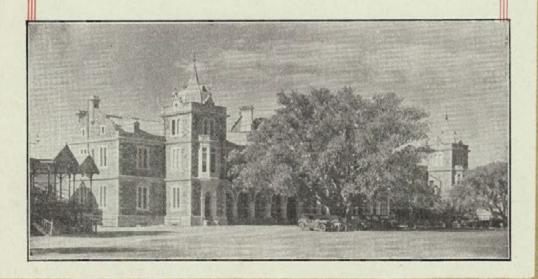
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### SCHOOL OFFICERS

#### School Prefects

D. G. Roach (Captain of School), D. E. Dunn, J. W. Harvey, B. E. Hockney, D. W. D. Howard, K. E. LePage, W. S. Morrow, E. M. Nicholls, K. M. Rook, D. V. Selth, C. R. Webb.

#### House Prefects

E. M. Nicholls (Head of House), A. E. Bartholomaeus, R. R. Cant, A. G. Evens, R. C. Hamilton, R. J. Hill, L. W. Hoad, J. M. Kruger, L. N. Nicolson, J. B. Ward.

#### Games Committee

The Headmaster (Chairman), Messrs, F. C. Bennett, C. R. Davies, A. E. J. Klose, T. G. Luke, H. E. H. Mutton, G. M. Potts, R. T. Smith, J. S. Steele (Sportsmaster) and A. G. Evens, J. W. Harvey, L. W. Hoad, B. E. Hockney, K. E. LePage, W. S. Morrow, D. G. Reach, K. M. Rook, C. R. Webb.

#### Games Sub-Committees

Tennis—Mr. T. G. Luke, J. W. Harvey, Cricket—Mr. C. R. Davies, C. R. Webb, K. M. Rook.

Football—Mr. F. C. Bennett, B. E. Hockney, C. R. Webb,

.tthtetics—Mr. J. S. Steele, A. G. Evens, L. W. Hoad, B. E. Hockney, D. G. Roach.

Rowing- Mr. G. M. Potts, R. L. Beerstecher, W. S. Morrow, K. E. LePage.

#### Library Committee

D. V. Selth (Librarian), M. J. Carter, D. E. Dunn, D. W. D. Howard, K. M. Rook.

#### Magazine Committee

Mr. G. M. Potts (Master-in-Charge), D. V. Selth (Editor), D. E. Dunn, L. L. Hoare, D. G. Roach, J. B. Ward.

#### Scout Troop

Scoutmaster, Mr. A. H. Dennis; Troop Leader, A. Keeves; Patrol Leaders, M. S. Cooper, R. O. Fox, W. R. Taylor, J. B. West, G. R. Wicks,

#### Cadet Corps

O.C., Capt. F. C. Bennett; Licut. G. W. Mansfield; C.S.M.'s W. S. Morrow, S. Nicholls; A./C.S.M.'s D. W. R. Quin, T. P. Corrrell, J. H. Ward; Sgts. B. E. Hockney, D. B. Keele, A. L. Patten, K. D. Price, C. Thomas, J. B. Ward; L./Sgts. R. R. Cant, D. E. Dunn, L. W. Hoad.

#### Air Training Corps

Flight-Commander A. E. J. Klose, Flying-Officer R. T. Smith; N.C.O.'s to be appointed next term.

#### Student Christian Movement

Mr. G. M. Potts, Master-in-Charge; President,
D. E. Dunn; Vice-Presidents, R. J. Deland,
L. L. Hoare, D. G. Roach; Secretary, B. W. Ellis.

#### Form Captains

VIII - - - D. G. Roach

Vla - - - J. W. Harvey

V16 - - - A. D. Harvey

VIc - - - A. G. Evens

Va - - - J. W. Burchmore

Vb - - - F. W. Biggs

Ve - - - C. G. Bartram

Vd · - - J. H. T. Clarkson

Ve - - T. H. Oakes

IVa - - - R. L. Collison

IVb - - - J. E. Moffat

IVe - - J. G. Sanderson

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### **Editorial**

"You that have faith, look with fearless eyes Beyond the tragedy of a world at strife."

In his first speech to the House of Commons as Prime Minister, Mr. Churchill defined our aim simply as "victory." That is not enough. We must fight for victory to be followed by lasting peace. To achieve this lasting peace, the United Nations must remain united till we have won the peace. Reconstruction will be undertaken internationally, but let us not forget that Australia needs reconstructing internally.

Australia's greatest problem is her population, and as soon as the emergencies of war have been dealt with, this problem must be tackled. As Australia's population grows she will be able to develop more fully both her primary and secondary industries. The greater population will not drain her resources, because "with every mouth God sends a pair of hands." It has often been said that family life is the best foundation on which to build a nation, and the best way to guarantee family life is to guarantee social security to those who today are fighting for us.

By social security we mean continuous full employment of all except unemployables. We have not striven for social security before, because the interests of a minority have been threatened. In the future the interests of all must be considered. We can have full employment after the war. Capital equipment, which has been allowed to deteriorate in the past few years, will have to be replaced, and many existing services need improving. Even with full employment there is still use for a Beveridge Plan, provided it is not implemented in a way that will mean those who benefit must bear the burden.

To be a nation ready to take its part in international affairs, we must be healthy, and to be healthy we must have adequate housing facilities. Slums must be abolished, and houses must be built for returned men in healthy localities. The cost can be ignored. We can afford to do anything for which we have sufficient resources. The war has shown us that money could be raised for something that is necessary. National health services must be established on a broad and adequate foundation. Good health is one of the greatest assets any country can have. Speaking of housing arrangements, Mr. Churchill said, "No promises, but every preparation." We need preparations, but the fighting man needs promises to urge him to greater things.

These reforms cannot be achieved by sitting back and watching others work. The over-worked phrase, "The children of today are the men of tomorrow," is still true. Federal control of education is not far distant. Already children are being educated instead of just being prepared for examinations. Technicians and scientists are needed for the war industries. but we must not forget that economists will be needed for the period of transition. Money must be spent on education. Money spent on education is not expenditure: it is an investment, and one that will be more than repaid by future generations. The call to school children today is greater than it has ever been before. Let us not disregard it.

We must not foster nationalism and isolationism. We must be ready to cooperate with other nations for the good of the world, but we cannot co-operate with other nations until we have rebuilt out of the present anarchy a nation ready and able to do its part.

D. V. S.

### School Notes

First term, 1943, has the distinction of containing the latest Easter for fifty-seven years. This is always a broken term, with so many sports events falling in it, but this year the very late date of Easter has seemed to make it even worse.

Congratulations to the Tennis Team on its fine victory against St. Peters. Mr. Luke has had many congratulations, and deserves them all for the work he puts into the School tennis teams year after year.

Congratulations to the "Eight" on winning the Blackmore Shield! We should have liked to have the Gosse Shield, too, but Scotch were too good this year. The School owes very much to Myer Solomon for the time, skill and energy he has devoted to training the crew during the last few years. Next year's crew, with Myer's help, will, I hope, bring back the shield.

Grant Evens and his team made a fine effort in the Athletics, and though we lost, all Prince Alfred people were proud of the team. Laurie Hoad's performance was the feature of the day, and Jim Barraclough's winning of the mile was very fine. Congratulations to them and to all the team.

During the term the School has had two distinguished visitors at Assembly. Rev. H. M. Wheller from Brisbane (the President-General of the Australian Methodist Church) gave a very sound talk to the assembled School. Mr. Wheller was accompanied by our old friend, Rev. P. C. W. Eckersley (President of the S.A. Conference). Later in the term Professor Calvert Barber, of Queen's College, Melbourne, spoke to the School. We were especially glad to welcome Dr. Barber, as he is the President of the Council of Wesley College, Melbourne.

Tom Holland, one of the good boys in the VIu of 1938, had his twenty-first birthday last year. He is in the Air Force in England, and his birthday coincided with the day of his receiving his "wings." This coincidence made him think of his old School, and his thoughts took the form of a gift of £5 to the Memorial Library. Holland was one of our best librarians, and he always had the Library near his heart. We are more than grateful, and wish him good fortune in the days ahead.

### Prefects' Palaver

We began this year by an assiduous endeavour under Roach's leadership to tidy the Prefects' Room, and, gigantic though the task was, we finally succeeded in getting it fairly clean. It is becoming more and more obvious, however, that next year's prefects will have a similar job ahead of them.

Owing to the war there has been a scarcity of ping-pong balls, bats, etc., and so, remembering that work comes before play, we have applied ourselves diligently to the former. We congratulate Rook on coming top of the School. We feel confident that most of us now know the School songs, as well as some of the new boys who had to recite them to us; and we are also getting to know the prices of the tuck-shop commodities, and how much change to return out of two shillings for a penny-halfpenny bun.

This year the prefects have, of course, been

dominant in the field of sport. We are pleased to report that seven of our number are members of the Games Committee, while Roach and Hockney have won merit badges. LePage, Harvey and Webb deserve mention as being captains of the rowing, tennis and cricket, respectively. Harvey also will be remembered for his fine effort in the Prefects' Obstacle Race in our sports, as he was the only competitor who was too tired to get disqualified.

It was too bad that Morrow had to leave us to join the Navy, especially just before the rowing, but we have no doubt that he will do as well at sea as on the Torrens.

Nicholls is upholding the family tradition by being head of the House; and altogether we look back on a successful term, and forward to an equally prosperous future.

D. E. D.

### Duces

VIu Rook, K. M. - Bartram, C. G. Stobie, P. J. Kruger, J. M. VIa Scrymgour, W. B. VIb Brookes, F. C. VIc Jennison, R. B. Elix, R. L. Chartres, B. A. Va Hoffman, R. P. Wilkins, F. D. Hillier, R. R.

### Valete

M. W. Dunstone (1939-42)

Hamilton Entrance Scholarship, 1939; Wesley-Lathlean Prize, 1939; F. B. Holland Memorial Prize, 1939; Intermediate, 1940; Intermediate Bursary, 1940; Alan Johnson Memorial Prize, 1940; Leaving, 1941; Leaving Honours, 1942; Government Bursary, 1942; Library Committee, 1942; Cadet Corps, 1940-42.

S. Nicholls (1939-43)

\*Plush, J. S.

Intermediate, 1941; Swimming Cup, 1940;

Cadet Corps, 1940-43; C.S.M., 1943; Rowing Committee, 1943; Bow of Eight, 1943. [Now in R.A.N.-Ed.]

W. S. Morrow (1936-43)

Scripture Prize, 1936; Prep. Leader, 1938; Intermediate, 1941; Junior History Prize, 1941; Eight, 1941-3; Captain of Eight, 1943; Scout Troop, 1938-40; Scout Patrol Leader, 1940; Cadet Corps, 1940-3; A./Cadet Lieut., 1943; Sports Committee, 1943; School Prefect, 1943.

### Salvete

\*Boarders

IVb Whibley, J. R. \*Barton, M. J. \*Berry, E. G. F. \*Bruer, P. R. \*Butler, G. B. \*Cawte, J. E. \*Witford, J. A. Heitmann, J. S. Williams, T. W. J. Brasher, D. G. VIa \*Dawkins, C. P. \*DeGaris, R. M. Moore, R. L. Chambers, G. T. \*Moten, M. D. Frisby-Smith, D. Cope, R. Forrest, K. S. Horner, R. B. \*Brooks, F. C. Hood, V. G. \*Bullock, W. T. \*Clough, J. K. \*Geddes, B. B. Huxtable, C. S. Parkinson, K. J. May, J. R. L. \*Reid, T. L. \*Pederick, B. M. Steele, R. E. Sykes, L. T. Wylie, J. W. \*Scanlan, R. Smith, P. B. Turnbull, P. VIb IVa \*Blight, B. F. Bachelor, J. Richards, R. J. Branson, D. M. Carlier, E. G. Channon, A. L. \*Charlton, R. R. Burford, R. F. Duncan, J. B. Ellison, L. R. Clarkson, C. L. IVc Collison, R. L. Cox, B. L. Cox, B. R. \*Best, T. \*Fisher, R. B. \*Jennison, R. B. Lavis, D. M. Davie, R. S. Dunn, P. C. \*Miell, A. Elix, R. L. Va Ferris, J. W. \*Campbell, T. D. \*Gunning, D. G. Fox, D. M. Haigh, J. D. Warnecke, D. P. Hobbs, G. A. Huelin, K. A. Kallin, R. S. Keogh, M. \*Bell, N. J. Chapman, P. N. \*Crago, R. A. Kneebone, G. M. \*Knox, R. M. Dunncliff, C. C. \*Ireland, B. Parham, C. S. Leedham, J. J. Park, F. T. Moore, K. R. Ward, C. H. C. Pittman, B. H. Vc Sharland, R. L. Antill, T. P. \*Tassie, G. W. Thyer, J. L. \*Basheer, M. R. \*Mullner, R. D.

\*Walter, P. C.

Creedy, D. R. R. \*Davidson, A. V. \*Davidson, L. J. Deland, C. G. Digby, E. A. \*Hall, C. W. Hoffmann, R. P. Kelly, P. M. McCoy, J. H. Moffatt, J. E. Moore, C. K. \*Morris, I. R. Moyses, D. W. Pearce, I. J. Stevens, N. L. \*Creber, D. J. \*Francis, B. J. Fullerton, A. W. \*Gann, R. B. \*Gore, T. J. Gray, W. K. Harris, B. I. Hillier, R. R. Hudson, J. M. Hughes, R. Larkin, D. J. McCoy, K. N. Pelham, J. T. Phillips, D. J. Sanderson, J. G. Skeer, N. C. Storry, I. S. Ward, K. G. Wells, C. D. \*Wilsdon, D. E. Zanker, D. H.

# Intercollegiate Athletics

29th April dawned to reveal a slight drizzle. Before long, however, the clouds realised that we wanted to hold the Intercol. Athletics at Saints, and obligingly rushed off, leaving the sky clear.

Strange to say, no one in our team was incapacitated, and our hopes ran high.

In the first event of the day, the 120 Yards Senior Hurdles, we gained a victory, Hoad defeating Harbison for first place in 16½ seconds. Harvey came in with a third for S.P.S.C.

P.A.C., 5 points; S.P.S.C., 4 points.

The next race, the Under 16 100 Yards, was won by D. W. Miller (S.P.S.C.) from R. C. Miller (P.A.C.). Saints got a third in this race also, Giles filling the place. The time for this event was 10<sup>‡</sup> seconds, <sup>‡</sup> outside the record.

P.AC., 7 points; S.P.S.C., 9 points.

Hockney and Evens gained the lead for P.A.C. in the Senior 100 Yards, Hockney gaining first place from Badger (S.P.S.C.), with Evens filling third place. Time, 103 seconds. Amid cheers from all Reds, the progressive scores were now announced to be—

P.A.C., 13 points; S.P.S.C., 12 points.

Despite his disappointingly slow start in the Junior 100 Yards, Pederick was only narrowly beaten for first position by Gordon (S.P.S.C.) in 11% seconds. Nicholson brought in a third for the Reds.

P.A.C., 16 points; S.P.S.C., 16 points.

The next event, the Senior High Jump, proved to be one of the most interesting of the day. Hoad is to be heartily congratulated on his fine performance in breaking the record for this event by 1\frac{1}{4} inches, with the phenominal height of 5 ft. 9 in. Harbison gained second, and Lewis third place for Saints.

P.A.C., 21 points; S.P.S.C., 20 points.

Saints leapt ahead to gain a lead of six points when Badger and D. W. Miller gained first and second places for S.P.S.C. in the 220 Yards Flat. Hockney fought hard, but only managed to come in third. The scores were now not so heartening:

P.A.C., 22 points; S.P.S.C., 28 points.

Saints consolidated their lead by gaining all three places in the Junior High Jump, Two-penny jumping 4 ft. 10½ in., with McBride and Snoswell ably backing him up.

P.A.C., 22 points; S.P.S.C., 35 points.

The Reds rallied once more in the Shot-put, however, when Roach succeeded in securing first place with a remarkably fine throw of 38 ft. 1\frac{1}{2} in. S.P.S.C. filled second and third places with Kidman and Bedson, making the progressive totals—

P.A.C., 27 points: S.P.S.C., 39 points.

R. C. Miller disappointed us all by falling on the second to last hurdle in the Under 16 100 Yards Hurdles, and Saints took the lead decisively, gaining all three places with D. W. Miller. Giles and Treloar in 14% seconds.

P.A.C., 27 points; S.P.S.C., 46 points.

After the tea interval, Evens made a fine effort to win the Senior Broad Jump, with a distance of 19 ft. 113 in. Harvey (S.P.S.C.) came second, and Hoad brought us in a third.

P.A.C., 33 points; S.P.S.C., 49 points.

Following this encouraging event we were somewhat disheartened by the Under 16 Broad Jump, in which we gained only a second in R. C. Miller, while Giles gained first and Nairne third for S.P.S.C. The jump was 19 ft. 10½ in., one inch outside the record.

P.A.C., 36 points; S.P.S.C., 54 points.

D. W. Miller won the Senior 440 Yards Flat in the comparatively fast time of 53\$ seconds. Saints also took third place with Bowen, but Hockney showed up again in second place. Saints were now leading substantially—

P.A.C., 39 points; S.P.S.C., 60 points.

Once more the skies cleared for Princes in the Junior 100 Yards Hurdles, in which we filled all three places, Pederick equalling the record of 145 seconds set up by H. Frost (P.A.C.) in 1936. Nicolson and Clarkson brought us in second and third places, thus raising our scores to—

P.A.C., 46 points; S.P.S.C., 60 points.

Hoad gained us another first in the 440 Hurdles, defeating Harvey and Lewis (both S.P.S.C.) in 615 seconds.

P.A.C., 51 points; S.P.S.C., 64 points.

The next event, the Under 16 880 Yards, proved to be another victory for our rivals, Perrett winning from Keeves and Willcox (both P.A.C.) in 2 minutes 17 seconds. Saints were now out of sight, the only remaining race being the Mile, with the points definitely weighted in Saints favour.

P.A.C., 53 points; S.P.S.C., 68 points.

Although it was now impossible for us to win, the Mile proved to be perhaps the most interesting event of the afternoon. Barraclough, staying behind for the first three laps, and just hanging on to the enemy, rallied in the last lap when he looked beaten and finished strongly in one of the finest finishes ever seen in the Athletics Intercol. He is to be heartily congratulated in this fine effort, the time being 4 minutes 57 seconds. Judell and Drever took second and third places for S.P.S.C. Final results were—

P.A.C., 58 points; S.P.S.C., 72 points.

Although we did not win the Intercol., Evens and his team are to be heartily congratulated in putting up a very determined fight.

J. B. W.

# Table of Results of Intercollegiate Athletics 1943

EVENT	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	TIME OR DISTANCE	RECORD	RECORD HOLDER
20 Yards Hurdles (Senior) 00 Yards Flat (Under 16)	Hoad Miller, D.	Harbison Miller, R.	Harvey Giles	16½ sec. 10½ sec.	16 sec. 10g sec.	Cowell, D. C. (1931) Campbell, A. G. (1932) Ferguson, W. R. (1941)
00 Yards Flat (Senior)	Hockney	Badger	Evens	10å sec.	101 sec.	Seppelt, I. H. (1927) Claring-Bould, J. A.
00 Yards Flat (Junior)	Gordon	Pederick	Nicolson	115 sec.	10‡ sec.	(1941) [ Jolly, B. M. (1927)
High Jump (Senior)	*IIoad	Harbison	Lewis	5 ft. 9 in.	5 ft. 71 in.	Campbell, A. G. (1931) Jay, A. B. (1933)
20 Yards Flat (Senior) High Jump (Junior) Putting the Weight 00 Yards Hurdles (Under 16) .	Badger Twopenny Roach Miller, D.	Miller, D. McBryde Kidman Giles	Hockney Snoswell Bedson Treloar	23-7/10 sec. 4 ft. 10½ in. 38 ft. 1¾ in. 14¾ sec.	22-9/10 sec. 5 ft. 3 in. 44 ft. 5 in. 14½ sec.	Craven, R. B. (1937) Marlow, A. D. R. (1933) Tregoning, J. (1937) Frost, H. (1937)
Broad Jump (Senior) Broad Jump (Under 16) 40 Yards Flat (Senior) 00 Yards Hurdles (Junior) 40 Yards Hurdles (Senior) 80 Yards Flat (Under 16) one Mile Flat	Evens Giles Miller, D. *Pederick Hoad Perrett Barraclough	Harvey Miller, R. Hockney Nicolson Harvey Keeves Judell	Hoad Nairn Bowen Clarkson Lewis Willcox Drever	19 ft. 11¾ in. 19 ft. 10½ in. 53½ sec. 14½ sec. 61½ sec. 2 min. 17½ sec. 4 min. 57 sec.	22 ft. 5 in. 19 ft. 11½ in. 52⅓ sec. 14⅙ sec. 60 sec. 2 min. 13 sec. 4 min. 52⅙ sec.	{ Jose, G. A. (1941) Seppelt, I. H. (1928) Bertram, J. H. (1932) Craven, R. B. (1937) Frost, H. (1936) Hoad, G. G. (1939) Miller, D. W. (1942) { Kelly, G. R. (1940) } Martin, N. G. (1941)

Names of P.A.C. Competitors in italics.

<sup>\*</sup> denotes a record or equals record.

# Public Examinations 1942

#### INTERMEDIATE

#### Intermediate Exhibitions

P. J. Stobie, P. F. Vawser, J. B. West.

#### Honours List

(Names are in alphabetical order)
Latin—Bills, I. M.; Stobie, P. J.; Vawser, P. F.;
West, J. B.
German—Stobie, P. J.
Arithmetic—Stobie, P. J.; Vawser, P. F.
Maths. i—Gibson, D. K.; Vawser, P. F.; West,
J. B.
Maths. ii—Nienaber, B.; Stobie, P. J.
Physics—Macklin, A. D.; Murray, W. P.;
Pynor, D. E.; Stobie, P. J.; Vawser, P. F.;
West, J. B.

Pass List

Bills, I. M.—Eg, L\*, F, Mi, Ch.
Brebner, D. M.—Eg, A, Mi, Mii, Pc.
Cooper, C. L.—Eg, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Cooper, J. A.—Eg, L, A, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Daniel, F. R.—EgQ, A, Mi, Mii, Ch, Gg, Bk.
Dodd, J. H.—EgQ, L, A, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Donaldson, I. M.—Eg, F, A, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Dunncliff, B. F.—Eg, A, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Faint, H. G.—EgQ, Gg, A, Mi, Mii, Pc.
Fox, R. O.—Eg, A, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Garrett, F. E.—Eg, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Hamilton, R. C.—Eg, F, A, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Heidenreich, T. B.—Eg, A, Ch, Gg, Ag.
Hockney, B. E.—Eg, A, Mi, H, Gg, Bk.
McLean, R. E.—Eg, A, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Macklin, A. D.—Eg, L, A, Mi, Mii, Pc\*, Ch.
Nicholls, D. L.—Eg, A, Ch, Gg, Ag, Bk.
Nicolson, L. N.—Eg, G, A, Mi, Mii, Pc. Ch.
Nienaber, B.—Eg, L, G, A, Mi, Mii, Pc. Ch.
Nienaber, B.—Eg, L, F, A, Mi, Mii, Pc\*, Ch.
Robinson, W. T.—EgQ, A, Mi, Mii, Pc. Ch.
Smith, K. R.—Eg, Gg, A, Mii, Mii, Pc. Ch.
Smith, K. R.—Eg, Gg, A, Mii, Mii, Pc. Ch.
Smith, K. R.—Eg, Gg, A, Mii, Mii, Pc. Ch.
Steele, D. L.—Eg, L, F, A, Mi, Mii, Pc.

Stobie, P. J.—Eg, L\*, G\*, A\*, Mi, Mii\*, Pc\*, Ch.
Storch, F.—Eg, A, Mi, Pc, Ch.
Summerfield, F. B.—Eg, A, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Toll, D. F.—Eg, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Vawser, P. F.—Eg, L\*, F, A\*, Mi\*, Mii, Pc\*, Ch.
Welch, H. W.—Eg, L, F, A, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
West, J. B.—Eg, L\*, F, A, Mi\*, Mii, Pc\*, Ch.
Wicks, G. R.—Eg, L, F, A, Mi, Mii, Pc.
Wyman, D. J.—Eg, A, Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.

Passed in less than required five subjects

Ashby, E. D.—Eg, Ch, Ag. Barraclough, J. E.—Eg, Mi, Mii. Berry, B. P.-Eg, Pc, Ch. Braybrook, R. P.—Eg, A, Mii, Pc. Clarke, T. M.—Eg, A, Mii, Pc.
Cleland, M. E. E.—L, Mi, Pc.
Cox, G. W.—Eg, Mi, Pc.
Davies, T. L.—Gg, Mii, Ch.
Dekyvere, P. G.—Mi, Mii, Pc, Ch.
Evans, E. D.—A, Mi, Mii, Bk. Francis, W. R.-Eg, Pc, Gg. Furniss, D. A .- Mi, Mii, Ch. Gill, J. D.-Eg, Pc, Ch. Green, A. J.—Eg, H, Gg. Hall, D. E.—A, Mii, Ch. Hallo, L. B.—Mi, Mii, Pc. Ch. Hudson, G. M .- Eg, H, Gg. Lavis, R. C.—Eg, Mi, H. LePage, K. E.—L, A, Mi, Mii, P. Miller, R. C.—Eg, L, A, Mi. Murray, W. P.—A, Mi, Mii, Pc\*. Patten, A. L.—Eg, Mi, Pc, Ch. Platten, N. J.—Eg, Mi, Mii, Pc. Reiners, D.—Mi, Mii, Ch. Sara, D. C.—Eg, Mii, Pc. Slater, A. H .- Eg, G, Ch. Stubbs, R. J.-Eg, Mii, H. Toop, K. J.-Mi, Mii, Pc. Ch. Turner, C. W.—A, Ch, Gg, Ag, Bk. Wilkins, F. D.—Eg, Pc, Ch.

# Library Notes

At the beginning of the year the Library was tidied, and a number of books were indexed. The Library has been well used, and VIu have borrowed more books than usual. The result is shown in the English essays—most are expert reproductions of library books.

The Library has been quieter, except for three or four boys, but during the term several unnecessary scratches have appeared on the furniture.

D. V. S.

This year we were fortunate in receiving several books from Mr. P. E. Johnstone: Six volumes of "Casket of Literature." "Roaming through the West Indies," H. A. Franck.

"Argentina, Past and Present," W. H. Koebel.

Two volumes of "The Panmure Papers."

Mr. R. T. Smith presented two Physics books:

"Intermediate Practical Physics," T. M. Yarwood.

"Elementary Practical Physics," A. H. Cooper.

We are again indebted to Mr. R. H. Cheek for weekly issues of the "Christian Science Monitor."

# School Sports

This year the School sports were held on the College Oval on Saturday, 1st May.

Competition was keener for all the cups, while interest was heightened by the introduction of a House Competition. This was won by the boarders. Hockney, Evens and Barraclough reproduced their excellent form of the Intercol., each winning two events.

For the Senior Cup, Evens gained 21 points and Hoad 201. Miller, one of the favourites for the Under 16 Cup, was unable to continue after the Half-Mile, and Osborn had a comfortable win. Nicolson and Pederick fought out the Junior Cup, Pederick gaining 15 points to Nicolson's 14.

Keeves won the Under 16 Half Mile and the Obstacle Race, and though there were fewer events, competition was keener than in former

Our thanks are due to the masters who conducted the afternoon's sports, and to Mrs. Ward, who presented the prizes.

#### D. V. S.

#### RESULTS AGE EVENTS

120 Yards Flat Under 13-1, Phillips, D. J.; 2, Kneebone, G. M. Under 14-1, Hoad, B. C.; 2, Berry, E. G. F. Under 15-1, Campbell, I. D.; 2, Gunning, D. G. Under 16-1, Huxtable, C. S.; 2, Ellison, L. R.

Open-1, Harvey, A. D.; 2, Dewar, C. C. 440 Yards Hurdles (Open)-1, Harvey, J. W.; 2. Hill, R. J.; 3, Heitmann, J. S. Time,

Putting the Weight (Open)—1, Roach, D. G.; 2, LePage, K. E.; 3, Ward, J. B. Distance, 36 ft. 4 in.

Half-Mile Handicap (Open)—1, Huxtable, C. S.; 2, Cawte, J. E.; 3, Biggs, F. W. Time, 2 min. 14 sec.

Under 14 High Jump-1, Wicks, G. R.; 2, Hoad, B. C.; 3, Collison, R. L. Height, 4 ft. 8 in.

Mile Handicap (Open)-1, Barraclough, J. E.; 2, Ellis, B. W.; 3, Harvey, A. D. Time, 5 min. 15 sec.

Obstacle Race (Open)-1, Keeves, A.; 2, Nienaber, B.; 3, Clough, J. K.

#### CUP EVENTS

#### Junior

100 Yards Flat—1, Pederick, B. M.; 2, Nicolson, L. N.; 3, Clarkson, J. H. T. Time, 11½ sec.

100 Yards Hurdles—1, Pederick, B. M.; 2, Nicolson, L. N.; 3, Clarkson, J. H. T. Time, 14% sec.

High Jump—1, Nicolson, L. N.; 2, Clarkson, J. H. T.; 3, Pederick, B. M. Height, 4 ft. 7 in.

Broad Jump-1, Pederick, B. M.; 2, Nicolson, L. N.; 3, Clarkson, J. H. T. Distance, 18 ft. 6 in.

220 Yards Flat—I, Nicolson, L. N.; 2, Pederick, B. M.; 3, Clarkson, J. H. T. Time, 25\*

#### Under 16

100 Yards Flat-1, Miller, R. C.; 2, Osborn, P. W.; 3, Summerfield, F. B. Time, 108 sec.

100 Yards Hurdles-1, Osborn, P. W.; 2, Summerfield, F. B.; 3, Dunncliff, C. C. Time,

High Jump—1, Osborn, P. W.; 2, Dunncliff, C. C.; 3, Miller, R. C. Height, 4 ft. 11½ in. Broad Jump—1, Osborn, P. W.; 2, Huxtable, C. S.; 3, Dunncliff, C. C. Distance, 16 ft.

10 in.

880 Yards Flat—1, Keeves, A.; 2, Willcox, C. A.; 3, Osborn, P. W. Time, 2 min. 22½

#### Senior

100 Yards Flat-1, Evens, A. G.; 2, Hockney, B. E.; and Hoad, L. (tie). Time, 10%

Yards Flat—1, Hockney, B. E.; 2, Evens, A. G.; 3, Roach, D. G. Time, 24\(\frac{3}{5}\) sec.
 Yards Flat—1, Hockney, B. E.; 2, Roach, D. G.; 3, Evens, A. G. Time, 56\(\frac{3}{5}\) sec.
 Yards Flat—1, Barraclough, J. E.; 2, Hoad, T. W. J. Evens, A. G. Time, 22, 12, 23, 12, 23, 12, 23, 12, 22, 12, 23, 12,

L. W.; 3, Evens, A. G. Time, 2 min. 332

120 Yards Hurdles-1, Hill, R. J.; 2, Hoad, L.

W.; 3, Evens, A. G. Time, 18\(\frac{1}{2}\) sec. High Jump—1, Hoad, L. W.; 2, Hill, R. J.; Raggatt, M.; Roach, D. G.; Williamson,

D. A. (all equal). Height, 5 ft. 1 in.

Broad Jump—1, Evens, A. G.; 2, Hoad, L. W.;

3, Roach, D. G. Distance, 20 ft. 7½ in.

#### POINTS

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Roach, D. G.

Raggatt, M. -

#### STATE ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS

On 27th March and 3rd April the State Junior Athletics Championships were held. Because we had been training for only a few weeks, we entered for only seven events. In these we gained two firsts and three seconds.

Evens broke the Hop, Step and Jump record with the distance of 40 ft. 91 in., and Miller

won the 75 Yards Handicap. Our team (Harvey, Opie, Roach and Evens) gained second place in the Relay Race. Hockney was second in the 220 Low Hurdles, and Evens was second in the Broad Jump.

Evens was awarded a cup for the most outstanding performance on either day. D. V. S.

# Cricket

Since returning to school we have had a good season. In the match against Payneham Grant scored a brilliant 170 not out, and Bartram registered a fine performance in making 101 not out against Holden's. As there are seven of last year's team back we are looking forward to the Intercollegiate match, in the last term, with confidence.

C. R. W.

#### FIRST ELEVEN MATCHES

13th and 20th February

R.A.A.F., 255, defeated P.A.C., 231.

Batting-Bartram, 60; Webb, 58; Forrest, 49;

Bowling-Webb, 4 for 51; Grant, 2 for 11; Forrest, 2 for 19.

27th February and 6th March

P.A.C., 3 for 281 and 2 for 33, defeated Payneham, 224.

Batting—Grant, 170 not out; Rook, 32 not out; Evens, 28; Forrest, 22; Webb, 22. Bowling-Rook, 4 for 55; Hockney, C., 2 for

13th and 20th March

Port Adelaide, 345, defeated P.A.C., 121 and 8 for 69.

Batting-Webb, 71.

Bowling-Webb, 3 for 47; Harvey, J., 3 for 70; Grant, 2 for 69.

27th March and 3rd April

G. M.-Holdens, 265 and 3 for 69, defeated P.A.C., 192.

Batting-Bartram, 101 not out; Grant, 26. Bowling-Rook, 4 for 55; Grant, 3 for 65; Hockney, C., 2 for 25.

#### FIRST ELEVEN AVERAGES

	Ba	atting			
	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Agg.	Aver.
Grant	. 5	1	170*	228	57
Bartram	. 4	1	101*	168	56
Webb	. 5	_	71	177	35.4
Forrest	. 5	_	49	95	19
Rook	. 5	2	32*	51	17
Roach	. 3		37	39	13
Parham	. 1	_	12	12	12
Dewar	. 4	1	13*	33	11
Evens	. 4		28	32	8
Brebner	. 2	_	10	15	7.5
Hockney, C.	4	1	9*	21	7
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Hockney, C.	16	.6 —	99	5	19.8
Rook	58		213	10	21.3
Webb	46		180	8	22.5
Grant	28	.3 2	192	8	24
Harvey, J.	20	1	162	4	40.5

# Intercollegiate Tennis

The Intercollegiate Tennis against St. Peters was held on the Memorial Drive Courts on Wednesday and Thursday, 24th and 25th March.

The weather was perfect on both days, and a good crowd assembled to watch our team carry off the honours again.

Thursday's crowd would have been much bigger if Wednesday's play had not been so decisive. When play was adjourned we were leading 7 rubber. to 2. Thursday's play was disastrous for Sai ts, as they only won 23 games in 6 rubbers.

The first matches to be played were our first pair, J. W. Harvey and D. A. Williamson,

versus Saints' third pair, R. G. M. Harvey and P. C. F. Hayward; J. E. Barraclough and K. D. Price versus B. W. and J. G. Wilson; and our third pair, A. E. Morris and C. G. Bartram, versus Saints' first pair, D. G. Wilson and K. G. Watson.

Harvey and Williamson, both serving and volleying very forcefully, proved too good, and won 6-1, 6-2.

Barraclough and Price had little difficulty in taking the first set 6-1, but they had to fight hard to take the second 6-5. Price was playing solidly, and Barraclough was cleverly exploiting the drop shot.

Bartram and Morris served and smashed their way through the first set, but Saints steadied, and took the next two sets 6—0, 6—0.

The singles were also played on Wednesday. The results put our team in an excellent position. Harvey, J. W., v. Wilson, D. G., 6—4, 6—4.

Harvey brilliantly opened with an ace, and went on to win the first game. However, Wilson played a good game, and drove well at times, but Harvey forced him into errors with fast serves and well-placed drives.

Barraclough, J. E., v. Watson, K. G., 6-5, 6-4.
Barraclough opened weakly, and was down 3-0, but picked up well to win the first set 6-5. Although troubled by Watson's service and smashing, he was able to win the next 6-4.

Williamson, D. A., v. Wilson, B. W., 6-2, 6-2. Although suffering from a cold, Williamson served strongly and kept a good length. Wilson placed well at times, but was not good enough. Price, K. D., v. Wilson, J. G., 4-6, 4-6.

Price was leading 3—1, but Wilson picked up brilliantly, serving and volleying very well to win the first set 6—4. In the second set there was another interesting tussle, but Wilson again won 6—4.

Morris, A. E., v. Harvey, R. G. M., 5-6, 6-3, 6-2.

This was the most prolonged single, and the first set was a close tussle, both playing cautiously. Harvey won the first set 6—5, but Morris won the next two 6—3, 6—2.

Bartram, C. G., v. Harvey, P. C. F., 6—1, 6—1. Bartram played strongly throughout the rubber, and had little trouble to win.

#### THURSDAY, 25th MARCH

Harvey-Williamson v. Wilson, D. G.-Watson.

Once again our first pair were much too strong for their opponents, and won 6-1, 6-2.

Barraclough-Price v. Harvey-Hayward.

Our pair combined well, and Price's solidity and Barraclough's experience enabled them to take the rubber 6-2, 6-3.

Morris-Bartram v. Wilson, B. W.-Wilson, J. G. Our pair played more their usual game, and had little difficulty in winning 6—1, 6—1.

Harvey-Williamson v. Wilson, B. W.-Wilson, J. G.

Through winning this rubber 6—0, 6—2, Harvey and Williamson only lost eight games in the whole Intercol. They had both played excellently, and deserved their ovation.

Barraclough-Price v. Wilson, D. G.-Watson.

Saints had completely lost form, and seemed very tired. They only made a feeble effort, and we had little difficulty in taking the rubber 6—3, 6—4.

Morris-Bartram v. Harvey-Hayward

We won 6—2, 6—2, but the rubber was closer than the scores suggest. Bartram finished the Intercol. with four spectacular aces. The whole School wishes to congratulate Mr. Luke on his excellent record of success. He has been most thorough with his coaching, and devoted much time to improving the team's play.

The final scores were-

P.A.C.—13 rubbers, 27 sets, 176 games. S.P.S.C.—2 rubbers, 5 sets, 94 games.

D. G. R.

#### CRITIQUE OF THE TEAM

(By the Captain)

Barraclough—Wide match experience enabled him to dominate the game with confidence. Left-hand greatly improved, while his powerful double-handed forehand is often unplayable. Left-hand volley still rather weak, but he must be congratulated on winning every set in the Intercol.

Williamson — An orthodox player with a variety of well-made shots. Service and fore-hand excellent, but inclined to overslice back-hand. Must be congratulated on very fine Intercol. game. Will prove invaluable next year.

Price—Greatly improved player. Good serve and forehand, but volleying sometimes inconsistent. Played well in doubles on day of match.

Morris—Owing to late team changes was a little unsettled, but well-placed strokes and consistent volleying enabled him to win three out of four rubbers.

Bartram—Played surprisingly well. Good temperament and free, easy style. Good serve and hits hard.

Harvey (by J. E. B.)—Very strong in attack. Extraordinarily strong serve and variety of shots enabled him to win every set in the Intercol. Match experience enabled him to confidently dominate the play Captained the team ably and intelligently, and had confidence of team throughout. Must be congratulated on his fine tennis in the Intercol.

Harvey is to be congratulated on representing the School in three Intercollegiate Tennis Matches, and on winning eleven out of twelve rubbers.

Barraclough has won eight out of his nine rubbers.

This year both our first and second teams came top of their respective grades at the Memorial Drive. In the Age Tennis Championships last Christmas Harvey and Babidge won the Schoolboy Doubles; Morris and Williamson won the Under 16 Doubles; Candy won the Under 14 Singles and Doubles; and G. I. Berry won the Under 12 Singles and Doubles.

The boys would like to thank Mr. Luke for his interest in the team. He must be congratulated on his splendid record of successes. We would also like to thank Mr. Dennis for the time he has given up, and for his tireless efforts for the team.

# Rowing Notes

This year the Head-of-the-River Regatta was held on Wednesday, 14th April. A few clouds which were scattered across the sky were soon whisked away by a fresh Westerly breeze, and with the great crowd of spectators packed all along the banks of the lake, from Morphett Street Bridge to the finishing line, a most successful day's racing was promised.

In the first race of the day, the Under 15 Tub Slides, our crew, consisting of—

DeGaris, R. M.	-	_	-	Bow
Hocking, J. A.	-	-		2
Whibley, J. R.			-	3
Bennier, D. J.		-	-	Stroke
Horne, N	•	-	-	Cox

rowed against the Saint Peter's crew, who had the position nearest the North bank, and, in a good race, defeated them by one and a half lengths.

The second heat of the Under 16 Tub Slides was a very thrilling race; however, Adelaide High School gained an early lead, on the North side, and maintained it throughout.

Our crew-				
Cooper, J. A	-	-	3.73	Bow
Ward, J. H	-	-	-	2
Blanch, C. E.	-	-	140	3
White, J. B	_	_	(14)	Stroke

Mellor, J. T. -

were finishing very strongly, but could not catch the leading crew, who won by a little less than one length.

The fine rowing of our crew in the first heat of the Open Tub Slides gained them an early lead from Scotch College, on the North side, and in a brilliant finish they passed the line one and a quarter lengths ahead of the latter. The crew were—

Bertram, A. N.		10.70	-	Bow
Mitton, D. L.	( <del>-</del> 07)		-	2
Keele, D. B	•	34	2	3
Gibson, D. K.	-	-		Stroke
Humble, W. G.	-	-	-	Cox

In the second heat of the Clinker Fours, Saint Peter's crew proved a little too strong for our crew—

Cox, G. W		-	-	Bow
Williams, T. W.	J.	-		2
Brooks, D. J.			2	3
James, P. W.		-	-	Stroke
Patten, A. L	2.7	-	-	Cox

and they passed the line with a substantial lead of one and a half lengths.

Scotch College had just defeated Adelaide High School in the first heat of the Head-of-the River Eights, and we were now rowing against Saint Peter's. Our crew gradually drew ahead of the latter, and from Morphett Street Bridge to the finish were one length in the lead. The crew rowed magnificently, and their win brought back to the School for another year the

Blackmore Shield. The members of the crew were-

Nicholls, S	+	-		Bow
Dunncliff, B	2	_		2
Heitmann, J. S.	-	2	-	3
Fowler, B. M.		-	-	4
McLachlan, R. B		-		5
Beerstetcher, R.	L.	ω.		6
LePage, K. E.	-	-	-	7
Ward, J. B	100	=		Stroke
Turner, G	0+3	*	-	Cox

The weather on the following morning was not at all promising, but it cleared up in the afternoon, and a great crowd once more watched some very thrilling racing.

We rowed against Adelaide High School in the final of the Under 15 Tub Slides; however, the latter led most of the way and, rowing in fine style, defeated our crew by one and a half lengths.

One of the best races of the day was the final of the Open Tub Slides, in which our crew rowed against Saint Peter's. Both crews rowed with great determination, but we gradually gained the lead, and in a fast finish defeated Saint Peter's by one length. The win is all the more praiseworthy, as all members of the crew are practically newcomers to rowing.

All eyes were now trained in the direction of the starting point of the final of the Head-of-the River Eight. From the gun the Scotch College boat was slightly in the lead, and this was increased to one length as they passed beneath Morphett Street Bridge. Passing the Mercantile shed, our crew head lessened the lead by a quarter of a length, but Scotch College drew ahead again, and won by a length. The race was a great fight, and we congratulate the Scotch College crew on their meritorious win, for which they recevied the Gosse Shield for the Head-of-the-River Eight.

L. L. H.

#### Rowing Critique

Nicholls (Bow)—Developed into a good oarsman with a hard rip through the water. Should concentrate more.

Dunncliff (2)—A neat oar. Rowed well in the last fortnight, when he really kicked at the catch Fails to swing while light paddling.

Heitmann (3)—Did a good job in short time available. Inclined to cut his finish short.

Fowler (4)—Tower of strength who cannot be praised too highly for his work throughout the year. At high rating he tends to rush his slide.

McLachlan (5)—Strong leg drive allows him to use his weight to full advantage. One of the best oarsmen on the river this year.

Beerstecker (6) — Rowed conscientiously throughout. Quite a powerful oarsman, but spoils his smooth stroke by hunching his shoulders at the finish.

LePage (7)—Although he took a long time to settle down on bow side, is an exceptionally strong oar. Will go a long way in this sport.

Ward (Stroke)—Stroked well in both races. During training hurried his finish. Should give the crew a better chance to settle down.

Turner (Cox)-A coxswain of outstanding

ability. Gave faultless displays both in training and races.

Once more we would like to thank Myer Solomon, our coach, whose quiet geniality and vast experience have been an inspiration to all those who have worked under him. He is to be particularly congratulated on his fine record of seven consecutive wins, which is unbeaten.

### Swimming

This year the swimming sports were held at the Henley Baths on Friday, 19th February. Owing to the fact that our time at the baths was limited to two hours, we were forced to restrict the programme to eight events, in none of which handicaps were given. The slight showers of the morning kept some away, but the attendance was good. All the entrants performed well, but Blanch deserves special mention, gaining two first and a second in four events. On the following day he gained fourth place in the Swim Through Adelaide.

Our thanks are due to those masters who started and judged the events, especially Mr. Mutton and Mr. Steele, and to the committee (Blanch, Roach, Ward, Biggs and Barraclough).

The School appreciates Mrs. Ward's kindness in consenting to present the prizes to the winners.

D. V. S.

#### RESULTS

Under 12 334 Yards-1, R. L. Sharland; 2, R. W. Menz.

Under 13 331 Yards-1, R. S. Kallin; 2, J. F. Norton.

Under 14 333 Yards—1, E. G. F. Berry; 2, I. O. G. Tait

Under 15 55 Yards-1, J. T. Clarkson; 2, D. T. Rowe.

Open 55 Yards Freestroke-1, R. L. Beerstecher; 2, C. E. Blanch.

Open 110 Yards Freestroke-1, C. E. Blanch; 2, S. Nicholls.

Open 55 Yards Backstroke—1, C. E. Blanch; 2, O. H. Price.

Open Dive-1, A. B. Haines; 2, R. E. McLean.

# Student Christian Movement

We have had five meetings this term, bringing a pleasing attendance. The addresses, with the exception of the first, were given by prominent ministers and chaplains.

The Headmaster, who, as in previous years, took the first meeting, gave us first the history of the S.C.M., and then spoke on the text of Elijah's words on Mt. Carmel: "How long halt ye between two opinions?" If we are to be Christians we must not sit on the fence, but, like the prophet, follow the Lord with our whole heart, and not be afraid to stand alone and speak out for God.

At the second meeting we were addressed by Rev. L. M. Humphery, M.A., who told us of his experiences with the troops in camp. He related amusing incidents witnessed, and spoke of the fine characters revealed in the letters of outwardly rough men. He described also how heart-to-heart talks solve many problems and bring much happiness. Men apt to cast religion aside have it brought to them by padres and are comforted by it.

Mr. Len Clarkson spoke at the third meeting, his subject being "The New Order." It must be brought in voluntarily, and would include President Roosevelt's Four Freedoms, the Atlantic Charter and the Beveridge Plan. These

things would constitute the material side, but a religious New Order is also necessary.

The speaker at the fourth meeting was the Rev. J. R. Blanchard, B.A., who also addressed us on the subject of "The Basis for a New Order." He said that men, because of earthly ability and apparent success, are inclined to consider themselves totally independent and able to carry out anything well on their own. But if we want an improvement in this world we must realise our dependence on the earth, our fellow-men and God: everything given to us either by Nature or by our fellow-men is governed by the Master, and the earthly cannot be perfect without the incorporation of the heavenly.

At the last meeting the speaker was the Rev. R. H. Davidson, D.C.M., who addressed us on ambition and success in life, likening success to the ball in a game of football. It is necessary to "get it" to succeed; to "stick to it," to keep one's success and use it; and to "get rid of it," to keep the character of a godly man.

At a meeting at the end of the term it was arranged that next term's addresses should be given by committee members on a series of subjects to be decided at a later date.

# Boarders' Notes: New Style

By Og and Doeg

#### BOOK THE FIRST

Hearken, Muse, O hear! Inspire our song; Set fire our ink, and breathe our words along;

Enliven ye the topic of our lay.

The second month brought forth its second

As Chloe, Phyllis, raven-tressed Joan
Assemble at the mighty Prince's throne;
The edict heard, and on each heart impressed
To clean each dorm., each study for its guest.
And now Aurora wakes the fiery steeds
Of ruddy Orion wrestling at the leads,
Who bids them haste and chide each tardy
youth. . . .

#### BOOK THE SECOND

Now all assemble in the ancient hall— Boarders of all nations, large and small. And now arrive the Herbies, Dicks and Berts.

Each with a toothbrush and a change in shirts.

The New Boys all their menial tasks assume With roller, washing, scrubbing brush and

Downtrod, abused, ill-treated, still they raise Their plaintive notes to heav'n in clam'rous

The portals ring with many a joyous note As Mr. Porter clears his new-come throat, And lifts his voice till all the rafters ring With "Tea for Two" or "Let the People Sing."

The boarders old and new rejoice to find So true a heart, so amiable a mind.

#### BOOK THE THIRD

Though we regret our song draws to a close, Cantos four to ten are writ in prose.

#### BOOK THE FOURTH

In the matter of Athletics the boarders once more conclusively demonstrated their superior-They again supplied the captain of the Athletics Team, in the person of A. G. Evens. The latter is also to be congratulated on his fine performance in winning the School Cup, closely followed by half a point by another Boarding House star, L. W. Hoad. The latter was the most outstanding performer at the Intercol. Sports, distinguishing himself especially in the High Jump, where he smashed the existing record with a jump of 5 ft. 9 in. Altogether he won three events, and gained third place in another. Though they comprise about a quarter of the whole School, the boarders contributed over half the total points gained. Others to win events were A. G. Evens (Broad Jump) and B. M. Pederick (Junior Hurdles, equal record).

At the School sports the boarders won the Colour Competition, thus keeping up their fine record. B. M. Pederick performed well to win

the Junior Cup, while L. N. Nicolson, another boarder, was runner-up.

#### BOOK THE FIFTH

We number among the boarders the three best members of the Eight in J. B. Ward (stroke), McLachlan (5), and Fowler (4), each of whom rowed stronger and faster than the day boys. We compliment J. B. Ward on the extreme sacrifices he underwent in the interests of fitness—a record unequalled anywhere among the day boys.

#### BOOK THE SIXTH

Among their other activities the versatile boarders number cricket; Evens, Hill and Cawte showing a certain amount of promise of striking form in the not too far distant future.

#### BOOK THE SEVENTH

As for swimming, the less said the better, except that we were out of training. Berry, McLean and Ward may be congratulated.

#### BOOK THE EIGHTH

Tennis.—We venture to express a pious hope that Book Nine will be a happier chapter.

#### BOOK THE NINTH

Scholastic activities are well to the fore. Kruger and Jennison performed brilliantly to top their respective forms. Cawte came second in his. In Ve Brooks was top, Clough second, and in Vd Temby was second, all of which goes to prove that whether at work or at play, the boarders are on top.

#### BOOK THE TENTH

The brightest spot in the gay social life of this term was the party at M.L.C., and in this connection we wish to thank Miss Harris and our own Headmaster. Mr. Porter escorted us over to the scene of the festivities, and we escorted him back. A good time was had by all, particularly by W. R. Francis at supper time. Many fine and lasting connections were established. Operations on the blacking-out of the Assembly Room are proceeding apace, and we hope to be able to reciprocate.

#### **EPILOGUE**

1. Cawte has a novel way of shutting doors. Imitation not encouraged.

2. Hans Bullock-Anderson has gone to work on another edition of fairy tales.

3. Can anyone inform us as to the identity of the author of "The Hoague in the Cat-Box"? Is it Dog-face?

4. Let us voice the thoughts of the many rather than of the few. Ham is thought less of in the Dining-room than in the Dog-box.

5. Who's this Dog-face in the Manger that

spoils the tucker?

B. N. C.

### Scout Notes

Our numbers have decreased slightly this year, but many younger recruits are helping to swell the troop. What these boys lack in experience they make up for in keenness. A pleasing amount of work has been done this term, in spite of the many disturbances, and the young members have gone rapidly ahead.

Early in the term the following promotions were made: A. Keeves became troop leader, while R. O. Fox, P. J. Stobie (Woodpigeons), W. R. Taylor (Magpies), M. Cooper, W. Sidebottom (Owls), J. B. West, K. J. Suter (Kangaroos), G. R. Wicks, B. P. Berry (Eagles) were appointed patrol leaders and seconds.

Regularly every fortnight the patrol leaders have arranged short hikes through the Adelaide Hills. These outings have been successful, and they should be continued next term.

Over Easter a troop camp was held at the Shack. Seventeen boys went, and they all had a jolly fine time. We are very proud of our new flagpole, and the tracking commando training and the night games were the chief features of the cafp. We should like to thank John Keeves, our ex-troop leader, for running the camp so splendidly.

Short talks were prepared this term by patrol leaders, based on various camp-fire yarns from "Scouting for Boys." These were well delivered and very interesting.

We are all sorry to lose Sidebottom, who has left us and gone with his parents to Sydney. We wish him the best of luck over there.

Andrew Keeves and John West are to be congratulated on completing their King's Scout Eadges. They are the only two first-class Scouts in the troop.

At the close of the term the progressive totals for the Abotomey Cup were-

Owls	12	2	20	173	points
Kanga	roos	-	-	171	**
Wood	pigeo	ons		149	"
Magpi	es	(40)	-	148	,,
Eagles		22	12	140	

### Cadet Notes

Our work started slowly again this year, owing to the delay in issuing equipment, and has been hampered by lack of uniforms.

This year we are working in Companies. "A" Company is doing field work, while the first-year cadets in "B" Company are doing drill and field work. "B" Company have improved in their work, and are showing "A" Company how drill should be done.

Last holidays a camp was held at Victoria Park, and a good many of our N.C.O.'s and cadets attended. For the first time in these camps we were taken on a bivouac to Happy Valley, where in our first camp we successfully beat off a strong attack by members of the V.D.C.

Our work this year has been rather upsettwo of the platoon commanders have left school (Morrow to the R.A.N., and Quin to the University), while a third, Nicholls, is entering the R.A.N. early next term.

An exam. was held by the Staff Officer this term for candidates wishing to become cadetlieutenants, and we were well represented by

our senior N.C.O.'s.

A bivouac near Stirling was held during Easter by senior N.C.O.'s.

A signal section has also been implemented with a staff signaller as instructor.

Our numbers have increased slightly this year, the full establishment being 172 of all ranks.

The following have been made platoon commanders and sergeants:

No. 1 Platoon-Sgt. B. E. Hockney, L./Sgt. D. E. Dunn.

No. 2 Platoon—C.S.M. S. Nicholls, Sgt. J. B. Ward.

No. 3 Platoon-Sgt. K. D. Price, Sgt. R. D. Radloff.

No. 4 Platoon-Sgt. C. Thomas, Cpl. P. F.

No. 5 Platoon-Sgt. D. B. Keele, L./Sgt. R. R. Cant.

No. 6 Platoon-Sgt. A. L. Patten, L./Sgt. L. W. Hoad.

W. S. M.

### Ambulance Class

This term has been spent in the study of anatomy, the stopping of arterial bleeding by digital pressure at pressure points, and stretcher work. Next term it is hoped to secure the help of Miss Davey in teaching the more intricate bandaging.

### War Savings Group

This continues to operate, but contributions have declined somewhat, collections for the term being about £50. This is probably because some members have transferred to street groups.

# Air Training Corps

This year our Flight is slightly smaller than last year, but three of those who returned have proficiency certificates, while nine others have been studying for that examination. During the term seven of the recruits passed their preliminary examination.

We have been entertained on three occasions during the term by free picture shows. The first was a short A.T.C. picture filmed in England, which we saw at the Unley Ozone Theatre. At West's Theatre we saw "One of Our Aircraft is Missing," and at the Regent "Captains of the Clouds."

All N.C.O.'s will be appointed next term. In the coming holidays seven of the cadets will spend a week at Mallala, living under R.A.A.F. conditions, and are looking forward to a very interesting time.

D. G. R.

# Our Contemporaries

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following contemporary magazines and apologise for any inadvertent omissions—South Australia: "Saint Peter's College Magazine," "Adelaide High School Magazine," "The Torch," "The M.L.C. Annual," "The Black Watch," "The Student," "The Echo," "The Brown and Gold," "Unley High School Magazine," "Queen's College Magazine." "Walford House School Magazine." Victoria: "The Scotch Collegian," "The Wesley College Chronicle," "The Corian," "The Royal Austra-

lian Naval College Magazine," "The Mitre,"
"The Melburnian." New South Wales: "The
Wesley College Journal," "The Cranbrookian,"
"The Armidalian," "The King's School Magazine," "The Hawkesbury Agricultural College
Journal," "The Triangle," "The Sydneian,"
"The Torch Bearer." Queensland: "The Viking," "The Phœnix." Western Australia: "The
Western Wyvern," "The Cygnet." Tasmania:
"The Hutchins School Magazine," "School
Echoes," "The Launcestonian." New Zealand:
"The Nelsonian." England: "The Cliftonian."

# Original Contributions

#### THE DEAD CITIES OF CEYLON

Most people know very little of the cities that were built in Lanka, or Ceylon as it is now called, hundreds and even thousands of years ago. Many of the structures are still standing today, and probably will be there in another thousand years. One such city had buildings nine stories high, the summit of one being fifty feet higher than St. Paul's Cathedral. A single street was sixteen miles long, and the city had a population of four millions, exceeding the modern Sinhalese population by half a million. All buildings were made of granite blocks and bricks, which were all carved and chiselled by hand. The extreme genius of some of those old craftsmen is shown in relics of beautiful stone carvings that have been found in Ceylon.

Ruins of public baths at Anuradhapura, in the central northern part of Ceylon, show that the Sinhalese enjoyed bathing as much as the Romans. The kings had private baths, usually of about a hundred thousand gallons capacity.

There are hundreds of tremendous statues throughout Ceylon, many of them still existing today in excellent repair. Besides hundreds of statuettes, there are numerous images of Buddha, carved from stone, over fifty feet high. Buddha was the main religious figure of those ancient people. They spared no amount of labour to erect temples and shrines to their Master. Semi-circular "moonstones" pave the entrance to relic houses and temples of Ceylon,

and because the Sinhalese go barefoot, the stone is scarcely worn. They are carved with sacred geese, lions, elephants and prancing horses, and there is always a sacred lotus flower at the centre.

Because the cities are lost in jungle wilderness, they are very difficult to find, and so vandals have caused very little damage compared with the action of the elements—wind, sun and rain. This is the reason why the cities are in such a good state as compared with the Roman ruins of the same age, about two thousand years. Buildings have been erected by the Sinhalese right down through the ages to modern times, and even those built in A.D. 1000 are in excellent condition, the plaster surface still being intact.

We can now see what wonderful architects and carvers lived in the jungles of Ceylon at the time of Christ. They rival even the most modern builders in that they had very rough tools with which to work; and so we should realise that there once existed people of as great a genius as our own in the art of stone-carving and building.

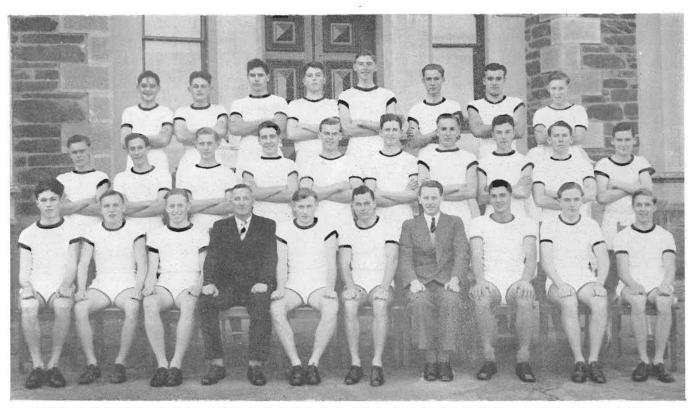
M. J. C. (VIu)

#### PEA PICKING

Owing to the war there was an acute shortage of labour to take off the pea crop last September. Consequently, the people of the town were asked to help in their spare time.

# Intercollegiate Athletics, 1943

S.P.S.C., 72 points - P.A.C., 58 points

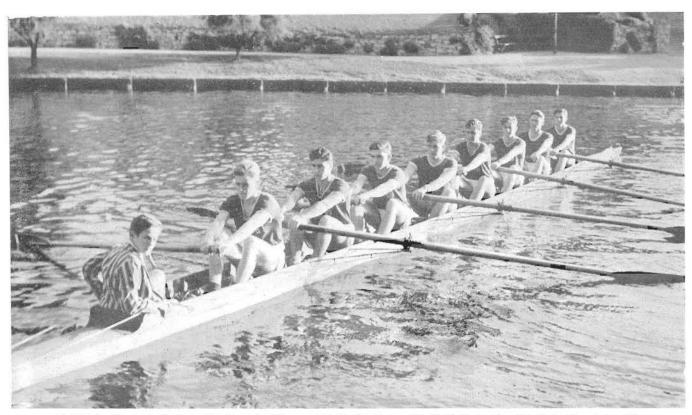


Back Row-D. W. Candy, F. B. Summerfield, K. E. Le Page, C. A. Willcox, C. C. Duncliff, V. G. Hood, C. S. Huxtable, K. A. Huelin Middle Row-J. H. T. Clarkson, A. Keeves, R. J. Hill, P. W. Osborn, M. Raggatt, D. A. Williamson, J. W. Harvey, R. G. Opie, A. D. Harvey, D. V. Selth

Front Row-B. M. Pederick, J. E. Barraclough, D. G. Roach, M. J. S. Steele, A. G. Evens (Capt.), B. E. Hockney (Vice-Capt.), Mr. F. C. Bennett, L. W. Hoad, R. C. Miller, L. N. Nicolson

# The Eight, 1943

Winners of the Blackmore Shield



S. Nicholls (bow), B. F. Dunncliff (2), J. S. Heitmann (3), B. M. Fowler (4), R. B. McLachlan (5), R. L. Beerstecher (6), K. E. Le Page (7), J. B. Ward (stroke), G. Turner (cox)

# Open Tub Slides

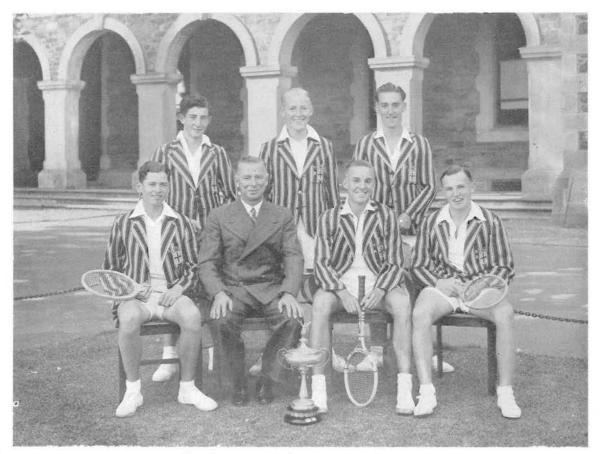
Defeated S.P.S.C. by one length



A. N. Bertram (bow), D. L. Mitton (2), D. B. Keele (3), D. K. Gibson (stroke), W. G. Humble (cox)

# Intercollegiate Tennis, 1943

P.A.C., 13 rubbers; S.P.S.C., 2 rubbers



Back Row-A. E. Morris, K. Price, C. G. Bartram Front Row-D. A. Williamson, Mr. T. G. Luke, J. W. Harvey (Capt.), J. E. Barraclough

Everything was done through the Manpower Office, so that each grower received a certain quota of workers and arranged for the payment of wages on a certain day of each week.

I gave my name in for two days, and on the first day I met a bus at an appointed place. The buses did the round of the town to pick up all the workers, and we all set out in high spirits for our respective destinations. I was taken to a place at Beetaloo, about twenty miles north of Port Pirie. We were issued with a kerosene bucket and a chaffbag, and set to work in allotted rows. I made a quick start, but soon began to slacken off as it became too tiring. As a result I seemed to get along much faster. After about an hour my back started to ache, and it kept aching for the rest of the day.

At twelve o'clock we carried our bags of peas in to be weighed, and after such a hard effort I was disappointed to find that I had picked only 46 lbs. We started again after dinner at about a quarter to one, slightly refreshed and encouraged with better bushes to pick from. I made up my mind to work as hard as I could; but as time went on I had to slacken off to a normal pace. At five o'clock we stopped work, had our bags weighed, and then we all set off home in a tired and dirty state. I did better in the afternoon by picking 76 lbs. This made a total of 120 lbs, or four bushels, one bushel containing 30 lbs. From this grower we received five shillings per bushel, paid through the Manpower Officer, who deducted four shillings each for the bus fare.

The second day that I did this work I came prepared with a pair of kneelers to guard my knees against three-cornered jacks when I knelt down. We were only paid four shillings a bushel as the market price had fallen, and this time I picked 147 lbs. Altogether I collected 31/1 net profit for the two days' work.

R. E. McL. (VIb)

#### RATIONING

There is a book wherein we learn The way to spend the money we earn; For things to wear and things to eat, We take our coupons out complete.

G. H., IVa

#### THE COX

Rowing is a strenuous sport,

The best that one can play;

What with "Pull your weight!" and "More weight there!"

You do little else all day.

But I'm the cox, so I do nought
But bully along the crew;
And if they're in a carping mood,
They say, "The same to you!"

They often chuck me in the drink,
But I don't care a hang;
The only thing that's wrong with it,
I land with such a bang!

G. T. (Vd)

#### UP ABOVE

As I looked up into the sky
I saw the stars come out on high;
I watched them as they brightly shone,
But when the sun came they were gone.

Welcome was the sun that day To little clouds so softly grey, Painting, as the hours rolled on, With pink and gold their cheeks so wan.

D. M. F. (IVa)

#### THE TELEPHONE

Bzz-Bzz-Bzz-Bzz! There's that wretched telephone!
Out of bed with curse and groan,
Wakened from our peaceful slumber.
"Hallo! What? Who? Wrong number!"

Whoever made this vile invention, I vow it wasn't his intention To cause such misery and woe By aggravating people so.

And yet, when all is said and done, He didn't make it just for fun; And though sometimes we say, "We doubt it," Not one of us would be without it.

N. D. H. (Vd)

#### OUR SPORTS DAY

The boys are out upon the green. You ask, "Who make the colourful scene?" The reds, the whites, the blacks of course; There they are in strongest force.

The grandstand seats are now all taken, Which the boys on the grass have quite forsaken:

Brothers, sisters, parents, friends, Will watch the fun until it ends.

Here's the first race now, my boys; The gun will pop, so mind the noise. Here comes the winner, give him a cheer! The others are following close in the rear.

The jumps are rising higher and higher; Hoad, I'm sure, is our best high-flyer. The fastest miler is Barraclough; The others are not quite fast enough.

The last event is the obstacle race. Come along, boys, and find your place. We all lie down till it's time to start, Then around we turn and off we dart.

Jump through the hurdles, don't land on your back;

Run along, lads, and into your sack. With a hop to the ladder, a wriggle, a squeeze, Then to the tape we'll crawl on our knees.

The boarders have made the highest score. Come along everyone, give them a roar. And when we've seen the certificates given, Then off to our homes we'll all be driven.

E. C. (IVa)

Far down in the valley
Where the daisies bloom
There lives a dainty fairy
Who drives away all gloom.

She lives in a big mushroom
With windows of stained glass,
And doors with shining door knobs
Of smartly polished brass.

The elfins are her playmates; She plays with them all day At hide and seek or "chasy," Or romps among the hay.

But when the darkness falls
And children go to bed,
She lightly comes and sprinkles
Sweet dreams about each head.

G. M. N. (IVa)

# Preparatory School Notes

With the close of the first term the Prep. looks back upon a period of re-adjustment and of settling down. We see among us many faces which, new at first, have now become familiar. We hope that these new boys feel at home with us, and that their years at P.A.C. may be both fruitful and pleasant.

The staff has been joined by Mrs. H. Martin, who has IIa. We trust that she will find her work in the Prep. congenial, and wish her success in it.

Mr. Stribley continues his weekly chats at Assembly. We can always be sure he will have something helpful to tell us, and some new light to throw upon the Bible stories.

We are glad to welcome back Mr. H. Brewster Jones, and look forward with pleasure to the singing lessons which he conducts.

Our new leaders were installed early in the year, when the Headmaster came over to Assembly to perform the ceremony. In C. R. Brebner we have a captain to whom we can look to carry on the tradition of his office. His prowess on the sports field, his general sense of fair play, and his reliability at all times have made him popular with both boys and staff. The other leaders—J. Smith, B. K. Hobbs, R. Southwood, D. Trowse and I. Berry—are proving themselves very efficient in the performance of their duties. B. Nosworthy, R. Mussared, supported by M. Gould, M. Perry, D. Palmer and D. Barton, are doing good work as leaders in the Boarding House. We congratulate all these boys upon their election.

Form IIIb had a very enjoyable and instructive trip to the Amscol factory early in the term. We would like to thank Mr. Beauchamp for inviting them to visit the works, and Mr. Crooks, whose interesting discourse made the trip a very beneficial one.

The Reference Library has been used a great deal this term, and with the new card index lately introduced is proving itself a valuable adjunct to our work. B. K. Hobbs, J. Smith, C. R. Brebner, R. P. Hale and B. C. Chase have been of great assistance in the big task of reclassifying and cataloguing all the books.

Our patriotic collections have not been neglected. The War Savings Group added £71/14/- to the National effort, and £39/6/- has been sent to various funds and war charities.

#### CRICKET

This year we have enjoyed some interesting and at times exciting cricket-twice we won by the narrow margin of two or three runs. Our successes have been largely due to the expert coaching of Mr. C. C. Brebner, who has given so generously of his time and experience. boys are indeed grateful for his help, and take this opportunity of expressing their very sincere thanks. We also thank D. M. Brebner for his help with the team. We congratulate C. R. Brebner on his appointment as captain, and on his success in leading the team to victory in five of the seven matches played against other schools, with the able assistance of D. F. Trowse, he on a number of occasions broke the back of the bowling. Their sound and at times aggressive opening batting was an inspiration to the other members of the team. Both boys have scores of 60 or over to their credit.

Brebner, Naughton, Sumner and Nosworthy have all been successful with the ball, and Mussared has kept wicket consistently well.

We look forward to another interesting round of keen games in the third term, when we hope if possible to meet the P.A.C. Under 13 "A" Team, and perhaps turn the tables.

In the House matches Robertson boys won both the first's and second's games.

The day boys defeated the boarders by the narrow margin of three runs.

# HOUSE COMPETITION FOR THE A. W. WELCH CUP

	(	Chapple	Robertson
School Work -	-	9	3
Examinations	_	9	3
Cricket	-	0	9
Gymnastics -	-	6	0
		_	
Total Points	-	24	15

#### ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS-PREPARATORY SCHOOL

#### III A

'A' is our symbol with a III in the front; I hope they'll forgive me this scandalous stunt.

'B' is for Brebner, who was christened Charles Ross:

He's head of the Prep., and makes a good boss.

'C' is for Cooper—he's tall, fair and thin; There aren't any more C's, so he had to go in.

'D' is for Ding-dong, in other words Bell; Why he talks all the lesson I'm sure I can't tell.

'E' is for Exams, those things that we hate; Our real opinions I'd better not state.

'F' is for Friebe and Freddy Maeder; They're both good at running, they make a good pair.

'G' is for Gore, though Georgie's his name; He isn't the "Porgie" of Nursery Rhyme fame.

'H' is for Hobbsie and Hartford and Hall; They're not worth a line each so they're in it that's all.

'I' is for Ian, both Berry and Markey; The latter is fair, but the former's a darkie.

'J' is for the Junk our teachers call books; You might think we liked them to judge by our looks.

'K' is for Kemp, who was grown in a nursery; If he sticks to his work he might win a bursary.

'L' is for Leaver, who comes on a bike; He says it's much faster to tram it or hike.

'M' is for Mussared, who comes from the West Right across to Prince Alfred; he knows it's the best.

'N' is for Nosworthy, who boards at the School; He's high in the class, so you see he's no fool. 'O' is for Oldfield—call him Oldy or Colin; He's as keen as a bee in its search after pollen.

'P' is for pencil and paper and pen, To make us good writers for when we are men.

'Q' is the Questions examiners ask To see if we've made a good job of our task.

'R' is the Rest that are not in this rhyme; I'll give them a poem at some other time.

'S' is for Smith and Southwood as well;
But more about these two I'm afraid I can't
tell.

'T's our vice-captain of cricket—Dean Trowse; When he is in batting, he's safe as a house.

'U' is the University, where we get our degrees; We try hard to get there our teachers to please.

'V' is for Victory, for which we are working; The Red Cross collectors won't find IIIA shirking.

'W' is for Wilson with goggles so flash; He runs in the sports with remarkable dash.

'X' is for an Xcellent fellow called Thomas; In school he's a trier—shows plenty of promise.

'Y' is the Youths about whom you've read; And the poet retires with a pain in his 'Z'.

B. K. Hobbs

Often when I lie in bed I watch the searchlights overhead— Giant fingers pointing high, Weaving patterns in the sky.

Sometimes when I'm gazing so Across the sky a plane will go, Darting swiftly through the night, Hiding from the bright searchlight.

D. Michael



# OLD BOYS'



# SECTION

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The co-operation of Old Boys is earnestly invited to make this part of the Magazine of real interest to all P.A. Collegians. Letters, reminiscences, or paragraphs containing news of interest about Old Boys, their whereabouts, and their doings, will be welcomed. All communications should be addressed to the Secretary.

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#### PAST PRESIDENTS-

Year.	President	Year.	President	Year.	President
1878-1891	J. A. Hartley	1905-09	W. R. Bayly	1928	J. M. Bath
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1895	G. S. Cotton	1913-14	J. R. Robertson N. A. Webb	1931	A. L. Bertram
1896	A. W. Piper	1915-16	W. D. Taylor	1932	A. G. Collison
1897	F. A. Chapman	1917-18	A. A. L. Rowley	1933	3. W. Jeffries
1898	Arthur Hill	1919-20	W. S. Kelly	1934	P. R. Claridge
1899	J. H. Chinner	1921	R. Owen Fox	1935	L. S. Clarkson
1909	G. W. Cooper	1922	S. Gilbert Lawrence	1936	F. L. Collison
1901	J. W. Grasby	1925	Hubert H. Cowell	1937	A. G. Trott
1902	A. E. Davey	1924	M. Erichsen	1938	Joseph Crompton
1903	G. W. R. Lee	1925	L. D. Waterhouse	1939	W. J. Hiatt
1904	P. E. Johnstone	1926	T. C. Craven	1940	Frank T. Cooper
		1927	H. B. Piper	1941	L. S. Walsh

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

"Old Boys' Week" is observed annually towards the end of July, during which a dinner and other social functions as well as sports contests are held. Also social gatherings are held whenever any occasion arises that makes them desirable.

The Association has donated the following Scholarships to the School:

> H. W. A. Miller (Old Collegians') Scholarship. I. A. Hartley Scholarship. Fredk. Chapple Scholarship. W. R. Bayly Scholarship. A. G. Collison Scholarship.

"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.

The subscription is six shillings per annum. It is suggested that Country Members should remit sufficient to cover four years' subscription 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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### Editorial

### The Post War World

The world today is full of talk of a New Order. Plans, theories and blue prints are being evolved for the era which will be ushered in when the "cease fire" is sounded.

Terms such as "New Order" and "Post War Reconstruction" have become hackneyed and commonplace, and the catch cries of politicians and soap-box orators, until we become irritated by their persistency.

Talk of a New Order arose in Allied countries when the war was well under way, when it became apparent that, apart from the obvious fact that we were fighting for our homes and everything dear to us, our leaders must state their war aims.

Arising from the welter of emotions and passions engendered by a life and death struggle came an examination of the causes of war and a yearning for some better state of things when this struggle ceases. Men everywhere began to express discontent with the social set-up of the Democratic countries, with the system of International Trade Relationships and other things, and maintained that these had contributed in no small measure to the calamity of 1939.

All these rumblings of discontent and yearnings for better days have produced countless pronouncements, movements and widespread thinking on these problems.

And to all these signs of the times and portents of the shape of things to come no true citizen can be oblivious.

It goes without saying that decent men everywhere give their wholehearted sympathy to the aims of movements having for their objective the betterment of mankind.

OF COURSE we all favour better International relationships, the banishing of force, equal opportunities for all, better housing, social security, universal education, the elimination of unemployment, and all the hosts of praiseworthy aims for which men are clamouring, but we must not be led to support all sorts of idealistic and visionary schemes which lack a practical background and cannot be implemented.

Many of these schemes are the product of wishful thinking, and it is to be regretted that public men are making promises which can never be honoured.

We are told that the old order must go; private enterprise, with which most of us are associated, is out-moded—THAT must go; the profit motive (so called) is a monstrous thing—THAT must go; and as for private ownership—away with it!

All these expressed aims, and heaps of other ill informed and often malicious criticism, are levelled at the present system, and help to confuse the issue with which we are all in sympathy—the betterment of mankind—which should be ushered in in a spirit of compromise and goodwill.

And is an entirely new order called for? Do we not rather want to see the old order with all its good points retained and its defects discarded? British people believe in the evolutionary rather than the revolutionary way, and want to see the old order modernised, humanised, and adapted to this changing world.

The Russian system is held up to us by many today as the shining example—the ideal to strive for. "Look how the Russians have fought? Look at their sacrifices? Therefore they must have something to fight for. Therefore let us follow their way." But the argument is puerile. On the other side can be said, "Look how the R.A.F. has fought. Think of the valiant 8th Army. Consider our noble A.I.F. Have they not all performed prodigies of valour? Therefore they must have something to fight for!" And, indeed, the Democracies have accomplished wonders after starting "miles behind scratch."

Even Russia today is returning to a degree of capitalism. A measure of competition is in evidence: payment by merit, bonuses and private ownership have all returned to a certain extent, and a recognition of the fact that mankind has to be given an opportunity of satisfying his instincts for private enterprise.

Thus we see that many statements are being made and theories propounded without due regard to facts, and many well intentioned men and women are misled by specious propaganda.

We are all agreed that a better world is needed, and we want it to be in our time, and we would all like to play some part in fashioning it. It therefore behoves us all to inform ourselves of the pronouncements which have been made during the past year or so by world leaders, and the movements going on in the world today, which if implemented will affect every one of us in future years.

We should familarise ourselves with President Roosevelt's Four Freedoms and the Pope's Peace Points. We should study the Atlantic Charter with all its implications. We should consider the Beveridge Plan. These, and a host of other manifestoes, and a great mass of literature bearing on world affairs, are at our disposal. If we have a contribution to make to world betterment, let that contribution be an intelligent one, free from prejudice and fortified by knowledge.

Finally, let us bear in mind two things. Firstly, no so-called "New Order" can be possible until the war is won; therefore let us bend our energies to this main goal. Secondly, material betterment is not the main consideration. All the proposals for a new world are admirable and praiseworthy, but without one essential they will come to naught. That essential is not in the power of man to bestow: it is a change of heart in every one of us.



SGT.-PILOT GARFIELD LLOYD SKINNER



SGT-PILOT ALLAN EDGAR PEARCE



L.A.C. JOHN EDWARD CHINNER



CPL. LESLIE TURNBULL WREFORD

# For King and Country

Sgt.-Pilot GARFIELD LLOYD SKINNER was killed on 10th March, 1942, whilst on air operations over Essen, aged 26 years. He trained in Australia and then proceeded to Canada. He then went to England, where he joined the R.A.F., and later transferred to the R.A.A.F. He attended the School 1926 to 1931 (School Reg. No. 6384).

L.A.C. JOHN EDWARD CHINNER was killed as a result of an aircraft accident on 27th March in Queensland, aged 20 years. He attended the School 1936 to 1939 (School Reg. No. 7342), and was a Life Member (No. 1146) of this Association. At the time of enlistment he was employed by the Commonwealth Bank.

Sgt.-Pilot ALLAN EDGAR PEARCE was killed on 11th February, 1943, whilst on air operations off England, aged 21 years. He was trained in Canada, and then proceeded to England. He attended the School 1934 to 1937 (School Reg. No. 7140), and was a member of this Association. At the time of enlistment he was employed by the Commonwealth Bank.

Cpl. LESLIE TURNBULL WREFORD was killed on 23rd July, 1942, as a result of enemy aircraft action, aged 30 years. He attended the School 1927 to 1928 (School Reg. No. 6490), and was a Life Member (No. 1299) of this Association). He was the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Wreford of Balaklava, and at the time of enlistment was employed by the Bank of Australasia.

### On Active Service

(Supplementaray Lists)

#### "FAC FORTIA ET PATERE"

The Honour Roll now includes the names of nearly 850 Old Boys who have enlisted for active service. The School and every "Old Red" is proud of the ready response to defend Right, Justice and Liberty.

The complete Honour Roll will be printed in the September issue.

#### ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Bannister, D. F.	Leaver, R. E.
Buick, K. V.	Sullivan, P. G.
Fuller, G. G.	Sutton, J. C.

#### 2nd A.I.F.

Did Hill.			
Chapman, G. F.	Lipsett, R. H.		
Chapman, H. D.	Maughan, J. M.		
Dix, L. F.	Munn, N. L. S.		
Dunn, J. E.	Read, D. K.		
Edelman, A. D.	Riceman, D. S.		
Edelman, H. J.	Secombe, L. I.		
Finch, Don.	Sudholz, H. F.		
Francis, G. H.	Turner, L. J.		
Glastonbury, R. L.	Ward, Russell		
Gryst, R. E.	Weidenhofer, A.		
Harris, R. W.	Wicks, D. G.		
Howland, S. W.	Wilson, C. L.		
Klose, J. D.	35		

#### R.A.A.F.

Fowler, J. R. M.	Peak, C. A.
Francis, R. W. T.	Pryor, M. C.
Harris, R. C. I.	Ross, A. B.
Holder, R. C. R.	Sanders, P. H.
Iliffe, J. D.	Selth, R. B.
James, K. B.	Shaw, D. E.
Jarvis, L. M.	Skinner, G. L.
Mableson, R. H.	Slatter, B. H.
Matheson, K. B.	Smith, A. G.
Mellor, D. G.	Venning, W. G.
McCarthy, T. B.	Wellington, M. M.
Nicholls, P. J.	Wright, A. R.

#### Prisoners of War

Mellor, R. W. (previously reported missing)

#### Missing

Annells, R. H.	Pomroy, A. B.
Chalick, D. H. V.	Ross, A. B.
Edwards, Alan	Woods, M. S.

#### CORRECTIONS OF SEPT., 1942, LISTS

Edelman, A. D. (R.A.A.F.), now A.I.F. Edelman, H. J. (R.A.A.F.), now A.I.F. Howland, S. W. (R.A.A.F.), should be A.I.F. Jarvis, L. M. (A.I.F.), now R.A.A.F. Wilson, F. H. (R.A.A.F.), should be E. H.

Any errors or omissions should be notified to the Association Secretaries immediately.

# Successes of Old Boys

G. F. Chapman recently gained his Diploma at the Roseworthy College.

P. G. Sullivan graduated B.Sc. at the Adelaide University in 1942. (We regret that his name was omitted from the previous list.)

The Commercial Travellers' Association Eric

Smith Scholarship has been won by Donald Brook Cheek, son of Mr. Roy A. Cheek, of Fitzroy Terrace, Prospect. Under the scholarship he will continue his studies for the medical course at the Adelaide University, the first year of which he has already passed with honours.

### CORRECTION

It is regretted that an error occurred in the February, 1943, Chronicle. On page 301 the photo of L./Cpl. J. G. S. Maddocks appears over the name of Sgt. Darryl R. Downing, and the following correction is now made.

### For King and Country



SGT. DARRYL R. DOWNING

Sgt. DARRYL R. DOWNING (R.A.A.F.), aged 20 years, has been reported missing and is believed to have been killed whilst on air operations overseas (about July, 1942). He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Downing of Lameroo, and attended the School 1937 to 1938 (School Reg. No. 7439). At the time of enlistment he was employed by Messrs. Annells, Powell, Tilley, Wiltshire & Co., Chartered Accountants, Adelaide.

### Military Awards



L./CPL. J. G. S. MADDOCKS, M.M. L./Cpl. Maddocks has been awarded the Military Medal

During an attack on El Alamein on 22nd July, 1942, L./Cpl. Maddocks went forward on his own initiative and found the remnants of the platoon pinned down by heavy machine gun fire. By himself he swung the muzzle of a captured 88 m.m. anti-tank gun and pointed it at the machine gun post, which immediately surrendered.

[The full citation appears on page 266 of the Chronicle, September, 1942.]

### Home Service Units

Your Committee has decided to compile a list of Old Boys who are serving with the Militia in Australia or abroad. This list will be additional to and separate from the present list.

Members and friends are requested to notify the Association Secretaries of those serving. The particulars requested are: (1) Surname and full Christian names; (2) Private address; (3) Military Unit. The following list is compiled from information received to the end of April, 1943, and is supplementary to the lists printed in the Chronicles of September, 1942, and February, 1943.

Bainger, R. N.
Grayling, R. J.
James, D. B.

Jones, M. F.
Walter, H. N.
White, K. E.

Any errors or omissions should be notified to the Association Secretaries immediately.

### Annual Subscriptions of Old Boys on Active Service

It has been decided that all Old Boys who enlist for active service will be maintained as members during the war, even though their subscriptions fall in arrear. In some cases it will be impossible for Old Boys to pay the subscriptions, and in

other cases it may be practicable for them to do so.

Your Committee hope that those on active service who can will continue to pay their subscriptions. The "Chronicle" and other Association notices will be forwarded to all members, as previously.

# Military Notes

After five years service in the R.A.F., Flight-Lieut. John Reynolds Cock, D.F.C., has returned home on leave. He shot down ten enemy planes early in the war, seven of them in the Battle for Britain.

Flying Officer David Delaporte took part in a daring raid on Timor—his share being a successful attack on a big vehicle park by the drome. Recently he attacked seven Japanese bombers alone in a twin-engined plane, and lamaged one of them.

Flying Officer Arthur Dawkins was recently mentioned as having assisted Gen. le Clerc's French forces in strafing German transport in Tunisia.

Capt. H. J. Edelman (2nd A.I.F.) has returned from Milne Bay, and is now on leave.

Stuart Howard Langsford has served for two years in the Merchant Navy, and travelled in many parts of the world.

 R. Nottle has joined the Air Training Corps, and is now well on with his proficiency course.

Sgt. R. W. T. Bond (R.A.A.F.) notifies his early departure overseas.

Capt. H. F. Sudholz advises having met Wally Evans, Syd. Cocks and Peter King (Dental Units), also Norm. Walsh, Geoff. Playford and "Rusty" Mattison, also a number of younger Old Boys.

Major R. T. Binns, who was a prisoner of war in Italy, has been repatriated, and is now in Egypt.

### **Education Fund**

In the September, 1942, issue of the Chronicle the objects and scope of this Fund were fully explained. A Sub-committee is now obtaining preliminary information in respect to the children of Old Boys who have died on Active Service.

When this information is obtained your committee hope to formulate a more active campaign to obtain the required funds and to immediately help any child who may need assistance for his or her immediate education. It is realised that help must be given at the time when it is most needed.

Amongst contributions already received are donations from Old Boys in America, Liberia, and late of Papua.

All enquiries in respect of this Fund, and all donations, should be sent to the Association Secretaries.

### Mr. J. F. Ward, the Headmaster

We are pleased to congratulate the Headmaster, who, since we last went to press, has received two important appointments. Mr. Ward is one of the three who constitute the Education Enquiry Committee chosen by the South Australian Government to report on education in this State, and the Headmasters' Conference of Australia has elected him Chairman for 1943-5.

Both appointments are a tribute to Mr. Ward's wide experience and exceptional ability, and the School and its Old Boys are justifiably proud to share the honour.

# Purely Personal

Rev. R. E. Stanley has accepted appointment as superintendent of the Canberra Circuit for five years from April of next year, and will succeed the Rev. J. H. Allen, another "Old Red." During the last war Mr. Stanley was engaged on organising work for the Y.M.C.A.

A. N. Dawkins has been appointed General Manager of the Clarence River (N.S.W.) Country Council electricity undertaking, with headquarters at Grafton. For the past fourteen months he has been a member of the staff of the South Australian Board of Area Management in the Munitions Department, Adelaide.

Maurice Lathlean, Vice-Consul for Victoria and South Australia of the Republic of Dominica, has received advice from the Dominican Government of his appointment as Consul-General for Australia.

#### SIXTY YEARS AGO

Mark King of Audley Avenue, Prospect, who entered the School in 1880, writes:

"Noticing in today's 'Advertiser' of the prowess of your two champions (Evens and Hoad) on Saturday, for which I congratulate them in excelling, or at least equalling, our best traditions, has led me to think back to the sports day of 1881. If you care to look up the records of that year it will show that in six starts, each off scratch, I scored three firsts (120, 220, and 440), two seconds (100 Championship and 150 Flat), and one third (150 Hurdles). No "Sheffields" in those days. The hurdles were narrower, and with twenty or thirty starters my chances were remote. The hurdles were one event for the Cup—won by Frank Colton.

"In that year, 1881, we played St. Peter's football for the first time on the Adelaide Oval, and won; I think 4 goals to 1."

### College Endowment Fund

Your Committee has decided that no special effort to augment this fund should be made during the present war conditions. The fund is still open and receiving contributions from time to time. In order to assist the war effort, your Committee is investing all surplus avail-

able money in the purchasing of War Savings Certificates.

### Smoke Social

A Complimentary Smoke Social was tendered at the College on Friday, 12th March, to members of the Fighting Forces who have returned from Overseas.

Time did not permit notices being posted to members, and censorship regulations prevented any publicity over the air; otherwise the attendance would have been much greater. About twenty-five returned "Old Boys" were the guests of honour, and they represented the Navy, Army and Air Forces.

Mr. Frank E. Piper (President), on behalf of the Association, and Mr. J. F. Ward (Headmaster), on behalf of the School, extended to them a warm welcome back to Australia, and particularly congratulated Colin Roger Jacka, M.M., upon his being awarded the Military Medal for bravery in the Middle East.

All the guests were then, in turn, introduced, and made brief and interesting responses.

During the evening musical and ventriloquial items contributed to the programme of community singing.

We were also very pleased to have Mr. R. J. B. Miller, President of the W.A. Branch, as our guest. He is a brother of "Mit" Miller, a former Joint Secretary, and told us of the Perth Branch activities.

# Obituary

ANGEL—On 2nd May, at his home, Moore Street, Toorak (S.A.), Charles, dearly loved husband of Mary Jane Angel, aged 65 years. He attended the School 1892 to 1893 (School Reg. No. 2449), and was a member of this Association.

COOPER — On 15th Aupril, at hospital, Thomas F. G., beloved husband of Edith Cooper, aged 58 years. He was a son of the late Christopher Cooper, and attended the School in 1899 (School Reg. No. 3259).

FISHER—On 10th March, at Adelaide, Ernest J. N. Fisher, of 332 South Terrace, Adelaide. He attended the School 1879 to 1885 (School Reg. No. 751A), and was a member of this Association.

SCRYMGOUR—On 16th April, at his residence, Dutton Terrace, Medindie, Bernard Vincent, beloved husband of the late Amelia Eliza Scrymgour, aged 78 years. He attended the

School 1878 to 1880 (School Reg. No. 622), and was a Life Member (No. 360) of this Association.

STEVENS—On 7th March, at his residence, 159 Beulah Road, Norwood, Horace Edgecombe, dearly beloved husband of Ella May Stevens, aged 61 years. He attended the School 1889 to 1895 (School Reg. No. 2107).

COLLIVER—On 4th May, at a private hospital, Frederick Colliver, of 25 William Street, Norwood, beloved husband of the late Matilda Jane Colliver, aged 83 years. He attended the School in 1873 (School Reg. No. 260).

HILL—On 25th April (suddenly), at his residence, 45 Second Avenue, Royston Park, Frank, dearly beloved husband of the late Jessie M. Hill, aged 67 years. He attended the School 1889 to 1892 (School Reg. No. 2047), and was Captain of the College XI in 1891

# Monthly Luncheons

Your Committee is pleased to report that the Monthly Luncheons are being well attended.

The Luncheon is now held in the Y.M.C.A. Massey Room, entrance from Gawler Place, and we should be pleased to see even greater numbers turn up on the last Thursday in each and every month. Old Boys in the Services are particularly welcomed, and at the last three meetings we have seen many in uniform present.

At the February Luncheon, when the Headmaster, Mr. J. F. Ward, was scheduled to address us on Education, we had our outstanding air ace, Squadron-Leader John Cock, D.F.C., R.A.F., present, and Mr. Ward generously made available portion of his time so that John Cock could address the meeting, and in the limited time left Mr. Ward gave a brief but very thoughtful address on his subject, giving us all plenty of food for thought.

Another good, forecful speaker was found for our March Luncheon, and Mr. R. T. Gore spoke on Papua. The President pointed out, in introducing this speaker, that his correct title was actually "His Honor, Chief Judge of Papua," but that he preferred to be known as Mr. Gore. He told us many interesting facts about the people and life of Papua, where he had spent over eighteen years; and all present were disappointed that his time was so limited, and went away feeling that he had plenty more of interest to tell us.

C. P. Mountford, F.R.A.I., addressed the April Meeting on the adventures of an Anthropologist. He has a very natural manner and keen humour, coupled with his excellent knowledge of the Australian aborigine, and this made a very interesting topic.

Any suggestions from members for suitable speakers of high standard would be appreciated by the Secretaries. Always endeavour, when coming along to the last Thursday in the month Luncheon Reunions, to bring another Old Scholar with you.

### Association Tokens

The supply of Association tokens is now exhausted, and under existing Federal regulations no new supplies can be obtained without Government approval. Application has been made to the Commonwealth Government for the necessary approval, and members will be notified further in the next Chronicle (September, 1943).

#### Prince Alfred Collegians' Lodge No. 51, S.A.C.

W.M.: Wpl. Bro. R. F. Middleton I.P.M.: Wpl. Bro. L. S. Clarkson S.W.: Bro. H. V. Menz J.W.: Bro. G. M. Potts Chaplain: Bro. W. A. Dunn Treasurer: R.Wpl. A. A. L. Rowley Secretary: Bro. R. G. Neill D.C.: Wpl. Bro. K. J. Mellor

# Old Boys' Week

The Committee of this Association has arranged with the Committee of St. Peter's Old Scholars' Association to abandon all inter-Association sports contests during the war.

#### THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMME HAS BEEN ARRANGED

THURSDAY, 29th July-Old Boys' Day at the College.

9 a.m.—Morning Assembly for all Old Boys, and especially those who attended the School 60 or more years ago.

SATURDAY, 31st July-Intercollegiate Football.

SUNDAY, 1st August—11 a.m.: Old Scholars' Service.

Your Committee, in view of many increasing difficulties, has decided not to hold any social function during Old Boys' Week, but hopes to do so later in the year. It is hoped that members will appreciate the arrangements.

Endeavours are being made to broadcast through 5DN or other Station, and members are requested to watch broadcasting programmes and for press announcements.

Please Note—Booklets will NOT be forwarded to members this year.

### New Members

The enrolment of new members still continues very satisfactory, but your Committee wants every eligible Old Boy to join now and give the Association added strength.

If you know of an Old Boy who is not a member, send his name and address to the secretaries; or, better still, bring him along personally to join up.

#### LIFE MEMBERS

1294—Barton, G. J.
1295—Fleet, R. M.
1296—Leach, J. B.
1297—Nosworthy, W. G.
1298—Smart, E. F.
1299—Wreford, L. T.
1300—Sanderson, P. J.
1301—Basedow, B. F.
1302—Oliphant, H. G.
1303—Nicholls, P. J.
1304—Myhill, R. J.
1305—Mumford, B. G.
1306—Felstead, B. N.
1307—Smith, J. S.
1308—Howland, D. J.
1309—Dix, L. F.

1310—Wise, J. E.
1311—Waddy, J. L.
1312—Pethick, D. H.
1313—Perkins, L. J.
1314—Dunstone, M. W.
1315—Eglinton, A. I.
1316—Forsyth, E. C.
1317—Monfries, W. P.
1318—Packer, E.
1309—Hoad, L. W.
1320—Western, A. G.
1321—Claridge, P. G. B.

#### ORDINARY MEMBERS

Buick, K. V.
Butchart, C. T.
Davey, D. A. S.
Davies, D. L.
Evans, R. D.
Fuller, G. G.
James, K. B.
John, Ben.
Johns, G. J.
Jones, K. L.
Linn, J. M.

Manning, K. G.
Matheson, K. G.
Maughan, G. M.
McCarthy, T. B.
Pearce, R. H.
Seekamp, D. J.
Shannon, W. M.
Thompson, R. P.
Welch, C. A.
Wright, A. R.

### Life Members Certificates

Life Members who have not yet received their Membership Certificates are requested to communicate with the Secretaries.

The newly-designed Life Membership Certificates are now available. These will be issued under the seal of the Association, and are

obtainable by all Life Members upon payment of 2/6 to cover necessary costs of printing.

Life Members who have been already issued with old style Certificates are eligible to obtain a new Certificate if they so desire.

### Annual Subscriptions

Subscriptions for the year ending 30th September, 1943, are now due, and members are requested to remit promptly to facilitate the work of the Association.

As the amount of Annual Subscription, 6/-, is so small, it is suggested that members forward two, three or four years' subscriptions,

thereby saving postage and exchange. The prepayments of subscriptions will also save the Association expense of postage, etc.

The work of the Association, on account of enlistments, war records, etc., has increased considerably, and your co-operation by prompt payment of subscriptions is requested.

# Collegians' Cricket Club

The Collegians' Cricket Team, with the addition of two or three players of proven ability, commenced the season with "a good team on paper," and it was here that most of its matches were won. However, on the field itself, the now customary succession of losses was again in evidence, and the position of the team in the premiership table is not being disclosed for reasons that must now be obvious. It has been said that bad fielding is responsible for the majority of cricket losses: we consider that this has now been proven. Against Goodwood seventeen chances were dropped, and seldom were our errors less than ten. However, our players appreciated the semi-light-hearted vein in which our matches were conducted, and the way in which Ken. Matthews carried out his secretarial duties. Below are the batting and

bowling averages. Libel laws prevent publication of fielding statistics.

1	<b>Batti</b>	ng		
		Runs	Av.	
M. Evans	949.6	445	31.8	
C. Bennett	165	236	29.5	
K. Matthews	1775	128	12.8	
C. Cosgrove	Troval.	124	12.4	
R. Smith		124	10.3	
I	Bowl	ing		
		Wkts.	Av.	
C. Cosgrove	939+1	42	13.9	
C. Bennett	200	21	11.1	
R. Smith		30	18.4	
P Maddern		1.3	17.1	

# Interstate Branches

#### TASMANIA

This Branch is at present without a Secretary and Committee.

#### VICTORIA

Any Old Red in Melbourne requiring information can apply to Mr. Frank Ellis, Technical College, Latrobe Street, Melbourne, or Mr. Alf. Waldeck, c/o Goldsbrough, Mort and Co., Melbourne.

#### PERSONAL

L. J. Kesting is now residing at 3 Hartley Read, Brighton, Victoria.

#### WESTERN AUSTRALIA

The Branch Secretary is Mr. J. C. Livingstone, c/o Goode, Durrant & Murray Limited, William Street, Perth.

The Branch President is Mr. R. J. B. Miller, c/o Bank of Australasia, Murray Street, Perth.

#### TED COTTON MEMORIAL

A photo of the Ted Cotton Memorial has been received from Adelaide. It will be suitably framed and presented by this Branch to Mrs. Cotton.

#### PERSONAL

Mr. R. J. B. Miller has just returned from a visit to Adelaide, where he was entertained at luncheon by the Association. He was also a guest at the Smoke Social to returned members of the Fighting Forces held at the College on 12th March. He brought back good wishes from Adelaide for the future of the W.A. Branch.

We offer Mr. Miller our deepest sympathy in his bereavement by the death of his mother in Adelaide.

Mr. S. S. Glyde has retired from business, and his address is Box No. 1107, G.P.O., Perth.

#### NEW SOUTH WALES

The Branch Secretary is Mr. E. A. Kesting, 45 Pine Street, Cammeray, N.S.W.

I.Ir. Allan Lyon is President and may be found at 73 Pitt Street, Sydney. Any Old Scholars visiting Sydney are invited to communicate with them.

OLD SCHOLARS WITH THE FORCES Allan Lyon writes:

"Norman R. Granit, P.A. 2854, A.B., came twice to see me. On the first occasion I showed him many parts of Sydney areas from Taronga Park to Manly, and the suburbs adjacent. He came to my home to tea and spent the evening, and we were very happy to have him. He is very well and likes his work.

Ian Nottle, living at 138 Beach Street, Coogee, and employed with General Motors-Holdens at Pagewood (near Sydney), first called on me 25th August last, and has kept in touch. He is in the Air Force Training Unit.

G. S. Masson, Flat 1, "Balsalla," 55 Spit Road, Mosman. This address is given me by The Bank of Australasia, probably being the identical "Jerry." So far I have not met him, but hope to do so at an early date. "Time is the most valuable thing I possess" (a line you will call to mind frequently quoted by the late Bill Bayly), and it is heavily taxed with me just as with everyone else.

I telephoned a message to Col. Cooper at a Military Hospital some time ago, giving him a cheerio from the Old Boys here. This was, I hope, conveyed to him; the officer at the telephone promised to do so. This hospital was taken over from the Freemasons, who have conducted a Home for the children of soldiers who did not return from the 1914-18 War. I have been there as a visitor, but not of recent years.

I called at the home of Dr. J. T. Mitchell—our No. 1 Old Scholar—last Sunday week, and found him very keen and interested to learn of School happenings. At his age he is alert and, although feeling the passing of years, is remarkable for his activity. He reads the Chronicle with great delight. He can also crack a good joke, and enjoys a chat with Old Boys from the School. His memory is wonderful."

W. A. Sayer is now residing in Sydney. His address is c/o Amalgamated Textiles Ltd., Box 1518 D.D., G.P.O., Sydney, N.S.W.

### **QUEENSLAND**

Mr. P. D. Coles, c/o Bank of Adelaide, 305 Queen Street, Brisbane, is acting Branch Secretary, and will be pleased to see any "Old Red" who may call on him.

In a recent letter Mr. Coles writes:

"The heavy demands of office duties leave little time to advance the Association's affairs in Queensland, and I not consider the time opportune, because everyone seems fully occupied with some form of war work. Mr. J. E. Tregenza is the only "Old Red" that I see regularly, and he is just as busy as I am myself.

"For some time I had thought of trying to organise a monthly luncheon, but owing to the early closing of the banks I have to go from 12.30 to 1.15, which is hardly a good time. In addition, catering conditions here are appalling, unquestionably the worst in any capital city at the moment, so I just had to abandon the idea.

"While I have to report a period of almost complete inactivity, I do not wish you to think that I am no longer interested, for I shall be glad to further the Association's interests in any way within my scope. If I am here when conditions return to normal, I shall endeavour to form a small branch, or at least hold a monthly luncheon, and I shall be pleased to see any "Old Red" passing through and extend to him any courtesies I can."

### Association Blazers and Ties

The Association blazers and ties are available for members of this Association only. Any member of the Association desiring to secure a blazer or tie is requested to write to the Secretaries of the Association for a Certificate of Membership in order to avoid delay in obtaining delivery when purchasing.

These articles cannot be supplied by the stores unless an order is produced.

### Miniature Tokens

The Association still has a limited supply of miniature tokens available to members, and they are issued on the same conditions as the ordinary token at 20/-.

### Lost Tokens

Tokens remain the property of this Association, and are held by members on trust only. In the event of the loss of a token, the member should immediately report this to the Secretaries of the Association.

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