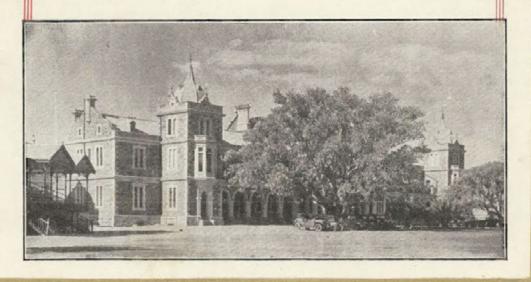
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Flight-Commander A. E. J. Klose, Flying-Officer R. T. Smith, Sgt. D. G. Roach, Cpls. K. E. LePage, D. V. Selth, J. W. Harvey.

Student Christian Movement

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L. L. Hoare, D. G. Roach; Secretary, B. W.
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VIu - - - D. G. Roach
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VIb - - - A. D. Harvey
VIc - - - A. G. Evens
Va - - - J. W. Burchmore
Vb - - - F. W. Biggs
Vc - - - C. G. Bartram

Vd - - - J. H. T. Clarkson Vc - - - T. H. Oakes

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Vice-Regal Visit

On Friday, 20th August, His Excellency the Governor, Sir Malcolm Barclay-Harvey, and Lady Muriel, accompanied by Commander Worden, paid us the honour of visiting the School.

The visitors were received by the Headmaster and Mrs. Ward. After inspecting the Guard of Honour supplied by the School cadets, His Excellency and Lady Muriel had morning tea, and then spent about two hours in moving about the School and seeing its various activities. They were especially interested in some of the practical work in the Physics and Chemistry Laboratories, and asked very practical questions about the woodwork and the Gym. In the Preparatory School they showed great interest in the project and library work, and enjoyed listening to the little fellows' percussion band.

As Friday the 20th was the first day of the School Concert, various rehearsals were taking place. His Excellency and Lady Muriel heard part of the Fifth Form play, and at the Prep. they heard the III Form do "The Reveille."

His Excellency congratulated the guard on its smartness and steadiness, and both he and Lady Muriel were keenly interested in all they saw.

We would like His Excellency and Lady Muriel to know that all at Prince Alfred College are grateful for the kindly interest in our work and welfare that this visit proves, and feel that such visits are an inspiration to us all.

Before leaving, His Excellency asked that the boys should be given a holiday to commemorate his visit. As it was so near the end of the term the Headmaster asked and obtained Sir Malcolm's permission to add that day to the end-of-term holidays. For this reason the School broke up on Thursday, 26th August, instead of the usual Friday.

School Notes -

The second term is ended. It has been a bad term for the general health of the School. It is a long time since so many boys have been absent through sickness of various kinds. Let us hope that the new term, Spring weather and a bit more sunshine will cure most of our troubles.

Congratulations to LePage and his team for their victory in the Intercollegiate Football Match; also for winning first place in the Association.

It was a very good debate against St. Peter's. Our team did not have the support of the judge, but they did very well. Congratulations to the winners.

One good sign of a return to better days was the visit of the cadets to the Rifle Ranges on Tuesday, 27th August. It is some time since we have had one of these jaunts, and everyone enjoyed the change.

On 17th June Mr. W. J. Adey paid us a visit. He spoke to the Assembly about the War Savings Certificate Groups. Mr. Adey is an old friend of Prince Alfred, and always a very welcome guest.

Among visitors to the School this term was Mr. J. M. Solomon, an "old boy" who left school in 1885. He spent a very happy hour in seeing again some of his old haunts.

As this issue of our "Chronicle" is appreciably smaller than usual owing to the shortage of paper, we have omitted the editorial and given pride of place to the report of the recent Vice-Regal visit to the School.

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VIb	-2		Kruger, J. M.	Ve	(·		Brooks, F. C.
VIc	-	-	Jennison, R. B.	IVa	-	1722	Elix, R. L.
Va	1000	-	Chartres, B. A.	IVb	-	-	Barton, M. J.
Vb	-	-	Wilkins, F. D.	IVc	-		Hillier, R. R.

Prefects' Notes

Just a third of our victorious football team was comprised of our number, including captain and vice-captain, LePage and Webb, and Hockney, Harvey, Roach and Rook (not forgetting time-keeper Howard). While on the subject of football, Nicholls is also to be mentioned for his dauntless effort in the Boarders' Intercoll. We remind you, too, that seven out of the nine boys on the games committee are prefects.

Nor do we lack representatives on the serious side of school life. Four out of the first six seats in the Upper Sixth are being warmed by prefects, including Rook, who is dux of the School again. In the Intercoll. Debate, held this term, Selth and Dunn, with the help of one

layman, managed to-well, they nearly beat Saints, anyway.

In the Cadet Corps, Hockney is to be congratulated on getting his commission, while in the A.T.C. all N.C.O.'s are prefects—Sgt. Roach and Cpls. LePage, Selth and Harvey.

Towards the end of the term Harvey conceived the very commendable idea of bringing along a ping-pong ball to the prefects' room. The ball very soon found its way up the chimney. You can imagine Harvey's surprise when on poking around for the ball, he produced yet another one from that mysterious chimney. Now we know why last year's prefects made some remark about bottomless chimneys.

School Concert -

The concert this year was held on Friday and Saturday nights, 20th and 21st August. The Headmaster, in his opening remarks, asked the large audience to be tolerant, as the casts of most plays had been repeatedly altered because of sickness. He also thanked Mr. H. Brewster-Jones and Miss Nadra Penalurick for their help with the musical items, and Mrs. Anderson for her invaluable assistance behind the scenes.

The programme was opened by a pianoforte duet, "Gavotte" (Gossec), played by Dunn and Brebner. This was followed by three songs by the Preparatory School: "Jerusalem," "Hark, I Hear the Thrushes Sing," and "Lords of the Air." These items were much appreciated. II A boys next gave their versions of the "Reveille," and "The Ballad of the Oyster-Man," the latter featuring a gallant swim across a river (against the tide) while under murderous harpoon-fire from the father of the oyster-girl.

Miss Joan Kneebone then gave a violin solo, excelling in "Londonderry Air" and "Minuet."

This was followed by verse-speaking by the boys of III B. They gave a spirited and amusing scene from "Toad of Toad Hall."

Miss Nadra Penalurick then gave a delightful rendering of Albeniz' "Seguidilla."

The Fourth Form play, "The Dyspeptic Ogre," produced by Mr. H. E. H. Mutton, was characterised by excellent acting from the ogre (P. C. Dunn) and his "Oirish cook" (J. D. Haigh). It told the story of a man-eating (preferably a girl-eating) ogre, whose cook fed him on Irish stew in place of the little girls sent along by the butcher. This play showed evidence of careful preparation. The cast was as follows:—The Ogre, P. C. Dunn; the Ogre's Cook, J. D. Haigh; the Jester, R. S. Davie; Frances, R. L. Collison; Chief Boy Scout, I. R. Morris.

The next item was given by the school choir, which received well-deserved applause for its performance. David Dunn then gave a pianoforte solo. Tchaikowski's "Chant sans Paroles."

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The Fifth Form play, "Something to Talk About," was the next item. This was produced by Mr. G. M. Potts. It showed the efforts of a notorious cat-burglar, the "Wolf," who broke into a rich house, to find he was welcome, for "it would be something to talk about." The ensuing events gave wide scope for acting to all characters, who must be congratulated on excellent work, considering the little chance they had to work together. The cast of this play was as follows:—Lord Redchester, R. L. Bishop; Lady Redchester, C. H. C. Ward; The Hon. Guy Sydney, J. T. Mellor; The Hon. Lettice Sydney, B. J. Skinner; Bishop of Redchester, J. K. Suter; Preston, the Butler, D. M. Gibb; The "Wolf," a cat-burglar, R. B. McLachlan.

The School Ensemble (Miss Nadra Penalurick, Miss Joan Kneebone, Drennan Warnecke, Paul Bruer) then gave "Hungarian Dance" (Brahms). In this Miss Joan Kneebone was excellent as first violin.

The concluding item was one of W. W. Jacobs' plays, "Boatswain's Mate," produced by Mr. R. T. Smith. The acting of all three characters was excellent and much appreciated by the audience. George Benn, seeking the hand of Mrs. Waters, an inn-keeper, paid Ned Travers to scare her, "so that his faithful 'eart could rush in and save 'er." After many mishaps, it was Ned Travers who became the future landlord of the "Beehive." The cast was:—Mrs. Waters, landlady of the "Beehive," R. R. Cant; George Benn, an ex-boatswain, L. L. Hoare; Ned Travers, retired soldier, D. E. Dunn. For his fine work in this play, L. L. Hoare was awarded the prize for the best actor in the concert.

In conclusion, we should like to thank the outside artists for their help: Mr. Brewster-Jones for his work with the musical items; Mrs. Anderson, whose "make-up" of the characters was very well done; Mr. Dennis for his ex-

cellent efforts as stage-manager, and lastly, Mr. Porter, who proved himself a capable manager. As a result of this concert various Patriotic Funds have benefited to the extent of £51/8/-.

D. V. S.

Student Christian Movement -

Following the usual custom, four of the five addresses in the second term were given by members of the committee. The topic chosen for these was "Lands of the Bible".

The first meeting of the term was addressed by Rev. W. R. Steadman, an ex-missionary from Fiji, who told of missionary work and its adventures. He described the inspiring faith of the converted Islanders.

At the second meeting, D. E. Dunn began the series of talks on Bible lands. He dealt with a section of H. V. Morton's book, "Through the Lands of the Bible", and told us something of the ancient cities of the past and their connection with Bible stories. This talk took us from Antioch, in Northern Syria, across the desert to Babylon and Ur, and back to the Holy Land, through places where ruins and excavations tell many a story of bygone days.

L. L. Hoare followed on at the third meeting with an account of some of Morton's experiences in Egypt, travelling between Alexandria and Cairo. The chief point of interest here was the Coptic Church with its rites, which have survived from very ancient days, and which Hoare described in great detail.

The fourth meeting was addressed by D. G. Roach, who continued the talk on Egypt, and spoke particularly of the opening of the tomb of Tutankhamen and the relics found there, which are now in the Cairo museum. He told us also of Morton's visit to the Cairo Zoo, then his stay at the Pyramids and a journey through the desert to a summer resort, where he witnessed some ingenious native methods of catching wild duck.

The speaker at the last meeting was R. J. Deland, who began an account of Morton's book, "In the Steps of the Master." Deland gave us a description of Jerusalem and the strangely cosmopolitan population which one meets on the streets. We were interested to hear also something about the Holy Sepulchre and the Christians who come from afar to visit it.

At the end of the term Mr. Riley, travelling secretary of the S.C.M., came to the School to see how our branch was progressing. He discussed the work of the Movement with the committee, and told them of its organisation in the University.

B. W. E.

Intercollegiate Debate -

The Intercollegiate debate was held at P.A.C. on Friday, 14th August. Our team (Selth, Dunn and Opie) took the pro side of the subject, "That, after the War, Australia should break away from the British Empire and join the United States of America". Mr. Mutton took the chair, and Mr. C. C. Brebner kindly consented to adjudicate.

Selth argued that England's foreign policy was laissez-faire, imperialistic, inconsistent and European, while the U.S.A.'s was just the reverse. He compared "freedom of the seas" with "Rule Britannia".

Welch opened the debate for St. Peter's, alleging that the U.S.A. had no experience of overseas governing, and telling of the rapid divorce proceedings in America.

Dunn, second speaker pro, outlined a scheme for opening the centre of Australia, which could not be done without the capital and resources of the U.S.A., and explained that it was Americans who built Mildura and other irrigation settlements.

Clift, second speaker con, spoke at length on motor cars, saying that English cars would break up here, while cars from the U.S.A. would not.

Opie compared the industrial benefits Australia would get from the U.S.A. with those that she has now under English rule, and outlined the advantages of the American education system over our present one.

Dunstone denied that England's foreign policy was imperialistic, and alleged that the U.S.A. had exploited the "mythical hula-hula girls" of the South Sea Islands.

Dunstone and Selth then replied for their respective sides, and while Mr. Brebner was considering his decision, Mr. B. M. Cheek told us he was going to win £1,000 under the U.S.A.'s education scheme.

Mr. Brebner then gave his decision to St. Peter's, whom we congratulate on their win. Mr. Mutton then declared the meeting closed.

We thank Mr. Brebner for so generously giving up his time to help.

Debating Society

The first meeting consisted of four prepared speeches and numerous impromptus. Deland told us of "Gold and Copra in New Guinea," while Roach outlined the A.T.C. Camp held at Mallala in the previous holidays. Bartholomaeus gave a concise account of the joys of the M.L.C. Party, and Williams, a newcomer from Melbourne, compared our School system with that of Wesley College. The highlight of the evening was Mr. Dennis' lengthy dissertation on "Blondes".

At the second meeting Selth, Keeves and Opie took the con side of the subject "That after the War the White Australia Policy should be abolished", and defeated the pro side (Cant, Phillips and Deland) by a narrow margin. In the junior debate, Stobie, West and Nicolson successfully upheld the motion that "The House System should be re-introduced into P.A.C."

"That Air Power is replacing Sea Power" was the subject for the junior debate at the third meeting. Selth and Cawte, who adjudicated, gave the decision to the con side (Vawser, Richards and McLachlan) by "a comfortable margin". As we were holding a parliamentary evening at the next meeting, we prepared for it with a debate on the subject "That All Schools be Nationalised". Dunn, Benson and Williams upheld the motion and defeated Hoare, Roach and Reiners after a very good debate.

Mr. H. S. Dunks, M.P., kindly consented to act as Speaker for the parliamentary night, when the government, led by Selth, tried to pass a Bill to nationalise all schools. After a few initial successes, J. B. Ward, an Independent, was influential in having the Bill defeated.

As everyone had been doing exams, during the previous week, the fifth meeting consisted of two impromptu debates and five impromptu speeches. The first debate, "That all Advertising be placed under strict Government control", was won by the pro side (Ward, Price and Parkinson), while the second, "That Collecting for Patriotic Funds be abolished and the Money made up by Taxation", was won by the con side (McLachlan, Vawser and Nicolson). After a short quiz, in which a Leaving team held its own against all comers, the meeting was declared closed.

At the sixth meeting the subject for debate was "That Military Training be made Compulsory in Australian Schools". The pro side, Phillips, Campbell and Selth (who was forced to take part at the last minute because of the withdrawal of Crompton), defeated Jarrett, McLean and Parkinson. Deland gave his views on "Einstein (the first)"; and after another short quiz, and some suggestions by Curtis for brightening the boarders' life, the meeting concluded.

A full account of the Intercollegiate debate is found elsewhere in this issue.

We have arranged two other debates—one with M.L.C., and one with Walford House. An account of these will be given in the next "Chronicle".

At the end of the term a meeting was held to decide the most improved and the best speakers for the year. These were won by Phillips and Selth, respectively.

We wish to thank Mr. Mutton for his help and advice throughout the session.

D. V. S.

Air Training Corps Notes

Since the beginning of the term we have held two parades each week, on Mondays and Wednesdays; Wednesday afternoons being devoted to Morse instruction. Every cadet has passed his preliminary examination, and is thus entitled to his blue uniform. Most are ready for the Stage I exam, while three cadets are doing Stage II work. The N.C.O.'s have been elected at last. Roach has been made a sergeant, while LePage Selth and Harvey are cornorals.

LePage, Selth and Harvey are corporals.
Arrangements were made for another trip to
Mallala these holidays, but at the last minute
arrangements fell through and the trip was cancelled.

Library Notes

During the term the following books have been added:

Periodicals, etc.—"The Times Literary Supplement," "Le Courier Australien," "The Christian Science Monitor."

History Section—"Daily Life in Ancient Rome" (Carcopino), "Anne of England" (Hopkins), "Charles James Fox" (Drinkwater), "Reading of Shakespeare" (Boas), Two volumes of University Physics (Champion).

Several books that were being recovered have come back, and although it is very difficult to obtain books now, we hope more will be added next term.

D. V. S.

Boarders' Notes

Once more the gates clanged to behind us as we resumed our studies at the beginning of the second term. We welcomed three more fortunates to our midst. They soon got acclimatised and began to take an active part in the life of the Boarding House. Besides these three, Skinner, Stevens and Reid, we welcomed Pitt once more, who left a couple of years ago but is now back with us.

Soon after the beginning of the term we had a holiday on Monday, 7th June, and a football match was arranged between two teams under Nicolson and Bill Francis. The latter team was successful and a good time was enjoyed by all.

7th June also brought us some bad news the butter rationing. At first the difficulties seemed almost insurmountable, but thanks to matron and the staff we have now overcome the difficulties satisfactorily.

Since the workman took his annual holidays in the middle of pruning the Moreton Bay fig trees at the front of the School, the Head called in those experienced lumberjacks, the Boarding House Prefects. Nobody was seriously injured, however, except one weak-kneed day-boy,

whose five minutes on the axe gave him such blisters that he was forced to stay away from school. What a pity, too, in the middle of the exams! Barraclough must have been heartbroken.

The next big event was the Intercoll., and we congratulate Evens, Lawrie Hoad and Bill Francis on their fine performances in gaining their football colours.

Soon after this Lawrie Hoad left us to work at home, and we were all sorry to see him go.

Had he been with us the Boarders' Intercoll. would have been a walk-over for us; but as it was we were beaten by a couple of goals, only a last-quarter run of eight goals saving us from ignominious defeat.

Towards the end of the term the black-out restrictions were lifted, and once more the old boarding house regained some of its former cheer and goodwill.

However, this cheering effect was marred by the fact that many stalwarts of our happy throng suddenly popped off to Northfield, home and elsewhere with scarlet fever, coughs, colds, 'flu, and what-have-you?

J. B. W.

Cadet Notes

Parades this term have been changed from Monday to Wednesday. This change has been made in order to enable our staff instructors to be present. During the term "A" Company have been studying fieldcraft, while "B" Company have continued with the application of fire and rifle exercises.

Owing to present conditions it has become impossible for recruits to obtain uniforms. However, on Friday, 20th August, the second-year cadets mounted a guard of honour when His Excellency the Governor visited the School. His Excellency congratulated the guard on their steadiness and smart appearance.

On 24th August the whole detachment attended the Port Adelaide Rifle Range to fire the annual S.A. course. In addition to the rifle the L.M.G. (Bren) was operated. The day turned out to be very successful.

In the holidays a number of our N.C.O.'s will attend a physical training school at Victoria Park. They have a very interesting syllabus, including boxing and unarmed combat.

PROMOTION THIS TERM

Sergeant B. E. Hockney to Cadet-Lieutenant. Corporal P. W. Osborn to C.S.M.

Scout Notes -

This term's scouting has been very successful, the most important event being the State-wide War Service Week-end on 26th and 27th June. This series of tests involved a great deal of work, and although we entered only two patrols, the Kangaroos and the Magpies, most of us were kept busy until well after the appointed time. The Kangaroos Patrol, under the very capable leadership of John West, was placed fourteenth out of the three hundred odd patrols which entered in the State. Not very far behind came the Magpies, led by Bill Taylor, and the whole troop is to be heartily congratulated on its fine effort. These week-end tests are great things for keeping up the interest amongst scouts, and we all enjoy them immensely.

During the term our numbers dwindled slightly, mainly because of junior football prac-

tices; but we are delighted to welcome several new recruits, and hope that the numbers will be made up next term.

On 15th August Bill Taylor gave us a bright, enlightening chat on tracking and stalking. His first-hand information and demonstrations on the subject were appreciated by all, and we must thank him for them.

At the close of last term a cooking test was held in the rubbish dump. It is rumoured that Mac. Cooper experimented with amorphous carbon, but on the whole the cooking was quite satisfactory.

A troop camp is to be held at the Shack these holidays. This is a splendid chance for the younger scouts to get away into the hills and enjoy themselves, as they invariably do.

Football >

The First Eighteen has had an exceptionally good season, winning all matches but one, and gaining top place in the premiership list. There is space only to give the results of the matches, except for the game with St. Peter's, which is described elsewhere.

P.A.C., 12—17, d. Rostrevor, 4—14 P.A.C., 20—17, d. Immanuel, 9—4 P.A.C., 18—22, d. A.H.S., 4—6 P.A.C., 9—12, d. Mallala, 7—8 P.A.C., 7—17, d. University "B," 8—8 P.A.C., 14—24, d. Scotch, 3—2 P.A.C., 27—32, d. Sacred Heart, 0—3 P.A.C., 17—10, d. Immanuel, 3—3 Rostrevor, 9—9, d. P.A.C., 7—11 P.A.C., 6—9, d. Concordia, 4—15 P.A.C., 11—13, d. University "B," 7—8

The trophy presented by the Old Scholars' Association for the best and fairest player during the season was won by C. C. Dewar.

The team wishes to express its appreciation and congratulations to the coach, Mr. F. C. Bennett, for the whole-hearted interest he has taken. We are sorry that we fell just short of winning every match; however, it was no fault of the coach or of the team who played on the day. This is the first year he has coached the team, and we hope that this year's success will be followed by many others in the years to come.

SECOND EIGHTEEN FOOTBALL

This year the Second Eighteen has been very successful. We have played eleven matches, and of these we have won nine.

The Seconds' practice has been taken by John Keeves, and he has done a particularly good job coaching the Seconds, Thirds and Fourths.

SCORES

P.A.C., 15—22, d. S.P.S.C., 12—7 P.A.C., 4—13, d. King's, 5—6 U.H.S., 11—15, d. P.A.C., 8—11 S.P.S.C., 12—10, d. P.A.C., 8—9 P.A.C., 11—13, d. S.P.S.C. "U. 16," 4—6 P.A.C., 18—16, d. Rostrevor, 3—6 P.A.C., 15—20, d. N.H.S., 5—4 P.A.C., 10—15, d. King's, 5—4 P.A.C., 7—15, d. U.H.S., 3—3 P.A.C., 21—19, d. S.P.S.C., 1—6 P.A.C., 10—15, d. S.P.S.C. "U. 16," 1—4

The under age teams have done well during the season, but lack of space makes it necessary to withhold details.

INTERCOLLEGIATE FOOTBALL

The match took place on the Norwood Oval on Saturday, 31st July. This time we made up for our narrow defeats in the last few years by just doubling our opponents' score. We had had one disappointment just before the match, when C. F. Hockney was found unable to play owing to sickness. Welch stepped into the breach, however, and well proved his worth.

We felt confident in a well-trained team that was somewhat heavier and faster than in recent years.

Hoad got the punch at the bounce, and the ball was taken straight up our end to score a point. Back at the other end Harvey prevented Saints from scoring by marking well, and sent the ball again to our goals, where Bartram marked and kicked our first goal. The wind appeared to interfere with clean-cut play, and we offer this as our excuse for kicking five points in a row. Giles eventually scored the first goal for Saints, and after rather ragged play the score-board showed—

With the wind favouring Saints, play started in the second quarter with somewhat increased vigour and better system. This resulted in goals to Bartram and to Raggatt. Saints rallied, however, and in some bright play Hawson and Bungay goaled for them, while Hockney replied by passing to Bartram, who marked just over the goal-line, and our score went to 4—9. Both teams were battling evenly in this quarter, and after Saints had won two more goals, the bell rang with Princes only one point ahead.

When play was resumed, before a minute had passed Roach took a mark and scored with our fifth goal. Princes really began to play with dash and system in this quarter; ability to create the loose man proved very effective, and throughout the last half Princes showed themselves definitely superior. Bartram, Roach and Williams scored further goals, while Hoad and Dewar were noticed throwing their weight about. Then Saints dribbled in their only goal for the quarter, after which a fine mark by Bartram from Williams rseulted in a goal to us. Pretty hand-work gave Roach charge of the ball, which he put through the big sticks. The score at three-quarter time was—

At the beginning of the fourth quarter a slightly wet ball caused some fumbling, and the play was static; but after some time Raggatt, Price and Roach scored goals for us. Unfortunately, vice-captain Webb was forced to go off because of an injured leg which had been hampering him during the game, and he was replaced by E. D. Evans. Towards the end of the quarter Giles scored Saints last goal. The final bell went with the scores at—

Among the best players for Princes were: Raggatt, Roach, Dewar, LePage, Hoad and Bartram.

Goal-kickers were: Bartram and Roach (4), Raggatt (2), Price, Hockney and Williams.

Our victory, incidentally, is the third which we have won in four sports' contests with St. Peter's this year.

CRITIQUE OF FOOTBALL TEAM

Hockney, B. E. (Rover, Full-forward Left)—A very effective rover, whose ground play is especially good. Passes well, and his pace has enabled him to elude his opponents. Combines well with goalsneak when resting.

Barraclough, J. E. (Right Wing)—Excellent high marking and fast ground work have been features of his play. A very accurate pass; often creates a loose man effectively.

Bartram, C. G. (Goalsneak)—Excellent mark, who makes position well. His snap-shooting helps him out of difficulties. Combines well with forwards.

long kick. Clears well with plenty of dash, and has played this position most capably.

Raggatt, M. (Ruck, Full-forward Right)— Vigorous ruckman with a very neat pass and a good high mark. Has played consistently throughout the season, and exceptionally well in the Intercoll.

Roach, D. G. (Right Half-forward)—Has proved himself a match-winner in this position by his Intercollegiate game. Excellent high mark and a clean and fast ground player.

Rook, K. M .- (Right Full-back) -- His cool and clever anticipation makes up for lack of

INTERCOLLEGIATE FOOTBALL TEAM, 1943

P.A.C., 13-18, defeated S.P.S.C., 7-6



Back Row—B. H. Millen, K. M. Rook, A. Keeves
Centre Row—W. R. Francis, O. H. Price, L. A. Williams, L. W. Hoad, J. W. Harvey,
D. G. Roach, C. G. Bartram, H. Welch
Front Row—A. G. Evens, M. Raggatt, B. E. Hockney, Mr. F. C. Bennett, K. E. LePage (Capt.),
C. R. Webb (Vice-Capt.), C. C. Dewar, J. E. Barraclough

Dewar, C. C. (Centre Half-back)—Solid and natural backman who checks his opponent unceasingly. Excellent high mark with a long, clearing kick. Has played brilliantly throughout the season, and is to be congratulated on his Intercollegiate game.

Evens, A. G. (Centre)—Consistently good player, whose pace invariably gets him out of trouble. Sound mark with a long, driving kick down the centre.

Harvey, J. W. (Goalkeeper)—A very good footballer. Excellent high mark and a beautiful

pace. Clears effectively and has staved off attacks on numerous occasions.

Williams, L. A. (Ruck, Full-back Left)— Vigorous player who clears well with a long, driving kick. Although he lacks height he overcomes this by his dash and determination.

Francis, W. R. (Right Half-back)—Speedy backman with a safe mark and a good clearing kick. Can always be relied upon to play a useful and clever game.

Hoad, L. W. (Ruck, Full-back Left)—Vigorous and untiring ruckman who improved greatly

as the season progressed. He has been a tower of strength in the rucks.

Keeves, A. (Left Wing)—Neat and effective player. Takes full advantage of opportunities and combines well with his team-mates.

Millen, B. H. (Left Half-forward)—Cool and heady footballer. Shows good judgment and handles the ball well. Can adapt himself to practically any position on the field.

Price, O. H. (Ruck, Full-forward Right) — Very solid and neat footballer, whose pace and general football have improved greatly. Should be a valuable man next season.

Welch, A. W. (Left Half-Back)—Very vigorous and rugged backman, who comes through well. Played at his best in the Intercoll. His marking has improved considerably.

Webb, C. R. (Vice-captain) (Rover, Full-Forward Left)—Played splendidly until he was injured. His speed, team sense and excellent disposal were outstanding. His snapshooting for goal is exceptional.

LePage, K. E.—(Captain) (Centre Half-Forward)—Safe mark and splendid kick; his position play and team work have been an inspiration. His captaincy has been in a large measure responsible for the success of the team.

Rowing Notes

No rowing activities have taken place during the past term, but these will be renewed in the last term when we hope to get together a new Eight and also have a Forms Regatta.

We beg the pardon of W. S. Morrow, whose departure to the Senior service we omitted to mention in the first term's Rowing Notes. Bill was regretfully called from us about a fortnight before the Regatta, and we are only doing him

justice when we say that he was sadly missed. He had a remarkably good record as a school-boy oarsman, having rowed in six winning races out of six, and also in the record-breaking crew of 1941. He was captain of the boat-shed when he left us. All his rowing colleagues take this opportunity of wishing him the best of luck and "Good Fishing."

Original Contributions

THE MERCHANT NAVY

The inception of the Merchant Navy dates back to Queen Elizabeth's day. Her vision in supplying Francis Drake and other famous west countrymen with letters of mark, when they took the ships out with cargoes, laid the foundations of what we now know as the Merchant Navy.

The public little realised until 1914 what the Merchant Navy really meant to them. The British Empire might have been broken up but for this brave fleet of ships and men.

When you hear of the Merchant Navy do not think of a luxurious liner, but a little tramp steamer, plodding her way over the seven seas and ducking into any little port where she may pick up a cargo. These ships and the crew who man them constitute our Merchant Navy.

After World War No. 1 the Merchant Navy had a lean time. Now, once again, they come into their own, and one hopes that, when peace comes once again, these men and ships will be treated as a precious asset to the British Empire. If the men of the Merchant Navy refused to go to sea the war would be over for the British Empire, because no troops, no munitions and no food would be transported. So when you see some dirty, rusty-looking tramp steamer lying at a wharf or ploughing the sea, lift your hat to the people who built her, and the men who man her. Unheralded

they come into port, discharge their cargo; unheralded they depart, to face not only the ordinary perils of the sea, but the nightmare of the submarine, the floating mine and all other dangers of war. Little speed, less protection, yet they cheerfully endure it so that we Britons may survive.

In conclusion, when you see men in civilian clothes with a little silver badge bearing the initials "M.N." pinned to the lapel of their coat, remember that these are men who are risking their lives that we may live.

D. K. G., VI B

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

This term the school has done general knowledge tests once a week, and the prefects have had the luck to be able to mark them. During these periods we have learnt many astounding facts.

The supposed Chinese ancestry of the Commander-in-Chief of the Allied Land Forces in North Africa puzzled many. He was alternately known as Gen. Izin How and Gen. Ise En Hour.

Imagination was let loose when many came across the question, "What are the Flying Tigers?" Answers ranged from "A team of International Soccer Players" to "Matthew, Mark, Luke and John," and so on ad infinitum et ad absurdum.

If we had believed all the answers to the question, "Who Lives in the Vatican?" we should have had to revise our ideas of history. It was startling enough to learn that four military men like Hitler, Napoleon, Julius Cæsar and Mussolini all lived in the one palace at the same time; but when Ghandi and the Archbishop of Canterbury are placed there——.

Bewildered Economics students firmly believed that income tax was capital punishment, while more bewildered History students thought that the last time Messina had been captured was when Lawrence and the Arabs took it.

The genealogy of various Italian Prime Ministers became very mixed. The name of the present one varied from Balonio and Mongolio to Pope Pearce.

Some humorists thought that the buttons on coat sleeves had originally been put there "to trick Mr. Dedman," while Mark Antony became the English Foreign Secretary for a few brief minutes.

Many thought that a walking-stick was the "staff of life," while other answers ranged from love to the police, Moses' Rod, oxygen, and potatoes.

The pilot of the Lancaster bomber now in Australia was known to many as Isaac, Isaac Newton, and even Isaiah.

After this pouring out of knowledge, the prefects are confident that they can hold their own against all-comers.

D. V. S., VIu

ODE ON THE MORETON BAY FIG TREES

Argument—The two Moreton Bay fig trees in the front of the College having been severely cut back and sadly mutilated thereby, their pathetic remains inspire the undersigned to pour out his emotions on the subject.

Ye gaunt, majestic skeletons of trees, Twin spectres that point lifeless boughs on high,

I mind me how you rustled in the breeze, And wafted leafy branches to the sky.

O noble monuments of days gone by,
My heart bleeds when I contemplate your
fate:

I look up at your ruins and I sigh, For nothing more than ruin do I hate.

How gladly we enjoyed your gentle shade, While boys your pretty berries threw around. The little birds found you a happy glade, And all day long we'd hear their joyful sound.

Alas, there came the fateful day forlorn, When, like my song, your branches grew too long,

And forthwith, 'neath the blows of axe and brawn,

Your topmost wood fell crashing down headlong. But even now my soul doth hope anew;
It looks into the future and it sees,
Not bare and lifeless branches in the blue,
But new and shapelier Moreton Bay fig trees.
D. E. D., VI u

THE CLOCK SHOP

Clocks of every size and shape Covering every wall— Thick and thin, round and square, Oblong, short and tall.

Cuckoos tell us what we are, Alarm-clocks end our sleep; Some chime like a silvery bell, While some are low and deep.

Some we wind but once a week, Others every day. Cheap ones make us miss our trams, But such-like never pay.

Clocks of every shape and size—
It seems to me a crime,
Though all are new and guaranteed,
Each tells a different time.

D. H., V d

UNDER THE GOLDEN MOON

There are lights a-flashing in the harbour
From the ships at anchor where they ride,
And a dry wind going through the palm trees,
And the long, low murmur of the tide;
And there's noise and laughter in the foc's'le,
And the bare feet beating out the tune,
To the sound of Casey's concertina,
Underneath the great gold moon.

J. E. M., IV b

THE INTERCOLL. FOOTBALL

The sun was dimly shining
From out a wintry sky,
The first eighteen was playing—
Ready to do or die.

The Blues appeared upon the scene, Close followed by the Reds; The Reds came off with spirits keen, The Blues with drooping heads.

The play was fast and willing, Especially in the ruck; It always has been thrilling, For lads have lots of pluck.

At length we won—and what a win— Thirteen to seven the score; The small fry made an awful din, Greater than a lion's roar.

R. S. D., IV a

FRAGMENT

Springe iz sprunge, Ye gras iz riz— I wunder wer Ye flowers iz.

J. B. W., VI u

FLAX GROWING IN S.A.

Before the growing of cotton became general, flax was the world's most important fibre crop. It is perhaps the oldest plant in civilisation, since the ancient mummies of Egypt were wrapped in flaxen cloth. Before war began few people in Australia grew the plant in any quantity, but during the progress of the war, more and more farmers are sowing their land with flax to aid our war effort. Flax is grown either for the fibre, which is made into cloth, for the oil which is obtained from the seed, or for increased supplies of seed for another season. In South Australia most of the flax is converted into cloth for vital war-time needs. The plant requires a well-drained soil containing a good supply of limestone, and a moderately warm climate, and consequently factories have been set up in the South-East and in the near North of Adelaide, where such conditions prevail.

Flax grows to a height of about eighteen inches and has long narrow leaves, with small round seed chambers at the top of the stalks.

The appearance of the plant somewhat resembles that of wheat. If the flax is required for linseed oil, the plant is allowed to ripen, but if for cloth fibres, the crop is harvested when still slightly green. This is done by binders which bundle the flax into sheaves, which are then transported to the flax mills.

On arrival, the flax is spread out in the fields for a month for the sun and moisture to act upon it. This process is known as "retting." It is re-gathered and passed through a combing machine which rids the flax of tangled masses, and is then de-seeded in another machine. The remaining stalks are cleaned from dust and leaves. Stalks less than a foot in length are rejected, since long strands are essential to the production of strong cloth. These fibres are now processed until they are sent to the cloth factories, where essential war-time products are made. The shorter lengths that were previously rejected are used as packing and upholstering in vehicles and furniture.

M. J. C., VI u

Preparatory School Notes

We suffered a sad loss in the death of our friend, Mr. H. M. Dingle, who had won the regard of both boys and staff. An Old Boy of the school, he showed at all times a keen realisation of all that the school traditions mean, and his own Form, III A, felt his loss keenly.

In welcoming to our staff Mrs. Philip Hunwick, M.A., the wife of an Old Boy, we wish her a very happy time.

Rev. G. B. Stribley's weekly visits have continued to benefit us. No matter how bleak the day, he has not failed to arrive for morning assembly, on Tuesday. His talks this term have dealt with the early history of the Hebrews, and we have been surprised to find the number of helpful lessons which can be learnt from it by boys of the twentieth century.

Rivalry between our two Houses, Chapple and Robertson, has been particularly keen. Two football matches were played, both of which were won by Chapple, and the weekly totals of marks awarded for school work have caused considerable excitement.

Patriotic funds have not been neglected. Our total collection for War Charities was £47/9/6, and the subscriptions to our War Savings Group amounted to £73. In this regard we are very grateful to Mr. W. J. Adey, once Director of Education in this State, whose visit and spirited address on the subject of War Savings did much to stimulate our efforts.

The re-classification of the library is almost completed, and the boys are taking pride in keeping the books in place. Each boy has been made responsible for a section of a shelf, and we are all learning the truth of the library slogan, "A book mislaid is a book lost." Many new volumes have been added, among which is a set of "Journeys through Bookland," very kindly presented by Mrs. Malcolm Scott. We wish to thank this lady for her generous gift. It is pleasing to note much busier traffic in the lending library at lunch times. The boys are appreciating more and more our very fine library facilities, of which we are justly proud.

HOUSE COMPETITION FOR THE A. W. WELCH CUP

	C	happle	Robertson
School Work -	4	9	3
Examinations -	-	9	3
Football	-	12	0
Gymnastics	-	6	0
First Term -	-	24	15
		-	-
Total	-	60	21

SALVETE

Leon, B. R.	Skinner, S. L.		
Garvie, D.	Meadows, E. B.		
Garvie, D. McK.	Coltart, T. McC.		
Skinner, R. M.			

PREPARATORY SCHOOL ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS

The soldiers of Malta guard the sky From enemy planes as they pass by, And send them hurtling to the water— Sorry they were they ever fought her.

In this great way the Huns and Itees Have more respect for fighting Maltese, And then go racing home like flies, Endeavouring to save their lives.

D. T., III A

III A

By hook or by crook, we learn from our books:
At Red Cross collecting we're top;
At footy or cricket we always stick it,
Not one of our boys is a flop.

Chorus

Throughout the day good old III A,
Whatever the task, are gay.
The Princes' Prep. is full of pep—
But III A leads the way.

When holidays come we're off at the run To country or hills or the sea. Did you ever know eighteen days to go So fast as this at P.A.C.?

B. K. H., III A

THE CATS AT NIGHT

The people of the Isle of Wight Objected to the cats at night; Their voices were so very bad, No wink of sleep folk ever had. Tom Tibkins gathered the pussies bright, Furry and purry, stout and slight, And taught them by the silver moon, Each tabby cat, to sing in tune.

B. T., III A

Our German foes have found they're wrong About their silly opening song— This war has lasted much too long— The Allies now have proved too strong.

The British were the ones to start; Then Russia entered on her part; United States now has the art, And Hitler has a broken heart.

C. R. B., III A

THE INVISIBLE DOG

I put a collar on my dog
To take him for a walk,
But this was rather awkward 'cos
He wasn't there.

I gave him a nice lump of meat
To eat upon the mat,
But soon I found he wouldn't eat—
He wasn't there!

Perhaps you think I'm daft or cranky Giving to a dog that's not, But really I'm quite sober, 'cos I haven't got a dog!

R. T. S., III A

I own a cat:

He's black and white;
A dear little cat,

Who stays in at night.

He never seems to roam
On roofs so very high,
But always stays at home:
He's the apple of my eye.

J. W. S., III A

THE RUSH OF WIND

I love the wonderful gusts that shake
The windows all the day,
And from the glossy elm trees take
The coloured leaves away.
G. G., III a

OLD BOYS'



SECTION

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Education Fund

".Inte diem periit, sed miles, sed pro patria."

Four years of total war (and the end not yet in sight) has taken heavy toll of our manhood. Some nine hundred "Old Reds" have answered the call and nearly fifty have already paid the supreme sacrifice, and we must know that they will not be all.

To these men, in fact to all the men of the Fighting Services, we whose lot it has been to remain at home in comfort and safety owe, and will continue to owe, a debt which it will be impossible for us to repay.

It is encumbent, however, on each and every one of us to do what we can to repay in some measure that debt which we owe not only to the men themselves, but to those they have left behind. Many of the men who have gone away have left wives and children at home; wives anxiously longing for the day when their men will come marching home again, and, in the meantime, anxiously regarding the future should they not return; children who may never again know a father's love and guidance.

It is these children in particular who have been much in the thoughts of your Committee for many months now.

In spite of all the disparaging things which have been said in the last few years about the "Old School Tie," every one of us remembers with gratitude his own days at Prince Alfred College, and appreciates that he received something there which he would not have received had all his school days been spent at a State school. Some of us appreciate most the friendships we made, both with our Masters and with our fellows; some of us think most of the hours spent on the playing fields; and all of us, in our more serious moments, realise how much influence for good the fine traditions of the School and the religious teaching we received at morning "Assembly" have had on our outlook and our conduct in our after lives.

The determination of all of us is to ensure that our own children, boys and girls, will have the same opportunity as we ourselves had to benefit from the many fine things which Colleges like our own offer to youth, and not the least of the sacrifices which our fighting men are making at the call of their country is that they place in jeonardy that opportunity for their own children. Not the least of the anxieties of the wives who wait at home must be the thought that the children may be deprived of that chance.

A College education is not a thing to be had for nothing. However much the Colleges may desire to grant free education to the sons of its old boys who have given their lives that the Colleges may live, Prince Alfred College is not among those who are so well endowed as to make this possible.

War pensions, moreover, are not designed to provide money for school fees.

What then of the children of the "Old Reds" who may fall? They are, in fact, they must be, the care of the "Old Reds" themselves.

Feeling such to be the case, your Committee has established the "Education Fund." The object of the Fund is simple enough-it is to ensure that the children of the "Old Reds" who fall in the war shall, if their mothers desire it, have a College Education such as their fathers had before them. Details of the scheme have been published before and need not be repeated here. Full details will be found in the last issue of "The Chronicle."

Care is being taken to see that every mother is acquainted with the scheme, and already we have notice of calls on the fund which will require about £1,000. We have set ourselves the task of having this amount in hand by the end of the year.

Already we have had good response from "Old Reds," and as an illustration of how much the scheme is appreciated by friends of the men, some fathers of "Old Reds" who have passed on, but have not left children, have already made their contributions.

The College itself, and the Girls Colleges with whom we have communicated, have all shown their willingness to help by offering very substantial concessions in fees, but even so, it will be necessary for us all to give generously if we are to carry out our aims in their entirety.

Your Committee, therefore, confidently requests every "Old Red" to give, and to give generously, to the Fund, and to give now.

Contributions in the shape of War Savings Certificates will be most acceptable, as the Certificates will provide an investment of the money until it is required for payment of fees.

FRANK E. PIPER, President

For King and Country

"At the going down of the sun, and in the morning, we will remember them."

Major JAMES MONTROSE MAUGHAN died of wounds on 2nd June, 1943, aged 50 years. He served with the 27th Battalion, 1st A.I.F., and has served with the Air Liason Section, 2nd A.I.F., since the outbreak of war. He attended the School 1907 to 1910 (School Reg.

WALL FLAGER

MJR. J. M. MAUGHAN

No. 4075) and was a member of this Association. He leaves a widow, a son and two daughters.

Sen. Rep. WILFRED FRANCIS DARWIN CLARK, who was Red Cross representative on the "Centaur," lost his life at sea on 15th May, 1943, aged 51 years. He was a returned soldier of the 1st A.I.F. He served for nearly two years on the hospital ship "Oranje" before joining the "Centaur." He attended the School 1904 to 1908 (School Reg. No. 3776), and was a member of this Association. He leaves a widow and two daughters.

Fly.-Officer ALLEN GRAYSON EDWARDS was reported missing when returning to England from a mission over Northern France and is now presumed to have lost his life on 25th January, 1943, aged 35 years. After enlisting in the R.A.A.F., he proceeded to Canada and gained his commission as Pilot-Officer, and later as Flying-Officer in England. He was attached to an R.A.F. squadron in England. He attended

the School 1916 to 1924 (School Reg. No. 5021), and was a Life Member (No. 629) of this Association. For several years he represented this Association in the tennis matches with St. Peters Old Scholars.

Flying - Officer GRAHAM DOUGLAS MITCHELL lost his life during flying operations at Neuchatel, Switzerland, on 12th July, 1943, aged 20 years. He enlisted in August, 1941, in the R.A.A.F., and was the first scholar to enlist direct from the School in the R.A.A.F. He attended the School 1929 to 1941 (School Reg. No. 6668), and was a member of this Association.

Elect.-Lieut. ALAN BROWNING POMROY, R.N.V.R., aged 29 years, has been reported missing since 2nd April, 1943, and is believed to have lost his life at sea when the ship in which he was travelling was torpedoed. He was returning to Australia after special training in



ELECT-LIEUT, ALAN B. POMROY

England and Scotland. He attended the School 1928 to 1931 (School Reg. No. 6590) and was a member of this Association.

Sgt.-Pilot JOHN MAXWELL BROWN died as result of an aircraft accident whilst on active service with the R.A.F. in Algiers on 24th May, 1943, aged 21 years. He enlisted in South Australia and, after training, later proceeded to Eng-



SEN. REP. WILFRED F. D. CLARK



FLYING OFFICER ALLEN G. EDWARDS



FLYING OFFICER G. D. MITCHELL



SGT.-PILOT JOHN M. BROWN



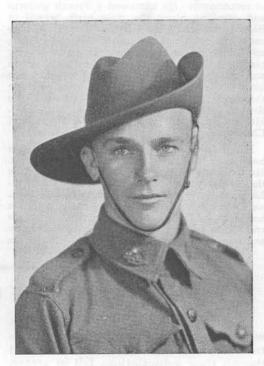
SGT.-PILOT R. R. MUNRO



CPL. REX. E. GERSCH



GNR. S. L. MULLIGHAN



PTE. R. H. LINDO

land. He attended the School in 1939 (School Reg. No. 7803), and was a member of this Association.

Sgt.-Pilot ROBERT RONALD MUNRO was killed in an aircraft accident at Laverton, in Victoria, in May, 1943, aged 25 years. He joined the R.A.A.F. in 1940 and trained at Cook, Laverton and Mildura and in Tasmania. He saw active service at Milne Bay. He was a fine athlete and took part in cricket, football, tennis and golf matches. He attended the School 1934 to 1935 (School Reg. No. 7134), and was a member of this Association.

Cpl. REX EDMUND GERSCH died as a result of accident during training in Queensland on 3rd May, 1943, aged 22 years. He joined the Maitland Light Horse Regiment and then enlisted in an A.I.F. Armoured Division and trained in South Australia and Victoria, later

being transferred to Queensland. He attended the School 1934 to 1937 (School Reg. No. 7109), and was a Life Member (No. 1052) of this Association. He leaves a widow.

Gunner STUART L. MULLIGHAN died of wounds at El Alamein on 21st October, 1942, aged 33 years. He enlisted in March, 1941, and proceeded abroad shortly afterwards. He saw service in Palestine and Syria, and then rejoined his Unit (4th Aust. L.A.A. Regt.) in Egypt. He attended the School 1925 to 1926 (School Reg. No. 6191), and was a member of this Association.

Private RONALD HERBERT LINDO was killed in action on 18th January, 1943, whilst serving with the A.I.F. in New Guinea, aged 23 years. He attended the School 1934 to 1935 (School Reg. No. 7129), and was a member of this Association. He leaves a widow.

Military Awards

Lieut. James Walker Simpson has been awarded the Military Cross. He is serving with the British Army (Derbyshire Yeomanry Armored Car Regiment). The official citation has not yet been received. In Africa, Lieut. Simpson was sent forward with an armored car to reconnoitre. He borrowed a French uniform and, strolling along the river bank, waved in friendly fashion to the Germans on the opposite bank. He obtained the information he wanted, and within a few hours was back again, leading his Tank Unit. He radioed his Headquarters and the "break-up" started that night. burnt-out car prevented him from being amongst the first to enter Tunis. He attended the School 1934 to 1936 (School Reg. No. 7154). He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Simpson of Charleston.

Flight-Lieut. Robert Maxwell Brinsley has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. He has been flying Spitfires in England and on the Tunisian front. The citation is: "Act. Flt.-Lieut. Brinsley has displayed outstanding keenness during the North African campaign. He has destroyed three enemy aircraft in the air and destroyed and damaged trucks and other transport vehicles on the ground. He is an

extremely able and efficient Flight Commander." He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Brinsley of Trevorten Avenue, Glenunga.

Flight-Lieut. Alfred John Ashton Day has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. He is serving with a Lancaster Squadron of the R.A.F. and in the citation is said to have accomplished with success the intricate and responsible task of supervising the navigation for the recent attack on the Moehney and Eder dams. He attended the School from 1918 to 1927 (School Reg. No. 5331). He is a son of Mrs. A. N. Day of Prescott Terrace, Rose Park, and the late Mr. A. N. Day.

Pilot-Officer Brian A. Riggs has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. He has been serving overseas since 1941 and has taken part in many raids over Germany and occupied countries. The citation is: "Pilot-Officer Riggs has completed a successful tour of operational duty. He is one of the keenest captains of aircraft in the squadron and has always executed his tasks with the utmost enthusiasm and determination, setting a magnificent example to all." His sorties have included raids on many of the most heavily defended towns in Germany, and he has twice bombed Genoa."

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.

DECORATIONS



LIEUT. JAMES W. SIMPSON, M.C.



PILOT OFFICER BRIAN A. RIGGS, D.F.C.



FLT.-LIEUT. R. M. BRINSLEY, D.F.C.



FLT.-LIEUT. ALFRED J. A. DAY, D.F.C.

On Active Service

"FAC FORTIA ET PATERE"

The Honour Roll now includes the names of nearly 900 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.

BRITISH ARMY

Coombs, Ross Coombs, W. B. Cowell, H. J. Hall, Norm. Reid, L. H. Reeves, R. K. Simpson, J. W. Winchester, D. C.

R.A.F. (ENGLAND)

Cock, J. R. Gilbert, Colin Eaton, C. S. Munday, W. S. Todd, Wylton

R.N.V.R. (ENGLAND)

Pomroy, A. B.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Andrew, R. J. Bannister, D. F. Barlow, R. R. Brock, H. F. P. Buick, K. V. Carter, D. B. Chinner, K. W. Cox, E. V. Edwards, P. F. Fuller, G. G. Gibson, T. F. Godson, R. E. Hastwell, J. B. Hawke, A. R. L. Hill, F. O. Holmes, H. B. Howland, A. R. Jacobs, A. B. Jarrett, A. J. Jew, C. E. John, B. Jones, A. E. King, A. J. King, C. King, R. L Kleeman, M. C. Laffer, P. M. Lang, R. E. Leaver, R. E. Mann, P.

Matters, R. F.
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The above lists are compiled from information received to the end of August, 1943.

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

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.

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Darwin Old Boys' Re-Union

In the last week of July old Princes and Saints boys at Darwin arranged a series of functions to coincide with Reunions taking place "down south" at their respective schools. On the Thursday afternoon a tennis match was played and 20 old boys were the guests at the pictures in the evening. Sid Cocks, Wally Evans, Peter King and Dennis Wiltshire represented Princes at the tennis, but were defeated by the Saints representatives, Peter Jay, Ken. Biven, Elliot Mills and Keith Siekmann.

On the Saturday night a Smoke Social was held, the time being occupied with speeches, toasts, old school songs, plus "convivialities." Reports to hand describe it as a "Super Show." Those present included Surg.-Lieut. Alan Campbell, D.S.O., Surg.-Lieut. R. Willoughby, Lieut. Simpson, Maj. L. J. Pellew, Capts. K. Biven, K. Siekmann, P. Jay, E. Mills and Lieut. Kenny (S.P.S.C.); Capts. W. W. Evans, S. Cocks, P. King, and Lieut. D. Wiltshire (P.A.C.).

Air Training Corps

The Air Training Corps has proved its tremendous value by figures which have recently been released by the R.A.A.F. 2,589 cadets have now been accepted-1,586 as air crew and 1,003 for ground staff musterings. It is gratifying to learn that between 11,000 and 12,000 youths are now training as A.T.C. cadets, and their interest and enthusiasm is an inspiration, not only to their officers but to all who in any way make contact with them. In a recent speech by Mr. Drakeford, Minister for Air, he said, "The 92 Squadrons of A.T.C., representing every State in Australia, have constituted a fruitful reservoir of specially trained cadets from which a steady stream has flowed into the Senior Service. It is a recognised fact, the preliminary training gained in the A.T.C. has given cadets that extra knowledge and experience which has given them a flying start on joining the R.A.A.F.'

No doubt has ever been expressed regarding the advantages gained by cadets who have undergone the four stages of training in the A.T.C. These stages, each of six months' duration, with evening and Saturday afternoon parades, and including week-end tuition in drill, physical training and general service knowledge, have been of inestimable value in the preparation for that better and grander service.

Quite recently cadets of the A.T.C. were taken on flights, and had their first insight into the glories of flight. These flights, other than operational, are now permissable in R.A.A.F. aircraft, providing they produce written permission of parents or guardians; naturally priority is given to those who have gained their proficiency certificates, or have shown marked progress.

Let this then be an incentive to all youths between the ages of 16 and 18 years to join the A.T.C., so that the duty owed to their country and themselves might the better be fulfilled.

Any enquiries relative to A.T.C. will be promptly answered, if addressed to:-

A.T.C. Headquarters, 2nd Floor, A.M.P. Buildings, King William Street, Adelaide.

Old Boys' Week

All social functions and inter-Association sports contests were again omitted from "Old Boys' Week" programme, thus leaving only the "Morning Assembly" on Old Boys' Day and the Annual Service to be observed. The usual function on "Old Boys' Day" of a social gathering to entertain members on Active Service was postponed until later in the year, when it is hoped more favourable conditions may prevail.

MORNING ASSEMBLY

The Headmaster (Mr. J. F. Ward) and the President of the Association (Mr. Frank E. Piper) welcomed members at the Entrance Hall and, after signing the Attendance Book, proceeded to the Assembly Hall.

After Mr. Ward had conducted the usual Morning Service, Mr. Piper thanked him for the opportunity offered to Old Boys to return to the School on "Old Boys' Day," and then introduced the "Veterans."

The following were present:-

The following were h	resent.—
Jarrett, Rev. W. 1870	Collison, A. G 1880
Rhodes, F. M 1872	Hill Arthur H 1880
Bonython, A. M. 1873	Kay, R. H 1880
Madge, E. A. H. 1873	Witt, O. A 1880
Dunn, F. W 1873	Rowley, A. A. L. 1881
Rhodes, E. H 1873	H. Shepley 1881
Hill, P 1876	H. S. Chapman - 1882
Meth, M. G 1876	Knowles, H. R 1882
Dowie, N 1877	Iliffe, J. D 1882
Crompton, H. W. 1878	Marshall, P. N. 1882
Goldsmith, C. E. 1878	Puddy, A. E 1883
Trevor, P. C 1878	

Many apologies were received, including letters from Dr. J. Mitchell (N.S.W.), 1869 School Reg. No. 9); A. E. Stephens (W.A.), 1881; and T. A. Laurance (Vict.), 1882.

The proceedings concluded by the Old Boys wishing the School success in the Intercollegiate Football Match, and the present boys showed their appreciation of the "Old Boys" in the usual manner.

Annual Service

The Thirty-ninth Annual Service was held in the College Assembly Hall on Sunday, 1st August. Mr. J. F. Ward conducted the service, which was broadcast through Station 5DN.

Considering difficulties of transport and inclement weather the attendance was satisfactory—bearing in mind the large number of Old Scholars engaged in military duties. Chaplain Rev. G. Hutchinson gave the address, Mr.

Frank E. Piper (President) read the lesson, and Mr. F. W. Dunn contributed a very fine solo.

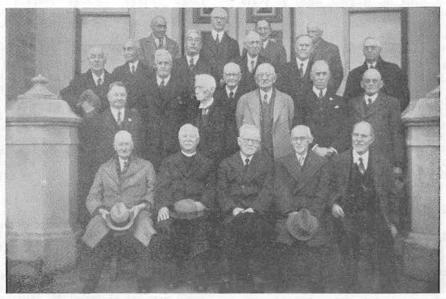
During the service the names of those Old Boys who had died during the year were read.

At the close of the service a collection was taken up on behalf of the Education Fund.

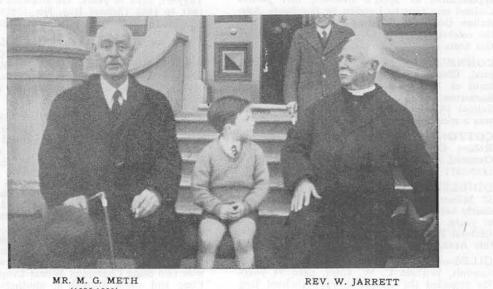
[We regret that space will not permit for Mr. Hutchinson's address to be printed.]

OLD BOYS' DAY

Old Scholars who entered the School 60 or more years ago-Morning Assembly



Front Row-N. Dowie, Rev. W. Jarrett, F. M. Rhodes, H. S. Chapman, O. A. Witt Second Row-H. W. Marshall, F. W. Dunn, Arthur Hill, Peter Hill, E. A. H. Madge Third Row-M. G. Meth, H. R. Knowles, A. M. Bonython Fourth Row-H. Shepley, C. E. Goldsmith, A. E. Puddy, A. A. L. Rowley, E. H. Rhodes Back Row-P. C. Trevor, J. F. Ward, Frank E. Piper



MR. M. G. METH (1876-1880)

REV. W. JARRETT (1870-1871)

Obituary

ANGWIN—On 19th August, at Narrogin, Western Australia, William Britton, beloved husband of Elsie M. Angwin, aged 57 years. He attended the School 1900 to 1903 (School Reg. No. 3342). He was a fine athlete and represented the School in Intercollegiate contests. He was a member of this Association.

BAEYERTZ—On — June, at his home, Rylstone (N.S.W.), Charles Naeder Bayertz, aged 76 years. He was a well-known writer and critic. He founded and edited the "Triad" in New Zealand. He also wrote several books on voice production and elocution. He attended the School in 1881 (School Reg. No. 1023), and was a member of this Association.

BURING—On 30th July, at his residence, 128 Kenilworth Road, Fullarton, Emil, beloved husband of Laura Buring, aged 66 years. He attended the School 1891-1893 (School Reg. No. 2391), and was a member of this Association.

CHENNELL—On 1st August, at a private hospital, Stanley Charles, dearly beloved husband of Helen D. Chennell, of Seacliff, S.A., and late of Quorn, aged 55 years. He attended the School 1899-1904 (School Reg. No. 3269).

CLELAND—On 1st July, Edward Erskine Cleland, of 323 Wakefield Street, Adelaide, aged 74 years. He attended the School 1879 to 1885 (School Reg. No. 767), and was a member of this Association. He had a distinguished legal career and was made a K.C. in 1912, and elevated to the Bench in 1936. Shortly after his appointment as King's Counsel, Mr. Justice Cleland was sent to London by the South Australian Government as one of the Counsel in the celebrated boundary dispute appeal between this State and Victoria before the Privy Council.

CONNELL—On 24th July, at a private hospital, Glenelg, Frederick, dearly beloved husband of May Connell, of 29 Walkers Road, Somerton, aged 33 years. He attended the School 1923-1927 (School Reg. No. 5958), and was a member of this Association.

COTTON—On 13th June, at his residence, Robert Cotton, of 2 Bethune Avenue, Glen Osmond, aged 89 years. He attended the School 1870-1871 (School Reg. No. 116).

DINGLE—On 14th July, at his late residence, 57 Milner Street, Prospect, Herbert Mitchell, dearly beloved husband of Lily M. Dingle, aged 67 years. He attended the School 1889 to 1892 (School Reg. No. 2124), and was a member of this Association.

GILES—On 20th October, 1942, at Norton Summit, William C. W. Giles, aged 74 years. He attended the School in 1884 (School Reg. No. 1368).

HANCOCK—On 23rd August, at No. 2 Nancy Street, North Bondi (N.S.W.) (suddenly), Leigh George, beloved husband of Edith Hancock, aged 75 years. He attended the School 1881 to 1882 (School Reg. No. 1032).

KINGSBOROUGH—On 14th June, at his late residence, 43 Cowandilla Road, Cowandilla, Frederick Michael, beloved husband of Marianna F. Kingsborough, aged 82 years. He attended the School 1872-1876 (School Reg. No. 204).

KIRKWOOD—On 19th May, at his residence, Bank of Adelaide, Unley, Harold Peter, the dearly loved husband of Nessie Kirkwood, aged 60 years. He attended the School 1897 to 1900 (School Reg. No. 3114), and was a member of this Association. He was a fine cricketer, and represented the School in the Intermediate matches.

MELLOR—On 2nd June, at a private hospital, North Walkerville, Percival Willingale Mellor, late of Reedbeds, aged 64 years. He attended the School 1892 to 1895 (School Reg. No. 2474), and was a Life Member (No. 94) of this Association.

MUECKE—On 29th July, at his residence, 16 Giles Street, Toorak, Louis Hugo, dearly beloved husband of Isabel M. Muecke, aged 70 years. He attended the School 1880 to 1889 (School Reg. No. 895), and was a member of this Association.

McTAGGART—On 27th March, 1943, at his residence, 26 Fifth Avenue, St. Peters, John Donald, dearly beloved husband of Ruth McTaggart, aged 76 years. He attended the School 1881 to 1883 (School Reg. No. 1016), and was a Life Member (No. 347) of this Association.

WARD—On 10th August, at College Park, Ivan Victor (Dick), beloved son of Gerald and Violet Ward, of McLaren Flat, aged 25 years. He attended the school in 1936 (School Reg. No. 7419), and was a member of this Association.

WATKINS—On 14th December, 1942, at his residence, Tungkillo, William Harvey, beloved husband of Meta R. Watkins, aged 38 years. He attended the School in 1919, and was a Life Member (No. 448) of this Association.

WILSDON—On 31st July, at his residence, "Geralka," Andrews, S.A., result of an accident, Ellis Victor Harry, beloved husband of Nellie I. Wilsdon, aged 37 years. He attended the School 1922 to 1923 (School Reg. No. 5811), and was a Life Member (No. 637) of this Association. He took great interest in the farming industry and excelled at wheat-growing. He won two State Champion Wheat Crop Competitions and came second in another—a record achievement in S.A.

Monthly Luncheons

The Monthly Luncheons are still being well attended. They are held in the Y.M.C.A. Massey Room (entrance from Gawler Place) on the last Thursday in each month. Old Boys in the Services are particularly welcomed.

At the May Luncheon Mr. Joseph Crompton gave a very interesting address on "Sheep, Wool and Rabbits." There was a record attendance of 69 at the June Luncheon, when the invited Guests of Honour were Mjr. R. T. Binns and Capt. G. Gilbert, repatriated prisoners of war from Italy. Unfortunately Mjr. Binns was called to Melbourne, but Capt. Gilbert gave those present a vivid description of his experiences in Africa and Italy, and warmly praised

the Red Cross Society for its regular supply of parcels of food and comforts.

Mr. L. Dawe (Field Officer Y.M.C.A.), at the July Luncheon, gave a comprehensive report of the Y.M.C.A. activities in the various Camps in Australia and elsewhere. Pte. G. R. Rooney, repatriated P.O.W. from Italy, was also our guest, and he gave a brief account of his experiences during the time he was a prisoner in Africa and Italy. At the August Luncheon Mr. R. A. Beaufoy, Managing Director of British Tube Mills, told us of the wonderful development of the industry in cold drawn steel tubes, and showed many interesting exhibits of precision work.

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

Rev. G. A. Hancock has moved from Lake Tyers to the The Rectory, Heyfield, Victoria.

Mr. T. A. Laurance, 15 Baird Street, East Brighton, sent his usual congratulatory message for "Old Boys' Week."

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.

PERSONAL

We regret to learn of the death of William B. Angwin, which occurred at Narrogin on 19th August.

J. Marychurch Jenkins celebrated his eightyeighth birthday recently.

H. H. L. Hardey has changed his address to Tranby Park, Serpentine, W.A.

J. L. B. Cowan has been promoted to Flt.-Lieutenant.

Jack Tregonning excelled in a recent cricket match between W.A. Cricket Association and Combined Army Team. He made 84 runs and took two excellent catches.

Both Tregonning and D. G. Lloyd have been prominent players for their respective teams in the Army Football Competitions.

NEW SOUTH WALES

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

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

PERSONAL

Fred Harris has been a very keen supporter of the Sydney Branch. He is a member of the Committee of the Commercial Travellers' Association of N.S.W., and a keen all-round sportsman. He owns a verly fine motor cruiser—length, 58 feet; beam, 14 ft. 9 in., and it is comfortably fitted for deep sea sailing. We all wish him and his wife, "Good sailing."

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.

PERSONAL

In a recent letter Mr. Coles writes:—"In recent months I have met the following "Old Reds" in Brisbane: Peter MacDonald, Keith Hall, Bill Gilbert, Ray Ridings, Bob Barnes, — Todd (Norm's brother), Ken. Robins, Charles Dunn, Denis Lloyd, Max Hudson, Reg. Nancarrow, Peter Mann, Bob Craven.

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