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## Editorial.

The past term has been marked by two events of some moment, one of them being directly concerned with the school. This was the visit paid us by General Sir William Birdwood, the famous leader of the Australian forces in the late war. The school was proud to welcome within its gates this distinguished gentleman, under whom so many of its Old Boys had fought for right and honour. Remembrance of this day will remain fresh in many fellows' minds for years to come, as will also that of the other noteworthy event, the arrival of the South Australian aviators in Adelaide in the last stage of their great world flight. On both occasions the school was granted a half holiday.

It is hoped that in our next issue we shall be able to record a visit from the Prince of Wales, seeing that he will be sojourning in this State for some days during his tour of the Empire. If he does decide to visit the school, we shall certainly do our utmost to welcome him in a fitting manner.

For some years past, the school at the beginning of the year has shown an increase in numbers on those of the previous year. This year our number approaches the half thousand, and twenty five per cent. of this number are new to the school. To these fellows we extend a hearty welcome, and trust that the years they spend at Prince Alfred College will always be remembered with pride and pleasure.

The advent of such a large number of new boys has a powerful influence on the course of school life as a whole, and we note with pleasure that they are finding their places and smoothly drifting into them. Many, no doubt, found it strange and perhaps uncomfortable at first, but that was to be expected, and we sincerely trust that now no fellow feels at all out of place.

One thing we should like those who have joined our ranks this year to remember is, that fellows who have been at the school before know a great deal more about public school life than they do, and

that it is far better to be guided by them, than to attempt to introduce new ideas of their own.

And now, in conclusion, we ask our readers not to forget that although the "Chronicle," as the name implies, is a record of school life, yet original efforts do not come amiss, and we shall welcome any attempt at originality, and, if suitable, we shall publish it with the greatest pleasure.

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## School Notes.

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Once more the year has opened with an increase in numbers. The school roll for the term is just over 450, of whom 102 are in residence. These numbers greatly exceed those of any earlier period in the history of the school, and have taxed our resources to such an extent that it has been found necessary to decline to admit any further applicants. This course was taken only after mature deliberation, and because it was felt that our numbers should be limited by our ability to do justice to those admitted. We have not quite reached the limit of our capacity; there is still room in the Preparatory School and in some of the classes for a few boys able to join them. This condition of things makes it increasingly necessary that the Head Master should know as early as possible of any projected change in a boy's status.

Much "new blood" has been admitted this term. This will either strengthen or weaken the general body of the school, as new boys have entered in such numbers as to make their presence felt to an unusual degree. The school extends a hearty welcome to them, with the hope that they will readily assimilate her spirit and display it by hearty co-operation in every activity open to them.

The pressure in the boarding house made it necessary to open the Prep. House to boarders. Thirteen of the youngest have been installed there with Mrs. Garot in charge as Matron.

D. K. McKenzie has been appointed Captain of the School. He will have associated with him as Prefects—M. T. Cockburn, C. W. Crompton, H. S. Elford, H. E. Jaehne, W. G. Taylor, N. A. Walsh, J. O. Tiddy, and J. R. Hall.

N. A. Walsh, L. S. Walsh, and J. O. Tiddy have been appointed House Prefects.

On the results of the Higher Public Examination, A. R. Shepley was awarded an Engineering Bursary, and C. T. Piper a Medical Bursary; R. O. Pomroy was awarded the Angas Engineering Exhibition.

On the results of the Senior Public Examination, A. J. Chandler was awarded a Senior Exhibition; and on the Junior Public results, H. P. Chapman was awarded a Junior Exhibition.

The following 1919 school awards have been made since the school closed at Christmas:—

Sir Thomas Elder Scholarship—C. C. Crump.  
 Old Collegians' Scholarship—A. R. Shepley.  
 Colton Scholarship—A. J. Chandler.  
 Longbottom Scholarship—R. O. Pomroy.  
 Robb Scholarship—C. W. Crompton.  
 Malpas Scholarship—I. C. Barton.  
 Wills Scholarship—R. S. Rhodes.  
 Grasby Scholarship—D. R. Whitburn.  
 Elder Foundation, under 16—R. T. Freeman.  
 Cotton Medal—C. T. Piper.  
 Alfred Muecke Prize—I. S. Magarey.

The Senior Entrance Scholarship was awarded to J. A. C. Kumnick, and the Gartrell Entrance Scholarship to A. S. Lewis. The successful candidate for the Junior Entrance Scholarship was unfortunately unable to take advantage of it; as no other candidate was deemed of sufficient merit, no award has been made this year.

Hitherto three entrance scholarships have been awarded each year; the Senior Elder, tenable for two years for a boy fit to take the Senior Public Course, the Junior Elder, tenable for one year, for a boy fit to take the Junior Public Course, and the Gartrell, tenable for one year, for a boy fit to take the Junior Commercial Course. The Executive Committee have decided to readjust these awards in such a way as to do away with the Senior Elder and to make each of the others tenable for two years. Their feeling is that a boy entering at the Senior Public stage is too far advanced in his school career to reap the full advantage of the benefits they hope to confer by awarding the scholarship; also that by extending the tenure of the other two scholarships, a corresponding benefit is conferred on entrants more likely to reap those benefits.

The following successes were won at the Supplementary Examination:—T. C. Kohler passed in Higher Public Physics, and the following in Senior Subjects: D. M. Birch in English and Chemis-

try, H. S. Elford in Latin, F. H. J. Fischer in English and Physics, A. T. Harbison in Latin, S. Krantz in Arith. and Algebra, H. H. Pitt in Physics.

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In our last issue the name of A. L. Dawkins did not appear amongst those of our successful candidates in the Junior Public. In addition to gaining a Credit in Arithmetic, he passed in English, Latin, Algebra, Geometry, and Chemistry. R. W. M. Johnson, too, should have been mentioned as passing in English, Arithmetic, Algebra, and Geometry.

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E. B. Thomas and A. H. H. Aldersey have been awarded entrance scholarships at Roseworthy Agricultural College.

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A half-holiday was granted on March 12th at the request of Sir William Birdwood on the occasion of his visit to the school, and again on March 23rd to celebrate the homecoming of Sir Ross and Sir Keith Smith. All three have done much to ennoble the name of Australia, and to spread her fame throughout the world, and we delighted to take our part in honouring them.

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On March 1st the members of the Methodist Conference paid their annual visit to the school, when the retiring president, Rev. T. G. White, bade farewell to the school in his official capacity as Chairman of the School Committee, and the Head Master introduced his successor, Rev. W. A. Potts. The former was heartily thanked for his great interest in the school, and the latter was heartily welcomed to his place.

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The school is indebted to Mr Kelsey, an old St Peter's boy, for the interesting and instructive address he gave at Assembly one morning during the term on the League of Nations. He brought home to us very forcefully the great possibilities wrapped up in the scheme, and the perils to the world if some such organisation did not develop among nations to prevent a recurrence of the awful experience of the past five years. Most important of all, he made us feel that the development and successful application of any such scheme lay with the rising generations, and that therein lay one of our greatest responsibilities for the future of our own race and of mankind in general.

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No State Governor, probably, has entered into our schoolboy life more thoroughly or effectively than Sir Henry Galway did. No effort on his part was too great that enabled him to show his interest in anything that bore upon the welfare of schoolboys in any of their activities. The generation of boys who attended



Prince Alfred during his governorship will ever cherish his memory with deep regard, and his last thoughtful action in presenting a print of Charles Dixon's famous picture of the Landing at Gallipoli will keep his goodwill towards the school continually before the minds of succeeding generations. The picture has been hung in the assembly room beside that of Lieut. H. V. Throssell, V.C., who won his distinction somewhat later amid the heights there depicted. It will also ever remind the school that amid those there depicted Majors Beresford-Robertson and E. C. Oldham fell, and many another Old Red fought to win for us an imperishable fame.

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Hearty thanks are due to Miss Dreyer for her kindness in working a new flag for the school. Ladies interested in a former generation presented the school with a flag which has flown for many years over us in times of contest and display. Its weather-worn condition prompted Miss Dreyer to replace it with another, and her handiwork is much appreciated, not for its effectiveness alone, but also for the kindly feeling it expresses towards the school.

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At the opening of the term it was evident that the organisation under which our inter-school matches have been carried out for some years would fail utterly to serve the best interests of the school. Form matches and district competitions have had a fair trial; they have served our purposes to a certain extent, but they have always left much to be desired. The hopelessness of arranging form matches on any basis that would provide a reasonably fair contest in many cases has long been felt, and this year the district system seemed in danger of disaster for similar reason. The present time then, seems opportune for introducing a change, and after careful thought, it has been decided to adopt what is known as the "house system." As a minority of the school are in residence, the expression is not strictly applicable to our conditions of school life, but it is time-honoured, and no other would so efficiently make us feel that we are the heirs to those splendid traditions that have been developed by the Public Schools. The Head Master outlined the system at assembly and asked for the hearty co-operation of the school in carrying it out. There is no need to go into further detail here; we shall learn all about it by experience; it only remains for us to respond heartily to his appeal. We of to-day are pioneers at Prince Alfred in this enterprise; let us launch it with such enthusiasm as will be an inspiration to succeeding generations.

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## Old Boys.

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Hearty congratulations are tendered the Hon. G. R. Laffer on his elevation to the rank of cabinet minister as Commissioner of Crown Lands and Immigration, and Minister of Repatriation.

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At the March examination conducted by the University of Adelaide, G. H. Holland passed in Law of Evidence and Procedure; E. T. Rowe in Chemistry Part III Practical; G. H. Jeffrey in Inorganic Chemistry; and G. M. Hone in Elementary Biology.

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## Obituaries.

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News of the death of Mr. Arnold E. Davey came as a great shock to all who had said good-bye to him on the eve of his departure on a trip to Europe with Mrs. Davey early in the year. He then seemed in the very best of health, full of vigour, and interested in many plans for the future. Among these was an intention to learn all he could while away about school activities wherever he found opportunity, that he might still more zealously serve the interests of his own school. In him, Prince Alfred College has lost one who served her faithfully all his life. He entered in 1877, and completed his education at the school. After leaving, he joined his father in commercial pursuits, and as the result of a long and honourable career, was able to enter into comparative retirement some years ago. His vigorous temperament could not rest in inactivity, and many institutions that served the public weal received the benefit of his active interest. Among these was his old school; as a member of the House Committee for many years, and lately as Treasurer, he has done her great service. The news that he had contracted a serious illness on the homeward voyage and had died in the South of France on March 9th made us feel that a serious gap had taken place in our ranks. To Mrs. Davey and her sons we tender deepest sympathy.

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Rev. Thos. Trestrail, who entered as a ministerial student in 1885, died at the Semaphore on March 18th, 1920.

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## Intercollegiate Sports.

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A perfect day heralded the approach of the 23rd Intercollegiate Sports meeting, which was held at the Adelaide Oval on April 17, 1920. A keen contest was looked forward to, but our team, although it battled hard, was beaten by a superior team, as shown by the final scores, which were—S.P.S.C., 72 points; P.A.C., 39 points. Our fellows did their best, but did not seem to possess the staying powers which our rivals had. Time and again Saints gained the upper hand by jumping out from the start, while our fellows did not seem to be able to get off well.

We desire to thank Miss Murray, who so kindly presented the medals and trophies to the winning competitors, and to congratulate Gray on winning the Steeplechase and the Broad Jump, and R. Krantz on gaining first place in the 100 Yards Flat (under 16). Our thanks and congratulations are due to Gray and the sports team for the fine efforts which they made against our rivals. The results and details are as follows:—

High Jump (Juniors).—1 Horrocks (Saints), 2 Adamson (Princes), 3 Mallen (Saints). Height, 4 ft. 8 in. The jumping was rather poor, but Adamson put up a fight towards the last, and managed to secure second place. Our other competitors' failure was due largely to nervousness on their part.

120 Yards Hurdles (Senior).—1 Cocks (Saints), 2 Gray (Princes), 3 Hall (Princes). Time, 16½ secs. Cocks and Hall obtained the best of a good start, and Gray and Wigan were jumping together over the first five hurdles; Gray drew away from Wigan, but could not catch Cocks, who won in good time. Hall was third. Cocks was unfortunate in straining a sinew during this race, and was unable to compete in any other event.

100 Yards Flat (under 16).—1 Krantz (Princes), 2 George (Princes), 3 Moorhouse (Saints). Time, 11 secs. Everyone was off the mark together, and Krantz and George soon passed the others. The finish was very close, Krantz being only a few inches ahead of George. Greenslade battled hard, but just failed to reach Moorhouse, who was third. The race was run in 11 secs., equalling the record put up by Thompson and Hoare in 1913 and 1915 respectively.

100 Yards Flat (Seniors).—1 Fotheringham (Saints), 2 Cavennet (Saints), 3 Glastonbury (Princes). Time 10½ secs.

Fotheringham gained the best of the start, and led throughout; he ran an excellent race. Glastonbury tried hard, but did not seem to get into his stride quickly enough.



100 Yards Flat (Old Scholars).—1 Pellew, L. V. (Saints), 2 Hoare (Princes), Pellew, E. L. (Saints). Saints were off the mark first, and L. V. Pellew shot ahead. Hoare finished fast, but could not reach Pellew. Pellew's time was  $\frac{1}{2}$  second over his last year's record.

High Jump (Senior).—1 Bednall and Bowman (Saints) (tie), 3 Crompton, Hutchesson, and McGregor (Princes) (tie). Height, 5ft. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. Saints were without Cocks, and this handicapped them somewhat, but after keen competition, our three competitors failed at the same height. Bednall and Bowman both cleared 5 ft. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  in. but could do no more. The jumping was not of particularly high standard.

100 Yards Flat (Junior).—1 Howard, W. C. (Saints), 2 Moorhouse (Saints), 3 Howard R. G. (Saints). Time, 11 secs. Saints lead from the start, and gained three places. The race was run in 11 secs., thus equalling the record of W. W. McGregor in 1917.

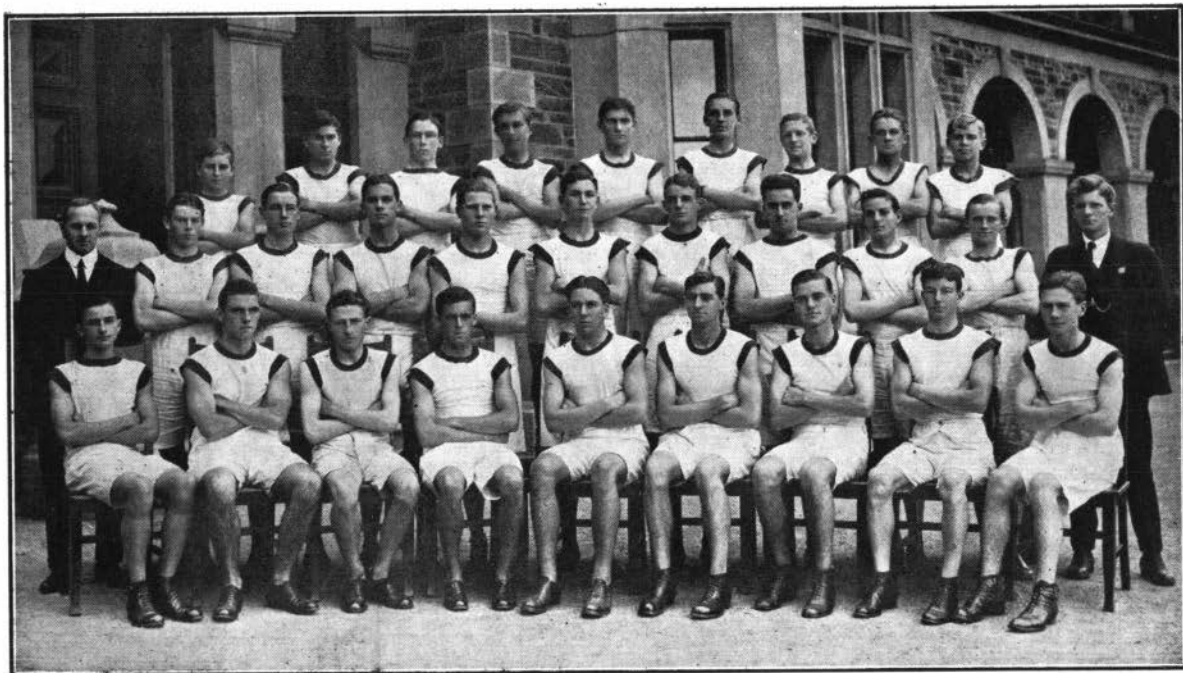
220 Yards Flat.—1 Lloyd (Saints), 2 Glastonbury (Princes), 3 Fotheringham (Saints). Time, 25 secs. Lloyd had the inside running, and got well out from the start. He won by about 2 yds. with only a foot separating Glastonbury from Fotheringham. It was a fairly fast race.

440 Yards Flat (under 16).—1 Ralph (Saints), 2 Rooney (Princes), 3 Hamilton (Saints). Time, 58 $\frac{1}{2}$  seconds. Hamilton made the pace hot from the start and kept it well until the straight was reached. He gave way to Ralph who ran well, and finished a few yards ahead of Rooney, who had battled hard.

300 Yards Steeplechase.—1 Gray (Princes), 2 Wigan (Saints), 3 Wilson (Saints). Time, 43 secs. Wigan jumped out at the start and lead over the first five hurdles, but Gray, running and jumping splendidly, caught and passed him on the next to last hurdle. He finished well ahead of his opponent.

440 Yards Flat (Old Scholars).—1 Pellew, C. E. (Saints), 2 Monteith (Saints), 3 Fowler (Princes). Time 54 secs. Fowler obtained the best start, and shot ahead. He and Nesbit together with Monteith followed the white track marking the football boundary for about twenty yards, while the other three competitors kept along the correct track. The extra sprint to catch the others told upon Fowler at the finish. C. E. Pellew was first, Monteith just gaining the tape ahead of Fowler.

440 Yards Flat (Senior).—1 Fotheringham (Saints), 2 Glastonbury (Princes), 3 Humphries (Princes). Time, 56 $\frac{1}{2}$  secs. This was a fast race, and Fotheringham, possessing more stamina than Glastonbury, finished well. Glastonbury ran well and put in an excellent finish. Humphries and Wilson finished very close.



**Intercollegiate Sports Team, 1920.**

120 Yards Hurdles (Junior).—1 Moorhouse (Saints), 2 Perrott (Princes), 3 Andrews (Saints). Time, 18 secs. As before, Moorhouse obtained the start, and ran well. Perrott hurdled splendidly and looked like catching Moorhouse towards the finish, but he was beaten by a few feet. This was a very fast race, Moorhouse beating the previous record by  $\frac{2}{3}$  sec.

Broad Jump.—1 Gray (Princes) 2 Fotheringham (Saints) 3 Begg (Saints). Distance, 19 ft. 3 in. Gray jumped splendidly, his first jump beating the others. The jumping was impeded somewhat by a strong head wind.

120 Yards Hurdles (under 16).—1 Ziegler (Saints), 2 Krantz (Princes), 3 Mullner (Princes). Time, 18 $\frac{1}{2}$  secs. One of the most exciting races of the afternoon. Ziegler obtained the best start, but Krantz and Mullner gained on him over the hurdles. Krantz was unfortunate in missing his step in the last hurdle, and was beaten in the run home. Mullner showed good form. The race was run in fast time, failing to reach the record by one-fifth of a second.

120 Yards Hurdles (Old Scholars).—1 L. V. Pellew (Saints), 2 C. E. Pellew (Saints), 3 Fox (Princes). Time, 16 secs. This was a fast race. Both Pellews ran well, and Fox and Jeffrey finished almost together. Fox, however, was slightly ahead, and gained third place.

One Mile Flat.—1 Brooke (Saints), 2 Greig (Saints), 3 Mattison (Princes). Time, 5 mins. 13 $\frac{1}{2}$  secs. Brooke ran well, and used his reserve strength and pace to win. Greig beat Mattison in the home run by a few feet only. The race was much faster than last year. The last round told greatly on our men.

Final Scores—Saints, 72 points; Princes, 39 points.

## Receipts and Expenditure—No. 126.

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D. K. MCKENZIE, Hon. Manager.

## Our Contemporaries.

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We beg to acknowledge receipt since our last issue of the following contemporaries:—St. Peter's School Magazine, The Pegasus, Wesley College Chronicle, The Melburnian, The Mitre, The Cygnet, Adelaide High School Magazine, King's School Magazine, Hutchin's School Magazine, The Sydneian, The Scotch Collegian, Lux, The Newingtonian, The Reporter, The Tormorean, Girton House Grammar School Magazine, School Echoes, The All Saints' Grammarian, Wanganui Collegian, Hawkesbury Agricultural College Journal, St. Ignatius College Magazine, O.B.I. Magazine, The Student.

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## General Birdwood's Visit.

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In morning Assembly of March 12th, the Head Master outlined the programme for the day, and then dismissed the school to a somewhat doubtful hour of work. At 10.15 the members of the guard repaired to the gym. to clean their rifles in readiness for their part in the day's proceedings, and a quarter of an hour later, the main school joined the guests, who had already commenced to arrive. So, when a few minutes later the guard was set, every thing was in readiness for the guest of honour.

The General did not keep us waiting long. Soon two motor-cars whirled through the gates and drew up by the pavilion. Lieut. Potts immediately gave the "Present," and the guard sprang to the salute with the precision of regulars. Taylor then called for cheers; and when these had been lustily given, the General, after inspecting the guard, went up into the pavilion, in which were grouped Old Reds who had served during the war.

Mr. Bayly in a few well-chosen words, welcomed our distinguished visitor to the school, and then, as time was so limited, invited him to address the assembly. Upon coming forward to speak, General Birdwood was greeted by repeated cheers, which continued off and on throughout his most inspiring address. He first of all expressed his pleasure at once more having the chance of meeting boys of a public school in Australia, and from this, he gradually worked up to speak of the fine example set by Old Reds and others over in France. Character, he said, was made at school and if we failed in this, we should betray a sacred trust, namely, that of following in the footsteps of those who set such a splendid example on the different fronts. With such inspiring remarks as these, the half-hour quickly flew, not, however, before the General had gained us a half holiday in honour of the occasion.



Thus, all too soon, the epoch-marking visit came to an end. The General only stopped to shake hands with the men in the pavilion, and then, after signing the visitors' book, drove away between two rows of cheering schoolboys.

Although he was only with us a bare half-hour, by his winning address, and most of all by his own manly personality, the "Soul of Anzac" won his way into the heart of every boy of the college.

W. L. T.

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When Birdwood came to P.A.C.  
 We all got most excited,  
 It really seemed as much to me  
 As if I had been knighted!  
 He made a truly wonderful speech;  
 We enjoyed all he had to say,  
 But the last part was the best part,  
 When he gave us a half-holiday.  
 And at last when he left in his car,  
 You should have heard us cheer!  
 I think we all would like the chance  
 To hear him each month in the year.

V. J. A. (PREP.)

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## District Sports.

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The District Sports were decided on the afternoons of April 8th and 9th, under very favourable conditions. The attendance was fair, but the fellows do not take as much interest in these sports as we should like to see.

Competition was keen throughout, and a good exhibition of running and jumping was witnessed on both days. Several good times were recorded, amongst them being the under 16 100, in which George equalled the record of 11 seconds.

The first place fell to Boarders with a total of 40½ points; the other districts obtained points as follows: Norths, 37; Souths, 23½; Easts, 10. Norths were unfortunate in being without McGregor, whose absence was due to ill-health. The best performers were Glastonbury and Gray, who are to be congratulated on the standard they set up. They each gained three first places. Results:—

100 Yards Senior—1 Glastonbury (N), 2 Wilson (B), 3 Hall (S). Time 10½ secs.

220 Yards—1 Glastonbury (N) 2, Humphries (N), 3 Hall (S).  
Time, 24½ secs.

440 Yards Senior—1 Glastonbury (N), 2 Humphries (N), 3  
Wilson (B). Time 57 secs.

Mile—1 Mattison (N), 2 McKenzie (S), 3 Gray (B). Time  
5 min. 15 secs.

120 Yards Hurdle Senior—1 Gray (B), 2 Hall (S), 3 Cooper  
(E). Time 17½ secs.

Steeplechase—1 Gray (B), 2 Hall (S), 3 Cooper (E). Time  
42½ secs.

High Jump—1 Crompton (E) and Hutchesson (S), 3 Hack (S),  
McTaggart D. (B), and Taylor (B). Height 5 feet.

Long Jump—1 Gray (B), 2 Humphries (N). 3 Glover (B).  
Distance 19 feet 1 inch.

100 Yards under 16—1 George (S), 2 Krantz (B), 3 Greenslade  
(B). Time 11 secs.

440 Yards under 16—1 Rooney (B) and Greenslade (B), 2  
McKay (N), 3 Magarey (E). Time 60½ secs.

Under 16 Hurdles—1 Krantz (B), 2 Mullner (B), and  
McTaggart D. (B), 3 Lawrence (N). Time 18½ secs.

100 Yards Junior—1 Goodale (E), 2 Muirden (S), 3 Perrott  
(N). Time, 11½ secs.

Junior Hurdles.—1 Perrott (N), 2 Reid (B), 3 Matthews (B).  
Time, 19 secs.

High Jump, Junior.—1 Hawkes (S) and Jacobs (B), 3 Leader  
(N). Height, 4 ft. 9½ ins.

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## Cricket.

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### FIRST ELEVEN.

v. Port Adelaide, 193; Gray 3 for 36, N. Walsh 4 for 44,  
Jaehne 2 for 44. Princes, 175; Giffen 42, N. Walsh 36, McKay 28.

v. Adelaide, 8 for 64; McKay 4 for 12, Jaehne 3 for 23.  
Princes, 3 for 169; Gray 55 not out, N. Walsh 38 not out, L.  
Walsh 33.

v. Sturt, 5 for 422; N. Walsh 3 for 78. Princes, 170; Jaehne 53, N. Walsh 43, L. Walsh 20.

v. Conference, 116; N. Walsh 5 for 35, Jaehne 3 for 32. Princes, 86; Gray 35, Jaehne 21.

## AVERAGES.

BATTING.					BOWLING.			
	Runs.	Inns.	H.S.	Avg.		Wkts.	Runs.	Avg.
Gray ...	105	3	55*	52.5	Gray ...	9	132	14.6
Walsh, N.	117	4	43	39	Walsh, N. ...	12	182	15.1
Jaehne ...	101	4	53	25.5	Jaehne ...	9	214	23.7
Giffen ...	45	2	42	22.5	McKay ...	6	173	28.8
McKay ...	44	2	28	22	Giffen ...	2	68	34
Walsh, L.	77	5	33	15.4	Elford ...	1	62	62
Krantz, R.	22	4	20*	11				
Elford ...	43	5	22*	10.7				
Krantz, S.	13	3	6*	6.5				
Treloar ...	10	4	6	3.3				
Hill ...	5	2	5	2.5				
Chapman, W.	7	3	3	2.3				

\* not out.

## SECOND ELEVEN.

v. Sacred Hearts, 5 for 260; McKay 4 for 27. Princes, 299; S. Krantz 59, Treloar 46, R. Krantz 44 not out, Elford 36.

v. Christian Brothers, 37; Greenslade 6 for 8; Princes, 77; McKenzie 29. Second innings—C.B.C., 1 for 31; Princes, 112; S. Krantz 29, Cockburn 19, Hill 18, Morgan 18 not out.

## AVERAGES.

BATTING.					BOWLING.			
	Inns.	Runs.	H.S.	Avg.		Runs.	Wkts.	Avg.
Treloar ...	1	46	46	46	Greenslade ...	5	27	5.4
Krantz, R. ...	1	44	44	44	McKay ...	4	27	6.75
Krantz, S. ...	3	96	59	32				
Elford ...	1	36	36	36				

## DISTRICT MATCHES.

Boarders v. Norths.—Boarders, 72; Jaehne 36; McKay 6 for 11. Norths, 34; Fisher 7, Tregenza 6; Jaehne 5 for 7, N. Walsh 4 for 28.

Easts v. Souths.—Easts, 226; Crompton 128, Joyner 33; Walker 4 for 40, Sexton 3 for 59. Souths, 61; Hack 12, R. L. Hall 11, Muirden 11; Cockburn 3 for 11, Cosgrove 3 for 5.

Souths v. Norths.—Souths, 74; R. L. Hall 19, McKenzie 11, Sexton 11, Walker 11; Tregenza 3 for 7, Norths 2 for 101; Giffen 34 not out, McKay 42 not out.

## School Officers, 1920.

### PREFECTS.

M. T. Cockburn, C. W. Crompton, H. S. Elford, J. R. Hall, H. E. Jaehne, D. K. McKenzie, W. G. Taylor, J. O. Tiddy, N. A. Walsh.

### HOUSE PREFECTS.

A. T. Harbison, L. S. Walsh.

### SPORTS COMMITTEE.

H. E. Jaehne (Secretary), N. A. Walsh, L. S. Walsh, J. R. Hall, D. K. McKenzie, C. D. Gray, J. O. Tiddy.

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President, H. S. Elford; Vice-President, D. K. McKenzie; Secretaries, H. E. Jaehne, N. A. Walsh, M. T. Cockburn; Treasurer, A. T. Harbison.

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### CADETS.

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## Christian Union Notes.

Soon after the re-opening of school, a meeting was held and a Committee elected to hold office for the year 1920. At a meeting of this Committee it was decided that a new course should be



adopted, whereby new boys and old could have plainly put before them what the Christian Union really means. A card was printed, one side of which stated briefly, but adequately, what the movement stood for, and the rules for membership. A detachable portion, to be filled in and signed by an intending member, could be torn off and handed, with subscription fee, to any member of the Executive Committee. This scheme facilitated matters a great deal, and 81 members have been enrolled. The circle leaders are 15 in number, and already several preparatory meetings have been held under Mr. Haslam's supervision. The circles have been chosen, and they have now commenced work on an interesting and helpful course, the book for study being "Great Leaders."

The first meeting for the year was addressed by the Head Master, and he took as his subject, "Leadership in Schoolboy Life." This was an uplifting and helpful address, and was made the more so as the school was at that time without any outstanding members. The following week we welcomed an Old Collegian into our midst. The Rev. Charles Perry, so well known to most of us, came out and delivered an interesting address, his text being "Son, remember." A disappointment was in store for us on the following Friday, as the Rev. F. Humphrey, another Old Boy, did not arrive, owing to a misunderstanding. However, the time was not idly spent, as after a hymn and prayer, Mr. Haslam spoke to us of the C.U. movement and its work.

A large attendance was recorded when Mr. C. F. Reeve, of the Poonah Inland Mission, addressed the following meeting. He spoke to us of India and the missionary work that was being carried on in that vast country, and urged upon any boy who heard the call, to go out and help in that work when the time arrived.

The Australian representative for the Conference in Sweden, Mr. P. A. Wisewould, M.A., spoke to us at our next meeting. He delivered a fine address on the Christian Union movement and its world-wide span. At this meeting Mr. N. D. Smith, M.A., who accompanied Mr. Wisewould, was introduced to us. He is the Travelling Secretary for Adelaide and Perth, and he was the next to come out and address us. He chose an ennobling subject in "Honour," and interested us greatly with his helpful words and illustrative stories.

At our seventh meeting we were pleased to welcome the Rev. R. S. Stanley. His addresses are always looked forward to, and we immensely enjoyed his address on the subject of "Colours." He spoke of an unusual colour in "yellow," and explained to us what the "yellow streak" in one's character meant.

The first meeting after Easter was addressed by Mr. F. Walsh, and he read from the Bible part of Chapter 3 of the 1st

Book of Kings, drawing our attention to King Solomon's wisdom in choosing above all things, "an understanding heart."

At our last meeting we were glad to welcome the genial President of the College, Rev. W. A. Potts.

We are very greatly indebted to those men who have in this way given us a broader view of the Christian life, and we desire to thank them most heartily, and hope that their words and thoughts have been sown in fertile soil and will bring forth good fruit.

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## Evening.

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Evening, thou soother of the human breast,  
O thou that bringst the weary sufferer rest,  
Evening, in all thy rainbow colours dressed,  
Steal on us now.

The rush and bustle of the busy earth,  
Thou mak'st give way to singing and to mirth,  
The stars shoot into vision at thy birth  
Like jewels bright.

The noise that to our ears was borne all day,  
With thy slow advent lulled, now dies away,  
The birds no longer chant their warbled lay,  
But rest in peace.

O Evening, manifest thy blessings now,  
Help us to trace them in misfortune's woe,  
For thou canst soothe the wrinkled troubled brow  
With kindly sleep.

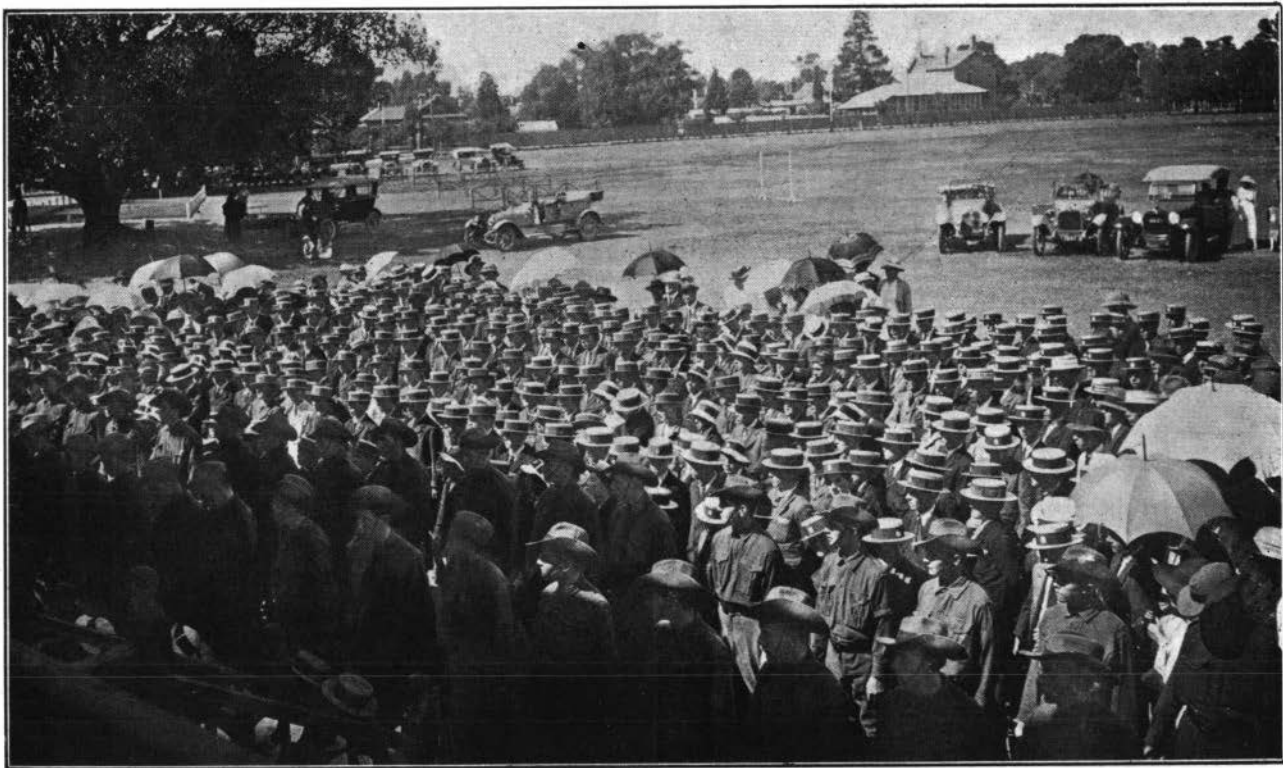
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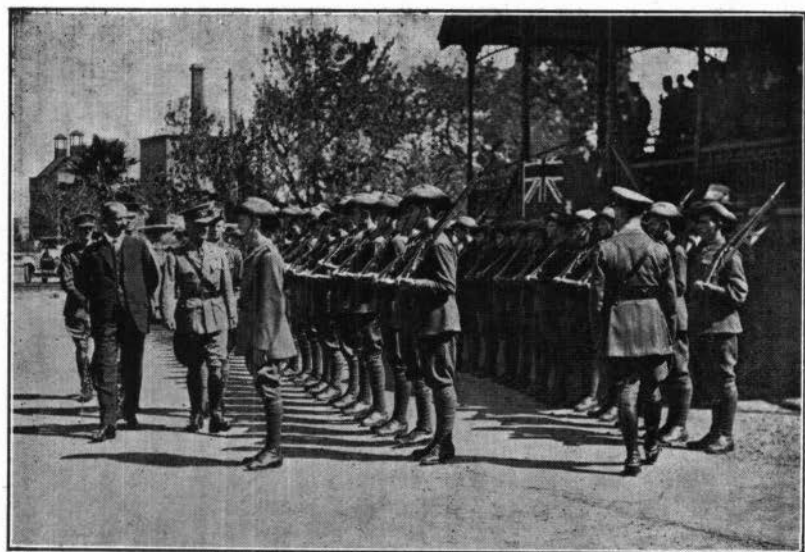
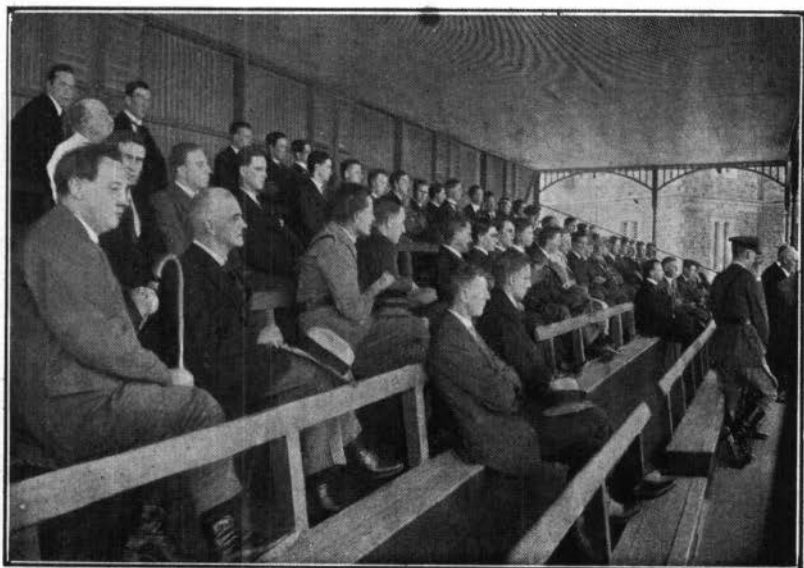
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After the usual rearrangement of the company at the beginning of the year, work has proceeded steadily, and the drill has been satisfactory. Those of the new boys who had never done any drill before have not taken long to learn, and have now a fair knowledge of their work.

Owing to the fact that the military authorities have not seen fit to allow us any exemption for our gymnastic work from now onwards, we have had this year to do a larger number of whole-day parades than formerly, and once more to drill on every Wednesday instead of once a fortnight, as, for a short time, we were fortunately able to do. We have now only eight more hours in which to



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complete our training for the year, and we are looking forward to the period of relaxation at the end of June.

On Saturday, March 6th, there was to be a parade for the purpose of lining the streets in honour of General Birdwood. Heavy rain fell all through the morning, and when the company fell in, it was so wet that no parade could take place, and we were dismissed after a short march into the city.

On the following Friday, March 12th, the school was honoured by a visit from General Birdwood, and a guard of honour was chosen from the company to show him the respect his rank demands. The General inspected the guard, and commented favourably upon their general appearance and standing. He later sent a letter congratulating the school upon the guard, and especially upon their steadiness when standing to attention during the time that was occupied by his talk to the returned soldiers, who had assembled in the pavilion to meet him.

The class for non-commissioned officers has been started again and is well attended. At the end of this military year there will be sixteen vacancies to be filled by those now qualifying for these positions, and there should be keen rivalry to obtain them. Lieut. Birch will also be leaving the company then, and this will leave a vacancy for the position of platoon commander.

It has been proposed that any boys who are non-coms., or desire to be so, should attend a camp in the National Park during the first week of the coming holidays for the purpose of receiving instruction, and at the same time having an enjoyable holiday. A number of boys from St. Peter's and our own school have expressed a desire to attend, and there seems every prospect of the camp being a success. Thus it is hoped that the boys may receive the necessary training without any tediousness to mar it.

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## Boarders' Notes.

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For many years past the Boarding House has been continually growing numerically, until this year it seems as though the maximum number of boarders has been taken in. This fact speaks well for the popularity of the Boarding House, the one place where the real school spirit is thoroughly developed. Bennett came back again this term, after about a year's absence, and we are glad to have him amongst us. Finch had our sympathies in his operation a few weeks after the opening of school, but we learn he is now convalescent and will soon be amongst us again.

The House Prefects were appointed soon after the opening. Jaehne, Harbison, Elford, N. Walsh, L. Walsh, and J. Tiddy were selected, while later, Jaehne, Elford, N. Walsh, and Tiddy were made School Prefects, and Elford Head of the House.

The dining room has been used much this term, but we feel that if some of the younger ones did not raise such an uproar a much more pleasant time could be spent by all. A Committee—S. Krantz, Chandler, J. Schurmann, and Harris—has been appointed to look after the games, and this Committee has done good work, especially in putting the dining room back to its normal state after the others have finished. A euchre tournament was held a week before Easter, and went off successfully. Harbison and Gray showed the most skill, while among the more competitive circles R. Krantz was successful in annexing the booby prize. We should like to thank the ladies and the Committee for the fine evening.

The Boarding House has now been fitted with the electric light, and the hitherto dimly-lit passages now dazzle with brilliancy. As was expected, a few, who as yet do not understand that modern conveniences make some demand upon the intelligence, have been successful in doing no little damage. Some would-be electricians have been seen "fixing up" switches, shades, &c., and have consequently been threatened with a few hours on Saturday morning in which to make themselves accomplished. We strongly advise everyone to leave the fittings alone, since their services will be ill-paid.

We had our annual match against Saints' boarders early in the term. The first eleven played on our own grounds, while the other team played on Saints' ground; both were successful. Considerable energy has been put into cricket, especially in the inter-dormitory matches. Such great importance was attached to these matches that each was played right out, and it is said one match took a fortnight to decide. We learn from those who looked on that in every match the Senior Dormitory, under Captain Sid. Cocks, was successful, and that the fielding of Hunter, and the wicket-keeping of Jock Schurmann, left nothing to be desired. The boarders' team was successful in the two district matches played this term.

A sugar shortage has again visited us, and we feel in all departments a need for this sweet commodity. We are almost certain that this shortage could be explained if Yank and his "toffee-followers" were approached on the subject. Ofta could perhaps explain the scarcity of jam if he wished, and yet we know he always shows preference for apple tart, and only falls back upon jam when absolutely necessary.

There is just one question which we think should be asked—

Are the papers in the reading-room for the benefit of a few or the many? Why is it, then, that some well-known characters make this room a resting-place from a quarter past seven till eight o'clock, when they have to attend breakfast? We hope Chas. will call his followers off, and give others a chance.

Physical exercises have been carried on during the term, and many rounded shoulders and crooked necks have been attended to with noticeable results. Dawkins' chest has developed beyond all recognition, and we are glad to be able to record such an improvement. The fantastic interpretations of the exercises by Krantz and Chandler have been a great source of amusement.

We feel we should extend our heartfelt sympathy to Hunter; for, if the groans given forth in the bathroom, morning and evening, are in any way proportionate to the pain he has had to bear, then he must have had a bad time. But we suppose the gifted baritone will not stop until something active is done. Morgan is certainly developing a good voice, but he would greatly benefit us by a little less public practice.

The dormitory now has its rules posted up, and although many of them we knew before, they are being strictly adhered to.

In closing, we would just state that the boarders were successful in the district sports, and we think that the Ashton Shield for 1920 is well within our grasp. We hope all will have a happy vacation, and all come back alive to their responsibilities.

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## Tennis Notes.

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The Tennis Tournaments were begun soon after the re-opening of the school. The entries came in freely, and were quite up to last year's standard. A good start has been made, but the playing off of the tournaments has been somewhat hampered owing to the training for the Intercollegiate Sports. However, the Junior Champ. is in its final stages, and the Senior Champ. and A and B Grade singles are well advanced, while the doubles have not yet been started.

One match has been played this term against Scotch College. A nice morning was spent at their courts, and we were successful, the scores being as follows:—

Nairn and Nairn lost to L. Walsh and N. Walsh—4-6, 2-6.

Pearson and Carmichael lost to Gray and Jaehne—0-6, 1-6.

Nairn lost to L. Walsh—3-6.

Carmichael lost to Jaehne—4-6.

## Form Notes.

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### VIU.

We have passed another milestone on the road of Time, and now as another term closes, we have a few remarks to make.

We have been benefited by the influx of several geniuses from the lower forms, who have made themselves prominent in examinations, whilst others have distinguished themselves in directions less ennobling. The latter are always ready to growl when work is hard, especially homework.

Dame Rumour has it that A. K. B. failed to attend the Exhibition one night last week, and we cannot understand this wilful negligence on his part.

"Tank's" apples were freely handed round, and now we understand why Rusty Harris(ed) him so much. The American Confectionery stunt was voted first-class by everyone.

"Tubby's" proposed acrobatic feat in Chemistry one afternoon has not met with general approval. We are rather afraid he carries too much weight to attempt it himself.

"Glasso," the notable leader of the Missionary Society, is always ready to oblige with the sonorous password. He has met with much opposition of late, and is now "getting the wind up" more frequently than usual.

The class has a valuable asset in "Katie" Thomas, who can give information, useful or otherwise, on any subject when required, and even when not required.

It is a pity that Ike has gone into long trousers, as he will surely be continually wearing the knees out of them.

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### VI.A.

Herein we propose to chronicle, to the best of our ability, the momentous happenings in the illustrious VI.A. Not that we wish the news of our doings to be spread among the plebeians for any selfish reason, but we feel our influence may help some erring youth.

First of all, we wish to congratulate George, Cooper, McKay, and McGregor (vice-captain) on their inclusion in the sports team. They have worked hard and we feel sure that they will worthily uphold the honour of VI.A.

Our praises (and sympathy) are also extended to "Offa," who was elected Form-captain. But we fear that his splendid example is

not followed, for should you by any chance wander into our sanctum at recess time, who would you find doing "the daily round and common task?" Why Offa himself!

Our numbers were reduced during the term by the departure of Barlow, who left for England after a few weeks of school. We all, including "Lulu," miss him, but look for a happy reunion at some future date.

Could any kind person enlighten us upon the following:—

Has Whiff yet discovered how he's gonna keep 'em.  
How much did "Buly" raise on the strength of his  
having (?) a Duke for an uncle?

What relation is Dawkins to Sir John Falstaff?

Who is the long and short of it?

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#### VI.B.

Once again we begin to quicken our steps, hold up our heads, brace our shoulders, and steel our eyes with ill-concealed joy. Why? Because once more the yoke of oppressive tyranny is about to be lifted from our overburdened shoulders, and we are to have a few weeks of freedom. Once again we begin to take a slight interest in life, and think that, after all, it may be just worth while to live on a bit longer, if only to dream of the so few and so short holidays dotted throughout the long and weary weeks we are under the iron heel, the mailed fist, the goad, the spur, and the curbed bit.

Great was the trembling when, with furrowed brow and solemn mien, the Head Master put us into our new form. We, the famous old U.V.A. were to carry our far renowned high standard of efficiency to room C. Here, under the surveillance of Mr Klose, we struggle on our upward course, gripping new rungs of the ladder of knowledge with sweating hands.

The boarders started well this year. There is a sugar shortage, tea shortage, sauce shortage, and jam shortage. Life is hard in the boarding house; it makes better men of us. That's the humour of it.

We wish to congratulate the members of our form who were chosen to represent P.A.C. in the Intercollegiate Sports. Also N. A. Walsh on being awarded his prefect's band. "Johnny Walker" tried some tricks this year, but was promptly squashed and sadly suppressed.

Kerkuon excelled himself in the Latin Exam. Latin as is generally known, is the language of his youth.

We should like to know why certain youths of VI.B. who



frequent Arcadia and the Maple Leaf are always in a stony condition when it is their turn to supply the food to suppress the dreaded pangs of hunger that so frequently assail us, but instead treat certain alluring females at the above-mentioned places.

What is it that Hum-fries ?

What does an electric shock feel like, L. S. W ?

How long before the new boys will learn how not to ask " silly questions ?"

Are several of them still as clear as mud ?

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U.V.A.

First of all, let us wish "Hutchy" good luck in the Intercoll. He is our only representative, but even if the number is small, the quality is there all right.

A remarkable instance of unselfishness was brought before our notice a few days ago. It appears that May entered for the mile race, but pulled out after the first round. No one took any notice of this at first, but it has been explained since that May could not conscientiously win the race with the tremendous handicap that he had been given. And what is the result of this? V.A. lost the honour and glory of winning the race, but were congratulated on every side for having such a sport amongst our number.

Bobby Glyde had a strange idea that he could come first in the Junior Hurdles, but listen to what happened. When he had the race well in hand, he foolishly slackened his pace, with the result that five others streaked past him before he could turn the petrol on again. Imagine his disappointment, not to mention ours.

Our form captain, Treloar, is doing his job well. As manager of the ink department, and president of the monitors' association, he has shown us that good organisation in the class-room works wonders.

Tiddy and Magarey are the only boarders in our midst, but don't run away with the idea that they are ever in the background. Tiddy gave an exhibition of juggling one day. It was a really splendid effort, and worth going miles to see. What a comfort it must be to him that, even if he fails at everything else, he can fall back on his juggling. Burden is going to leave us. Those who do not know him will think that we are pleased to be relieved of this burdensome encumbrance. They are quite mistaken, for he is only a featherweight, and a decent one at that. He leaves us with our best wishes.

We are tempted here to blow our own trumpet a little, but no! We hate anything of that kind. Others may find it necessary to

do so, but we are content to acknowledge silently the looks of admiration in the eyes of those boys who would give their last penny to be a member of the University Fifth.

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U.V.B.

Books within the cupboard sling !  
 Don the gloves, into the ring !  
 Execute the Highland Fling,  
 Hi for holiday !

With such thoughts as the above, we the scholars of U.V.B. hail with delight the approach of holidays. Throughout the term, we have held our own with the upper division in study and sports ; whilst we have had a tendency to outclass them in talent of the finer order.

As an organist with uncommon ability, Delaine, so critics say, has a great future, which will make even the famed Paderewski tremble at his organ-stool : and Norsworthy, as an accompanist, has the touch of Caruso. There is also Kerr, our poet laureate, who can knock off stuff that would stifle Shakespeare, while Webb's verse would make Milton turn green with envy. Dodd, a master-mathematician is hotly pursued by our Russian chum Tregenza, Lewis a 'small un,' being a fast third. We have also that interesting specimen of humanity, 'the swot,' on this occasion a cue called Stockbridge, alias 'Uno,' because he doesn't.

Our champion sprinter, Goodale, and Jacobs, a high jump, are to be commended on obtaining places in the Inter-Collegiate sports. With Archie McTaggart for a form-captain, we have secured our choice of a leader in the school and sports field. Considering our numerical strength, our combined genius speaks for itself, but evidently not loud enough to be heard by the masters ; at least no evidence of their having done so has reached us, which is a disappointment to all concerned. Smile, oh Muse smile, keep smiling on us !

Ye philosophers, can ye answer this ?—Why is Preston always the inspiration of the masterpieces of our composers ?

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V.C.

The time has come round again when we are asked to write Form Notes, and we do so with pleasure, as it heralds the approach of the holidays.

Eight of the Old Fifths came back, and we were soon reinforced by a great number of IV.A.-ites, two of our old rivals from V.U., and five new chaps, and in a few days we had all settled down.

We heartily congratulate Jack Hall on being elected our form captain, and on his being made a prefect.

Adamson, Rooney, Hack, and Hall represent the form in the Intercollegiate Sports, and we wish them success.

Poor old Pinky Finch is still in the hospital, but we hope he will soon be amongst us again.

Charlie often amuses the class by his expansive knowledge of geography. Tom is very handy, as he always reaches down the blackboard ruler for our form master, and we are proud to have in our midst such budding orators as Buck, Max, Rexo, Dolly, and Buick.

Great moans are often heard at the back from either Pont or Garn after they have been indulging in one of their little mixes in which rulers play a prominent part.

At rare intervals we are favoured by the vocal efforts of Cobbo, which are greeted with loud applause.

We would like to know

Why Pinky walks along the fence after night school.

What did Rob drop in history?

Why did Buck buy a new felt hat?

Why does Royal like Wests?

We must say good-bye to Mick and Hacko, who are leaving at the end of the term, and we wish them the best of luck.

Why is V.c. like a palace?—Because it has three Halls and a Pink-curtain.

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#### U.IV.A.

The words "Form Notes" signify the "End of a Perfect Term," and so it has been. When we returned to school in the early days of February after the holidays, we were all glad to see that everyone had come with renewed energy to start the year's work. Four new boys were put in our class, namely 'Orace Wurm (not to be used for bait), Hazell (who consumes, on an average, about three pens, two pencils, and half a ruler a week), Norsworthy, and Pearson. Greenslade was elected form captain, and he has proved himself worthy of the position. Harris has gained top position in the class, while Domaschenz is our best gymnast. We congratulate Greenslade, McTaggart, and Muirden on being selected for the Intercollegiate Sports.

During the term a tennis team (Domaschenz, Eaton, Bayly, and Dunn), representing the boarders, inflicted a severe defeat on a team (Michell, Hall, Taylor and Hounslow), representing the day-boys.

We came through the past cricket season with flying colours, having won every match in which we played, thanks to the captaincy of Greenslade, who was well supported by Hill as vice-captain.

During the present term illness has been scarce, very few boys having been away.

In conclusion we should like to know if anybody can answer this question :—Why is our form so good ?

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#### U.IV.B.

The form has distinguished itself in the recent Intercollegiate Sports, having five representatives—Wilson, in the Senior 100 ; Dennis, in the 440 under 16 ; Hawkes, in the Junior High Jump ; Mullner, in the Hurdles under 16 ; Mattison, in the Mile.

It is curious that the form resembles a church, a church-yard, and a farm-yard. Bell, Graves, and Lam(b)shed are responsible.

“La Cloche,” alias “Ding-Dong,” has invested in a Sampson “mangle.” He never tells us why he leaves it at home on Mondays. His “stunts” have caused a little jealousy at Northfield.

It is rumoured that “Skeet” Randle has taken on boxing. “Tiny” and “Boss” have volunteered to act as punching balls in class.

The rise in price of “wool-clipping” is worrying a certain new boy. Perhaps he intends to be a musician.

“Dreamy” thinks school life a little strenuous. He would like to settle down to a quiet, retired life.

Cricket has been enthusiastically played during the term. Although Captain Wilson made 43, “Dido” 28, and John Harkness 21, our old rivals, Upper IV.A., beat us by a few runs.

We have a strong football team, and expect to see the Football Shield hung in our room next term.

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#### L.IV.A.

These few details are written in the first term of 1920, Anno Domini.

We began with the intention of working very hard, but whether it has been so, we do not know, but it will be shown by the results of the term's work. We are all striving hard to beat our rivals in L.IV.B., but we cannot help thinking that probably one half of them will take the form positions held this term by our fellows.

The general humourists of the class are “Hip” and “Walla,”

who sometimes manage to make a joke worth a laugh, but in the majority of cases their jokes are of very doubtful quality.

All are eagerly looking forward to the Sports, and although we can't see "Hip" for colours, he can be heard only too often.

We all congratulate Reid, our Latin enthusiast, who has won a place in the Intercollegiate Sports in the Junior Hurdles, and who gained second place in the District contests.

In cricket we have been beaten both times we played against L.IV.B., but we beat the children of III.U. easily. Waterford is our cricket captain, and Cosgrove our vice, while Hall holds the honour of being captain of the form.

What we should like to know is, Who is the small youth with fish-hooks in his trousers?

We think it nice to work all day,  
 And idle we never are;  
 Geom., Algeb., and French all say  
 Are lovely—excepting Barr.  
 Maths. is the subject we all do love,  
 And Gym. is our very delight.  
 We never are dull the whole day long,  
 And our homework is done all right.

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#### L.IV.B.

The beginning of the term saw us seated at P.A.C. for the first time, and it took us some time to find our legs, and having found them, to make all the noise possible. The idea that we should contribute to the "Chronicle" some original composition came rather as a shock, and all the work has fallen upon one or two of our noble band. A few of our number have sent in some poems, and we blame the paper shortage for their being refused. Others decided to present the school with some new rules. The following are suggested:—

1. That there be a half holiday each Wednesday.
2. That Gymnasium lesson shall come twice a week.
3. That Lower IV.A. take full charge of all the ink in the schoolroom.
4. That no more than three boys be allowed to speak at once during a lesson.
5. That the book-room door be left open during the singing lesson, but locked at 3.35 sharp.

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#### III.U.

The end of the term at last! Fancy, no more homework! What shall we do with ourselves? We'll not be able to turn the masters' hair white any more, but perhaps we can try it on the baby.



We, old boys, had a new boy each to train and educate; but we took them along in our stride, and soon showed them the ropes. Madge, however, required a gentle persuader in the form of a sand-shampoo, and he wisely yielded.

With our "artful" and "gigantic" masters we have been working with varying success, and have earned quite a reputation, especially with our report-books.

We have made several discoveries during the term which we would like you to know:—1. "Cane" is neuter gender. 2. Captain Cook led the Armada. 3. The Danes were heathens, called Catholics. 4. You kill oxen with crow-bars. 2 Wolsey had a passport to go to heaven.

Did Madge stay away from school to buy sandpaper, or on account of the party he held the night before? We discovered another desk-writer in our room. We wish the classes would keep their artists to themselves. We have our share.

Our teacher's motto:—

Ram it in, cram it in!  
 Children's heads are hollow;  
 Slam it in, jam it in!  
 Still there's more to follow.

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### III.L.

Hurrah! At last we have been able to cast off the long clothes of Preparatory school life and to assume the manly knickerbockers of the Big School! After a term's work and play we feel ourselves firmly established as big boys, and competent to uphold the honour and traditions of the school. We have been introduced to new customs and ideas, many of which appear very strange to us, just fresh from the Prep. However, most of us think we have worked well this term, and Miles, our English poet, who joined us this term, along with eight other new boys, speaks for the class in the following parody:—

How doth the little Lower Third  
 Improve each shining minute!  
 They to their master try to prove  
 That work has nothing in it.

We congratulate White on being elected form captain, and sympathise with Angel, who fell from the pavilion and sprained his wrist. (The class humorist here asks, "Why didn't he use his wings?")

Perhaps the school will not criticise too harshly this recital,

which we meekly and tremblingly present to you, for we wish you to understand what kind of fellows we are in the Lower Third :—

A is for Angel, both N. S. and R. ;  
 B is for Bunny, who never runs far ;  
 C is for Collins, who has plenty of gas ;  
 D is for Doodle, whom you never can pass ;  
 E is for Eaton, who comes here to board ;  
 F is for Flint, whose firm owns a Ford ;  
 G is for Gollen, who is easily seen,  
     Because, my dear friends, his hair isn't green.  
 H is for Holmes, who captains our team,  
     I'm sure the best captain that we've ever seen ;  
 I is for Inchie, or otherwise Miles,  
     And he is the boy from the dear British Isles ;  
 J is for Johns and Johnston, and Jacket,  
     And when they're together, just hark io the racket !  
 K is for Kemp, who likes a back to his seat ;  
 L is for Lollies, the best thing to eat.  
 M is for Miller, whom we've learned to fear (?)  
 N is for Nobody, who is not here ;  
 O is for Oliver, cheery and bright ;  
 P is for Princes, who always do right ;  
 Q is for Query, who gives us no peace,  
     Although it's been asked by the master to cease.  
 R is for Reading, and other things too,  
     We hope after those there'll be no more to do ;  
 S is for Sneyd, and also for Smail,  
     Whose actions, we hope, don't resemble the snail ;  
 T is for Trestrail, a new boy last week,  
     By the end of the year he won't be so meek ;  
 U is for " Union," where we like to go ;  
 V is for Vawser, we've just learnt to know ;  
 W is for White and Williams as well,  
 But for whom X and Y stand I really can't tell.  
     There's no one, thank goodness, whose name starts with Z,  
     So now the job's finished, good-night and to bed.

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## Prep. Advertisements.

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### WANTED TO BUY.

Pen wanted; one that will spell correctly, but not smudge, preferred. Apply F. D. H., Prep.

Good indigestion cure wanted for Prep. boys over-eating at Smithie's Cart. C. E. B., Prep.

Hair restorer wanted, external preferred. Apply F. A. G.

Wanted, feminine attire for non-players at cricket and football. Apply to Prep. gossipers.

Wanted, ink that will not blot. L. P. A. L., Prep.

Wanted, a home for stray caps, must be well ventilated. Apply Prep. prefects.

Wanted, a painless cane. Apply Prep. boys.

Will pay a fair price for puncture-proof football. Apply football captain.

Whites wanted, must be unsoilable. Apply R. B. L.

#### PERSONS WANTED.

Boxing instructor wanted to coach ill-used F. D. H.

Prep. hands wanted, those that will hold pens properly preferred. Apply most Preps.

Servant wanted to tidy my desk. Must be used to chewing gum. J. R. M.

#### PUBLIC NOTICES.

S. J. T. would like to hear of a cure for detentions.

D. A. S. wants a recipe for getting sums right.

V. J. A. desires a good recipe for half-holidays.

## School Sports.

The Annual Sports were heralded in with considerable enthusiasm, and were held under very favourable weather conditions. The visitors came in goodly numbers, although hardly as many as attended the engagement last year. Mrs. Harvey had kindly consented to distribute the prizes to the successful competitors, and she was heartily received. Several of the events were decided on Thursday afternoon. The 300 yards Steeplechase and the Mile were run off on that day, while some of the minor events were reduced in numbers by running of the heats.

The competition for the College Cup was not quite so keen as last year's. Gray was successful, and is to be congratulated on the exhibition he gave. The winner gained 23 points, while Glastonbury (17 points) ran some very good races, his 440 being a very fine effort. McGregor gained 13 points, Humphries 9, and J. Hall 4.

#### CUP EVENTS.

100 Yards—Gray, with an excellent start, just managed to beat McGregor on the tape. Glastonbury ran third. Time, 11 secs.

220 Yards—Glastonbury ran an exceptionally fine race, and

had a good finish. He ran first, Humphries second, and Hall third. Time, 23 $\frac{1}{2}$  secs.

120 Yards Hurdles—The three men who represented us in this event the previous Saturday gained the three places. Gray was first, McGregor second, and Hall third. Time, 17 $\frac{2}{3}$  secs.

High Jump—Gray was not expected to win this event, but clearing 5 ft. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  in. he won from McGregor. The height was low compared with other years.

440 Yards—This was the best race of the day. Glastonbury ran well, completing the course in 54 $\frac{1}{2}$  secs. Humphries and McGregor were second and third.

Half Mile—Gray and Glastonbury were the only two men to run. Glastonbury won easily.

Broad Jump—Gray was first with a jump of 18 ft. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  in. Humphries came second and McGregor third.

#### OTHER EVENTS.

100 Yards Junior Championship—Muirden, Goodale, Perrott.

220 Yards Handicap—Escott, Wilson, McKay.

100 Yards Championship (under 16)—George, Krantz R., Hack. Time, 11 secs.

120 Yards Open—Krantz S., Krantz R., George.

120 Yards (under 14)—Waddy, Axford, White, W. R.

Senior High Jump—Crompton and Hutchesson (tie), Gray. Height, 5 ft. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  ins.

Junior High Jump—Hawkes, Jacobs. Height, 4 ft. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches.

100 Yards (under 12)—Flint, McKay L., McKay M.

75 Yards (Preparatory School)—Jolly, Abotomey.

120 Yards (Junior Hurdles)—Perrott, Jacobs, Reid.

120 Yards Hurdles (under 16)—Krantz R., McTaggart D., Mullner.

Half Mile—Pitt, Cocks, Mattison, Slee D. H.

Obstacle Race (under 12)—Johns, Monfries, Lawrence.

Obstacle Race (under 15)—Stephens, Chapman A. R., Fry.

Obstacle Race, Open—Magarey, Hill, Webb.

Steeplechase—Hall, Glover, Cooper.

120 Yards Senior Hurdles—Cooper, McTaggart D., Crompton.

Mile—Wilcox, Sims, Harkness, McKenzie.

440 Yards Flat—Glastonbury, Pitt, Humphries.

120 Yards (under 16)—Bennett, Krantz R., George.

100 Yards (Senior Preparatory School)—Garland, McKay, Eaton.

## To a Skylark.

Ethereal reviver! Pilgrim of a caning!  
 Dost thou despise the school where cares abound?  
 Or, while teachers inquire, is conscience paining  
 For those who thro' you tried to break the tiresome round  
 Of daily duties? Did not try, in fact, for nil,  
 As quiv'ring form and shaking hand bear witness still.

Leave to the leather-skinned the practick joke?  
 No fear! Take my advice and find  
 That life is half as long, if you'll just try on folk  
 A decent hum'rous trick. But mind,  
 If you get hurt, or have to "flee,"  
 Just remember this—"Please don't blame me!"

M. S. J.

## Fluellen the "Prave."

What a rare bit of old Wales Shakespeare has dished up for us in Captain Fluellen, aggressively loyal to country and to principle, fluent in speech, ever ready for argument and tenacious of the last word, as quick to give as to take offence! It almost seems as if the dramatist created him to help fill the gap made by the "going away" of the fat knight; true, but a faint echo of the inimitable Falstaff, but something to remind the kingly Henry of the days and the nights of the unprincely Hal. A queer mixture of simplicity and shrewdness, ever an effective combination, his simplicity camouflaging his shrewdness, and thus beguiling those who do not know him into the experience commonly described as "catching a Tartar." Pistol gleeks and galls at this gallant wearer of the leek, and finds that Fluellen, although he cannot speak English in "the native garb," can handle an English cudgel, and he ingloriously disappears from the scene, "honour cudgelled from his weary limbs."

Fluellen's "murder" of the English language whenever he opens his lips—and that is often and on every possible occasion—adds piquancy to his speech. His "b"s thin into "p"s; a "w" he can rarely compass; the sound of "is" is sweeter to his ear than that of "are" or of "has"; he affects plurals at the expense of singulars, and nouns in the place of adjectives, and he revels in reeling off half a dozen synonyms of various degrees of relationship. When he asks the name of the town where Alexander the Pig was born, and Captain Gower ventures to suggest "Alexander the



Great" as a more becoming expression, the peppery Celt fires off a broadside of synonyms at the offender: "Why, I pray you, is not pig great? The pig, or the great, or the mighty, or the huge, or the magnanimous, are all one reckonings, save the phrase is a little variations."

He won't be outfaced or outbid in generosity. Williams' scornful refusal of Fluellen's compensatory twelve pence, offered on top of the king's gift of a glove full of crowns, only draws from him the charming rejoinder, "I can tell you, it will serve to mend your shoes; come, wherefore should you be so pashful? Your shoes is not so good; 'tis a good silling I warrant you, or I will change it."

The king, while he thinks highly of the captain with his old-fashioned ideas on "the wars," must have his joke at Fluellen's expense, and sends him off wearing the soldier's glove, presumably Alencon's, which "may haply purchase him a box o' th' ear," and the Welshman duly receives a cuff which might have fallen upon more exalted ears! Perhaps the royal practical joker in this way gets even with his patronising subject and countryman—who can tell? Fluellen is inordinately proud of the fact that Henry was born in Wales, and has on a previous occasion expressed his pride thus: "I am your majesty's countryman, I care not who know it, I will confess it to all the 'orld, I need not be ashamed of your majesty, thank Got, so long as your majesty is an honest man."

What an adept he is at making comparisons! "As Alexander killed his friend Cleitus, being in his ales and his cups, so also Harry Monmouth, being in his right wits and his good judgments, turned away the fat knight with the great-pelly doublet." He can see a likeness between Macedon and Monmouth: "There is a river in Macedon, and there is also moreover a river at Monmouth; it is called the Wye at Monmouth, but it is out of my prains what is the name of the other river, but 'tis all one, there is salmons in both."

Fluellen is altogether delightful, and is easily the brightest of the lesser lights that revolve around the royal luminary of our great dramatist's creation.

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## The Cornish Coast in Winter.

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How delightful it is at times to muse upon other days, and to recall old familiar scenes. I am in a reflective mood to-night, and my mind takes me back to a picturesque town on the north Cornish coast.

"Padstow," if approached from the hills, is seen to be a snug town nestling in the valley beneath. Ahead is the broad and deep harbour, while winding in and out for several miles the River Camel flows.

In summer, the Cornish coast is visited each year by tourists from London and the midland counties. For one who has not seen the high and rugged coast, it is difficult to adequately comprehend its grandeur.

The cliffs stand out as huge sentinels of the deep. They often rise for several hundreds of feet above the level of the sea. The composition of the rocks is largely granite, which presents a grand spectacle viewed from an approaching ship. So grand is the Cornish coast, it is generally admitted, that it has strong claims for pre-eminence among cliff scenery.

Although mild and pleasant in the summer months, it is the scene of awful tragedies of the sea in winter. Here the Atlantic huris itself with relentless fury upon the iron-bound coast. Seldom a year passes without several sailors being lost in the prevalent storms.

Driven by the terrible gales of winter, unfortunate ships are forced on to the cruel rocks, only to be broken up or smashed to pieces.

At times mariners attempt to guide the ships into the harbour. Alas! their endeavours often prove fatal. Although the mouth of the harbour is wide, there is but a narrow passage through which ships can be navigated. A treacherous bar of sand, called the "Dun Bar" (more often, however, the "doom bar") occupies most of the opening.

Again and again has this deadly bar added to its toll of human life.

Of course every effort is made by the stout-hearted Cornish folk to rescue the distressed sailors. I cannot conceive of any courage that surpasses that evinced by the lifeboat men. Undaunted by almost impossible seas, and not counting their lives dear unto themselves, these men launch the lifeboats, and endeavour to their utmost to reach the sinking ships. Sometimes they return; sometimes grief-stricken wives and children mourn their loss. Witnessed by few, praised but little—except by Cornishmen—these brave men continually face death, year after year.

Kingsley's "Three Fishers" never fails to bring me back to the wintry Cornish coast. How often, when the gales have sub-

sided, and the tide has gone back, has the morning revealed the scene depicted in the closing stanza of that poem :

Three corpses lay out on the shining sands,  
 In the morning gleam as the tide went down ;  
 And the women are weeping and wringing their hands  
 For those who will never come back to the town ;  
 For men must work, and women must weep,  
 And the sooner it's over, the sooner to sleep ;  
 And good-bye to the bar and its moaning.

G. B. S.

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## OLD COLLEGIANS' ASSOCIATION

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### New Members.

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The following have been added to the Roll during the current year :—

#### ORDINARY MEMBERS.

Brasher, Rev. W. J.	Freebairn, F.	McEwen, R. D.
Barlow, Dr. D. L.	Goodale, S. F.	McKittrick, G. G.
Barton, H. W.	Hague, R. J.	Mason, P. A.
Barlow, H. R.	Hill, H. R.	Merritt, A. R.
Best, H. E. B.	Hocking, W. R.	Norman, L. S.
Best, M. G.	Hogarth, R. H. G.	Paynter, M.
Berry, B. L.	Hunwick, F. H.	Phillips, E. L.
Birch, D. McL.	Jones, S. H.	Piper, C. T.
Blacket, S. B.	Lade, W. G.	Pittman, A. M.
Burford, L.	Lander, Stanley	Roach, H. R.
Chapman, M. L.	Leak, L. W.	Shepley, A. R.
Clarke, N. R.	Lewis, G. E.	Simpson, S. R.
Crump, C. C.	Lord, T. L.	Slatter, D. S.
Drennan, R. R. L.	Love, H. O.	Stockbridge, E. L.
Dunn, G. H.	Luke, T. G.	Trestrail, A. C.
Fischer, F. H. J.	Kelsey, A. W.	Treloar, C.
Forgan, S. B.	March, J. E.	Waldeck, F. C.
Forster, W. J.	Martin, H. V.	Waterford, L. M.
Francis, D. S.	McLachlan, Roy	Williams, L. E.

#### LIFE MEMBERS.

Brooks, H. A.	Hunt, R. W. R.	Ridley, E. C.
Fox, J. S.	Innes, K. N.	Ryder, G. K.
Harvey, Simon	Morris, W. R. C.	

## Memorial Fund.

The following are the donations to date :—

<p>£300— H. S. Cowan</p> <p>£250— W. R. Bayly</p> <p>£210— J. D. McTaggart</p> <p>£100— A. E. Davey T. H. Davey Peter Waite</p> <p>£50— F. H. Cowell L. T. Cowan H. A. Cowan. A. Waterhouse A. W. McGregor O. Crompton W. Lathlean H. Fisher J. Blitz</p> <p>£30— J. H. Chinner Mrs. W. J. Cowell J. T. Cooper H. W. McGregor A. C. and C. S. Catt</p> <p>£25— W. Gurner Rev. Wm. Jeffries Geo. Searle J. R. McTaggart T. C. and J. D. Craven Dr. D. R. W. Cowan S. G. Lawrence " It"</p> <p>£21— N. Jackson T. C. Reynolds Tom Steele</p>	<p>£20— P. Magarey H. R. Adamson Sam Cooper S. R. Cooper Dr. E. A. Brummitt</p> <p>£15 15s.— E. W. Davies</p> <p>£15— Dr. A. K. Gault A. H. Hill</p> <p>£10 10s.— W. Stan Kelly A. L. Collins</p> <p>Other Amounts—</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tbody> <tr> <td>Dr. T. J. Mitchell</td> <td style="text-align: right;">£10</td> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Dr. L. W. 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## Old Collegians' Luncheon.

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Prior to the outbreak of war, the Association held several very successful luncheons at which prominent Old Reds were the guests of members. It is now proposed by the Committee to revive such



gatherings, and a Luncheon will be held during the week ending May 22. The guests on this occasion will be Dr. C. S. Mead, who has spent many years in India and the East; Mr. Stanford Howard (the Rhodes Scholar); and last, but not least, Mr. L. B. Shuttleworth one of the Secretaries of the Association, who it is hoped will by that date be back in Adelaide from the war.

## Old Boys' Week.

The events for "Old Boys' Week" have not yet been fixed, but it is understood that the College Match will be played on the Adelaide Oval on Wednesday, July 14, or Thursday, July 15. It is suggested that the Old Scholars' Dinner be held on Friday, July 16, and Old Scholars' Football and Lacrosse matches with St. Peter's Old Boys will also be arranged. Further particulars will be supplied to members at a later date.

## The Association's Committee.

It has always been found that a well-balanced Committee representative of all periods of school life secures the best results. How nearly our own Committee approaches the ideal can be seen from the following list :—

	Office.	Year of Entry at College.
A. S. Lewis	... Representative on College Com.	1869
E. H. Rhodes	... Do.	1873
W. Lathlean	... Do.	1874
A. G. Collison	... Treasurer	1880
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A. A. L. Rowley	... Vice-President	1881
C. R. J. Glover	... Committee	1882
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R. Vardon	... Committee	1889
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W. L. Davies	... Committee	1904
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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 desirable.

The Association gives annually to the school the Old Collegians' Scholarship, 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 six shillings per annum. It is suggested that Country Members should remit sufficient to cover four years' subscriptions or become Life Members by payment of £5 5s. Any Old Boy wishing to become a member can do so by forwarding his name and address to the Head Master, or to any member of the staff or to one of the Secretaries.

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