gained certificates. Cowell is to be heartily congratulated on [gaining] the highest position in the form. He has been top for two terms and was also top in the finals.

The horrible finals have passed, and now we can take things easily. We are all working hard for Speech Day, and Mr. Reeves is teaching us about "brave Horatius, who kept the bridge so well in the days of old."

Mr. Bennett has been teaching the Junior Cadets to shoot, and we soon hope to make good cadets.

Hone is our cricket captain and Torr our vice-captain. We have played one match against the Upper Third this term, but were defeated. Taylor, our best bowler, secured 4 wickets for 8 runs. Hone is in the Third Eleven, while Torr, Claxton, and Collins are in the Fourth's.

We are endeavouring to arrange a few rounds between Sandy, our pugilistic form mate, and Inglis, our smart-footed lightweight.

We have to congratulate Hoare on winning the medal for gymnastics.

SECOND.

When the form settles down to its routine work, a feeling of monotony sometimes tends to creep in; but usually there occur by the way amusing incidents which ward off any such feeling. Incidents of this kind have been much in evidence during the term.

In September we held a Mock Trial as a practical illustration of our reading lesson. It certainly proved amusing, and (we hope) instructive. After evidence had been taken, and the "twelve good men and true" had brought in a verdict of "guilty", the prisoner, Toby Dingle, was sentenced to be a guest of the Government for six months,

Some time later one of our members, McTaggart, narrowly escaped being devoured by a sheep dog. Whilst Mac. was masticating his dinner, the animal attacked him from the rear, and succeeded in eating half of his coat before being driven off.

One day our boys did great service in the front gathering up stones; but evidently the work did not agree with all, for in the recitation lesson that followed Gordon told us that—

"Music arose with its voluptuous smell."

Mr. Ashton recently reported that Nesbit's drawing of a mouse was not satisfactory; in fact, the only thing right in the mouse was its whiskers. The results of the drawing examina-

tion, however, were very good; we obtained three honours and six passes.

We congratulate Gleeson, who has gained the medal for gymnastics, and also Hill, who is still at the head of the form.

Cadet Corps.

At the end of the second term a class of instruction for non-commissioned officers was commenced, in order to prepare them for the exams which were carried out early this term. All of our non-coms. and a few other cadets, who were interested enough to attend the class, are to be complimented on the success which attended their efforts. Every one of the candidates passed, and the examining officers were pleased with the stamp of cadets who presented themselves for rank. It is to be hoped that in future all the senior boys will take this examination, as the preparation is very beneficial in raising the standard of work of the corps, and also officers for the citizen forces should be drawn from the colleges.

We have now to say goodbye to a few excellent officers, but fortunately there will not be many positions to fill next year. With so many well-trying men available there is no reason why the 1913 cadet corps should not be the best the School has had.

Don Steele.

Don Steele entered the school in 1904 and soon found a position in the school's first eleven. Since 1906 he has been a regular member and for the last three years has been captain. His forte has been batting, but he has been a good change bowler—having taken over a hundred wickets in his school career; and has always set an excellent example in fielding. He is the most promising batsman that has been through the college during recent years. The beauty of his batting has been the variety of scoring strokes, combined with a very sound defence. During 1906-7, before the turf wicket was put down, he compiled 254 runs in 12 innings, and since the school's advent in the South Australian Cricket Association B Grade he has amassed 2869 runs. His averages in B Grade are:—

Year.	Inns.	N. O.	H. S.	Runs.	Avg.
1907	7	—	74	157	22.42
1908	13	1	63*	364	30.33
1909	14	2	122	525	43.75
1910	8	2	131*	421	70.16
1911	11	3	231*	625	78.12
1912	14	3	143	777	70.63

Total in B Grade:—

67	11	231*	2869	51.23
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* signifies not out.

Other matches played by the school eleven give our Captain 21 innings, 2 not out, 83 highest score, 945 runs 49.74 average.

Totalling all these matches, Steele has played 100 innings for the college with 15 not-out innings; his aggregate of runs is 4068, thus making an average of 47.86 for each time of going to the wickets.

His scores in matches against St. Peters are:—

1907	...	74 and 16
1908	...	57 and 6
1909	...	56 and 21
1910	...	0 and 117 not out
1911	...	65 and 5
1912	...	120 not out 6

The aggregate is 543 runs and average 54.3.

An illness prevented him from playing in the 1906 college match.

List of centuries:

122—v. West Torrens West.
110*—v. Linden Park.
131*—v. East Torrens B.
117*—v. S.P.S.C.
231*—v. Adelaide B.
134*—v. East Torrens B.
136—v. Glenelg B.
138*—v. University B.
118*—v. East Torrens B.
143—v. West Torrens B.
120*—v. S.P.S.C.

* signifies not out.

Steele has also played in interstate cricket and he is the only schoolboy since Clem Hill to have done so. Against New South Wales last year he scored 19 and 6, and was also selected to play against the English Team. In the recent match against New South Wales he gained the coveted century, remaining not out with 113 to his credit.

As a tennis player he has been very successful, representing the school since 1908, and winning the champion singles of these matches every year since 1909. He has been a member of the football team since 1907, and was captain of the 1911 eighteen, which was about the best team the school ever put in the field. Athletic sports have also claimed his attention, and for the last three years he has been our mile runner.

This is certainly a unique list; and to be captain of three branches of sport and head prefect is a record for the school. An excellent example has been set, and it is confidently hoped that others will emulate it. To Don Steele we wish all success in his studies and games, and we are grateful to him for having given us of his best, and proud of the fact that we can claim him as a Prince Alfred collegian.

Arthur Hill is recognised as making an excellent President of the Chamber of Manufactures.

Cricket.

During the term that has just been concluded, there has been a great revival of interest in cricket. Four teams have been regularly playing Saturday matches, and all have been very successful. The records for the half season have been as follow:—

FIRST ELEVEN (B GRADE).

Matches played—5, won 2, lost 1, drawn 2.

All Matches—Matches Played—7, won 3, lost 1, drawn 3.

SECOND ELEVEN.

Matches played—7, won 1, lost 2, drawn 4.

THIRD ELEVEN.

Matches played—6, won 4, lost 1, drawn 1.

FOURTH ELEVEN.

Matches played—4, won 3, lost 0, drawn 1.

Total matches played—24, won 11, lost 4, drawn 9.

The scores of the matches are:—

FIRST ELEVEN.

v. North Adelaide B—P.A.C., 97; N.A., 1 for 72. Fowler 43, Rayner 31.

v. West Torrens B—P.A.C., 254; W.T., 1 for 18. Steele 143, Mander 39.

v. Linden Park—P.A.C., 235 and 172; L.P., 51. Fowler 37, Steele 87, Magaley 45 and 39 not out, Gurner 29, Edwards 28; Ashby 2 for 15, Pearse 3 for 18, Edwards 2 for 4.

v. East Torrens B—P.A.C., 212; E.T., 179. Edwards 2 for 15, Rayner 3 for 17; Rayner 68, Magarey 49.

v. S.P.S.C.—P.A.C., 179 and 128; S.P.S.C., 265 and 3 for 46. Steele 120 not out, Edwards 54, Rayner 31; Ashby 7 for 68, Gurner 2 for 23, Pearse 2 for 62.

v. Adelaide Bank—P.A.C., 4 for 70; A.B., 7 for 136.

v. Old Boys—P.A.C., 257: Old Boys, 166. Steele 76, Rayner 58, Magarey 38 not out; Steele 2 for 8, Collins 2 for 14, Ashby 3 for 40.

SECOND ELEVEN.

v. Kyre College—P.A.C., 72; Kyre College, 2 for 45. Mengersen 28.

v. Semaphore B—P.A.C., 4 for 168; Semaphore B, 4 for 112. Dreyer 69 not out, Prest 69.

v. S.P.S.C. II. — P.A.C., 113; S.P.S.C. II., 5 for 134. Haslam 44.

v. Semaphore B.—P.A.C., 114; Semaphore B, 4 for 63. Mengersen 43; Dreyer 4 for 23.

v. Adelaide High School—P.A.C., 8 for 108; Adelaide High School, 103. Collins 54 not out; Jolly 4 for 23, East 4 for 38.

v. Concordia College—P.A.C., 8 for 163; Concordia College 6 for 73. Collins 58; Johnson 2 for 15.

v. S.P.S.C. II.—P.A.C., 85; S.P.S.C. II., 4 for 192. Mengersen 46.

THIRD ELEVEN.

v. Concordia II.—P.A.C., 7 for 179; Concordia II., 32 and 7 for 94. Haslam 99, Hone 48; Thompson 3 for 20, Temby 2 for 23, Hone 4 for 13.

v. Unley H.S.—P.A.C., 5 for 153; Unley H.S., 16 and 33. Thompson 43; Humphries 5 for 7, East 3 for 6, Johnson 3 for 4, Chipper 3 for 2.

v. S.P.S.C. III. — P.A.C., 116; S.P.S.C. III., 44 and 5 for 85. East 29, Crompton 22; Humphries 6 for 20, Johnson 3 for 1.

v. Concordia II.—P.A.C., 4 for 123; Concordia II., 59. Thompson 32, East 24; East 5 for 17.

v. U.H.S.—P.A.C., 86; U.H.S., 9 for 68. Crompton 21, Johnson 21.

v. S.P.S.C. III.—P.A.C., 80; S.P.S.C. 4 for 132. Thompson 40.

FOURTH ELEVEN.

v. Queen's School—P.A.C., 77 and 4 for 79; Queen's School, 70. Hone 19, Torr 36 not out; Temby 4 for 10, Hone 2 for 7.

v. Grange—P.A.C., 130; Grange 130. Hone 51; Willsmore 5 for 27.

v. Woodville Cadets—P.A.C., 109; Woodville Cadets, 46 and 4 for 7. Willsmore 35.

v. S.P.S.C. IV.—P.A.C., 74; S.P.S.C. IV., 63. Howard 27; Willsmore 3 for 4, Collins 3 for 4.

In reviewing the work of the past half-season, we are forced to look back on our cricket results for the past six seasons, as the oval match just finished was the last in which our captain for the past three years will have played for the school. Don Steele has been for so long the mainstay of our teams that it seems difficult to imagine a College Eleven without him. He has proved himself the finest school cricketer we have had, and we expect him to follow in the footsteps of such men as Darling, Hill, and Dolling, now that he has left us. Don played in over 100 matches for our First Eleven, and scored over 4,000 runs, and he also on many occasions bowled with great success. His phenomenal record as a school cricketer is given in full in another column. Ashby and Pearse bowled well, especially in the college match, competent judges being of opinion that their work on Tuesday was equal to any seen in intercollegiate matches. Rayner, Magarey, and Edwards batted well at times, and should be of considerable service to us next year.

In the Second Eleven, Collins and Mengersen batted well, and Jolly did very good work with the ball. Unfortunately, most of our Second Eleven have left us at the end of the year, but we have six or seven of the first still with us.

The Third Eleven were very success-

ful, losing only their second match against S.P.S.C. Their strength lay in the bowling, Johnson, Hone, East, Humphries, and Chipper obtaining between them 42 wickets at a cost of 4 runs each. Thompson, Crompton, East, and Chipper, batted well.

The matches arranged for the Fourth Eleven were well contested, and great competition resulted for places in the team. Those who showed most promise were Willsmore, Hone, Williamsson, Temby, Sauerbier, and Torr.

FIRST ELEVEN (B GRADE) AVERAGES.

BATTING.						
Batsman	Inns.	Not Out.	Runs.	Highest Score.	Avg.	
Steele	7	1	384	143	64	
Rayner	7	0	183	68	26.1	
Magarey	7	1	151	49	25.1	
Edwards	7	0	130	54	18.6	
Fowler	7	0	97	43	13.8	
Mander	7	0	66	39	9.4	
Gurner	7	1	54	29	9	

BOWLING.						
Bowler.	Overs.	Mdns.	Runs.	Wkts.	Avg.	
Steele	62	11	189	17	11.1	
Rayner	17	1	48	4	12	
Ashby	80	27	166	11	15.1	
Pearse	51	10	112	7	16	
Edwards	31	7	96	4	24	

SECOND ELEVEN AVERAGES.

BATTING.					
Batsman.	Inns.	Not Out	Runs.	Highest Score	Avg.
Haslam	3	1	64	44	32
Collins	6	1	136	58	27.2
Mengersen	7	0	160	46	22.8
Dreyer	6	1	92	69*	18.4
Prest	7	1	88	69	14.7
McNeil	4	0	32	17	8

BOWLING.

Bowler.	Overs.	Mdns.	Runs.	Wkts.	Avg.
Jolly	50	3	150	10	15
East	17	2	77	5	15.4
Hone	8	1	48	3	16
Johnson	12	2	40	2	20

THIRD ELEVEN AVERAGES.

BATTING.					
Batsman.	Inns.	Not Out	Runs.	Highest Score.	Avg.
Thompson	5	1	137	43	34.2
Crompton	4	1	53	22	17.7
East	3	0	69	29	23
Chipper	4	0	62	23	15.5
Harris	4	0	52	25	13
Humphries	5	2	24	17*	8

BOWLING.

Bowler.	Overs.	Mdns.	Runs.	Wkts.	Av.
Johnson	12	7	13	8	1.6
Hone	7	3	16	4	4
East	16	3	46	10	4.6
Humphries	29	7	99	20	4.9
Chipper	24	7	52	8	6.5

Balance Sheet, No. 104.

INCOME.

	£	s.	d.
Credit Balance from No. 103	2	12	0
Sale in School of No. 104 ...	5	10	6
Old Boys' Association ...	20	5	0
Debit Balance ...	0	9	3
	£28	16	9

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.
Printing ...	27	16	9
Wrappers ...	1	0	0
	£28	16	9

J. N. DAVIES,
Hon. Manager.

Old Boys.

W. L. Cleland, B.Sc., registrar of Port Pirie School of Mines, has resigned his office that he may proceed to England for further study.

Dr. Kenneth Fry, ex Rhodes Scholar, has reached Port Darwin on his homeward travels.

An irreverent but true-hearted old scholar writes from Berlin: "I wonder whether I could obtain one of those grammars 'Monkey' used to teach us from. I appreciate now more than ever what a splendid teacher he was."

"Laurie" Birks, B.Sc., who has been running the Rotorua works for some time, has now been appointed second electrical engineer on the big power works which the New Zealand Government are constructing at Lake Coleridge to supply Christchurch, &c. He writes that "the quarterly arrival of the *Chronicle* is still quite an event of even greater interest than when I was at college." The local *Spectator* concludes a most appreciative article with "He's a born grafter, whose whole anatomy doesn't contain one lazy bone—is Lawrence Birks."

On Christmas Eve the local band at Hamley Bridge, and the members of the Hamley Bridge Young Men's Christian Society, assembled at the Institute and marched to the residence of Dr. S. L. Dawkins. The vice-president of the class presented to Dr. and Mrs. Dawkins an illuminated address as a token of esteem from the young men of the class, signed by 40 members. The Rev. L. Tillbrook also spoke of the good work the doctor and Mrs. Dawkins were doing, and eulogised the undenominational spirit exhibited by the recipients. Dr. Dawkins replied. The young men's class has been in existence seven years. Dr. Dawkins was its originator, and has been its principal mainstay and leader. He not only acts as "guide, philosopher, and friend" to

the young men on Sunday afternoons, but entertains and assists the members of the class regularly and systematically, and is helped in this effort by Mrs. Dawkins. Dr. Dawkins also takes great interest in the local band, and the members were glad of an opportunity to show their gratitude to their patron and friend.

Tom Hoggarth called in the Christmas vacation. He has volunteered as a medical missionary in connection with the Presbyterian Church of Victoria, and is studying medicine at Ormond College of the Melbourne University, and is near the close of his fourth year. William Hoggarth is an engineer at a big copper mine in Chili.

Don Steele made a splendid *début* in interstate cricket by scoring 113 not out v. N.S.W., and 140 v. Ballarat. His fielding, too, deserved the high praise it received.

Clem. Hill, of course, did well on the same trip as captain and as individual player and batsman. His 110 v. Ballarat was a very fine performance, and his 138 and 84 against N.S.W. were masterly, equal to his best—and there never was a better.

Public Examination Results.

Senior Public.

General Honours—

L. A. Mander (8), F. R. Hone (18),
D. C. Cooper (20), H. T. J. Ed-
wards (36), H. L. Rayner (39).

Special Honours—

English Literature—F. R. Hone (8).
Latin—L. A. Mander (6), M. Dryen
(8).

German—C. E. Dorsch (1), E. W.
Bogner (2), D. C. Cooper and H.
L. Rayner (3).

Geometry—L. A. Mander (1).

Physics—P. A. C. Lewis (2).

Chemistry—D. C. Cooper (1), F. R.
Hone (3), A. N. Shuttleworth (6).

Pass List—

[1, English Literature; 2a, Modern
History; 3, Greek; 4, Latin; 5, French;
6, German; 7, Arithmetic and Algebra;
8, Geometry; 9, Trigonometry; 10,
Physics; 11, Inorganic Chemistry; 12,
Physiology; 14, Physical Geography
and Geology. An x denotes credit.]

K. W. Bollen, 1, 4, 8, 10, 11, 12.

T. D. Campbell, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11.

D. C. Cooper, 1, 4, 6x, 7, 8, 10, 11x.

G. C. Davies, 1, 7, 8, 10, 11, 14.

C. E. Dorsch, 1, 2a, 4, 6x, 10, 11.

M. Dryen, 1, 4x, 6, 8, 10, 11.

H. T. Edwards, 1, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11.

G. S. M. Fowler, 1, 4, 6, 8, 10, 11.

F. R. Hone, 1x, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11x.

R. E. Jolly, 1, 4, 6, 8, 11.

P. A. C. Lewis, 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10x.

L. A. Mander, 1, 2a, 3, 4x, 7, 8x, 10, 11.

D. H. Prest, 1, 6, 7, 8, 9.

H. L. Rayner, 1, 4, 6x, 7, 8, 10, 11.

E. Rosanove, 1, 4, 5, 10, 11.

A. N. Shuttleworth, 1, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11x.

R. M. Young, 1, 4, 5, 8, 11.

Passed in four Subjects—

K. Jauncey, 6, 7, 8, 10.

Senior Commercial.

R. Battye passed in Commercial Arith-
metic, Bookkeeping (credit), Geo-
graphy, History, English Literature,
Arithmetic and Algebra, Physical
Geography and Geology, and has
won the Commercial Scholarship.

N. V. Mengersen passed in Bookkeep-
ing, Geography, History, English Lit-
erature, Physical Geography and Geo-
logy.

Junior Commercial.

Special Honour List—

Bookkeeping, W. H. French and L.
H. Maddern (3).

Pass List—

[1, English Literature; 2, Arithmetic;
3, Geography; 4, Bookkeeping; 7,
History; 10, Algebra; 15, Typewriting.]

H. Temby, 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 10.

W. H. French, 2, 3, 4x, 10.

H. W. Humphries, 3, 10.

L. H. Maddern, 2, 3, 4x, 15.

S. C. Towill, 2, 4, 10.

Obituary.

We learnt with deep regret of the sudden and untimely death by drowning of Leonard Baldwin Delbridge at Glenelg on December 22nd. He was with us at school for the three years ending Christmas, 1903, made excellent progress, and was much liked. But it was later in life (if anything can be called late in so short a career) that he became best known to us as a whole hearted, loyal old scholar, as a member of the P.A.C. Old Collegians' Association, doing much in many ways to further its interests. He will be much missed by the officials and by the private members. Our deepest sympathy goes out to the father thus suddenly bereft of his so promising eldest son, and to the brothers who had learnt to depend upon him so hopefully.

William Cole Webb, one of the earliest of our scholars, entering the college in 1870 when nine years old, and always loyally attached to it, was suddenly called away on September 30th. The very large funeral and the articles in the local papers alike testify to the general esteem in which our friend was held. "Like his late father he was all his life time a

valued supporter of the Methodist Church, and had filled nearly every office in it. For over 30 years an active worker in the Sunday School, a trustee of the church." Many of us recall his son Allan, also an old scholar, and our sympathies are with him and the others bereaved.

Our Contemporaries.

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

- "The Melburnian."
- "The Excelsior" (Burwood Ladies' College.)
- "Hawkesbury Agricultural College Journal."
- "The Swan" (Guildford Grammar School, W.A.)
- "The Scindian" (N.Z.)
- "Otago High School Magazine."
- "The Coorwull Magazine" (N.S.W.)
- "Adelaide High School Magazine."
- "Wesley College Chronicle."
- "The Echo."
- "Pegasus" (Geelong College).
- "Scotch Collegian."
- "The Launcestonian"

A. E. C. Gepp, of our Lower Sixth, is to be congratulated on being accepted as a cadet for the Royal Military College, Duntroon. There were 100 candidates, 33 accepted, three of these being from South Australia, and Gepp was first of the three.

Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association.

ANNUAL "DANDIES" NIGHT
WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12th, 1913, at 8.15 p.m.

A Special Programme will be presented, which, together with the high reputation earned by the Dandies' Artists, should warrant a record attendance.

As the object of this entertainment is to provide a pleasant social evening for members and their friends, free of cost to the Association, you are requested to keep the above matter before you and assist in that direction.

The Association has secured the sole right of booking seats up to 8th February, and you are therefore requested to do so as early as possible. Seats will be reserved upon presentation of tickets at the Pianola Co., 88 Rundle Street, City.

Tickets obtainable from :—

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| .. H. L. Bowen, c/o Wyles & Co., City | .. W. Lathlean, c/o Crooks & Brooker, Ltd. |
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Old Collegians' Association.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Thirty-fourth Annual Meeting of the Association was held in the Old Exchange Cafe, Pirie Street, Adelaide, on Thursday evening, 14th November, 1912. There was a fair attendance, and the President (Mr. A. C. Catt) occupied the chair.

The report showed a membership of 1,028 on the roll, including 258 life members. During the year 85 new members have joined, whilst 37 paid the life membership subscription of £3 3s. In addition to these members there are branches in Melbourne and Broken Hill with rolls of 45 and 30 respectively. The expenses have been rather unusual this year, and the disbursements have exceeded the income by £4, but the capital account funds have been increased by £116. The Chairman mentioned that the total of the surplus funds was now over £1,000. The Benevolent Fund had increased to £102. The Committee was at all times prepared to consider the case of any Old Red who may have fallen on hard times, and invited members to bring such circumstances under notice. Mr. A. G. Collison moved, and Mr. Tom Steele seconded, the adoption of the report and balance sheet. Carried.

Officers Elected.

Patron—The Head Master.

President—Mr. J. R. Robertson.

Vice-Presidents—Messrs. A. C. Catt, G. M. Evan, and W. Taylor.

Representatives on College Committee—Messrs. F. Simpson, H. W. A. Miller, J. H. Burgess, G. W. R. Lee, J. W. Grasby, W. Lathlean, and A. S. Lewis.

General Committee—Messrs. H. V. Rounsevell, W. G. Rhodes, Tom Steele, A. A. L. Rowley, R. F. Middleton, H. B. Piper, and J. W. Blacket.

Hon. Treasurer—Mr. A. G. Collison.

Joint Secretaries—Messrs. H. W. A. Miller and L. B. Shuttleworth.

Hon. Auditors—Messrs. R. G. Neill and C. Viner Smith.

The ballot for nominating two scholars for the Old Collegians' Scholarships tenable at the College gave the right to Messrs. F. Best (Yarra Glen, River Murray), and F. A. Cann, Adelaide.

It was resolved, at the instance of the incoming President (Mr. Robertson): "That nominations for officers must be received by the Secretary of the Association at least 48 hours prior to the time of the meeting at which election is to be made, and the person nominated must, within the same time, signify in writing his consent to act if elected."

It was further decided that notice of the meeting should be posted to members at least 7 clear days before the date of the meeting, and that the retiring President be *ex officio* a member of the General Committee.

Mr. R. O. Fox proposed and Mr. F. Lathlean seconded: "That this Association confer with the St. Peter's Old Collegians' Association with the object of arranging for an annual inter-collegiate bowling match." Carried. The proposer, and Messrs. A. C. Catt and A. C. Thomas, were appointed a sub-committee with power to make the necessary arrangements.

A vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Catt, the retiring President.

During the evening light refreshments were served, and musical items were contributed by Messrs. R. O. Fox and A. A. L. Rowley.

Old Boys' Annual Ball.

REPORT OF SUB-COMMITTEE.

In presenting the statement of accounts, I regret to report a loss, which was not anticipated. The sole reason of the deficiency is due to the comparatively small number of tickets sold.

This is the Second Annual Dance, the results of which have been somewhat disappointing, but in both cases the dates chosen have proved unsuitable.

The attendance showed a slight improvement on last year's figures, but another sixty guests could easily have been accommodated.

The thanks of the Association are due to the ladies for their great assist-

ance in decorating the hall and supper room, especially to Mrs. W. G. Rhodes for the loan of red and white carnations, and Mrs. J. C. Sunter, the Misses Smith, the Misses Catt, and Miss Hall.

Now that this function is becoming more popular with members of the Association, the Sub-Committee feel that their efforts ought to be continued at least for another year, to make this a financial as well as a social success.

Everyone who attended the last ball had a thoroughly enjoyable time, and should the next one be held say at the beginning of June, the attendance will be considerably increased.

E. E. Cleland, K.C.

Early in the year came the news that Edward Erskine Cleland had been appointed a "K.C.", an honor richly deserved by the gentlemen in question. Mr. Cleland has been a prominent member of the legal profession for some years past, and was one of the gentlemen who represented this State in the action with Victoria relating to the disputed boundary. The Committee of the Association desire to take this opportunity of congratulating Mr. Cleland on his latest appointment, and express the wish that he may continue to hold a prominent position in his profession. The last three K.C.'s appointed have all been Old Reds.

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The objects of the Association are:—
 To keep Old Boys, wherever they may
 be, in touch with one another and with
 the boys at the school; also to foster

and maintain their interest in the
 School.

The P.A.C. Chronicle, of which a large
 part is devoted to matters of special
 interest to Old Boys, is forwarded to
 each member of the Association.

A dinner is held annually, at a time
 which is thought likely to give as many
 Old Boys as possible an opportunity of
 meeting one another; and social
 gatherings are held whenever any
 occasion arises that makes them de-
 sirable.

The Association gives annually to
 the School the Old Collegians' Scholar-
 ship, of the value of fifteen guineas, and
 donates five guineas per annum to the
 Sports' Fund. Two Scholarships
 tenable for two years are also awarded
 and are balloted for by the members.

The subscription is five shillings per
 annum. The simplest way is to
 send along a pound for four years, or
 to make a life payment of three
 guineas. Any Old Boy wishing to
 become a member can do so by for-
 warding his name and address to the
 Head Master, or to any member of the
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