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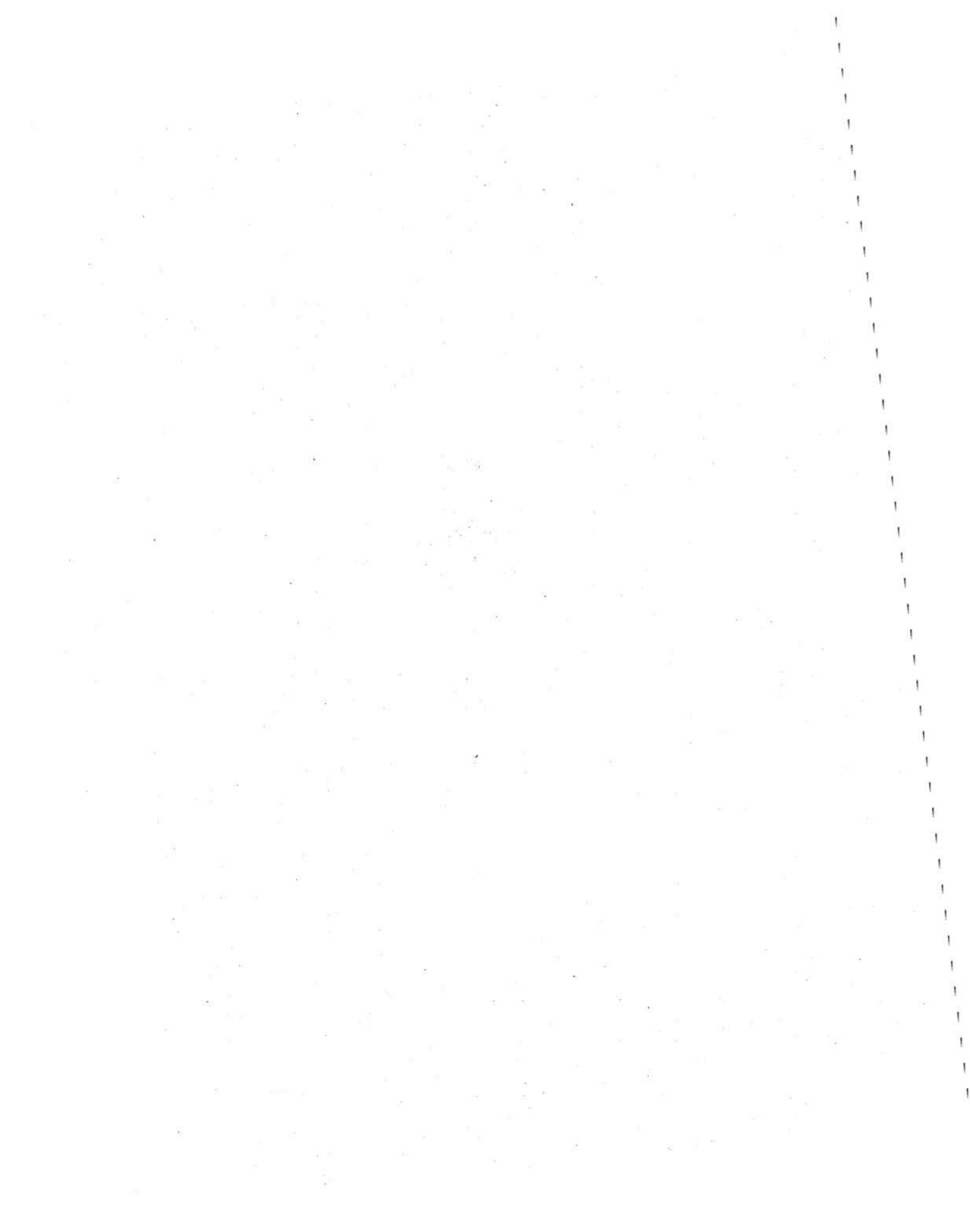
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Editorial

In recent years, the theme of many men of letters and men of high standing, has been the reform of our present educational system with its specialization and narrow concentration on vocational needs. On one point, all the assailants of modern education are agreed that history should provide the foundation for future education.

Nowadays, those who study history in our schools, are greatly outnumbered by students of other subjects, and this state of affairs is to be deplored, for it is history that gives the full education that sound basis, which is today deficient in our course of study.

But what is the especial value of history and why should it exert such a powerful influence on the modern mind? To find the answer, we must go back some fifty or more years to the education of the Victorian era. Here, we find that the basis of learning was the Greek and Roman classics and the Bible. The study of the Bible and the classical authors formed a great humanistic education, in that in reading them, one read the combined history and literature of the three greatest races of the ancient world. This form of study was replaced later by a wider, more general study of history and literature and the decline of this subject today threatens to rob education of one of its most vital constituents.

Apart from its necessity for the pursuit of literature, history is advantageous to the modern curriculum in two ways; firstly, in that it depicts the civilizations of men and women of bygone ages and

secondly, in that it reveals how the present state of affairs evolved from the past.

Today, because of the excellence of modern scholarship, life in various countries at various ages can be more fully and accurately presented than ever before; thus the greatest intellectual interest in history can be more than satisfied. The foremost value, however, in the reconstruction of the progress of man through the ages is the view we obtain of societies of human beings, often facing trials similar to those which confront us today. We see how these different societies prospered or waned, how they overcame their problems and which of their ideals were proved virtuous or faulty in the face of time.

The second aspect of the study of history, is that it throws light upon the present. Without a knowledge of history, we fail to appreciate our heritage as British subjects; we do not even understand our own personal opinions and prejudices. Without history, we cannot hope to understand the mentalities of various nations, and with the state of affairs as it is today, it is imperative that nations should overcome their absolute ignorance of one another and achieve some knowledge of each other's history and resulting way of life. On this matter Dr. Trevelyan, one of England's leading historians, states that by the study of history, "we shall acquire a mentality which, when we return to our own problems, will be less at the mercy of newspapers and films, trying to make us take short cuts to truth and to over-simplify the tangled skein of human affairs . . ."

School Notes

The second term is over and with it goes the bigger part of our chances for work in 1946.

The term began with a very sad note in the sudden sickness and death of Peter Piper. The whole school felt his passing as a real loss and again we extend our deepest sympathy to his parents and family.

Congratulations to the Cadet Corps on its fine turnout and march in the Victory Day Parade. The Corps has seldom, if ever, shown to a better advantage. The march was a great credit to the Corps and equally to Captain Mansfield and the other officers who controlled it.

Everyone enjoyed two excellent addresses delivered at Assembly and we are all grateful to the speakers. Brigadier Stranks spoke about conditions in China and under Japanese internment. His twenty-five years in Salvation Army work in China gave him a fund of information and interesting anecdote. Rev. R. D. Lloyd told us of the work of the Missions to Seamen. After hearing him everyone felt desirous of giving more to a Mission that is doing so fine a work.

The end of the term brought the Annual School Concert. To cope with bigger numbers it was decided to hold the concert for three nights instead of the usual two. This was fortunate, as it would have been impossible to seat all our visitors in two evenings. The acting was unusually and uniformly good so that it was hard for the judges to select the best performances. Congratulations to all who took part in every way and especially to Mr. May for the excellent musical work which he arranged. The school libraries will benefit considerably from the profits of the concert.

PETER PIPER

It is very unusual for a school to have to face the death of one of its boys. School boys are so young, so full of life and the joy of living, that it seems impossible that one of them should be called to go from the life they love and towards whose fulfilment they all look so eagerly.

On 20th June, we of Prince Alfred, lost one whom we shall long remember. Peter Brian Piper came of a family with a long connection with the school. His grandfather, His Honor Mr. Justice Piper, was at Prince Alfred in the 80's, and his father, Dr. Cyril Piper, was here some thirty years ago. With this family tradition behind him, Peter threw himself wholeheartedly into the life of the School. At the beginning of 1942, he came into the IV Form, where his bright, happy ways soon made him a popular member of the school and of the

Boarding House. He was not a brilliant scholar, but he had a fund of general information, an alert mind and a clear way of looking at things, which would have ensured his success in later years. In games he played a worthy part. He was picked to train for the school crew in the Head of the River Regatta and he began the second term practising with the firsts for football.



PETER PIPER

Early in June, he was unwell and unfortunately, his illness developed into acute leukaemia, from which there is no known recovery.

The School was represented at the funeral by the Prefects and Peter's friends, some of whom acted as bearers and by a large number of boys who attended to pay their last tribute of respect and affection. The Headmaster and several of the Staff were there; and the College Chaplain, Rev. C. J. Perry, assisted Rev. N. Claridge Goss in the burial service.

With flowers and messages we have already expressed our sympathy with Dr. and Mrs. Piper and Peter's sisters and would ask them again to accept the assurance of our sharing their sorrow. There is for those who remain, the dreadful sense of loss; but there is also the memory of a clean life lived by a brave and gallant son of whose years spent with them, they can have none but happy memories.

School Concert

The annual mid-winter concert was brought back to the School again this year, and was produced on three successive nights near the end of the term. Its success more than justified these moves. The smoothness with which the programme was carried out was a credit to performers and producers alike, and it was on the close co-operation of both that the success of the whole function depended.

After the singing of the National Anthem, the Headmaster, in his opening speech, welcomed those present back to the School, and explained that the concert was practically wholly the product of the boys themselves.

The opening item each evening was an excellent pianoforte overture: Pridham rendered "Rondo in C" (Dussek) on Thursday; R. G. Ferrett "Pathétique" Sonata, 1st Movement (Beethoven) on Friday; and Bennier Sonata in A Major, 3rd Movement (Mozart) on Saturday.

"Let the Bullgine Run" (Sailors' Shanty) and "Good-bye, My Little White House" (Ortiz) were then sung by the Choir, conducted by Mr. May, who is to be complimented on the splendid way in which his pupils rendered this selection and that which followed later in the evening. The later item consisted of "Drink to Me Only" (Traditional) and "Vesper Hymn" (Russian Air).

Coats next rendered a violin solo, "Moto Perpetuo" (Bohm), maintaining the high standard which we have come to expect from him.

Scott sang two songs, "Listen Mary" (Brae) and "The Bloom is on the Rye" (Bishop), and Nicholls and Pitman also gave us pianoforte solos, the former playing "Polonaise in A Major" (Chopin) on Thursday and Saturday, and the latter "Rondo from Sonata in C" (Haydn) on Friday.

The only other item outside the plays was a remarkable conjuring performance by R. A. Rossiter. The thunderous applause with which his efforts were received was ample proof that he had fully succeeded in "entertaining and mystifying" the audience.

Each Form produced a play for the concert, but the Fourth and Fifth Form products were staged on only two nights out of three. There was not a weak performance in Mr. Peard's Fourth Form play, "Decline and Fall," an episode in the breakdown of the Roman Empire, in which Lawrence played the military tribune, Tullus; Thyer, Pythias, his secretary; Ellis, Flavius; Skinner, Marcus; Cox, Magnus Maximus, a Roman General; Mills, Eudda, a British Lord; Cooper, the Lady Helena; and Parkinson, Alaric the Hun (complete with a very authentic accent).

The Lower Fifth play, "The Thought Machine," produced by Mr. Mutton, elicited numerous laughs from the audience. In a strong cast, McLachlan was outstanding, and a

constant source of humour. Williamson was well cast as Miss Spriggs, and Hale (Millie), Fricker (Gladys), Burns (Albert), Dawe (Bob Dennis), Thomas (Mr. Lancroft), and Coats (Mr. Barlow) all performed very capably.

Wiadowski was outstanding in the Upper Fifth play, "The Oak Settle," in which the efforts of a dishonest yokel and his wife to swindle a city couple provided good entertainment. Others in a cast which performed well were Hobbs, as Josiah Barton, the scheming farmer; Burroughs, as Frank Chatteris, the victim of Barton's wiles; Clarke, quite attractive as Mrs. Chatteris; and Tidswell, as Joe Sykes, the vanman. Production was in the hands of Mr. W. L. Davies.

Mr. Dillon's production, "The Man in the Bowler Hat," proved indeed "a terribly exciting affair," although obviously melodramatic. The roles of John and Mary were capably taken by Manser and Stevens, respectively, while Bennett performed well as the hero. Butler, a very passionate heroine; Nicholls, as chief villain, who, incidentally, bore a remarkable resemblance to Mandrake; and Bad Man Francis all contributed to the entertainment. Tiver was somewhat restricted by his role from displaying his histrionic abilities, but, nevertheless, he at least looked his part.

The final play on each evening was Mr. Hart's Upper Sixth production, "Snobs," which brought many a laugh from the audience. Rieschick was effective as a very forceful Herbert Bradbury, while the part of Lord William was capably handled by Skinner. Gibb gave an excellent performance as Hepple, the butler with the glamorous hair-do; and Ward, as Mrs. Bradbury, and Ashby as a warder also gave creditable exhibitions.

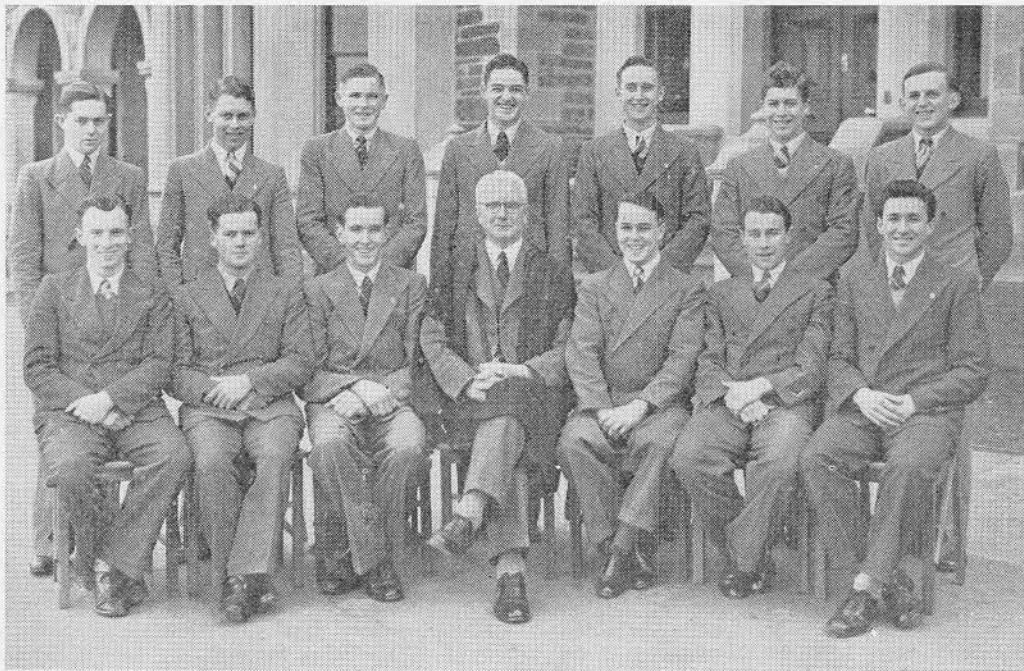
We are indebted to Mrs. and David Anderson and Mr. Lloyd Prider for their invaluable help with the costuming and make-up, while thanks are due to Mr. Dennis and his band of stage helpers, whose good work behind the scenes largely contributed to the success of the concert.

As a result of the judges' decisions the Recitation Prize was this year awarded jointly to McLachlan for his part as Mrs. Jones in "The Thought Machine," and to Wiadowski for his performance as Anne Barton. Congratulations go to both for their sterling performances.

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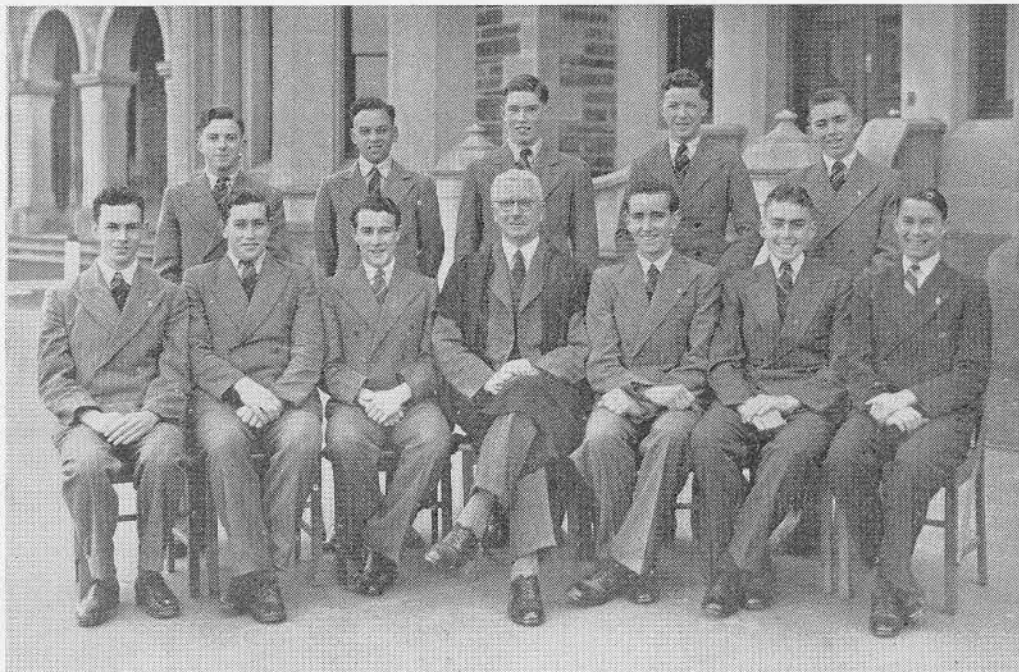
E. I. Ashby, 1942-6

House Prefect, 1944-5-6; Ambulance Corps, 1942-6; Junior Certificate, 1942-3-4; Senior Certificate, 1945; Intermediate, 1943; Leaving, 1944; "Head of the River" Eight, 1945-6; Games Committee, 1946; School House Committee, 1945-6.



SCHOOL PREFECTS 1946

Standing—G. R. Wicks, A. M. Olsson, G. B. Markey, D. W. Candy, D. T. Rowe,
D. R. Watson, J. T. Mellor
Seated—J. A. Cooper, D. L. Bennier, K. N. Wilkinson, Mr. J. F. Ward, M.A. (Headmaster),
C. F. Hockney (Captain of the School), D. G. Gunning, D. L. Steele



BOARDING HOUSE PREFECTS 1946

Standing—C. G. Paull, P. L. Barker, J. R. Harbison, B. J. Francis, C. G. Woodard
Seated—G. G. Ward, E. I. Ashby, D. G. Gunning, Mr. J. F. Ward, M.A. (Headmaster),
K. N. Wilkinson (Head of the House), G. M. Nicholls, B. C. Hoad

House Notes

SCHOOL HOUSE

(Boarders)

The advent of the football season put the boarders in high spirits for the second term. Unfortunately, life is less interesting, especially for the wing, since Mr. Banks departed from our midst. Aforementioned high spirits were somewhat subdued, when the temperature of the showers was taken, one cold morning.

The football season opened with a swing for the boarders, with a good many in the First practice. Time, however, proved that only six of these made Intercollegiate standard. To these, namely Gunning, Gann, Mudge, Wilkinson and the two reserves, Barton and Effick, we offer our congratulations.

On the first Thursday after the Intercollegiate, the Boarders' First Eighteen played Saints' Boarders at S.P.S.C. We were unfortunate in losing the match, as we had a 3 goal margin at three-quarter time, but Saints' finish proved too much for us.

In the first House match, School House upheld its reputation by defeating Waterhouse, after a dashing last quarter. In the finals, however, we were unlucky in losing to Cotton. It was a good match—were they lucky! Congratulations, Cotton House.

The prefects suffered another loss in their ranks this term, when Brian Hoad left. This reduced the ranks to ten and we are now about to lose another, Eric Ashby, as the term closes.

We would like to express our gratitude to Matron and the kitchen staff, for the way they have managed to provide meals during the gas restrictions.

Before finishing, we congratulate MacLachlan on sharing the recitation prize for his acting in the concert.

In conclusion, we ask:—

- (1) Did the field umpire need glasses in our first House match?
- (2) Why have they changed the Atomic Bomb testing ground from Bikini to P.A.C.?

WATERHOUSE HOUSE

Once again the term has passed profitably for us. Captained by Candy, our house football team extinguished itself and finished second to last in the house matches. (This is one place higher than last year—a decided improvement).

In the first match, against School House, luck was against us, otherwise we would have won easily. We think Berry would probably do better if he ran and did not roll. The umpire was also consistently bad, although he did not favour either side, as he should have.

After Bayly went under to Cotton, we had to play them to decide who would take fourth (last) place. The game was played in ideal weather—several inches of rain fell each quarter, we believe, while the temperature never once rose above zero, providing us with a good reason to run around in an attempt to get warm.

As usual, Waterhouse House was well represented in our Intercollegiate team—Candy, Tait, Pittman and Phillips being our exhibits. Generally our men were the best players, although some people wouldn't believe it.

However, it is not only in sport that we have been outstanding, but also in the academical side of school life. We record Prest (VuA) and Mackay (IVC) who are both duces, and we have no doubt that many Waterhouse lads were just cheated out of this position.

In conclusion, we would like to say that we are undoubtedly the best house and if anyone wishes to change during the next term, we are always willing to examine their credentials and, maybe, admit them into the house. We would also like to thank Messrs. Hart and Allen for helping us so much during the term and hope that they will continue in their fine efforts towards the betterment of the school in general.

BAYLY HOUSE

Bayly House started the second term in high spirits. Five members of the Intercollegiate football team were from Bayly House; Captain Hockney, Steele, Elix, Watson and Griggs. Needless to say, a Bayly boy was best player for Princes in that somewhat disastrous match. There was also a fine action picture of a Bayly House player displayed in a leading newspaper of the State, taken from the same game.

We had a bad run, however, in the House Football, being well beaten, first by Cotton and then by Waterhouse, to whom go our congratulations, especially to Cotton on winning the final match. Our smaller team, keen as it was, proved unable to cope with its much bigger opponents. In about three years, most of this year's Bayly team should be in the First Eleven, enabling our House to go top without much trouble.

Four of the team that managed to defeat the P.G.C. hockey team, Hockney, Steele, Watson, Bennier, were Baylyites. From all these results it can be seen that Bayly is keeping the School's standard of sport high, while in the classroom many from that staunch house are to the fore. Congratulations are due to Chartres, who remains dux of the school. Many thanks go to our House Masters, Messrs. R. T. Smith and A. S. Johnston, for the lively interest shown in Bayly's activities.

COTTON HOUSE

House Football Honours To Cotton

Under the leadership of Messrs. Mutton and K. W. Smith, Cotton House has completed the second term with a triumphant record in school activities.

The main sporting interest this term has been the football and in this sphere Cotton representatives have more than held their own. The Intercollegiate Football match saw us represented by Cooper, Olsson, G. L. Cord-Udy, Huelin and Wicks, who all acquitted themselves well. Special congratulations go to Cord-Udy for his brilliant play in the back lines.

With such a fine nucleus of First Eighteen players, including House captain Burton, it was not surprising that Cotton House performed so well in the football competition.

In the first round we drew Bayly and although without the services of G. L. Cord-Udy, we registered a comfortable win. After an even opening, Cotton proved too well balanced and with Wicks starring at centre half-forward, we ran out winners, 9 goals 10 to 4 goals 5.

Fielding a team, which on paper appeared unbeatable, the Boarders were favoured for the

inter-House title in the final match against Cotton. School House ran to a 19 point lead early in the game and at half-time appeared to have the match in their grasp.

Despite the deficit, Cotton fought back gamely in the last half and cheers from the day-boys greeted Huelin's long distance goal in the last quarter, which put Cotton ahead for the first time. Another quick goal from Giles gave Cotton a match-winning lead and despite rather liberal use of weight by the Boarders, Cotton won handsomely, 6-6 to 5-5. Burton and Huelin were the outstanding men in this game.

Besides taking the football honours, Cotton's prestige has been well upheld in the scholastic sphere, Parker and Mills obtaining top positions in their respective forms. Although we did not achieve first position in the school, Cotton representatives landed second and third places in VIu A.

Next term the cricket and tennis contests will be held, and possessing a good proportion of the school's leading players in these sports, Cotton hopes to emulate the fine example set by its football team.

Cadet Notes

Work has continued much as usual in the Corps this term, and instructors from the Army have helped in a large part of the second and third year work.

During the term the following promotions have taken place:—To be Sergeants: R. W. Piper, D. J. Bennier, G. Kneebone, H. B. Standen, D. W. Candy, B. Passey, A. K. Harris, M. J. Scholz. Sergeant Venner and R. S. M. Zanker have been recommended for commissions.

Range practice on the School range has taken place, platoon by platoon, in the latter part of

the term and has provided welcome practical experience and a change from normal work.

On Victory Day the whole detachment in company with detachments from the other schools marched in the parade. After a little preliminary trouble with the step in the Parklands, the Corps marched very well.

The camp was fixed for the second term holidays and is being held at Warradale. On the Wednesday of the last week of the term all the boys who intended to attend the camp were taken by truck to Warradale, where it is hoped an instructive week will ensue.

Memorial Library Notes

Senior boys have again made good use of the Memorial Library this term. However, those who are allowed to borrow books are reminded that cards must be entered for all books taken out, and these cards signed by a member of the Library Committee. Seven new books have been added this term:

"Five Restoration Tragedies"—the world's classics.

"The Alchemist" (Ben Jonson).

Both these books will be of special value for the Leaving Honours Melrose Essay.

"Mathematics; its Magic and Mastery" (Aaron Bakst).

"Elementary Calculus" (Durell and Robson).

"The Tutorial Algebra" (Briggs and Bryan).

"School Atlas" (Goode).

"A College Geography" (Case and Berys-mark).

P.A.C. Intercollegiate Football Team, 1946

P.A.C., 7—8

S.P.S.C., 22—16



Back Row—G. M. Mudge, R. B. Gann, K. A. Huelin, K. N. Wilkinson, B. H. Pittman, I. O. G. Tait
Middle Row—D. R. Watson, R. L. Elix, D. L. Steele, R. T. Smith, Esq., R. L. Griggs, G. R. Wicks,
G. L. Cord-Udy
Front Row—A. M. Olsson, J. A. Cooper, D. W. Candy (Vice-Capt.), C. F. Hockney (Capt.),
M. K. Phillips, D. G. Gunning
Inset—B. H. Leak, Esq. (Coach)

The Intercollegiate Football Match

Saints eighteen, playing a much more impressive game than our team, scored one of the easiest victories in the history of Intercollegiate Football this term, winning by the large margin of 98 points. The game was played on the Adelaide Oval on 3rd August, the progressive scores being—

| | 1st Term | 2nd | 3rd | Final |
|----------|----------|------|-------|-------|
| S.P.S.C. | - 3—4 | 11—5 | 17—10 | 22—16 |
| P.A.C. | - 2—2 | 4—3 | 7—5 | 7—8 |

The first quarter was the only term in which Princes compared at all favourably with Saints—we led by five points at one stage.

Good work by the ruckmen, particularly Candy, in checking Harris during this time was perhaps the main cause of our initial success in holding Saints. Gunning also backed the rucks up well with some good roving.

The second quarter brought greatly improved football from our opponents, who added 8 goals to our 2.

During this term every Saints man seemed to be faster to the ball than his immediate opponent—particularly noticeable were Harris (ruck), Harbison and Jose.

Solid work by Cooper, Steele and Cord-Udy in defence helped to stem the tide somewhat.

After half-time Gunning was put at centre to oppose Harbison. This, and more inspired play by Princes in general, helped to improve the outlook slightly, as we kicked goal for goal with Saints for a while.

Better combination in our half-forward line was apparent during this period, when Watson and Tait were occasionally prominent. Wilkinson was also playing well at full forward, and made good use of the few opportunities which came his way.

Later in the third quarter Seedsman and Lawrence began to quell our half-forwards again, helping Saints to add four goals from Nicholls, who had played brilliantly during the whole game.

The last quarter was a repetition of the second, Saints adding 5 goals 6 points to our 3 points.

During this time the only players on our side who had a chance to stop Saints' rush were the backs, and among them Steele was most prominent for his successful methods in stopping Jose. Cooper also played well at centre half-back.

Elsewhere the height (or depth) of our ineffectiveness was now revealed with Saints outpacing, outmanoeuvring and outmarking our men at every encounter. Gunning and Hockney flashed into view several times in spirited bursts, but Saints' backmen stayed every P.A.C. thrust.

In the closing stages of the game Barton and Effick (19th and 20th) were called on to replace Pittman and Elix (retired with cramp).

The goalkickers for each side were: P.A.C.—Wilkinson (4), Gunning, Elix and Olsson (1); S.P.S.C.—Nicholls (9), Jose (4), Hayward (3), Dowding and Whiting (2), Allen and Gun (1).

Best players were: For Princes, best play came in defence, with Steele, Cooper and Cord-Udy particularly outstanding. Gunning and Phillips also played well. Of the others, Wilkinson at full-forward was outstanding. Candy and Huelin were also noticeable for their efforts in ruck. Watson and Tait played well in short bursts, particularly during the first and second quarters.

For Saints, everyone played well, Nicholls, Dowding, Harris and Harbison being particularly outstanding. Jose played well until Steele began to get his measure in the second and third quarters. Later he was hurt, and faded out of the game.

Even though on paper it seemed Saints would beat us, nobody thought that we would receive such a severe drubbing. Our fellows tried hard against overwhelming and brilliant opposition, and did not throw in the towel at any time.

Princes barrackers, however, did not show the spirit of previous Intercol. Only a small group of enthusiasts tried to rally the School by some concentrated yelling when the game was going against us.

However, it is not of much use crying over spilt milk, and the School must settle down to work hard and try to win the cup back from Saints next year.

CRITIQUE

Candy, D. W. (Ruck and Back Pocket)—A tower of strength in the ruck. He marks brilliantly and combines well with the rover. A good drop-kick would improve his game.

Cooper, J. A. (Half-back)—Clears well with a long kick, but is only a fair mark. Always a trier, and watches his man very closely. Must be congratulated on Intercol. game.

Gunning, D. G. (Rover and Forward)—A brilliant footballer, who marks and kicks well. Very determined. Lack of co-operation, however, spoils some of his efforts.

Olsson, A. M. (Wing)—Good mark and kick who uses his pace to advantage. His position play and co-operation have made him a most reliable player.

Phillips, M. K. (half-back)—Good solid footballer with great courage. A reliable kick, but his marking and handling of the man tend to spoil his play.

Tait, I. O. G. (Half-forward Left)—His excellent marking, kicking and left-foot turns have made him valuable in the team. Tends to be lazy at times.

Steele, D. L. (Full-back)—A rugged player who uses great judgment and clears well with a long kick. He has played consistently during the year, and is to be congratulated on being chosen as best player in Oval match.

Cord-Udy (Back Pocket)—A reliable player who, by his cool and determined play, has proved himself an ideal back-man. Marks and kicks well.

Elix, R. L. (Rover and Forward)—A neat stab-kick who has combined well with the forwards. His fearless play in the crushes and his determined clearing have made him a first-class player.

Gann, R. B. (Ruck and Back Pocket)—A safe mark and a good long kick. Goes into the crushes but does not use his weight or height to the best advantage.

Griggs, R. L. (Wing)—A trifle slow, but his sound judgment and position play overcame this disadvantage. A neat kick and fair mark.

Huelin, K. A. (Ruck and Forward)—A solid ruckman who is always in the play. Marks and knocks out well. A good punt-kick, but should try to develop a better drop-kick.

Mudge, G. M. (Half-back)—Checks his opponent very closely, and by his go-through tactics in the crushes has made himself a good half-back. His spoiling is good, but his kicking rather weak.

Pittman, B. H. (Ruck and Forward)—A brainy footballer who makes position well. A good long kick and a reliable mark. A set position would have suited him better.

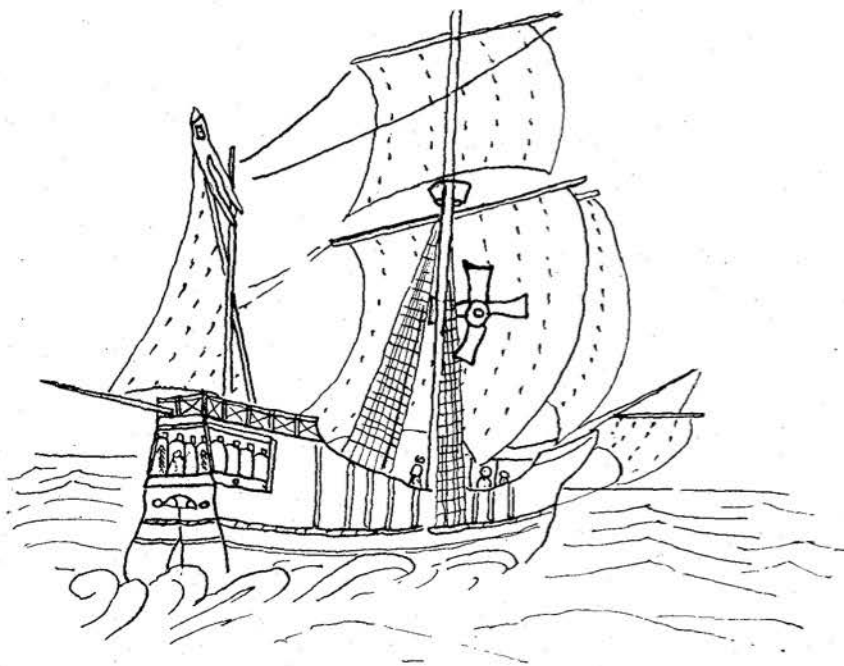
Watson, D. R. (Half-forward)—Played the position well, and usually beat his man for the ball. High marking good, but his disposal of the ball is rather weak.

Wicks, G. R. (Centre Half-forward)—A fast and elusive player who kicks and marks brilliantly. Leads well, but is inclined to wander too far.

Wilkinson, K. N. (Goalsneak)—A brilliant high mark, who leads well and kicks with good direction. His ground play is a little clumsy, and he is inclined to kick too hard. Must be congratulated on Intercol. game.

Barton (19th) and **Effick** (20th)—Both were unlucky to miss selection for the eighteen.

Heckney, C. F. (Captain and Centre)—Inspired his team throughout the season. His anticipation, brilliant ground play and fast disposal of the ball rank him as a good footballer, in spite of his lack of height.—(D. W. C.)



"SANTA MARIA"

B. Hill, III A

Football Notes

The season just completed has in many ways been a very satisfactory one, and this in spite of the fact that on the Adelaide Oval we were overwhelmed by a very much better team. On that occasion we were opposed by a first-rate team, every member of which seemed to be playing right up to his top form, whereas many of our men seemed to be under a cloud. In our other games, though, we usually played good football, and won all except the match against Immanuel College, who defeated us in a most interesting contest early in the season.

In all the other grades, too, we have had a fair measure of success. Most matches have been keenly fought, and from all accounts good fun and fellowship were to be had in every game and in every team.

This year we have fielded Firsts, Seconds, Thirds, Fourths, Fifths, Under 15 "A" and "B", Under 14 "A" and "B", and Under 13 "A" and "B"—eleven teams in all; more than ever before in the history of the School. Most Saturdays there were about 200 boys taking part in matches, which is an excellent thing. Any boy who enjoys a game of football could find a place in one of the teams. He didn't have to be very good, but he could still get a lot of fun each week.

The masters who have helped in the supervision of teams include Messrs. Allen, Mansfield, Rev. C. J. Perry, Messrs. Kurtz, Leak and R. T. Smith.

FIRST EIGHTEEN GAMES

Of the fourteen matches played by the First Eighteen, the Reds won twelve, losing only to Immanuel College on the Walkerville Oval, and S.P.S.C.

Most notable of Princes efforts this season was our defeat of the strong Rostrevor side, on both occasions of our meeting them. This is the first time for at least four years that this has been done, and testifies to the worthiness of the team. In the game played on the P.A.C. Oval, incidentally the most exciting and the closest which we played, Princes just scraped home with a goal at the bell, to win by two points. A creditable performance! The return match, played at Rostrevor College, resulted in a much easier win for P.A.C. Playing by far their best football for the season, the red and whites ran away to win by four goals.

Other matches in which we were extended were those against University "C" and Adelaide High School. In both these games sterling play by our opponents kept the result in doubt until well into the last quarter, when Princes' better training began to tell. The game against Varsity was won by five points, and that against the High School by two goals.

Matches played against Teachers' College "B", Concordia College, Scotch College (twice), Christian Brothers' College (Wakefield Street), Police, S.P.S.C. Old Scholars "B" and P.A.C. Old Scholars "B" all resulted in wins for Princes.

The team was well led by Hockney and played some fine football on occasions.

Thanks are due to Mr. Leak, who though not able to watch us in our important games did a good job in his first season of coaching. It is to be hoped that he will continue as coach for some years to come.

We must also extend our appreciation to Mr. R. T. Smith for his managing of the team's affairs, and for his enthusiastic following of them to all matches in the absence of the coach.

First Eighteen Results

- 1st June—P.A.C., 27—34, d. C.B.C., 2—2.
 8th June—P.A.C., 9—13, d. Varsity "C", 9—5.
 15th June—P.A.C., 18—16, d. A.T.C., 5—5.
 22nd June—P.A.C., 11—11, lost to Immanuel College, 13—13.
 29th June—P.A.C., 23—17, d. Scotch College, 4—3.
 6th July—P.A.C., 13—15, d. A.H.S., 12—7.
 13th July—P.A.C., 12—12, d. Rostrevor, 13—4.
 20th July—P.A.C., 11—15, d. Concordia, 7—9.
 27th July—P.A.C., 23—30, d. Scotch College, 2—2.
 30th July—P.A.C., 10—11, d. Police, 9—15.
 3rd August—P.A.C., 7—8, lost to S.P.S.C., 22—16.
 10th August—P.A.C., 13—16, d. Rostrevor, 11—4.
 17th August—P.A.C., 19—21, d. S.P.S.C.O.C., 1—6.
 24th August—P.A.C., 23—8, d. P.A.O.C., 1—5.

SECOND EIGHTEEN

Once again the Seconds have fielded a powerful eighteen, and have been successful in winning seven of the eleven matches played. Most of the games were close, and the team played well together despite numerous changes of personnel due to promotion to the Firsts.

The best match of the season was the one against a combined Second and Under 16 team from Saints, which we lost by one point kicked on the bell.

Most consistent players for the season have been Burton, Rowe, Berry, Barton, Tucker, Nicholls and Ashby. Burton and Ashby have shared the duties of captain between them, and both have done a good job in keeping the team playing well and happily together.

Results

Defeated—Woodville High School
 King's College
 S.P.S.C. Seconds
 S.P.S.C. Under 16
 S.H.C.
 Norwood High School
 Adelaide Technical High School

Lost to—Unley High School
 S.P.S.C. Seconds and Under 16
 Woodville High School
 S.P.S.C. Under 16

THIRDS

Of the ten matches played, five were won, one drawn and four lost. An initial run of successes was stopped by the promotion of a number of the better players to the Seconds. However, a number of stalwarts continued to represent us throughout the season, the best of whom were Cox, an excellent rover, Waugh, Symons, Skinner, Naughton and Markey. Jephcott was a keen and enthusiastic captain, and Berriman an accurate goalkicker.

FOURTHS AND FIFTHS

The Fourths and Fifths, under Harbison and Ward, have met with varying success, but the experience so gained will stand the players in good stead later on.

UNDER FIFTEEN "A"

We had a very successful season in the Under 15 "A" this year, being defeated only three times, each of these being at the hands of Saints. About a dozen matches were played, and during the sixth one, against Saints, Grant May, one of our leading ruckmen, fell and broke his arm. This was a serious setback, as he was one of our outstanding players. Others to do well in a good side were Young (rover and forward), Sharland (ruck and forward), Brabham (centre half-forward), Moore (centre half-back), Hill (rover and forward) and Hockney (full back).

After we had played a few matches, one of our wingmen (Reesema) had to return to his home in Holland. He was a refugee during the war, and played consistently good football while at school. We all hope that he finds Holland a good place to go back to.

Lastly, but by no means least, the team takes this opportunity of thanking Rev. C. J. Perry for coaching us so capably, and also for making, with the help of the captain, Young, such a good team.

D. H. P.

UNDER 15 "B"

The members of the Under 15 "B" football team have been unfortunate this season in only winning one match (against Scotch), and thereby being bottom team of the Under 15 group.

However, under the able guidance of our coach, Rev. C. J. Perry, we are a much improved side, having in the last two games lost by a small margin of points.

Markey, Thomas and Lovegrove have been nominated as the three best players this term, and we congratulate Kelton for his fine performances when he played for us. Though often defeated, the team enjoyed their matches.

C. W. McC.

UNDER 14

The team had quite a successful season under the captaincy of Bruce Ferris. Between 40 and 50 boys attended practices—not, however, always regularly. It is to be hoped that next year, as Under 15's, every member will realize his responsibility to his team to attend practice as often as possible.

It was unfortunate that the team, below full strength, lost the first match at Rostrevor—by 5 points—as this was the only loss for the season.

Among the most consistent players might be mentioned Ferris, Tidley, Scott, Frost, Martin and Chappell, the last-named scoring most goals. However, the team owed its success not so much to outstanding players as to even team work.

Several matches were arranged for a second team, all of which were won. Many of these smaller boys showed promise of developing into good footballers next year.

G. W. M.

UNDER 13

The Under 13's have not enjoyed a very successful season, only winning one match.

At the beginning of the season Lill was elected captain and Ducker vice-captain; these two, with Looker and Applebee, have played sound football in all matches. We are indebted to Mr. J. B. Allen for his efficient coaching of the team throughout the term.

In the match against the Prep. we won by an overwhelming margin, with Ducker notching eight goals and Skinnér three.

JUNIOR SHIELD FOOTBALL

The IV a form won the shield this year by defeating IV b and IV c rather easily. The scores were:

IV a, 8—5, d. IV b, 0—5

IV a, 13—6, d. IV c., 1—3

In both matches Frost dominated the ruck, and with Scott roving formed a winning combination. Watkins and Chappell also played well for the winners, while Ducker and Forrest for IV c and Prest IV b showed up prominently.

Prefects' Remarks

The prefects this term kept an eye on a somewhat higher minded school. This serenity is unusual, as the second term is the longest for the year and generally results in a larger band of misdoers than the shorter terms. Tennis, and the developing of excellent fore-hand drives during the first term, may have had something to do with it. We can, however, only guess.

Having as it were, then, a clean field in that direction, we were able to throw all our resources into other occupations.

Football, of course, is the great game of the term, and there is nothing we like better. We, naturally enough, enjoy everything, but our preference for the manly game is evident, in that nine, (yes, half) of the Intercollegiate team, were prefects. Hockney captained it, and was well supported by vice-captain Candy, other members being Cooper, Gunning, Olsson, Steele, Watson, Wicks and Wilkinson.

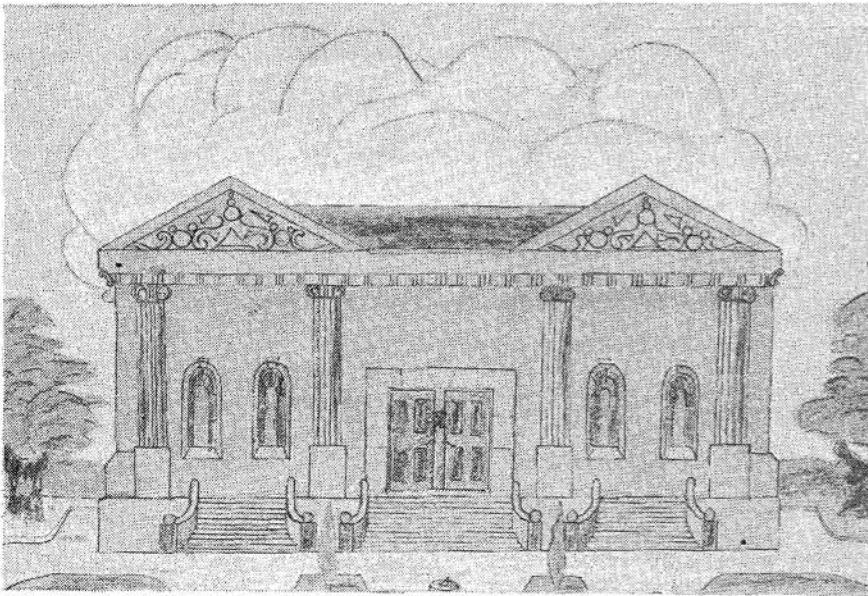
Not content with dominating the football fields, however, we must needs seek other games to master. What better one than hockey? (Adapted from Hockney?) Here our captain proved his worth in arranging a match against the prefects of P. G. C. This game was enjoyed by all, though hard hitters on both sides caused some uncomfortable knocks. Ultimate victors were Princes, the scores being three goals to nil. It is to be hoped that more such games will take place in the near future..

Apart from sport and study our most vigorous attentions were directed to the tuckshop, where many of us are speedily learning the trade of shop walking. Steele says he prefers lifting (lift operating?) With our help the tuck has seen one of its busiest periods this term.

Suggestions put forward by some of the more energetic in our ranks include the improving and renovating of the prefects' room. A step forward was made by one bright lad, who installed an electric light globe that lit. (Was it Cooper or Rowe? In any case it was Wicks who got rid of the old one.) Kalso-mining the walls was also proposed, but wet weather, or something, damped the spirits (his feelings, that is) of the mover of this motion and nothing was done. We are, however, now adorning the walls with three rows of prefects' photos, and we hope soon to see our own take its place among them.

Leading in all other departments, we are also proud to be the happiest members of the school community. With a view to remaining such, frequent rehearsals for laughing are held in the prefects' room. Guffaws of laughter may be heard at some distance from the school, during one of these. In concluding, we would ask readers, if any, "Is a big mouth conducive to loud laughing?" We think it is.

D. R. W.



"MY DREAM PALACE"

L. B., IV C

Debating Society Notes

Because of an unusually late start, the Debating Society has managed to hold only four meetings this term.

First Meeting

Owing to the short notice this meeting took the form of impromptu interspersed with prepared speeches. Included in the latter were Watson's address on "Rabbit Shooting," Waugh's on "What will happen when the Atomic Bomb falls," and Brose's highly entertaining discourse on "Words." The subjects of the impromptu varied from Rossiter's "Racing Pigeons" to Berry's "Intercollegiate Billiards." Ward dealt with "Boarders' Parties," Ashby with "Potato Digging," and Barker with "Accidents," the remnants of a black eye materially contributing to the authenticity of this last speech. Sharley dealt with "Mount Gambier," which we conclude is his home town, and Barton completed the list on a subject in which he was well versed, "Rowing at Murray Bridge is a Serious Business."

Second Meeting

Skinner started the evening with a prepared talk on "Riding from Adelaide to Port Vincent by Bicycle." Probably his most significant statement was his last—the return journey was made by boat. A debate then took place, the subject being, "That the Voting Age should

be Lowered to Eighteen Years." Pro side, Brose, Woolston and Dunn, were opposed by Woodard, Waugh and Ferris, to whom the adjudicator, Mr. Allen, gave the decision. Mr. Wilkinson rounded off the evening with an impromptu on "Picnics in the Hills."

Third Meeting

The third meeting began with an impromptu quiz, in which Cox, Vandeeper and Giddy comfortably defeated Berriman, Bennet and Heaslip. Brose, Dunn, Ferrett and Watson then opposed Woodard, Wilkinson, Barker and Waugh, who took the con side on the assertion that "British Rule in India has been a Failure," and who were awarded the decision by Mr. Hart.

Fourth Meeting

This also was opened by an impromptu quiz, which was comfortably won by the VI u representatives Davie and Paull. Woodard, Wilkinson and Cox then opposed a University team consisting of Messrs. Opie and Parkinson and Miss Gubbins, who contended that "British Rule in India has been a Failure." Rev. C. J. Perry adjudicated, and after praising the efforts of the speakers, especially the two leaders, declared the visitors victorious by one point.

It is hoped that another debate will be able to be held next term before the annual contest against St. Peters takes place.

Scout Notes

Scout activities continued as usual this term with a somewhat broken period when examinations were in progress in the middle of the term.

The troop was well represented in the Victory March which took place on 10th June. Our Scout standard was carried by one of the troop, and although the rain was an unwelcome guest our spirits remained high.

The second term is usually taken up with routine activities and classes were held in morse, ambulance and other tests.

Several boys are now well on the way to their first class and the majority of the troop have attained second class standard.

Instruction was ably given by the patrol leaders and consequently these boys have not had much time for passing tests themselves. However, they are doing a good job in keeping the younger members of the troop up to standard.

A patrol camp is being held at the scout shack this September, which should be good

training and experience for the younger boys and also for the patrol leaders in charge.

The troop will parade as usual next term and we hope to accomplish much and have an enjoyable term's scout life.

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| VI u A | - - - | B. A. Chartres |
| VI u B | - - - | C. G. Woodard |
| VI A | - - - | R. C. Bennett |
| VIB | - - - | G. A. Hobbs |
| VIC | - - - | K. E. Parker |
| Vu A | - - - | D. H. Prest |
| Vu B | - - - | G. D. Clarke |
| Vu C | - - - | D. C. Young |
| Vu D | - - - | F. C. Kuhlmann |
| VIA | - - - | D. G. Hill |
| VIB | - - - | J. K. Pitman |
| VIC | - - - | A. V. Hill |
| VID | - - - | J. W. Robertson |
| IVA | - - - | W. H. Harvey |
| IVB | - - - | J. S. Mills |
| IVC | - - - | L. K. Mackay |

Student Christian Movement Notes

Following the usual custom, the second term meetings were addressed by members of the committee. The first meeting was addressed by Bennier and Rieschick, who gave a constructive criticism of the Church of today, under the title of "The Revitalization of the Church".

We were fortunate for the second meeting to secure the help of Miss Joan Chadwick, the travelling secretary of the Student Christian Movement, to whom the boys listened with interest and appreciation.

Hockney and Markey addressed our third meeting, giving us an excellent discourse on the Psalms of David. Markey talked about the psalms of praise while Hockney described the psalms of hate.

The book of Jonah was the basis for the discussion of the fourth meeting, given by Skinner

and Woodard. Skinner gave a resume of the story of Jonah, to which Woodard added numerous explanations, elucidations and morals.

The term closed, as far as the S. C. M. was concerned, with the fifth meeting, given by Bennier and Rieschick, who gave a discussion on "The relative importance of Parables and Miracles in Christ's teaching."

Taking the term as a whole, the S. C. M. has had a good time. The attendance has been very encouraging, being a remarkable improvement on the small attendances of the first term.

Next term, as usual, we will be addressed again by outside speakers, so we hope that as many as possible will come and give them a good hearing.

Science Journal

Many members of the school are probably unaware of the fact that last year a small magazine was compiled by boys from VIu, containing several essays on scientific subjects, written by members of that form.

A second volume is to be published early next term, slightly larger than the first, and we hope every bit as interesting.

All essays and articles in the magazine were written by members of VIu, while it was put together by a committee, consisting of Chartres (Editor), Waugh, Markey and Skinner.

It is to be hoped that many members of the School purchase a copy of this magazine and read some, at least, of the articles. If so, then

the aim of the committee, and all who wrote essays will be realised, that is, to try and widen the fields of science in the school.

In addition to having their essays included in the journal, several boys gave lectures during the term on the subject on which they wrote. Several very informative lessons were spent in this way, and it is to be hoped that this same procedure will be followed in succeeding years. Those who gave lectures were Markey (Astronomy), Bennier (Radar), Skinner (Wilson Cloud Chamber), Chartres (Pressure Electricity), Smith (Photoelectric Effect), and Forbes (Heredity).

It is to be hoped that a magazine on science will be produced every year in the future.



Original Contributions

THE ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES OF THE ATOMIC PEN-WIPER

In this, the year 2001 A.D., we find thrust upon us the greatest of all atomic household aids, the super atomic pen-wiper. No longer do we have to live a life of drudgery, wiping the new inkier ink from our gyro-stabilised gantry-suspended pens.

This amazingly simple device is now on the market at the price of $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per thousand, and will wipe the dirtiest pen clean in less than a fortnight. Some might say that such incredible working speeds might have allied dangers, but the makers guarantee that, housed in its simple ten-storey workshop (uranium mine attached), the wiper is reasonably safe.

Out of the last thousand batches of this amazing invention there have been only 999 complaints, which were promptly rectified. It is a disturbing thing to note, however, that some hare-brained pen-pusher mishandled his pen-wiper, and the orbit of Jupiter has changed from an ellipse to a cardioide. We are glad to note, however, that the clerk is no longer hare-brained, but has been fitted with a Diesel-powered, triple-acting, water-cooled thinker. This was subscribed by the manufacturers of the pen-wiper, as the clerk was slightly singed about the hair and eyebrows by the blast.

D. M. W., VIuA

THE PROSPEROUS FISHERMAN

Jack Davies was a fisherman
Of fame and of great skill;
The money that he made, of course,
Filled up the family till.

His boat was large and roomy,
So Jack was always bright:
For he never had the slightest reason
To go out in the night.

One day when Jack was fishing
A large fish did he spy;
He quickly threw his long harpoon
And speared him through the eye.

From this fish he made more money
And thus improved his boat;
He gave his children more new toys
And his wife a new fur coat.

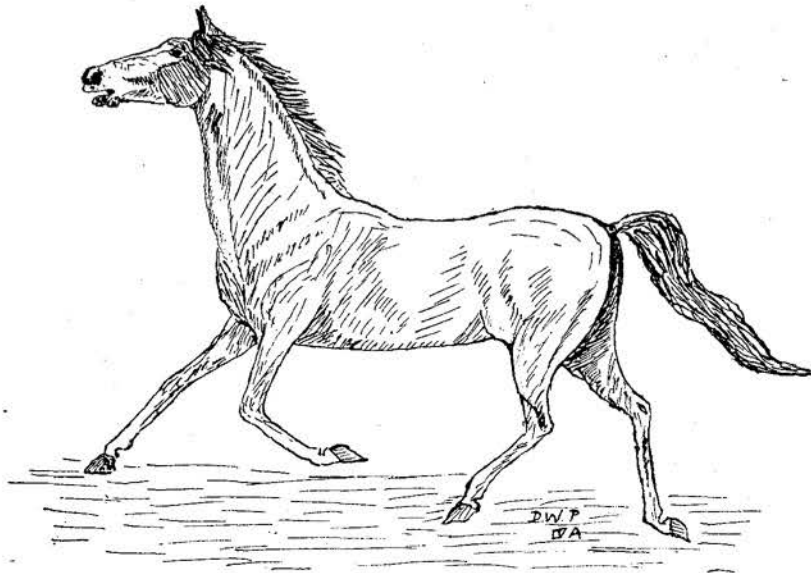
So you see, Jack's life was happy,
For worries he had none,
And when he died he left his boat
And fortune to his son.

D. G. S., IV B

GASES

Restricted in the use of gas,
The public merely grin and bear;
Restrict the politicians' gas,
They'd promptly say, "It isn't fair."

R. J. B., VI A



"BURNBURROW"

D. W. P., IV A

AFTER SCHOOL

As soon as the master has let us out,
The boys begin to yell and shout.
Thomas' books fall on the floor;
With a little persuasion, I am sure.

The boys in our class are very bad,
Especially Berriman, who is glad
When chalk and duster are flying around
And he is fighting on the ground.

McCormick wields the trusty rod,
With which we oft receive a prod.
He sharpens the end with a pocket-knife;
Then the boys begin to run for their life.

Berriman has finished now;
The victor of a friendly row.
It is getting on for half-past four,
When peace and quiet are restored once more.

B. J. R., Vu A

MORNING IN THE BOARDING HOUSE

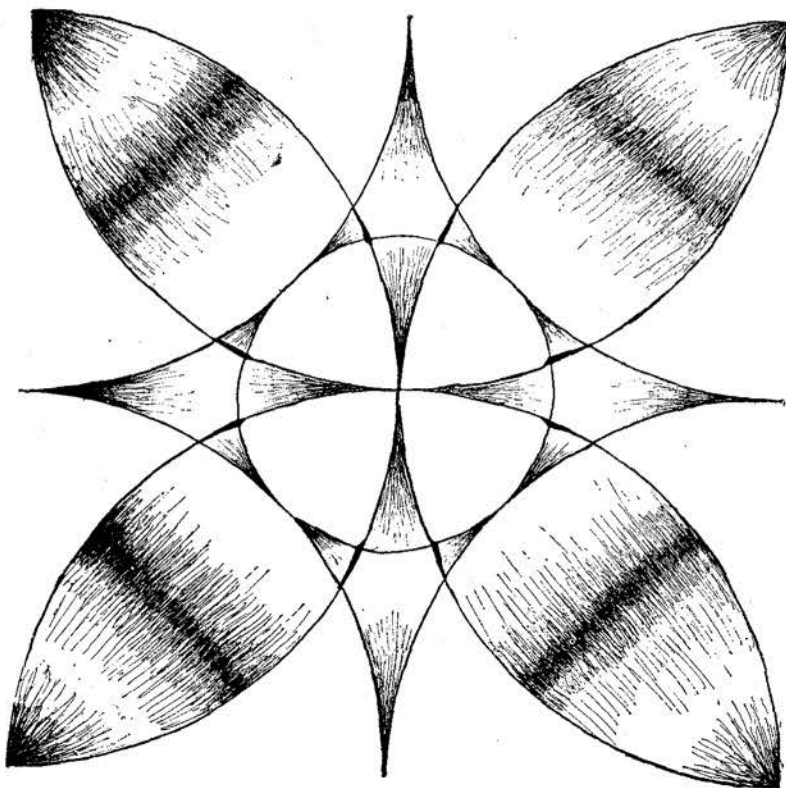
The rising bell rings
On the cold frosty morn,
But all that it brings
Is a deep, sleepy yawn.

At last, from our bed,
We reluctantly crawl
To the bath, go ahead—
With soap, towel and all.

Then comes the cold shower—
Oh! so terribly cold;
At this early hour
One has to be bold.

I couldn't be number
On these cold wintry days;
But soon comes the summer
With its bright warming rays.

P. T. P., IV A



STUDY IN CURVES

J. A., IV A



OUR LOQUACIOUS PET
D. J. McL., VID

OFF TO CAMP

Tramp, tramp, tramp,
We're on our way to camp.
To plates of stew
And sloppy brew;
To early hours
And freezing showers.
To mugs of tin
And lots of din;
To shoot with guns
(Pretend they're Huns).
To sleep on floors
With open doors;
To drill each day,
Some work, some play.
We'll have our fun,
Change with no one—
We're on our way to camp.

B. H. R., Vu A

SEA FEVER

A sailor I should like to be,
To sail 'mid rock and shoal,
To be a hero of the sea,
Where ships do pitch and roll;
To see the foam-capped billows
Rise on the heaving seas,
And ships that plunge into their hollows,
At the mercy of the breeze.

I love to think of Francis Drake,
Him whom the Queen did thank.
He left destruction in his wake
When the Spanish fleet he sank.

J. L. W., IV A

THE UNDER 14 FOOTBALL TEAM

When I was young and very small
I was bumped on the head by a tight football,
And the lad who kicked it, he said to me,
"You'll never make a footballer, I can see."

But now I've grown into quite a man,
I play the grand game that our sires began.
In the college team I take my place,
And I don't mark the football with my own
face.

Our captain, who is a fair-haired sport,
To each field a chosen team has brought
Of youths well tried and filled with glee—
A football team that's including me.

Now this is the verse that proudly acquaints
One and all with our win over Saints—
For we played them twice, and we beat them
twice,
(We were led by Bruce and his able Vice).

LePage and Hickman, Frost and James,
Are a few of the men that our college claims;
And Lovegrove and Menzies are not too bad,
And the one who says, "You're a bonzer lad."

Pulteney, King's and Unley High
Sent their teams along with us to vie,
And the critics say our game was clever
When we played the picked boys of keen
Rostrevor.

In the midst of the match, when the pace is hot,
You'll mark the bright work of a boy named
Scott;
And another smart lad, you will note again—
O pray that his jumper will stand the strain.

But now I'll close and go to sleep,
And rest from my sport in slumber deep.
May I dream that my skipper says to me,
"You'll make a star footballer, I can see."

G. J. F., VI C

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

We acknowledge the following contemporary
magazines, and apologise for any omissions:—

South Australia—"St. Peter's College Maga-
zine," "Adelaide High School Magazine,"
"Unley High School Magazine."

Victoria—"Carey Chronicle," "The Mitre,"
"The Scotch Collegian," "The Melburnian,"
"Wesley College Chronicle."

New South Wales—"The Armidalian," "The
Torchbearer," "Hawkesbury Agricultural Col-
lege Journal."

Tasmania—"Hutchin's School Centenary Ma-
gazine," "The Launcestonian."

New Zealand—"The Nelsonian," "The Waita-
kian."

Preparatory School

This term has been remarkably free from the ills that Winter term is usually heir to. Absences have been about half as numerous as they customarily are, and all forms have managed to get through a pleasing amount of work.

Visits have been made to the Abattoirs, Menz & Co., Davis Coop, Jowitt & Sons, Australian Glass Manufacturers and the Old Gum Tree.

Early in the term we had a visit from Brigadier Stranks of the Salvation Army. The Brigadier, who was a missionary in China, was interned by the Japanese when they over-ran the country. He gave us a very interesting and instructive talk on Chinese writing and showed us how the Chinese characters for "come" are also those for a man and a tree, or a man crucified, and demonstrated the fitness of these characters to express Christ's message. Acceding to enthusiastic requests he described the more humorous parts of his internment before he finally was allowed by a very reluctant audience to go.

Mr. May again provided us with a musical treat. This time he persuaded Miss Lena Belle to come and sing to us. Miss Belle has a lovely contralto voice and she sang simple ballads which we all enjoyed.

We have been joined this term by Mrs. Dennis, who has taken charge of I B and C. We have been amazed at the splendid artistic effects her small boys have managed to get with such strange materials as potatoes, starch, tooth-brushes and combs, and water baths.

CHARITIES

We have raised the sum of £32/0/6 of which £12/4/3 is to be sent to swell the Food for Britain Fund.

A. W. WELCH CUP

Competition for the House Cup has been keen. In school and exam. work the results have been very close, but in football, Chapple has carried everything before it, winning the two senior and the two junior games.

Points for the Cup—

| | Robertson | Chapple |
|--------------------|-----------|---------|
| Examinations - - | 8 | 7 |
| Schoolwork - - | 8 | 7 |
| Football - - - - | 0 | 18 |
| Gymnasium - - - | 2 | 4 |
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| Total for the Term | 18 | 36 |
| Total for the year | 45 | 54 |

UNDER 13 "B" FOOTBALL

Our football team had a lean time this year. We only managed to win two matches, both of them against C.B.C. (Wakefield Street). However, they turned the tables on us in the third encounter, making the sad total of nine defeats. Although we were beaten so often the team made a good effort in each match and were defeated mainly through the lack of "big men". Our "mosquito fleet" performed creditably. The two rovers, R. Johnson and Day, were the stars of the team. Day topped the list of goal-kickers with eleven (11).

Results of Matches

- June 1st—v. U 13 "A" P.A.C.:
U 13 "A" 17—15, U 13 "B" 0—2.
- June 8th—v. U.H.S.:
U.H.S. 8—16, P.A.C. 2—3.
- June 15th—v. C.B.C. (Wakefield St.).
P.A.C. 4—4, C.B.C. 3—6.
- June 22nd—v. S.P.S.C.:
S.P.S.C. 16—16, P.A.C. 3—5.
- June 29th—v. Rostrevor:
Rost. 6—7, P.A.C. 4—2.
- July 6th—v. U.H.S.:
U.H.S. 8—12, P.A.C. 4—4.
- July 20th—v. C.B.C. (Wakefield St.):
P.A.C. 5—8, C.B.C. 4—8.
- July 27th—v. S.P.S.C.:
S.P.S.C. 14—11, P.A.C. 4—0.
- August 10th—v. Scotch College:
S.C. 15—15, P.A.C. 1—2.
- August 17th—v. C.B.C. (Wakefield Street)
C.B.C. 5—9, P.A.C. 2—7.
- August 24th—v. S.P.S.C.
S.P.S.C. 7—11, P.A.C. 5—5.
- Goal Kickers—Day, 12; Johnson, 6; Evans, 3; Barton, 2; Brown, 2; Cockington, 2; B. Coombe, 1; Cornish, 1; Eaton, 1; Sampson, 1; Marshall, 1; Babidge, 1.
- Best Players—Johnson, R., 25; Day, 23; Fuller, 6; Barton, 5; Schofield, 3; Cornish, 3; Marshall, 3; Standish, 2; Evans, 1; McKenzie, 1.
- August 10th—v. Scotch:

Original Contributions

THE FAIRIES

One day I saw a Fairy Dell
 With fairies dancing round;
 I think I heard a Fairy Bell
 From underneath the ground.
 I sometimes see them in the flowers;
 Sometimes in their shady bowers.

P. R., II B

MY DOG

My dog and I went up in the hills
 Looking for rabbits in holes and rills.
 We saw some rabbits
 With peculiar habits,
 And some ducks with yellow bills.

F. R. H., II B

A PIGEON

I saw a pigeon in a tree;
 It seemed to say "Hullo" to me.
 It danced and hopped,
 It walked, it stopped,
 And flew away quite cheerily.

M. P. McB

A SPARROW

I looked down the garden path
 And saw a sparrow have a bath.
 I said he looked a cheeky sparrow
 Bathing in Dad's wheelbarrow.

F. R. H., II B

THE FAIRIES

At night the fairies go hopping around,
 Tapping their little feet on the ground,
 And while I'm asleep I hear them say,
 "Let's pick up the tools and hurry away,
 Because if the humans see you and I
 They're sure to catch us and make us cry."
 So off they went with grace and ease,
 Until they were busy and working like bees.

J. J. B., II A

SEASONS

Boiling Summer brings the sun,
 Ice cream, drinks, and lots of fun.

Golden Autumn ripens fruits,
 Spreading leaves around the roots.

Chilly Winter gives us rains;
 Water running down the drains.

Merry Spring will come with joy
 To each little girl and boy.

D. C. McK., III B

MY MOUNTAIN SEAT

I look down from my mountain seat,
 And Oh, what do I see:
 I see the roads wind in and out
 Away across the lea.

I see the clouds float round my head,
 Like flocks of sheep they roam;
 Their fleecy wool as white as snow,
 Above my mountain home.

P. R. C., III A

THE MOUNTAINS

I like the big blue mountains,
 With all their snow so deep;
 I like them in the winter best,
 Because they seem to sleep.

B. J. H., II B

THE TREES

A farmhouse in the distant hills,
 With all its paddocks and windmills:
 I'd rather live there than in the town,
 Where all the smoke is dirty brown.

I like the hills where all the trees
 Are rustling in the jolly breeze;
 Where through the day the sun is bright,
 And all is quiet through the night.

A. B. M., III A

TWILIGHT

The dark sets in,
 The sunlight fails,
 And through the dark
 Come men like snails.

All crawling home,
 The day's work o'er,
 To eat and sleep
 And be ready for more.

W. E. M., III A

THE WILD WIND

Did you hear the wind last night
 Rustling through the trees?
 It gave my brother such a fright
 As it whistled around his knees.

It blew the clouds across the sky
 And groaned a gloomy song;
 It swept the leaves away up high
 And blew the waves along.

It blew the ships across the sea
 And tore the fences down;
 It blew my hat into a tree
 And upset half the town.

R. J. G., II A

MY WISHES

I wish I had a wristlet watch
To tell the time of day;
I wish I had a football large,
For with it much I'd play.

I wish I had a speedy launch;
I'd flash across the sea.

I wish I had an aeroplane
With seats for you and me.

I've wished too many hundred times
To tell them all to you;
But all the same I really wish
One day they'd all come true.

W. H. H., III A

BEYOND MY WINDOW

Beyond my window I can see
The hilltops climbing high,
While round their heads the fleecy clouds
Like sheep go wand'ring by.

A lake I see between the hills,
With seagulls flying o'er;
And on the water sails a yacht,
Her colours at the fore.

R. J., III A

WISHES

I wish I had a big black horse
To ride about all day;
I'd feed him every morn and night
On grass and sometimes hay.

I wish I had a great white yacht
To sail the stormy seas;
With friends I'd visit foreign parts
To see the green palm trees.

But most of all I wish I was
A pirate brave and bold;
I'd sail upon the Spanish Main
In search of ships with gold.

R. J., III A

MY DOG

I have a little dog called Chips,
He's only four months old;
His hair is black and brown and white—
He's worth his weight in gold.

On sunny days I teach him tricks—
To jump across my hand;
He also takes a run and jump,
And in my lap he lands.

The sport he's really fond of most
Is when the washing's out:
He pulls the clothes down off the line,
And tears them all about.

W. H. H., III A

BED

I went to bed
And laid my head
Upon the pillow white,
And there I lay
Until the day—
What a pleasant night.

R. H. W., II B

THE PARK

The poplars in the park are tall,
And make the other trees seem small;
The golden leaves scattered 'round
Are swept by wind across the ground;
But those that cloak the old creek's bed
Lie still unstirred by winds o'erhead.

D. R. P., III A

LIMERICKS

There was a young captain called Cook,
Who took at Australia a look.
He planted the flag
And wrote on a tag,
"This is the land which I took."

D. N. B., III A

There was a young fellow called Clive,
Who wanted to learn how to drive.
As he wove through the streets,
The Police on their beats
Said, "We don't think he'll get home alive."

D. A. C., III A

There once was a chap from Milang
Whose habit it was to use slang.
One day when reported
He swore and retorted,
"I'll bally well get you, by hang!"

D. W. E., III A

A certain young fellow called Moore,
At midday reclined on the floor.
He sat by mistake
On a sleepy old snake,
Which bit him behind and before.

M. I. McT., III A

A certain young student of Kent Town
Was expelled from his school—that is, sent
down.

A master he hated,
Or so it's related,
Was attacked from the rear as he bent down.

III A

There was a young fellow called Whittam,
Who playing at cricket could hit 'em.
While slogging one day
His flannels gave way,
And he felt very cold where he split 'em.

W. H. H., III A

WISHES

I wish I could do Grammar;
 I wish I was a king;
 I wish I was a prophet
 And knew just everything.
 I wish I had a puppy-dog;
 I wish I had a cat;
 I wish I had a nice new home
 With "Welcome" on the mat.
 I wish I liked fresh herring;
 My Grandma thinks it's good:
 And just because she likes it,
 She thinks that we all should.

J. A. R., III B

WISHES

I wish I could do woodwork;
 I wish that I could go
 To London, Sydney, Washington;
 I wish that I could row.
 I wish I could do painting;
 I wish I'd meet the King;
 I wish I'd see the Governor;
 I wish—oh, ev'rything!

B. W. S., III B

MY PONY

I have a little pony;
 I ride him through the hills:
 I always give him sugar
 When he doesn't give me spills.
 And with my little pony
 I get all kinds of fun;
 He does make me so happy
 Out there under the sun.

S. W. S. and B. W. S., III C

THE MONTHS

January brings the heat;
 Children laze along the street.

February we're back at school,
 When we use the swimming pool.

Hot and dry, the month of March
 Lingers long while grasses parch.

April ends the burning heat;
 Tints with gold the city street.

We often hear children say
 How they like the month of May.

Cold and wet is wintry June,
 When birds cease their merry tune.

In the hoary month July
 Almond blossom petals fly.

August brings the pelting rain
 Beating on our window pane.

Gay September flowers brings!
 How each little birdie sings!

By October there is seen
 Everywhere a coat of green.

Then November's trying days
 Show the dreaded sun ablaze.

Last of all comes December;
 Christ's birth we then remember.

III B Boys

[With apologies to Sara Coleridge]

SUNSET

The sun is sinking in the West,
 A shining disc of light;
 The rippling sea is molten gold,
 But soon will come the night.

The clouds are burning pink and red,
 And now the sun has gone;
 The sea is no more shining gold
 Where once its glory shone.

W. H. H., III A

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The Objects of the Association are: To keep Old Boys, wherever they may be, in touch with one another and with the boys at the School; also to foster and maintain their interest in the School.

"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 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 the Secretaries.

The Association has donated the following Scholarships to the School:

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Editorial

PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE WAR MEMORIAL

More than a year ago Germany was subdued and Japan collapsed sooner than most of us expected: but there is in our hearts little of that joy and peace we anticipated when hostilities should cease. The barriers are now removed. Jealousy and hatred were controlled and hidden during the war by the very fear of the foe; but now they are released, and have full play. It seems that as a nation and as a world we cannot find the ways of peace, and yet they must be found if the future is to hold for us any hope, not only of better things but even of decency and ordered living.

It is almost a relief to turn from our aspirations to our duties. Our hopes ran so high, and now seem to be failing us so completely. Duty has to be done, and in times of unrest and disillusionment there is satisfaction in facing a task which allows for no uncertainty.

I feel sure that all Old Boys of Prince Alfred will agree that the call to raise a memorial for our brave boys presents such a duty. We hear on every side of memorials for this and for that, but here is one that is ours, with its own claim upon our heart and purpose.

Of the details of the scheme I need not speak, nor of the work of the Special Committee that has charge of the appeal. Every member of the Association has had posted to him a booklet containing a complete statement of the scheme. If any reader of the Chronicle has not received this booklet, the Committee would be grateful if he would send his name to the Headmaster, who will gladly post him a copy at once. It is not of details I would speak, but of the spirit that must be in all our hearts as we think of those who did so much for us.

There were hundreds of our Old Boys who answered the call for service: many of them boys straight from school. They were full of that care-free courage that only boys can have. They were eager to do something with the life they loved so well. They had learned from the School the supreme value of all the decent things of life. All this they risked, and many of them—about one in every ten—lost the life he loved. Most of you can think of someone—a brother, a friend, a relation, a son—who will return no more. It is their courage and their devotion that our War Memorial is to commemorate.

They gave their lives for the Commonwealth, and in so doing won for themselves the praise that grows not old, and the most distinguished of all sepulchres—not that in which they lie buried, but that in which their glory survives in everlasting remembrance, celebrated on every occasion which gives rise to eulogy or deed of emulation. For the whole world is the sepulchre of famous men; and it is not the epitaph upon monuments, set up in their own land, that alone commemorates them, but also in lands not their own there abides in each breast an unwritten memorial of them, planted in the heart rather than graven in stone. Do you, therefore, make these men your examples, judging freedom to be happiness, and courage to be freedom."

Great words! A great tribute to the heroic dead of a bygone age. So Pericles spoke nearly 2,400 years ago in honour of the Athenians who had died fighting for their land. So can we speak and feel about our boys who have gone.

There is a call to every Old Boy to help to raise the buildings which will for all time preserve the memory of our brave men—both those who have returned and those who come no more. We owe this to them—yes, and we owe it to ourselves—to pay our debt to the past. In 1924 the Memorial Buildings for the First Great War were handed over for the use of the School. Since that time about 2,800 boys have entered the School. Everyone of them has entered into the enjoyment of that memorial as part of his inheritance in the School. Are we to have that, and do nothing for the generations of boys to come? It is surely for us now to show our pride in our heroes as those of 1920-24 showed their: to raise a memorial worthy of our valiant dead, and also to hand on to those still unborn a richer inheritance in the School that the lives of these, our heroes, may have real value for the School they desired to serve.

The Appeal Committee is asking for a large sum. To find this money is no easy task, but Prince Alfred has always been rich in the love of its Old Boys, and love is, and must be, generous. To raise these Memorial Buildings is a task to which we are called by our pride in our boys' valour; it is one whose achievement will mean much to the future of our School; it is one without whose completion we shall feel ourselves unworthy of the friendship of those who have gone. In fact, this is not merely a task that all Old Prince Alfred Boys should strive to accomplish, but it is one in which we cannot afford to fail.

On Active Service

"FAC FORTIA ET PATERE"

The Honour Roll now includes the names of nearly 1,200 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.

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| Allen, J. L. | Jefferis, R. T. |
| Allen, W. D. | Marchant, C. S. |
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| Hall, Norm. | Winchester, D. C. |

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| Eaton, C. S. | Munday, W. S. |
| Todd, Wylton | |

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Pomroy, A. B.

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| Helpman, M. | Millen, W. J. S. |
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| Holmes, H. B. | Nancarrow, R. B. |

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| Pearce, R. H. | Stace, J. H. |
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| Phillips, H. G. | Sutton, J. C. |
| Price, K. D. | Sutton, R. G. |
| Provis, D. F. | Thurston, J. M. |
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| Roberts, J. A. | Wise, E. H. |

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| Anderson, V. | Bundey, G. W. |
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| Bailey, J. N. | Chapman, G. G. |
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| Barracough, D. K. | Chapman, H. D. |
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| Bartlett, D. T. | Chapman, M. D. |
| Barton, Glen M. | Chapman, W. B. |
| Barton, I. C. | Chapman, W. G. |
| Barton, K. E. | Charles, A. J. |
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 Cooper, G. D. T.
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 Cooper, R. S.
 Copping, J.
 Cotton, P. M.
 Cotton, T. W.
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 Crompton, J. W.
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 Davies, D. J.
 Dawe, Rex S.
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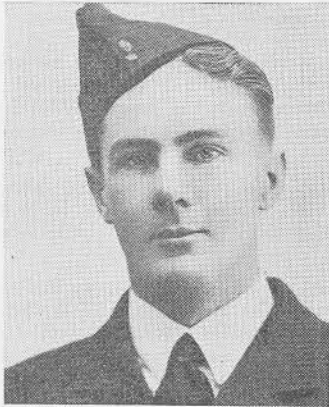
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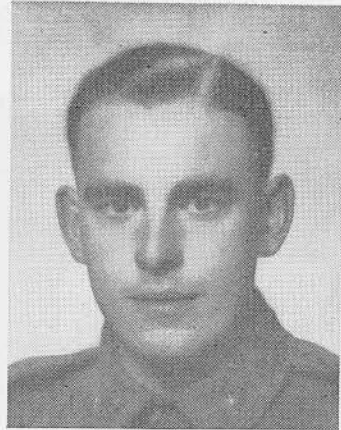
For King and Country

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



P./O. J. J. EDEN

Pilot-Officer John Jerram Eden, aged 26 years, only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Eden, of 16 Anzac Highway, Glenelg, who was previously reported missing, is now presumed to have lost his life on 14th March, 1942. He attended the School 1923-1926 (School Reg. No. 6013), and at the time of enlistment was working on his father's property at Sheoak Log. He enlisted in the R.A.A.F. in March, 1940, and left Australia on 23rd June, 1941. He went to the Middle East, and on to Kenya, to learn reconnaissance flying. With his crew he flew to Burma, on attachment to the R.A.F., and was reported missing on a low level reconnaissance flight over enemy territory north of Rangoon.



PTE. C. F. BETHUNE

Pte. Charles Forrester Bethune, son of Mrs. M. A. Bethune, of 29 Hampden Road, Armadale, Victoria, lost his life when the "Montevideo Maru" was torpedoed. He entered the School in 1930 (School Reg. No. 6711). He enlisted in June, 1940, with the 2/22nd Battalion. In the following year he was sent to Rabaul. They were the first Australians to go into action against the Japanese, and some six weeks after the battle he was taken prisoner in the jungle. Unfortunately, these prisoners and civilians, numbering about one thousand, whilst being transferred to Japan on the "Montevideo Maru" were torpedoed, with total loss of life. He was a member of this Association.

Old Reds in England

Several more acknowledgments of parcels have been received. John Garrett (Surrey), writing on behalf of self and his brother Frank, who at that time was somewhere on the Jugoslavian border of Greece, after varied travels through France, Switzerland, Austria and Italy.

Dr. N. E. Seppelt (Bedford) expresses deep appreciation on behalf of his family for the contents of the parcels and for the kindly sentiment expressed by the Association.

Frank E. Garrett (Surrey), under date of 1st May, says I have just arrived home from Greece. I spent last Christmas in Vienna. Shortly after our battalion moved to Greece, via Italy, passing through Milan, Bologna, Rimini and Taranto. I am now on Depot posting. Thanks for the parcel.

In order that 'Old Reds' in England should be able to celebrate "Old Boys Week" the Association forwarded in June a food parcel to all members in England, and we sincerely hope these arrived in time for "Old Boys Week".

Military Awards

We congratulate Graham Williams upon the award of a Member of the Order of the British Empire in recognition of his splendid services whilst a prisoner of war. Warrant-Officer Williams, R.A.A.F., was captured in the Middle East in 1941, and eventually sent to Germany, where he taught blind and partially blind P.O.W. in hospital touch-typing.



WARRANT/OFFICER GRAHAM WILLIAMS, M.B.E.

Military Notes

We congratulate F.O., Temporary Wing Commander, Brian Caldwell Waddy, of 14 Main Avenue, Frewville, and also F.O., Temporary Flt.-Lieut., Francis Perry Nolan, of Balaklava, upon being "Mentioned in Despatches."

Major Ross Coombs recently arrived in Adelaide from Singapore. He served with the Royal Artillery on the North-West Frontier at Peshawar. He intends visiting America.

Flt.-Sgt. R. C. Wills, having completed his service with the R.A.A.F., has been discharged and is now with the Bank of Adelaide, Loxton.

Jack Black, of Minnipa, has obtained his discharge from the R.A.A.F., and is settling down to private business on the West Coast. He will be pleased to see any Old Reds passing through his township.

F. A. Longmire, formerly R.A.A.F., having obtained his discharge, is now with the State Bank of S.A. at Wirrulla. He advises having received his Chronicle regularly whilst on service.

Lieut. P. F. Edwards (R.A.N.), who is still on service with the Navy, was unable to attend any "Old Boys' Week" functions, but he appreciates the Chronicle, which keeps him in touch with his schoolmates.

K. W. C. Bauer has recently received his discharge, and is now with the E.S. & A. Bank, Malvern (Victoria).

Purely Personal

We congratulate Dr. A. F. Hobbs upon being awarded a Carnegie Fellowship for post graduate study in Britain and America.

Sir Raphael Cilento, Director of Refugees and Displaced Persons for U.N., recently returned from Europe. He stated that the death and sickness rate in British occupied Germany was better than the normal rate in Germany before the war.

Sir Frederick W. Young has been appointed Chairman of the English, Scottish and Australian Bank Ltd. in London.

Howard M. Venning is President of the Crystal Brook Agricultural Society, and represents the third generation to hold that honour.

Mr. E. H. Stephens, O.B.E., of Maseru, Basutoland, has been described as "Basutoland's public benefactor No. 1." He has, jointly

with his wife, now given to the town a fine spacious building as a new library.

Don Finch recently passed the following exams with the Society of S.A. Chiropodists, viz., Anatomy and Physiology, Materia Medica, Theoretical Chiropody, Practical Chiropody (credit) and Bacteriology (credit).

We regret to learn that Max Newcombe is seriously ill. He is one of Adelaide's leading tennis players, and with Len. Schwartz was runner-up for the 1946 Australian Doubles Championship. We wish him a quick recovery to health.

Recent visitors to Adelaide have been Eric Storey (from Shanghai), Ross Coombs (from Singapore), Prof. H. L. Brose (from Sydney), and "Jerry" Masson (Sydney).

Obituary

BATH—On 3rd June, at Knightsbridge, John Morley, beloved husband of Elsie Elizabeth Bath, aged 65 years. He attended the School 1894-1895 (School Reg. No. 2722), and was a Life Member (No. 723) of this Association. Mr. Bath was deeply interested in the School and was a Past President of this Association.

DAVIES—On 8th June, at Sydney, N.S.W., Harold Whitridge Davies (of Sydney University), eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. E. Harold Davies of 95 Hutt Street, Adelaide, aged 52 years. He attended the School 1904-1912 (School Reg. No. 3805). Dr. Davies served as Captain in A.A.M.C., 3rd Division, in World War I, and was Lieut.-Colonel in charge of the A.A.M.C. at Liverpool Court in World War II. He died as the result of an accidental fall.

FLEMING—On 3rd June, at his residence, 19 Davenport Terrace, Wayville, Robert Everett, dearly beloved husband of Muriel Fleming, in his 70th year. He attended the School 1885-1892 (School Reg. No. 1730), and was a member of this Association.

FRY—On 17th June, at Albany, W.A., Rev. Arthur S. J. Fry, loved brother of Mrs. A. W. Bray (Perth) and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan (Adelaide), aged 81 years. He attended the School 1885 to 1886 (School Reg. No. 1569), and was a member of this Association.

HOWELL—On 5th June, at Calca, West Coast, Howard John Sinclair Howell, only son of Mr. P. and the late Mrs. M. J. Howell, aged 33 years. He attended the School in 1927 (School Reg. No. 6450), and was a member of this Association. He enlisted for Active Service with the A.I.F., and served with the 2/9th

Armored Regiment, and had only recently been discharged.

KOHLER—On 4th June, at a private hospital (Adelaide), Theodor Carl, dearly beloved husband of Rhoda Catherine Kohler, of Lydia Terrace, Wallaroo, aged 44 years. He attended the School 1914-1919 (School Reg. No. 4822), and was a Life Member (No. 698) of this Association.

MARSHALL—On 19th August, at his residence, 44 Dutton Terrace, Medindie, James Alan Carlyle, dearly loved husband of Mary Elizabeth Marshall, aged 65 years. He attended the School 1891 to 1898 (School Reg. No. 2377), and was a Life Member (No. 168) of this Association.

McFARLANE—On 14th December, 1945, at Naarcoorte, Walter Henry McFarlane, aged 73 years. He attended the School in 1883 (School Reg. No. 1249).

POTTS—On 6th September, 1946, at Epworth Hospital, Melbourne, William Andrew, beloved husband of Laumua Potts, of 1 Panoramic Road, North Balwyn, Victoria, aged 55 years. He attended the School 1905 to 1908 (School Reg. No. 3872), and was a member of this Association. After continuing his studies in America he joined the staff of the Electric Commission of Victoria, of which he was production manager at the time of his death.

WILTON—On 22nd June, Richard Gladstone, dearly loved husband of Annie Wilton, of 24 Stanley Street, Leabrook, aged 53 years. He attended the School 1901-1909 (School Reg. No. 3454), and was a Life Member (No. 901) of this Association.

BACK NUMBERS OF CHRONICLE

We are indebted to Mr. George Fowler of Bridgewater for the following early issues of the P.A.C. Chronicle. Any Old Boy requiring odd copies should apply to the Association Secretary.

1905 (Sept.), 1911 (Jan. and Sept.), 1913 (Jan.), 1914 (May and Sept.), 1915 (Jan. and May), 1917 (May), 1918 (Jan. and May), 1919 (Jan., May and Aug.), 1920 (Jan., May and Aug.), 1921 (Jan., May and Sept.), 1922 (May, Sept. and Dec.), 1927 (May), 1930 (Dec.), 1931 (May, Sept. and Dec.), 1932 (May, Sept. and Dec.), 1933 (May, Sept. and Dec.), 1934 (May, Sept. and Dec.), 1935 (May, Sept. and Dec.), 1936 (May, Sept.), 1937 (Jan., May and Sept.), 1938 (Jan., June and Sept.), 1939 (May and Sept.), 1940 (Jan. and May), 1942 (Jan. and May), 1943 (Feb. and June), 1944 (Feb. and Sept.), 1945 (Jan., June and Sept.).

COLLEGE ENDOWMENT FUND

Your Committee has decided that no special effort to augment this fund should be made. The fund is still open and receiving contributions from time to time.

PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGIANS LODGE

No. 51, S.A.C.

W.M.: Wpl. Bro. R. W. M. Johnson
I.P.M.: Wpl. Bro. G. M. Potts
S.W.: Bro. W. L. Davies
J.W.: Bro. W. O. Menz
Chaplain: Bro. W. A. Dunn
Treasurer: Bro. R. G. Neill
Secretary: Wpl. Bro. R. P. Goode
D.C.: Wpl. Bro. H. V. Menz

Old Collegians' Rugby Club

The 1946 season has drawn to a close, leaving the club in a worse position than prospects earlier had indicated. Again, this year, injuries have deprived the team of the services of several prominent players. Although only four of the matches were won, many others were well fought, and the club has every reason to look forward with optimism to next season.

The best performance was in the seven a side competition, in which our team reached the semi-finals. In doing this, they played the best rugby of the day to outclass Port Adelaide, the premier team. The score was 12 points to 3. In the semi-final we were beaten by Burnside, 18 points to 12. This was entirely due to the fact that the Reds had played two preliminary rounds to one by Burnside.

During Old Boys Week an Intercol. match was played at Princes. The Reds were unable to field a strong team, and Saints won 25 points to nil. Best players for Princes were:—Nienaber (who was the best on the ground), Heinemann, Beerstecher and Claridge.

A number of players have played consistently

during the season. Possibly the best has been Jackman, who has been a tower of strength as scrum half. Perkins has been the best of the backs, gaining selection in the State side as five-eighth; while Nienaber, who is the best tackler in the side, has also played well. Of the forwards, Phoenix, Claridge, Heinemann and Henderson have all acquitted themselves well. Perkins' kicking for goal has been excellent. Jackman, Nienaber and Claridge were chosen to take part in the State trial matches, while later in the year Phoenix was chosen for the State second Fifteen.

The trophies for best player for the season, and the most improved player, have been won by L. J. Perkins and B. Horner, respectively, who are to be congratulated. Thanks are due to Messrs. C. M. Bennett and G. Smith, who generously donated the trophies.

Shortage of players is still the chief weakness of the team, and the club secretary, J. B. Heinemann (C. 5228, or at 71 First Avenue, St. Peters), will be pleased to give information to any interested Old Boys.

OLD COLLEGIANS' CRICKET CLUB

The Old Collegians Cricket Club will shortly be holding its Annual Meeting prior to the opening of the coming season. Practice is held regularly at the College.

Intending members are requested to communicate as early as possible with the Secretary, Mr. G. W. Mansfield, c/o Prince Alfred College, Kent Town.

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

Subscriptions for the year ending 30th September, 1946, 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 pre-payments 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.

SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

Old Boys are reminded of the necessity of early enrolment if they desire their sons to attend the School. To avoid disappointment, enquire NOW from the Headmaster. Some enrolments have already been made for 1952.

OLD SCHOLARS' COMMITTEE

After serving on the General Committee of the Association for many years, and as its President 1936-1937, Mr. Frank Collison now finds, owing to business reasons, he is unable to attend the Committee meetings, and has therefore been reluctantly compelled to resign. His resignation has been accepted with regret.

Mr. John F. Lavis has been appointed to the vacancy. He has already served on the Committee, and represents a younger generation of Old Boys.

EDUCATION FUND

This fund is being raised for the purpose of educating the children (boys and girls) of Old Boys who lost their lives on Active Service. The response to this worthy object is very gratifying to your committee, and over £2,100 has now been subscribed, of which £1,600 has been invested in the Victory Loans.

ADDITIONAL LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS TO 7th Sept., 1946

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| Previously acknowledged | - | £2,173 | 7 | 7 |
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| A. E. Catford | - - - - | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| W. A. Leitch | - - - - | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| C. T. Symonds | - - - - | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| K. G. Lewis | - - - - | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| B. A. Richards | - - - - | 0 | 4 | 7 |
| Interest | - - - - | 10 | 1 | 9 |

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LIFE MEMBERS CERTIFICATES

Life Members Certificates are available upon payment of 2/6 to cover cost of printing and postage.



NEW MEMBERS

The enrolment of new members still continues very satisfactorily, 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

- 1684—Grace, J. C.
- 1685—Scott, B. E.
- 1686—Smith, P. B.
- 1687—Chambers, G. T.
- 1688—Heath, B. W.
- 1689—Downing, B. J.
- 1690—Robinson, W. T.
- 1691—Robinson, E. L.
- 1692—Close, J. N.
- 1693—Cornish, F. R.
- 1694—Benson, W. H.
- 1695—Kose, J. D.
- 1696—Woollard, G. H.
- 1697—Cane, D.
- 1689—Brinkworth, F. M.
- 1699—Fischer, F. H. J., Dr.
- 1700—Delaporte, D. B.
- 1701—Glastonbury, A. L.
- 1702—Richards, G. L.
- 1703—Yelland, C. B.
- 1704—Westbrook, N. G.
- 1705—Martin, A. W.
- 1706—Martin, J. B.
- 1707—Price, O. H.
- 1708—Fischer, C.
- 1709—Brose, H. L.
- 1710—Fraser, M. R.
- 1711—Nottle, Ian
- 1712—Oliver, R. W.
- 1713—Black, G. B.
- 1714—Parker, R. A.
- 1715—Runge, C. E.
- 1715—Rogers, C. G.
- 1717—Hobba, N. K.
- 1718—Curtis, P. W.
- 1719—Curtis, L. D.
- 1720—Millier, R. R.
- 1721—Nicholls, S.
- 1722—Vardon, J. E.
- 1723—Coombe, L. B.
- 1724—Cleland, M. E. E.
- 1725—Berry, P. P.
- 1726—Bauer, K. W. C.
- 1727—Bennett, L. H.
- 1728—Letcher, D. R.
- 1729—Letcher, L. E.

ORDINARY MEMBERS

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| Babidge, D. H. | Kilsby, R. H. |
| Bruer, P. R. | King, B. W. |
| Bungay, P. C. | Leaver, R. E. |
| Cope, R. | Scanlan, R. |
| Drennan, R. L. | Shephard, W. S. |
| Jackson, J. F. | Spencer, W. B. |
| James, P. W. | Sumner, D. E. W. |
| Jarrett, B. R. | Teakle, A. R. |
| Kelly, P. M. | Walker, R. C. |



COUNTRY REUNIONS

Prior to the outbreak of war Reunion Dinners were arranged from time to time in several country centres. "Old Boys" in the West Coast area have arranged for their first post-war Reunion to be held at Port Lincoln on Saturday, 12th October, when Mr. J. F. Ward (Headmaster), Mr. G. K. Ryder (Association President), and other members of the Old Scholars' Committee will attend.

Your Committee is desirous that other country centres should revive their periodical Reunions, and hope that Old Boys in the several centres will get busy to this end. Every assistance will be forthcoming from Adelaide.



ASSOCIATION BLAZERS

The Red-and-white striped cloth is not procurable at present, and your Committee has therefore approved of the following:

- (1) Navy blazer with Old Collegians' pocket badge.
- (2) Maroon blazer with white braid and Old Collegians' pocket badge.

Both designs are now obtainable by members of this Association, but a certificate of membership must be obtained from the Association Secretaries.



LOST TOKENS

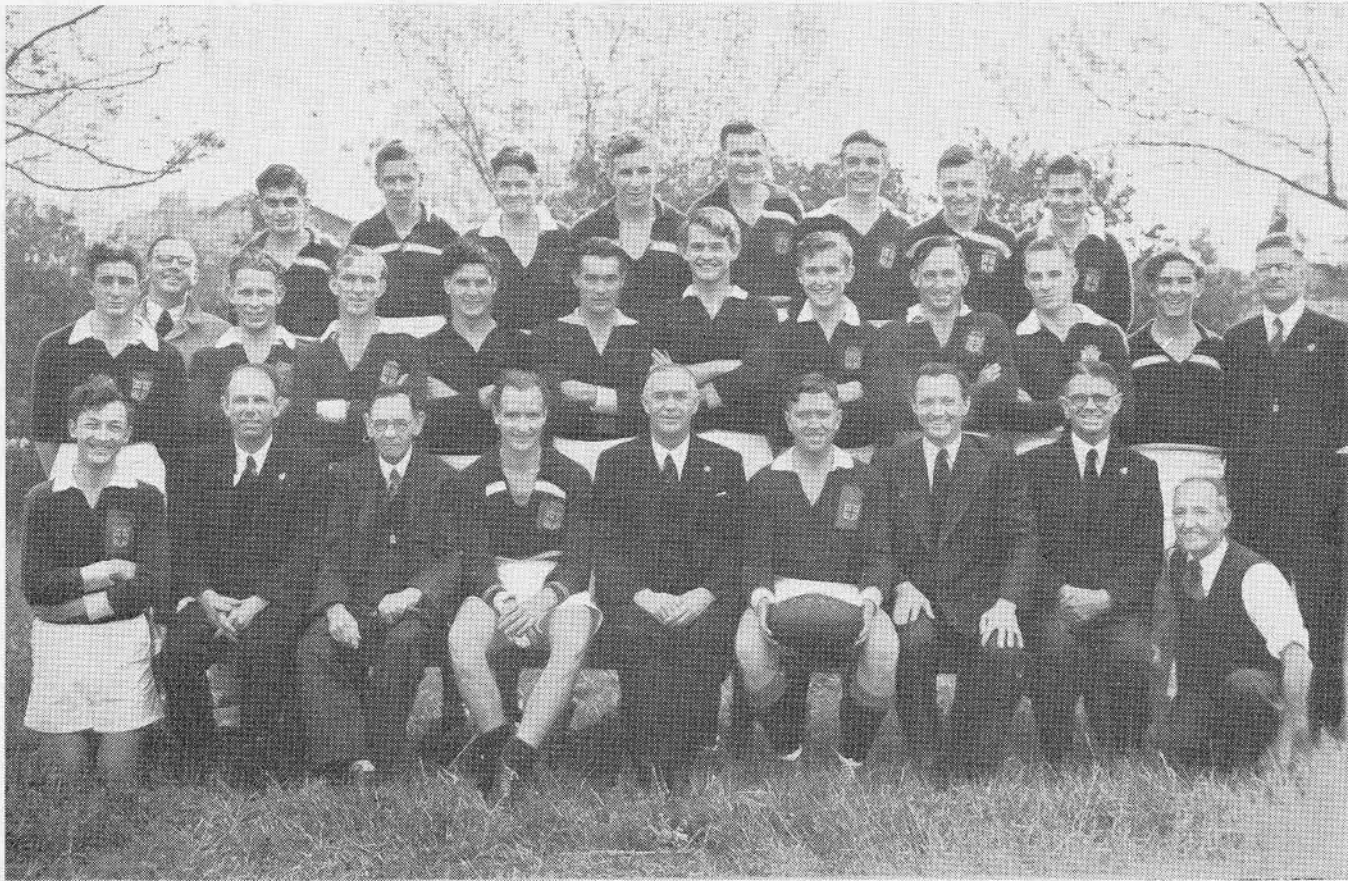
Tokens remain the property of this Association, and are held by members on trust only. In the event of the loss of a token, the member should immediately report this to the Secretaries of the Association.



ASSOCIATION TOKENS

The restrictions in respect to the manufacture of tokens have been removed. Owing to shortages of necessary materials some time will elapse before the tokens will be available. An order for 300 has been placed with the manufacturer. Members will be advised when supplies are available.

PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS FOOTBALL CLUB
Premiers S.A. Amateur Football League, Grade A2, Season 1946



Back Row—M. Basheer, L. N. Nicolson, L. E. Letcher, B H. Millen, J. G. Bunday, J. G. Barton,
C. R. Webb, F. A. George

Middle Row—A. E. Morris, C. F. Compton, K. S. Matthews, J. A. Parham, K. E. Le Page,
P. Dalwood, D. B. Carter, D. Sanders, J. C. Stephens, J. W. Harvey, C. S. Parham, L. S. Driscoll

Front Row—K. N. Webb, R. C. Johnston, Ralph Vardon, M. E. Thompson, G. K. Ryder,
A. W. G. Dawkins, M. W. Evans, Joseph Crompton, F. Walsh

Absent—M. Solomon, P. W. Osborn

Old Collegians' Football Club

The football club has just completed the most successful season since its foundation 21 years ago. During that time it has participated in many a final round, but the fulfilment of its first premiership has evidently been denied until the coming of age. The success amply exemplifies what the enthusiasm, will and the ability of youth and maturity in partnership can achieve. The early teething troubles of the club's re-formation in May, the mid-season crop of injuries, and the absence of great players like Myer Solomon and John Stephens in the finals were problems tackled and overcome by a team of the most compatible band of Old Reds ever gathered together. Their success was well merited, and can be mainly attributed to the team spirit which prompted every action rather than to the brilliance of the individual.

Arthur Dawkins, as captain, set his team an inspiring example, and besides kicking 87 goals again showed the "big match" temperament by playing his best games during the finals. The vigorous tooth and nail, yet scrupulously fair half-back work of the vice-captain, Max Thompson, has stemmed many a dangerous attack. The determined ruck work of David Carter and Paul Dalwood, the culminating brilliance of Doug. Sanders, who was the best on the ground in both final and challenge matches, the shrewd anticipation and effective despatch of Myer Solomon, the mercurial roving of Max Basheer, the collected coolness of Jack and Colin Parham, and a sheet anchor in Keith LePage at the centre have all been factors pointing irresistibly to a premiership. Colin Webb can be pictured awaiting one of his match-winning thrusts from a forward pocket, whilst his brother Ken oscillated from position to position, now back, now forward, without a moment's dissent, and always giving of his best. Jack Harvey's brilliant marking and kicking with either foot and his speed stamp him as a player with a great future. Brian Millen supported his lack of inches with cunning anticipation and sound football sense.

Nicholson's speed, the never-give-in tactics of Matthews, Barton's position play, Alan Morris' fine marking, and John Bunday's ruggedness have all contributed to the ultimate success.

The premiership will be a source of great satisfaction to all Old Reds, but there is an even more important outcome to the season's play, and that is the re-establishment of two former prisoners-of-war in John Stephens and Bob Broadbent as active players, and neither disgraced his pre-war reputation.

In the build-up for the premiership a lot of behind-the-scene work has been necessary. Ross Johnston, as secretary, has done a wonderful job on the organising side, and a large measure of the successful re-formation of the club is due to his efforts.

The club was extremely fortunate in securing Dr. Mervyn Evans as coach. Thrice winner of the medal for the best player in the Amateur League, he is still as keen as ever. His sound advice, long experience, and never flagging enthusiasm have been a potent factor in putting the team on the top of the list.

It is pleasing to record that in this first post-war season it was possible to field a "B" team in the Students Association. It is hoped that next year this team will be very much stronger. As it was it proved to be a great asset to the "A" team during the season, and several players eventually found a permanent place in the First Eighteen.

Sincere thanks are extended to the Headmaster for putting the School Oval and dressing rooms at the team's disposal—this is a tremendous help; also numerous vice-presidents who ably assisted it financially; to Colin Compton, "Tex" Stephens and Len. Driscoll, who were always in hand to do various jobs; and to Jim Steele, who could always be relied on to produce a pair of boots or trousers at a minute's notice.

Next season can now be looked forward to with high hopes and great expectations.

Monthly Luncheons

The Monthly Luncheons which are held on the second Thursday of every month at the Appollo Rooms (Myers), Rundle Street, are being well attended.

At the June luncheon Mr. R. G. Hughes, who recently returned from America, gave a very interesting resume of his "observations on a visit to the United States" under post-war conditions.

In July Mr. A. J. Baker (of S.A. Tourist Dept.) related experiences he had in England under post-war conditions during his recent visit. During his talk he described the damage

suffered through bombings and of the undaunted courage of the people.

Sir George Jenkins, K.B.E. (Minister for Agriculture) treated us with a descriptive talk on "The Flinders Ranges," and of its value as an attraction to tourists, at the August lunch.

In September Mr. Wm. Queale, former President of the Associated Chamber of Manufacturers, dealt with "Australia's Opportunity." He stressed the need for closer co-operation between employer and employee, also the necessity of building up our overseas trade which we were losing by continual industrial troubles.

Old Boys' Week

This, our first year of Peace, brought the return of annual events which for years prior to the war had been held during Old Boys Week.

The week, commencing with the Bridge contest between Old Reds and Old Blues, and terminating with the Annual Service at the College on Sunday, 4th August, proved most successful.

The revival of fixtures this year gave Old Boys who left the School during the war the first opportunity of reunion with their school fellows, both on the sports field and at social gatherings.

THE ANNUAL OLD SCHOLARS BRIDGE CONTEST

This was played at Arcadia Cafe, when 35 pairs took part. Supper was provided during the evening, and the match resulted in a win for Prince Alfred.

LACROSSE

The match was played on Princes' grounds and resulted in a draw, each side scoring six goals. Goal-throwers for Princes were: Henson (2), Boucaut, Selth, Sumner and Williman (each 1), and best players: Forrest, Deland, Henson and Williman.

FOOTBALL

OLD REDS v. OLD BLUES

This was played at Saints, and both sides fielded strong teams. The match, which was well contested, resulted in a win for Princes. Best players were:—Higginbotham, Bartlett, A. Keeves, Price, Hockney, Sanders, Stephens; and goal-kickers:—Dalwood (6), A. Keeves (2), Dawkins (2), Hocking (1).

TOWN v. COUNTRY

This was played on Thursday, 1st August, with the usual keen rivalry, in spite of the unpleasant weather. J. C. Stephens captained Town Team, whilst the Country side was led by A. W. G. Dawkins. The result was a win for the Town Team, the scores being: Town, 8 goals 10 behinds; Country, 6 goals 5 behinds.

The Town Team comprised:—M. Bashear, D. M. Brebner, D. B. Carter, P. Dalwood, —Downing, W. D. Gray, J. Harvey, P. Dalwood, L. Letcher, C. R. Middleton, K. Matthews, —Barton, P. Osborn, J. Parham, C. Parham, D. V. Selth, M. Solomon, J. C. Stephens.

The Country Team comprised:—A. W. G. Dawkins, L. Heitmann, R. J. Hill, H. G. Bennett, R. R. Pflaum, P. C. Bungay, L. W. Hoad, D. Cane, N. Nicolson, L. D. Curtis, W. R. Francis, B. M. Agars, R. Fleet, J. Bungay, A. R. Matthews, A. E. Norman, B. G. Mumford, R. D. Myer.



THE COUNTRY TEAM

OLD BOYS DAY

Many old acquaintances were renewed on this day. Thursday, 1st August, the day in particular during Old Boys Week when Old Scholars are able to draw close to the environs of their tender years. The committee desires to express its sincere thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Ward for their assistance in making the function such a success, and to the Matron and her staff who, under such trying conditions through heating restrictions, provided such an excellent afternoon tea.

RUGBY

Played under very slippery conditions at Princes on Thursday, 1st August, and resulted in a win for Saints. Scores were: Saints, 25 points; P.A.C., nil.

ANNUAL BALL

Nearly 900 were present at the Ball, held at the Palais Royal on Friday, 2nd August. As in previous years, it proved a very popular and successful function in Old Boys Week.

The committee expresses its appreciation to the ladies committee for the attractive floral decoration of the Palais, which helped to ensure the success of the evening.

HOCKEY

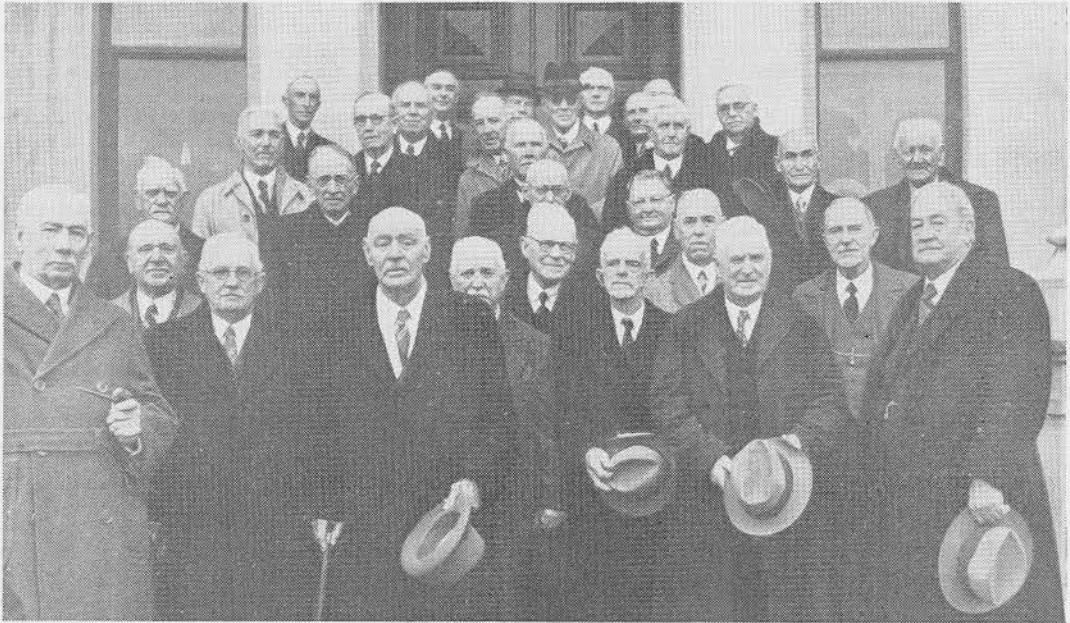
As a number of players were out of the State with the Interstate Hockey Team during Old Boys Week, this match was played on 24th July. The game was played at Princes and a win was registered by Old Reds, with scores 3 goals to Saints 1. Best players were Holding, Waddy and Dunn.

MORNING ASSEMBLY

Old Scholars who entered the School 60 years ago or more were invited to be present at Assembly, and this year 31 were present. The Headmaster (Mr. J. F. Ward) and our President (Mr. G. K. Ryder) welcomed them, and they proceeded to the Headmaster's study to sign the attendance book.

At Assembly Mr. Ward, on behalf of the School, expressed appreciation at the splendid attendance of old Old Boys.

Old Boys who attended were:—Dr. E. J. Counter, Messrs. E. H. Rhodes, J. H. Hobbs, W. G. Meth, A. G. Nicholls, P. H. Nicholls, J. Bails, F. E. Waddy, W. Jarrett, A. H. James, W. Angel, H. Shepley, G. C. Braund, John McColl, W. A. Leitch, H. E. Pitt, T. W. Patchell, P. Hill, H. S. Chapman, H. W. Marshall, E. E. Mitchell, O. A. Witt, C. E. Goldsmith, A. C. Edwards, H. A. Cowan, H. R. Knowles, J. D. Iliffe, A. E. Puddy, F. M. Rhodes, D. H. Hollidge, W. D. Taylor.



OLD BOYS AT MORNING ASSEMBLY

ANNUAL DINNER

This was held on Thursday, 1st August, at John Martin's Dining Hall, Rundle Street, Adelaide. The first reunion Dinner since outbreak of war, it proved a very happy gathering for 300 Old Boys present. The Hon. L. McEwin (Chief Secretary) and Mr. Eric Millhouse, K.C., were guests of the Association. The Victorian Branch of the Association held its Dinner in Melbourne on the same evening, and by arrangement with the P.M.G. Department a telephonic broadcast was made, enabling our President to address Old Boys at the gathering in that city. Mr. Crompton, President of the Victorian Branch, replied to us, assembled in Adelaide, and the reception at both ends was very clear.

After the Loyal Toast had been honoured the President delivered his remarks, then followed a period of silence observed in memory of Old Boys who had fallen in the war. "Our Alma Mater" was proposed by Dr. M. W. Evans, and in responding the Headmaster (Mr. J. F. Ward) spoke of the Memorial Buildings proposed to be erected at the School. The toast "Returned Servicemen" was in the hands of Mr. Eric Millhouse, K.C., Federal and State President of R.S.S.A.I.L.A., and F./Lt. R. M. Brinsley, D.F.C., responded. Mr. Lewis Dawe led the community singing and also entertained with several much appreciated songs.

ANNUAL SERVICE

Owing to the restrictions imposed upon broadcasting, due to the coal shortage, it was not possible to broadcast the service from the College on Sunday, 4th August. A splendid attendance filled the Assembly Room. The service was conducted by the Headmaster (Mr. J. F. Ward), assisted by Rev. C. J. Perry (School Chaplain). The Lesson was read by the President (Mr. G. K. Ryder), and Mr. Ward read the names of Old Boys who passed away during the year. The address delivered by Mr. Lloyd E. Clarkson was as follows:—

I want to speak to you this morning about "The Cost of Freedom," and in contemplating the many precious privileges which we enjoy today, I hope that our hearts and minds will be stirred up with a feeling of hallowed and reverent remembrance and also imbued with a very definite sense of obligation. We have just emerged triumphantly from the most terrible and devastating war in history, a war which has taken from us the lives of many thousands of our best manhood, in this, and in many other lands. We beat off and subdued a most ruthless enemy—a people saturated in militarism, loaded up and bulging with all the horrible implements of war. If they had succeeded in their purpose, there is no doubt that we would have become a slave people, stripped of everything that we dearly prized, our liberty gone, and all the treasured things for which brave

men fought and died, and during those six years of war, I suppose those of us at home were stirred more than anything else by the rallying speeches of Winston Churchill and Franklin Roosevelt. They talked to us about "Liberty and Freedom." Freedom to worship God, freedom of thought, freedom of speech, freedom from fear, freedom from want, and that if we valued these freedoms—any single one of them—then we would have to fight and work and sweat as never before in our history. These privileges were in great and deadly peril, and I believe that every man who left his business, his shop, or farm, and offered his services in any theatre of war, did so with a full conviction that the best things in life were gravely threatened, and that even the sacrifice of life itself was not too great a price to preserve for us our inheritance of liberty and freedom. What do we really mean by "Liberty" and what are the Freedoms for which in two terrible wars numberless men of this School poured out their life's blood? Do they mean anything to us, and now that the price has been paid in countless acts of heroism, in shattered homes, in foul prison camps, and a million tragedies, do they constitute a challenge to our thinking, and to our acting, and is there a resolve that come what may, we shall pass on to posterity a way of life the nobler and richer for our contribution to it? The scripture lesson which Mr. Ryder read to you this morning described an incident in the life of Paul. The great apostle, you will remember, was in Jerusalem against the wishes of his friends, and the counsel of his advisers. He had a message to tell, and it must be told, and the people always seeking an opportunity for his hurt arrested him and threw him into prison. The chief captain ordered that he should be examined scourging, and while this was being done, Paul, stinging with a sense of great injustice, said with some feeling: "Is it lawful for you to scourge a man that is a Roman, and him uncondemned?" The news was quickly relayed to the chief captain, who came with some haste and said: "Tell me, art thou a Roman?" Paul said that he was, and the captain answered: "With a great sum obtained I this freedom." And Paul said: "But I was free born." The captain had bought his citizenship, then, with a great sum of money, and this naturalisation business was probably a great source of revenue to the public purse. Paul was "born into" the greatest civic franchise the world then knew. But both the apostle and the soldier possessed and enjoyed privileges for which they had paid nothing, which the struggles and fidelities of other men had purchased for them. There are, of course, certain things in life which cannot be bought for us. They can only be won by our own personal striving and toil. There are no royal roads to them, and they cannot be had on easy terms. We cannot purchase character, for instance, or inherit it. It can only be won by

the training and discipline of our natures and affections. We cannot buy, or inherit, or transfer academic distinctions, and it is only by painstaking effort and long and strenuous study that men become leaders in medicine, law, art, or any other science. But over against the gifts which we have obtained for ourselves by our own effort and striving, there is a vast range of gifts into which we were born. We inherit them, we possess them, because men in other days and ages bought them for us at great cost. Many of the things which mean to us today, safety, gain, comfort and ease, meant to those that are gone, toil, conflict, suffering and sacrifice. Redemption through sacrifice is true of our moral freedom no less than of our Christian redemption. It was by sore experience that man learned to care for his well-being, and the process of human development was slow and tedious indeed. What volumes could be written, for instance, on the persecution and suffering which gave us the simple right to vote at an election? And yet Governments have found it necessary to introduce compulsion in order that people should exercise the "franchise" so dearly won and bought, nor is it to our credit that the last free election in this country approximately 50% of the adult population registered a vote. It is not by chance either, that all men are equal in the sight of the law, whatever their condition or class or creed. With a great sum have we obtained this freedom, and at great cost of effort and striving has this great privilege become ours. The safeguards against storm and pestilence. The precautions which protect us from contagious disease, and the drugs which relieve pain and suffering. The protecting rail around a dangerous piece of road. At what a cost have the benefits of steam and electricity been given to us, and what fearful accidents were perpetrated in their inventions and discovery. The ancient mariners sailed the uncharted seas in constant peril of their lives, in order that the seafaring man of today, with compass and chart and the friendly beacon and lighthouse, might steer his vessel with safety and ease.

Redemption through sacrifice would seem then to lie at the very centre of all human progress and development. In the district where I live, it has been our custom to hold an annual banquet in connection with agricultural matters, and one of the popular features of this has always been a "toast" to the "Pioneers." Their ranks are thinning now, but occasionally an old settler could be induced to tell something of his early experiences. They settled with their few belongings in the midst of a vast area of scrub. There was no railway, no store, no telephone, no wireless, no formed roads. Their nearest centre was at Tumby Bay—30-40-45 miles away. They made the journey by waggon, and it took a week to complete. Occasionally they came back empty-handed because the monthly

trading vessel had "missed out" on them. They had little or no scientific aids to agriculture, and artificial fertilizers were practically unknown. There were no tractors, no water schemes, and no comforts. Their soil was unresponsive and sour, and what little crop they managed to grow was ravaged by disease because of conditions which were not then understood. At what a sacrifice of pleasure and comfort have they bequeathed to us our fertile fields and prosperous towns and villages! In my younger years, I had an acquaintance. He was a farmer's son. His father was a hard-working, God-fearing man, who had hacked his way into 1,200 acres of virgin scrub. By example and precept, he was all that a father could and should be to his children, and when he died he bequeathed to his son a freehold property, every acre of which was fertile and productive. The son was prosperous and comfortable. He spent extravagantly and indiscriminately. He pulled down the humble home and built a larger one—lavishly appointed. Debts piled up. He soon mortgaged the farm and became the occupier only of the property which his father's toil and thrift had so generously provided. What was the trouble with the son? Well, of course, there would be many contributing causes, but surely chief and foremost would be that he had not paused to reckon up the cost. His security had cost him no anxiety, no hard toil. His prosperity and his privileges had come to him too easily and at too little cost.

Let us consider for a moment the name we bear. The moment we were born we assumed our father's name. What do we not owe to the name of an honoured father? It is a name which perhaps has started us on our business careers, provided business contacts and assured us a welcome in many a home. A name which through a lifetime of righteous and upright living has come to us honoured and esteemed. A priceless heritage indeed, and surely the writer of "Proverbs" spoke wisely when he said: "A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches." We can spoil that name, stain it, dishonour it by a single act, if we choose.

And when we come to the field of religion, at what a cost have our spiritual blessings become our inheritance. The Old Testament is full of stories of men reaching out after God. There is something innate within a man which makes him want to take comfort and strength from a being stronger and nobler than himself. It was by sorrowful and painful experience that men discovered the inadequacy of their idol worship. Altars were raised up and thrown down, and it has taken something like 19 centuries for men and women to know and understand the simplicity of the Gospel as found in Jesus Christ. But when the light began to dawn, at what a cost was their loyalty and fidelity secured! They were burned at the stake, they suffered cruel torture, they lan-

guished in foul prisons, and for the mere sport of their tormentors they were torn to pieces by wild beasts.

Paul paid nothing for his Roman citizenship, but at what a cost did he become the greatest missionary of all times! Listen to what he wrote to the Corinthians:—

“In labours more abundant;
 In stripes above measure;
 In prisons more frequent—
 Five times received I forty stripes from the
 Jews.
 Thrice I was beaten with rods;
 Thrice I suffered shipwreck;
 Once I was stoned.
 In perils of the sea;
 In perils of robbers;
 In perils of the wilderness.
 In long and anxious watchings;
 In hunger and in thirst;
 In cold and nakedness.”

Did ever a man suffer more for the cause he loved or the God whom he served?

Our fathers and our forefathers have bequeathed to us a spiritual inheritance at great sacrifice and no little cost. I don't know how it is with you, but I sometimes think that we are endeavouring to live on the spiritual capital of our parents, forgetting meanwhile that if our spiritual life would be vigorous and strong, then it must be fed, and nurtured and enriched by daily communion and fellowship with God.

I know that some of their beliefs were strict and narrow. They were hedged around with irritating and irksome convention and restriction, but they lived according to the light which was vouchsafed to them, and their foundations were well and truly laid. I know, too, that in the last generation or two, men and women everywhere have amended their religion, so that no vestige of restriction or restraint longer remains, and every conceivable form of pleasure and indulgence is practised without a blush of shame. Let us beware that in the pruning process our Christian life does not become an anæmic and meaningless thing, with no vitality, and no challenge to evil and every wrong which is sapping our private and national life.

When I was a boy it was the custom of my father at breakfast time to take down the Book and read to us children a portion of scripture which he invariably followed with a short prayer. It was as natural a function as any habit in our household, and to be sure we children found this rather irksome at times. We wanted to be “off and away,” but as we grew older we began to realise that here was an act of homage—the acknowledgment of a need—a need which must be met and satisfied before the day began. What has become of this lovely custom? Is it practised like it used to be? I know that life is a crowded business these days.

Events and appointments seem to follow one another with little interruption, but it seems to me that we still find time to do the things we really want to do, and no pressure of work prevents us from attending an extra committee meeting or enjoying a week-end of relaxation.

The Church which has the spiritual oversight of this School has recently launched a Crusade, and in opening his campaign the Director said this: “There is such materialism in the world today—such indifference, such an irreverence for holy things—that unless something is done about it, and done quickly, the third and fourth generation from now will be visited with a terrible plague of Godlessness. Can we really lose our spiritual inheritance? Is it possible for us to forfeit our privileges and our blessings? I believe that we could, and we can, and in the last decade we have seen such grim and stark evidence of it that we should be forever on our guard.

In the country of our late enemies almost an entire nation turned their back upon the Cross of Christ, and in its stead they substituted the Crooked Cross. It was an emblem which appeared above the altars in their churches. It was in their houses, their factories and on their public buildings. It sanctified their marriages, sealed their contracts and legalised their documents. And in the place of the Son of Man there rose up a depraved and wicked man, and they worshipped him—literally worshipped him. He was to them the symbol of power and might—their faith, the very hope of their future. The Son of Man will still be winning men long after this evil man is forgotten. And the Emblem? This crooked cross has become the most hated symbol the world has ever known. There is another story, which, because of its strange contrast, I think is worth the telling:—

In the years 1940-42 a tiny island in the Mediterranean was grievously and sorely besieged; mercilessly attacked by day and night. The leader of that island was a God-fearing, courageous and gallant soldier. What did he do? Was he filled with craven fear? Did he talk or surrender? No! he prepared his defences and gathered his meagre resources together and for three long years the people of that tiny island stood firm against an unrelenting foe. And when their freedom was won, when liberty returned and much else besides, what did this brave man say? “We owe our deliverance to the mercy and providence of God.” “Our resources were so few, but His were so great.” Oh! that men everywhere could say with this great man: “I know whom I have believed and am persuaded that He is able to keep that which I have committed to Him. Does anyone really believe in his heart that an occupation force is the ultimate solution to the peace of the world? By all means let us police the people who have brought such misery and suffering to mankind. But men who could pro-

duce the concentration camp and every other devilish form of cruelty—what do they really need? They need a new heart, a new outlook and a new faith. They need Jesus Christ. "We are bought with a price." Redeemed by the precious blood of Christ." Pride and lust and envy and hate—these things do not live in the air—they live in men's hearts, and don't we all know that. Multiply that, multiply it over and over and you've got global discontent and misunderstanding, and conversely fill a man's heart with the love of God—deep-rooted, vigorous and strong, multiply that—multiply it over and over, and you've got the beginning of the new world for which brave men gave so much. In all conscience we have tried remedies enough! The Christian way has not yet been truly and thoroughly tried. Old Collegians, if ever we are tempted to regard our Christian Freedom as a little thing, if ever we are tempted to turn our back upon it for the sake of standing well with society, let us pause awhile and reckon up the cost. Australia has problems enough today, problems which are crying out for the application and energies of educated and Christian men. Let us see to it that our contribution is worthy of our glorious inheritance—worthy, too, of the sufferings, and fidelities and loyalties of those that are gone, and that

those that come after us will be the better and the richer for it.

Let me conclude with these lines by F. P. Morris:—

Lord, give us men—
A countless throng of noble-hearted men
Bound in the bonds of Brotherhood, and then
(Not ruled by party or controlled by sect)
Let them be captained by Thine own elect.

Lord, give us men—
Wise, brave, devoted men, whose lives shall
be—
Like pyramids, in strength, upbuilt by Thee;
Big-brained, large-hearted statesmen, to demand
That righteousness shall rule in this great land.

Lord, give us men—
Large issues are at stake. Such men must face
Vast problems that affect the coming race
In such proportion as we stand for Thee,
Our children's children will be strong and free.

Lord, give us men—
Who scorn, with noble passion, to be free,
The license that destroys our liberty,
But let each hold in trust the sacred rod;
They stand, who smite for Thee, Eternal God.

Interstate Branches

NEW SOUTH WALES

The Branch Secretary is Mr. E. A. Kesting, 7a Wolger Road, Mosman, N.S.W.

Mr. Allan Lyon is President, and his address is 73 Pitt Street, Sydney. Any Old Scholars visiting Sydney are invited to communicate with them.

ANNUAL DINNER

The Re-Union Dinner was successfully held at The Commercial Travellers' Association Dining Room, Sydney, on Thursday, 1st August, between thirty and forty Old Collegians attending. Everyone enjoyed the speeches, which showed a new spirit of our Nationhood. Contributing features were the younger men who have returned from Active Service abroad. Brian Monfries, Norman Harris, Les Cowan, L. S. Edelman, Reg. Garland, and brothers Tom and Graham Holland each gave varying phases from their respective viewpoints, and it was unanimously agreed their comments were those of a new and virile type represented in our Commonwealth. Brian Monfries had experience four years as P.O.W. in Italy and Germany after being seriously wounded at Tobruk, but showed he possessed a fine philosophy right through, and earned our warm

approbation. Each speaker had some new aspect which was full of interest. Maurice Chapman, who is now Manager of 2CH Broadcasting Station, gave us interesting particulars of his activities, particularly as a War Correspondent attached to American Forces, and of photographing films of active war conditions whilst in a fighter plane unit. He was able to impart information regarding Radar as seen by him in practice. A very interesting contribution to our programme.

Dr. H. L. Brose, in submitting our "Alma Mater" ably outlined the purpose and function of the College, giving us some history of the times when he attended as a scholar and master in turn.

Mr. George A. Davey delighted us with many illustrations of his continued interest in the College, and his own particular service amongst educational institutions. He is treasurer of the Methodist Ladies' College, Burwood, N.S.W.

Bernard S. Berry submitted "To those who served the School will not forget", and in an impressive address paid warm tribute to Old Scholars everywhere who shared the Battle of Empire, and as he had two distinguished sons on Active Service we are particularly indebted

to him for his further tribute to those who made the supreme sacrifice. A soldier of 1914/18 war, the inimitable Fred (IXL) Harris passed comment appropriate to the occasion, but his recollections of days at School enabled Fred to say the appropriate thing at the right moment, although his waggishness at times enlivened the proceedings. Major R. Lance Rhodes gave us varying sidelights of his experience on the Home Front as a Staff Officer, greatly to our interest. We were happy to have a contribution from Dr. Reg. M. Dunstone, who recited with great vim one of the best of the poems of C. J. Dennis, and was heartily applauded. Ernest A. Kesting earned our best thanks for the arrangements and smooth procedure. He is a very successful secretary. Allan Lyon (President) presided.

WELCOME TO PRESIDENT G. R. RYDER

Old Scholars in Sydney assembled at School Clubs Limited, Hamilton Street, on Friday, 23rd August. The gathering was well attended. President Ryder outlined the activities of Old Boys' Week, and took us right back in reminiscence to the days when we were at the College. He was particularly interesting in detailing the plan and procedure for The Prince Alfred College War Memorial, and submitted facts and figures which were impressive. We were delighted to meet him in this Social atmosphere, and he received a very hearty welcome to Sydney and amongst the Old Scholars here. Dr. F. W. Wheatley, C.B.E., in submitting the toast "President Ryder", assured the guest of our warm regard for him and all associated in the work of our Alma Mater. Dr. Wheatley has a happy vein in speaking with us, and we were delighted to have him include in his comments matter covering his period at the College both pupil and master, and he was seconded by Dr. H. L. Brose, who was in excellent form as usual, and reminded us of many events we have forgotten. He and Dr. Wheatley contributed much to the success of the gathering by their witty and jocular comment, and were supported by Maurice Chapman, who had our rapt attention in a most enjoyable chat. These three Old Scholars earned our warm approbation, and Dr. Wheatley, in submitting the toast, assured Mr. President Ryder we would follow his lead wherever he felt the School and Association needed support. Mr. W. J. Hiatt (a former President in South Australia) contributed a well enjoyed supplementary summary of events of recent years in which he was an active participant. Mr. President Ryder suitably responded, and kindly acknowledged the sentiments expressed. Later he attended an impromptu Dinner with a few of us, who wished him good health and good fortune.

Secretary Ernest Kesting arranged details most effectively, and Allan Lyon (President N.S.W. Branch) presided.

COMPLIMENTARY DINNER TO MR. J. F. WARD

What was to Old Boys in N.S.W. an important event enabled a Welcome Dinner to be held in honour of Mr. J. F. Ward, M.A. (Headmaster) at the Commercial Travellers' Association Dining Room on Thursday evening, 5th September, when a representative gathering attended. Contributions on the piano were given by Herbert W. Botten, a service he has capably and generously supplied over many years, and fully appreciated.

The toast "The Headmaster" was submitted by Allan Lyon (President), who eulogised the personal qualities and academic attainments of the Headmaster, and claimed between the scholars, masters and boys at the College Mr. Ward has created a fellowship of affection and permanent understanding of friendship and well-being. He was warmly supported by the Old Scholars when associating the name of Mrs. Ward with the Headmaster in recognition of the years of magnificent service she has given in collaboration to the College. Mr. L. F. Burgess supported in language appropriate to the occasion, and happily expressed his recollections in many directions, which pleased those present. Mr. Ward had a most enthusiastic reception, being heartily applauded. He outlined the Prince Alfred College War Memorial programme, and his remarks on all aspects of the College life was warmly received. He very kindly answered questions from amongst those who wished to be fully informed, and we feel grateful to him for his kindly and courteous response. A very happy speech from Hon. H. K. Nock in submitting the toast "Prince Alfred College" summarised with great pride the varying avenues of life in which Old Boys have distinguished themselves, and his own happy recollections of the College as a standard of education and citizenship met with ready endorsement. Dr. Wheatley, C.B.E., responded, and appreciation of his generous acknowledgment and fine sentiments was expressed. Following upon the most interesting address from Mr. Ward, the President called Wilfred D. Rosengarten, who contributed helpful comment and made practical suggestions to obtain a quota from New South Wales particularly, and the gathering then became a very happy family party. In turn each member was invited to give expression to his opinion upon the War Memorial, and how best means could supplement efforts for achievement. It is felt the practical direction in which Mr. Ward set his programme will be heartily supported in manner fitting to the objective. We were very happy to welcome Russell B. Ward, who is associated with the Department of Education in Sydney. He responded to the call from the Chair, and quite impromptu he convulsed the gathering in pantomime, tragedy and comedy, telling a story of fact, including dramatis personae—himself, his fellow boarder, and a greatly loved master, which "brought down the house".

VICTORIA

Mr. A. N. Dawkins, c/o Electricity Supply Department, Town Hall, Melbourne, is Branch Secretary. Phone No. JM 1511. His private address is No. 110, Elizabeth Street, Kooyong, S.E.4.

ANNUAL DINNER

The first post-war Dinner was very successful, with an attendance of 36, and augurs well for the increasing interest in the Melbourne Branch.

The Dinner was held at "The Federal", and arrangements had been made for a three-minute Interstate telephone call—Melbourne to Adelaide and return. The message from Mr. G. K. Ryder (President) in Adelaide was clearly heard by all present. Mr. C. Crompton (President of the Melbourne Branch) then spoke to the Adelaide members. Those responsible for making the necessary arrangements with the Post and Telegraph Department are to be congratulated upon the excellent results obtained, which were greatly appreciated both in Melbourne and Adelaide.

"Boss" Cooper proposed the toast of the "Old School", and reminisced in his inimitable fashion. Roy Hack and Frank Ellis responded, and between the lot the School history was pretty well covered, especially those parts relating to the masters and the pranks played on them by certain small boys.

George Ekins handled the toast of "The Returned Servicemen", and Roy Jackett responded, but time prevented him from telling all he wanted to about life as a prisoner of war, and afterwards when detailed to assist internees in Java.

Old School days were made very vivid by some lusty singing of the Old School songs, and a remarkably good rendering of the School War Cry.

SOCIAL

The President of the Association (Mr. G. K. Ryder) was recently in Melbourne, and in order to meet members of the Victorian Branch issued invitations to attend the "Hotel Federal" on Thursday, 27th August, at 5.15 p.m. During the brief meeting Mr. Ryder expressed, on behalf of the Association, much pleasure upon the revival of the Branch and for the enthusiasm of the members. He also gave a resume of Old Boys' Week and the several sports and social functions.

Those present were: Messrs. C. Crompton, Norm. Dawkins, G. Herriott, B. Berry, R. Leggoe, R. Hack, H. Rosanore, J. Vawser, G. Ekins, W. W. Cooper, Ken. James, Alf. Waldeck, Graham Williams, Ron. Love and H. Brennen.

GENERAL

The Branch Committee is endeavouring to arrange a golf match. Members are requested to advise the Secretary if they desire to participate.

All Old Collegians in Victoria are requested to support the Victorian Branch by attending functions as often as possible.

QUEENSLAND

Mr. P. D. Coles, Spencers Chambers, 57 Edward Street, Brisbane, Telephone B5308, is Branch Secretary, and will be pleased to see any 'Old Red' who may call on him.

A very successful inaugural meeting of the South Australian Old Boys' Association, was held at the Royal Automobile Club of Queensland Board Room on Thursday, 6th June, at 5 p.m. Over 30 South Australians attended, mostly Old Reds and Blues, to meet Messrs. J. H. Gosse (Past Chairman, Saints) and Len Clarkson (Past President, Princes), who were attending the Chamber of Commerce Conference held in Brisbane that week.

Telegrams of greetings from Adelaide were read and appreciated by the gathering.

The following Committee was elected: Messrs. Len King (Chairman), T. S. Ware, F. W. Wakelin (St. Peters), E. R. Martyn (Pulteney Grammar), J. E. Tregenza, P. D. Coles (Secretary) (Princes).

Other Old Reds present were Messrs. C. S. Bray, M. L. Staer and R. B. Nancarrow. Apologies were received from Messrs. R. W. Thomas, R. J. S. Muir, L. C. Dobbie and F. Bennett.

Messrs. J. H. Gosse (St. Peters) and Len S. Clarkson (Princes) were given the opportunity to address members, and gave a brief description of the recent School improvement, and particularly of the proposed War Memorial buildings.

This Branch is now firmly re-established with an enthusiastic Committee. All Old Boys in Queensland and re-visiting Brisbane should communicate with the Secretary, Mr. P. D. Coles.

ANNUAL DINNER

A very successful Dinner was held at the Hotel Cecil on 19th August. By a happy chance the Dinner coincided with Sir Raphael Cilento's brief return to Brisbane. He is an Old Red and Director General for refugees in U.N.R.R.A.

Also present were Messrs. J. H. Gosse and Guy Packard from the Adelaide Steamship Coy.

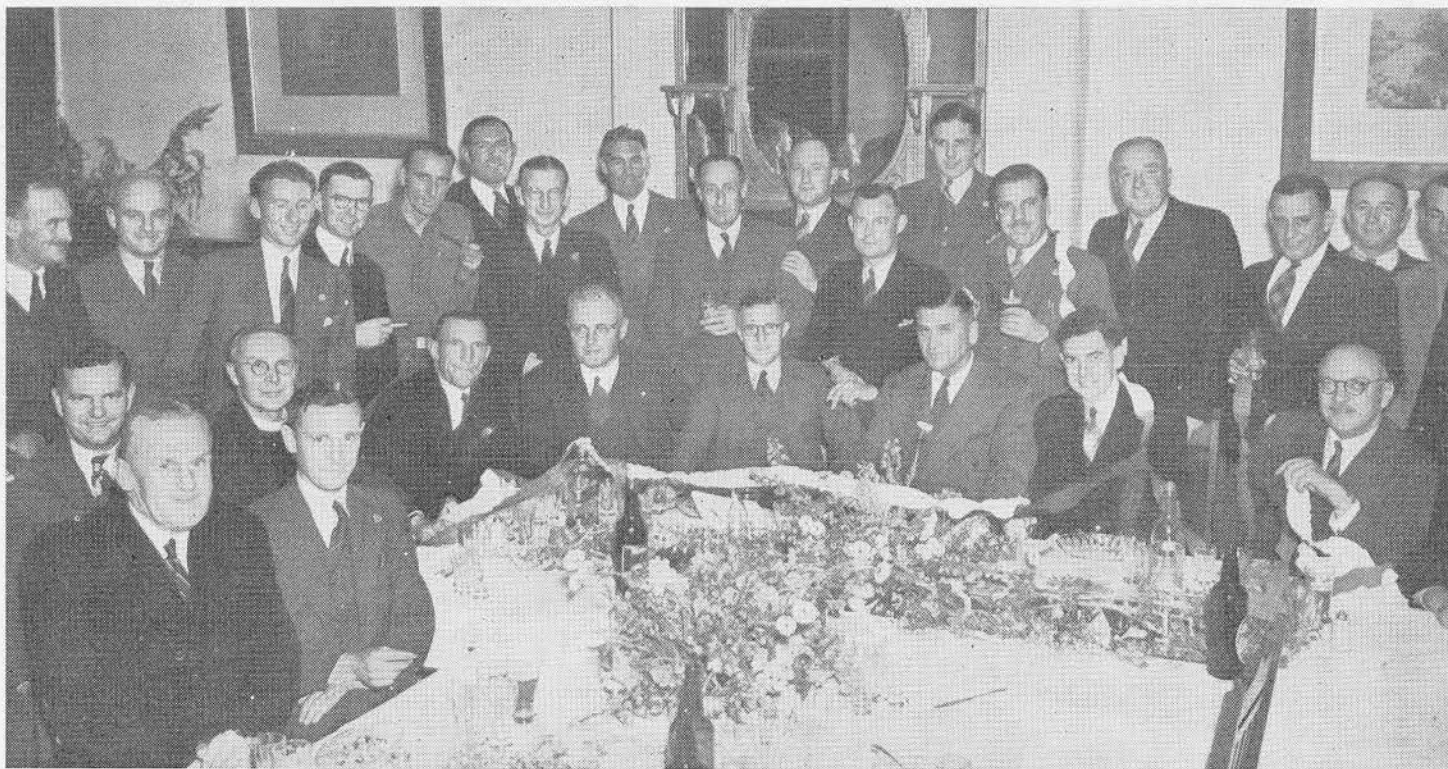
There was a total attendance of 31. Old Reds present were J. E. Tregenza (1920-21), R. W. Thomas (1895), M. L. Staer (1922), S. H. Ward (1928), R. Muir (1911-16), R. B. Nancarrow (1927) and P. D. Coles (1923-5). There were also eleven Old Blues.

Telegrams were received from Old Reds and Old Blues in Adelaide conveying greetings and best wishes for a happy reunion.

After the Dinner about half the number went to a Vaudeville Show at the Cremorne. Altogether it was a very successful and carnival evening.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

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



S.A. SCHOOLS ASSOCIATION DINNER AT BRISBANE

Standing (left to right)—M. L. Staer (P.A.C.), A. J. Richards (S.P.S.C.), B. K. Kenihan (Rost.), H. A. Witte (A.H.S.), — Taylor (Pult.), Dr. N. V. Youngman (S.P.S.C.), B. Quinn (S.P.S.C.), M. A. P. Mattingly (P.A.C.), G. D. L. Prince (Kyre), C. T. Messner (Pult.), D. C. Young (S.P.S.C.), G. McPhee (S.P.S.C.), C. R. Beer (W.D.H.S.), E. R. Martyr (Pult.), S. H. Ward, Alf. Martin (S.P.S.C.)

Seated (from left)—R. Whitelaw (P.P.H.S.), A. J. Osborne (S.P.S.C.)

Seated (back left and round table)—R. B. Nancarrow (P.A.C.), Rev. J. S. Roach (S.P.S.C.), F. W. Wakelin (S.P.S.C.), Paul Watson (N.H.S.), J. E. Tregenza (P.A.C.), Len King (President, S.P.S.C.), P. D. Coles (Secretary, P.A.C.), T. S. Ware (S.P.S.C.)

PERSONAL

Mr. V. H. Dawe recently arrived in Perth to take up the position of City Valuer.

Mr. Max Philbey has been spending a six weeks' holiday in Western Australia, and was a guest at the last Branch meeting. He has been staying with the Thurstons.

Several Old Reds revisited Perth with the S.A. Football Team, but unfortunately the Secretary was unable to contact them during their visit.

Mr. H. J. Phillips has sold his property at Ballingup, and is now resident in Cottesloe. He recently accompanied members of the Scientific Research Council on an expedition in South Australia.

BROKEN HILL

Steps are being taken to revive the Broken Hill Branch. At a preliminary meeting, held on 21st August it was decided to circularise Old Reds in the district and hold a General Meeting to elect a President, Committee and Secretary and Treasurer. It is intended at a later date to arrange functions, particularly sporting fixtures with Old Collegians Associations.

Mr. Jim Brown, c/o "The Barrier Miner", has been appointed Secretary pro tem.

All Old Reds in Broken Hill and surrounding districts are requested to communicate with Mr. Brown as soon as possible.

The Secretary's address is: Mr. J. J. Brown, c/o "The Barrier Miner", Broken Hill, or P.O. Box 19 C., Broken Hill.

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