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O.C., Capt. Johnston, A. S.; 2 I.C., Lieut. Laurie, A. R.; Cadet Lieuts, Bailey, J. R.; Heaslip, J. G.; Mackay, L. K.; Miller, J. M.; Palmer, D. R.; C.S.M., W.O2 Beauchamp, F. T.; C.Q.M.S., S/Sgt. Wilson, J.T.; Sergeants, Chase, B. C.; Crowe, D. S.; Thyer, P. E.; Cornish, P. R.; Eaton, P. S.; Petchell, B. M.; Pitman, J. G.; Ryan, J. H.; Tanner, P. R.

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Sea Scout Troop—Mr. J. L. Cleland and Mr. W. W. Goodenough (acting Scoutmasters); Assistant Scoutmaster, Mr. R. K. Silk; Mr. D. F. Provis (assisting); Patrol Leaders, R. J. Hoepner, G. J. Peters.

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VIA	- - -	D. P. Walker
VIB	- - -	D. V. Lord
VIC	- - -	M. G. R. Perry
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Vu B	- - -	P. S. Eaton
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Editorial

It is regrettable that the vital part played by the masters in a school such as ours is so often accepted as a matter of course, particularly by the boys themselves. Yet, in the final analysis, the degree of success achieved by any school, whether it be in scholastic attainment, in the playing fields, or in training for citizenship, depends to a great extent upon the calibre of its teaching staff.

The teaching profession is not for those who in this life seek material gain. It offers no glamour, comparatively few opportunities for appointment to highly paid posts and even then no fabulous monetary rewards. Furthermore, it demands a standard of conduct and a way of life that must be a fitting example to the youth of the nation.

The master's work does not finish in the classroom, nor is the knowledge he imparts limited to the subject-matter to be found in text books. Games, art, music, drama, hobbies, crafts and other school activities benefit from his guidance and advice; while, to the master, at least equally with the parents, falls the task of moulding the character of the boys committed to his charge, of fitting them for the responsibilities they will have to assume as adults. Up to the closing years of secondary education, the young mind is impressionable and highly susceptible to training, both by suggestion and example, and it is here that the master is confronted with the most important phase of his work. There is no rule-of-thumb procedure that he can follow; his methods are not dictated in text-books, nor are they strictly laid down by his superiors. He must of necessity regard each of his charges from an individual standpoint, his actions and his speech must be controlled and careful and his knowledge of the intricacies of the schoolboy mind must be extensive. Such knowledge is obtained only after long and searching study of the mental processes of many individuals and by quiet consideration (more often than not during "off-duty" hours) of the problems which they present.

When the results of the Public Examinations are announced, it is the successful student who is acclaimed, whose photograph appears in the press. Such "honorable mention" as may be accorded the teachers is usually published only as the result of the remarks of a thoughtful student who has had occasion to reflect that his success has been in no small measure due to their efforts. History reveals that it was ever thus—the names of Chopin and Freud, for example, are household words; but how many of us pause to consider the extent to which their genius was inspired by the men who taught them, Elsner and Charcot?

Let the masters know, then, that though we may rarely give thought to these things, we do in more serious mood remember and are not unappreciative; that we know theirs to be an honourable profession upon which the welfare of our country is largely dependent; and that we realise the truth in the words of Aristotle—

"Those who educate children well are more to be honoured than those who produce them; for these only gave them life, those the art of living well."

J. M. M.

School Notes

The first term has ended and it has been just as busy as we have come to expect first terms to be. We are glad that the poliomyelitis epidemic shows signs of abating, and we hope that it may soon be at an end.

The school roll stood at 687 during the first term, and all places in the boarding house were taken, to make a total of 138 boarders. Bookings have been received for as far ahead as 1962 and many applicants for admission in the next few years are certain to be disappointed. In most classes, and this is particularly the case in the Prep., all vacancies for years ahead appear to have been booked.

The school joins in welcoming to the Staff Mr. D. F. Provis, Mr. H. E. Coombes, Mr. G. M. Bowen, Mr. A. R. Laurie and Mr. W. W. Goodenough in the Big School, and Mr. Kesting and Miss E. Angwin in the Prep. Mr. Provis and Mr. Kesting are Old Boys while Mr. Bowen is known to boarders of recent years as the organist at Kent Town Church.

Mr. J. L. Cleland, who has been a part-time member of the staff for the past two years, is now doing full-time work, while Mr. D. H. Prest, Captain of the School last year, is in residence in the House while he does his Science course at the University.

We were glad to welcome our Music Master, Mr. R. G. May, on his return from a year on leave in Great Britain and on the Continent. The experience he gained will mean much to us in the years to come. The Fourth Forms now have classes each week in Musical Appreciation.

Miss Scarfe left for England at the beginning of the year on leave of absence for a year, and we welcome Mrs. Warner who is taking her place with form II B in the Prep.

We are glad that Mr. Mutton is making good recovery from an operation that he underwent a week before the close of the first term. We believe that until this enforced absence Mr. Mutton had missed only two days in his 31 years of service on the staff—a fine record.

The usual Inter-Collegiate contests have been held. Congratulations to Head and to Mr. Luke on the tennis victory—our twenty-first success in twenty-three years. On this occasion a S.P.S.C. victory seemed likely when the last group of matches began, but a fine first set win by our second pair against their first pair gained us the day. The position was reversed in Athletics when P.A.C. gained a lead from the first event and maintained it until two events from the end. Congratulations to St. Peter's on their eleventh consecutive victory and also to Smith and Mr. Fuller upon the fine effort of our team. Congratulations also to St. Peter's on their victory in the rowing.

The College Council has placed a contract for, and the work has begun on new bath-room and lavatory accommodation for masters and for boys in the wing—much needed but very costly.

We are indebted to Miss Hilda Watts for the gift to the library of four prize books won by her brother, G. G. Watts (at P.A.C. 1906-09) who gave his life for his country in the First World War, and also for a very early

photograph of the school, a copy of which was not previously in our possession.

Members of the Conference were present at morning Assembly on Thursday, 2nd March. We welcomed the new President, Rev. W. J. Bailey, an Old Boy of the School, and he gave us an inspiring address for which he was thanked by the Secretary of the College Council, Mr. David Waterhouse, O.B.E.

We were pleased to have with us at Assembly on Monday, 24th April Mr. Eric Armstrong, President of the Melbourne Branch of the Old Collegians' Association, and Mr. Roy Jackett, who had been president in 1949. Both spent a very happy morning at the school.

A special Anzac Service was conducted by the School Chaplain, Rev. C. J. Perry, before the close of school on 24th April. The address was given by Major W. D. Sharland, an Old Boy with distinguished service in both wars, who has done much for the R.S.L.

Mr. Elliott Forsyth, acting regional secretary, addressed the school at morning Assembly on the world wide nature of work of the Student Christian Movement. Mr. Forsyth, who is an Old Boy, was leaving shortly for France to further his studies and we took the opportunity of wishing him success in his venture abroad.

Parents and Friends Association

There was an excellent attendance at the Annual Meeting of the Parents and Friends Association held at the College on Friday, March 17th. Mr. Treloar was elected President, Mr. Gniel Secretary, and Mr. Perriam Treasurer for the ensuing year. The retiring president, Mr. R. C. Hall, in his report told of a very successful year. The success of the appeal for the Norman Mitchell Memorial Fund had

been particularly gratifying. The Association had been pleased to assist the Prep. Mothers' Club which was doing excellent work. In addition, it had continued to help the College by donating prizes, assisting the Scouts, and by giving its support whenever possible. Tribute was paid to the work done by the retiring president and by Mr. Norman Todd, retiring treasurer, and Mr. J. O. Tiddy, retiring secretary.

Lunch-hour Music

At the beginning of the first term we were very pleased to welcome back Mr. Roland May after his visit to England and the Continent. Under his guidance, the Friday Lunch-hour Music Club has heard many most enjoyable programmes. Besides the usual recorded music, Mr. May arranged three concerts which were given by leading Adelaide artists. The first of these was Mr. Douglas Karran, baritone, who sang songs including "The Recruit," "The Farmer's Pride" and "O What a Beautiful morning" (from Oklahoma). The second was a joint recital given by Mr. Coombes, tenor, and Mr. James Duncan, flautist. Mr. Coombes has one of the most powerful tenor voices that we have ever heard and the performance was greatly appreciated. The third concert was given by Miss Vera Tregoweth, an elocutionist, who presented a humorous monologue called,

"At the Concert". These three concerts were thoroughly enjoyed by the many who attended them.

Half-way through the term, the school purchased a magnificent record-player and the volume and tonal reproduction of the records played were considerably improved.

Among works heard during this term were Brahms's "Academic Festival Overture," the Overture from "The Meistersingers of Nuremberg" by Wagner, Beethoven's "Fifth Symphony," Haydn's "Trumpet Concerto," Bach's "Sonata in E Flat," "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" by Ducas and Vaughan Williams's "Wasps Overture". These works were very much appreciated. We should like to thank Mr. May for the keen interest he has taken this term.

Salvete

* Denotes Boarder. † Denotes Son of Old Scholar ‡ Denotes Grandson of Old Scholar.

I C

Acott, R. G. †
Edgeloe, R. K.
Lock, D. G.
Ramsay, M. B.
Stain, P. W. †
Temby, W. D. †
Tregoning, J. R. †

I B

Bowen, D. F. *
Gibson, A. R. †
Jolly, M. A. B. † ‡
Smith, R. J.
Veres, R. J. † ‡
Yule, I. R. †

I A

Alexander, J. G.
Barker, D. E.
Cleland, R. G. † ‡
Clark, J. J.
Dickinson, A. K.
Holsten, R. H. †
Saint, B. E.
Smith, R. H. *
Thompson, R. W.
Watkins, T. J.
Wilson, R. F.
Yeoman, D. N. *

II B

Isaacs, B.
Krantz, P. P. * †
Smith, A. M.
Smith, H. K.

II A

Bowen, G. P. †
Mitchell, J. P.
Story, M. J. * †
Yule, A. †

III B

Cramer, C. D.
Digby, I. B.
Edgeloe, M. J.
Hyde, D. E.
Paterson, D. J. †
Walker, R. N.
Waterman, T. R.
Whitham, P. J. † ‡

III D—III B

Bath, I. T.
Brown, B. S.
Cameron, I. K.
Harris, P. G. †
Sandow, K. P. †

III D—III A

Crossman, M. W.

III A

Kelly, B. H. * † ‡
Martin, P. S. †
Paterson, A. D. †
Walsh, D. G. †
Waterman, I. M.

IV C

Ashby, G. E. M. * † ‡
Chaplin, J. S.
Craig, J.
Daniel, B. K.
Daniel, K. W. * †
Daniel, R. I. * †
Duguid, D. L.
Keane, V. T.
Leech, R. J.
Millard, M. J. *
Morcombe, R. J.
Preece, I. E. † ‡
Rundle, T. J. *
Shepherd, E. J.
Smart, I. F. * †
Williams, R. A. *
Wilkinson, D. S. * † ‡

IV B

Blight, D. F. A. *
Blockley, J. D.
Corbet, R. H.
Crossing, J. S.
Fidge, D. G. *
Harvey, J. C.
Holmes, B. C. †
Lines, P. R. *
McCoy, D. G. † ‡
McKay, M. J. * †
Pearson, J. W. * †
Rundle, B. F. * †
Thomas, T. G. * †

IV A

Anderson, B. B. * †
Barlow, P. F. † ‡
Bridge, K. J.
Brown, B. L.
Buckland, J. E.
Bond, G. D.
Catford M. J. *
Dyke, B. J.
Greenslade, R. P. J. * † ‡
Giffen, R. J. †
Hilder, C. A. * †
Holding, B. J.
Hookham, J.
Kuhlmann, J. M. *
Lines, D. H.

Lithgow, J. N.
Luke, D. A. T.
Pledge, J. M.
Potter, D. C.
Puckridge, R. J.
Schneider, L. T.
Silk, M. S.
Smyth, P. M. * †
Wheatley, R. A.
Whittam M. D. * † ‡

VI D

Chapman, R. J. * † ‡

VI C

Bruhn, R. B.
Greenslade, B. L. * † ‡
Trewenack, J. B.

VI B

Hannaford, J. D. †
James, R. D. *
Taylor, D. H. G. * † ‡

VI A

Payne, D. B. †
Simpson, J. A.

Vu D

Turley, T. J. *

Vu C

Maxwell, R. T. *
Stribley, J. R. †

Vu B

Phillips, A. D.

VI C

Jettner, C. J. *
Little, E. V. † ‡
Lodge, K. J.
Vandepeer, J. B.

VI B

Cockington, R. M. †
Kelly, I. G. * †
Menadue, J. L. *
Phillips, L. P.

VI A

Barlow, P. F. † ‡
Gould, J. G.
Ophel, T. R.

VI u

Burns, R. E.
Candy, B. H. G.
Kenyon, J. D. *
Noblet, D. G. *

Student Christian Movement

This term we have had five meetings at which we have been addressed by outside speakers. They all proved most interesting and those who attended the meetings went away feeling that their time had been profitably spent.

The first speaker for the term was Mr. J. F. Ward, who told us of the very early days of the S.C.M. in South Australia. He pointed out that our branch was the only one in the State that had never lapsed since June, 1896, when John Mott came to the school and addressed a meeting of 30 boys in the Science Hall (now the Chemistry Laboratory). Mr. Ward then spoke on the ideals and achievements of the S.C.M. and so provided our branch with a very fine start for the year.

Rev. G. B. Tucker of the Highbury Street Methodist Church was our next speaker. He gave an interesting talk on "The need of the Gospel and its meaning and relevance to modern problems".

The third speaker was Mr. R. W. M. Johnson, an old scholar who is prominent in civic life. He said that people nowadays are too willing to take the easy way out and do not work for the community. Many decisions had to be made in our lives and there was always someone who would guide us, above all our Lord Jesus Christ.

Our fourth speaker was Rev. A. T. Strange of the North Adelaide Christian Community

Centre. He told us of some of the work he is doing among New Australians and the community in general. Every Sunday evening the centre entertains at tea, and afterwards at church, up to 100 New Australians who would otherwise have nothing to do. He also told how he organises football games for boys in the parklands during the school holidays and explained that the centre was run on the conviction that people depend on one another.

Our final speaker for the term was Dr. E. S. Kiek, Principal of Parkin College, who used for his subject "Issachar, the strong ass". In the Bible, Issachar, one of Jacob's sons, was described (by Jacob) as a strong ass, because he thought that rest was good. Dr. Kiek then said that too many people were becoming strong asses, spending too much time on leisure instead of dedicating themselves to useful labour. He pointed out that, if Australians do not work harder, they are likely to be overrun by thousands of Asiatics who are within a few hundred miles of us.

We should like to thank the speakers for giving up their valuable time to talk to us and we assure them that their talks have not been in vain.

In the second term we propose to have two discussion groups led by two university scholars and we are sure that they will be most valuable.

Cadet Notes

The cadets made a fine start in the year's activities at the January N.C.O. camp at Woodside. The results of the intensive training in that week were shown in the examination held on the last night in camp. This exam resulted in many promotions in our unit. Amongst the outstanding events of the camp was the first formal mess of the 28th Cadet Battalion at which we had the honour to have one of our Cadet Lieutenants, D. Barton, elected Vice-President.

The effect of this camp on our N.C.Os was shown in the way in which they soon had our weekly parades running efficiently. It was very pleasing to have a large number of first year cadets who have proved very keen. Those amongst them who showed most promise were drilled by Lieutenant Laurie, our 2.I.C. From these boys there were a number of promotions to lance-corporal.

This year saw the formation of a new branch of specialists, the Intelligence. Those specialising in the Vickers are under the instruction of S/M Videon, and the anti-tank crew are instructed by Cpl. Francis. Both these instructors from the Regular Army and we should like to thank them for their fine work.

The attendance at the annual May camp was disappointing, being only 81 cadets from the total strength of 280. The poor attendance was due to a change in date for the camp which was held in the second week of the holidays instead of the first. Despite this handicap, the high standard of the training and organisation, enabled us to gain third place for the Efficiency Cup, which was won by St. Peter's College, followed by C.B.C. During the camp we were visited by Major-General Chapman, the new Commandant of our district. He commented favourably on our unit and was present at the Changing of the Guard on the following Sunday when we turned out the New Guard. At the formal mess the Vice-President was again one of our Cadet-Lieutenants, J. Bailey.

Apart from the valuable training gained from this camp, the cadets had plenty of fun at Beevoir Range where they had the opportunity to employ their previous training. While we were at Beevoir there was a demonstration of the grenade and mortar.

Having completed a most successful term in the cadets we look forward to another equally good.

Public Examinations, 1949

INTERMEDIATE EXHIBITIONS

Goodale, P. L.; Schneider, M. P.; Mann, W. E.; Evans, D. W.; Hobbs, W. H.; Gann, G. D.; Staker, R.

INTERMEDIATE

Passed in the required five subjects (Ma equals two subjects):

Ali, D. R.—Eg, Ma, C, Gg.
 Bailey, J. R.—Eg,* F, Ma, P, C, H
 Barton, L. N.—Eg, Ma, P, C, H, Gg
 Bartrop, O. R. F.—Eg, Ma, P, C, Gg
 Bedford, I. C. P.—Eg, MaI, P, C, H
 Burrige, I. W.—EgQ, Ma, P, C, H
 Chapple, G. B.—Eg, Ma,* P, Gg*
 Cornish, J. W.—EgQ, Ma, P, C, Gg
 Crouch, D. H.—Eg, Ma,* P, Gg,* Bk
 Doudle, R. H.—Eg, Ma, Gg, Bk
 Ducker, J. R.—Eg, Ma, P, C, Gg
 Ekins, W. G.—Eg, Ma, P, C, H,* Gg*
 Evans, D. W.—Eg, L,* F,* Ma,* P,* C
 Finnigan, P. J.—Eg, Ma, C, Gg
 Foulds, G. G.—Eg, L, F, Ma, P
 Fricker, I. D.—Eg, L, Ma, P,* C, Gg
 Gann, G. D.—Eg, L,* F, Ma,* P, C
 Goldsack, G. R.—EgQ, Ma, P, C, Gg
 Goodale, P. A.—Eg, L,* Ma,* P,* C, Gg*
 Gray, B. L.—Eg, L, Ma, P, C, Gg
 Hobbs, W. H.—Eg, L, F,* Ma,* P,* C
 Hoepner, R. J.—Eg, L, Ma, P,* C,* Gg
 Johnson, R. G.—Eg, L, Gn, Ma, P, C
 Kershaw, J. R.—EgQ, L, F, Ma, P, C
 Lewis, W. A.—Eg, L, F, Ma, P, C
 Lipsham, D. G.—Eg, Ma, P, C, W
 Little, B. V.—Eg, A, C, Gg, Bk, D
 Lowe, A. K.—Eg, Gn, Ma, P, C, Bk
 McTaggart, M. I.—Eg, Ma, P, C, H, Gg
 Mann, W. E.—Eg, L, F,* Ma,* P,* C*
 May, J. C.—Eg, L, F, Ma,* P, C
 Mickan, E. L.—E, L, F, Ma,* P, C
 Newman, P. S.—Eg, F, Ma,* P, C, H
 Patten, R. L.—Eg, Gn, Ma, P, C, H
 Pearson, I. J. W.—Eg, Ma, P, C, Gg
 Peters, C. J.—Eg, L, Gn, Ma, P, C, M
 Phillips, D. W.—Eg, Ma, P, C
 Pullin, D. R.—Eg, L, Ma,* P, C, Gg
 Richardson, B. G.—Eg, F, Ma, P, C, Bk
 Ross, V. L.—Eg, MaI, C, H, Gg
 Rowland, G. D.—Eg, Ma, C, Bk
 Ryan, J. H.—Eg, F, Ma, P, C
 Schneider, M. P.—Eg, L,* Gn,* Ma,* P, C
 Solly, I. R.—Eg, Ma, P, C, Bk
 Staker, R.—Eg, L,* Ma,* P,* C,* Gg
 Sumner, R. D.—Eg, Ma, P, C, H
 Sweeney, T. J.—EgQ, Ma, P, C, H
 Thyer, P. E. D.—Eg, Ma, P, C, H
 Tiddy, I. M.—Eg, L, F, Ma, P, C
 Trestrail, D. C.—EgQ, Ma, P, Gg
 Walsh, G. G.—Eg, Ma,* P, C, H
 Wandke, B. G.—Eg, L, Gn, Ma,* P, C
 Watt, T. C.—EgQ, Ma, P, C, Gg
 Whitburn, B. D.—Eg, L, Ma, P, C, Gg
 Wilson, J. T.—Eg, F, Ma, P, C, H

Passed in Less than Required Five Subjects

Bishop, D. E. P.—MaI, C, H, Gg
 Clarkson, P. G.—Ma, P, C,* Gg
 Conigrave, J. D.—Eg, Ma, C
 Cornish, P. R.—Ma, P, C*
 Cox, N. I.—Ma, C, Gg
 Day, I. D.—Ma, C, Gg
 Fuller, M. G.—Ma, Gg, Bk
 Gardner, M. H.—MaI, P, C, Gg
 Glyde, D. R.—Eg, P, C, H
 Hayes, B.—Ma, P, C, Gg, Bk
 Hill, C. J.—Eg, A, P, Gg
 Lunn, B. A.—Eg, Ma, Bk
 Martin, M. R.—Ma, Gg, Bk
 Pearson, D. C.—Ma, P, C
 Perry, M. G. R.—MaI, C, H, Gg
 Preece, D. T.—Eg, MaI, P, C,
 Standish, P. J.—Ma, C, H
 Stevens, J. A.—Ma, P, C

Boys who passed additional subjects

Clark, R. S. D.—C*
 Clark, J. T.—Bk
 Faull, J. F.—L
 Fricker, M. S.—F
 Gray, C. D.—L*
 Humble, D. S.—Ma, P
 Parkinson, J. H.—C*

* Indicates that the Certificate was completed

LEAVING

Bursary Winners

Barton, D. C., Mills, J. S., Glasson, L. W. A.,
 Gale, A. E., Dunn, M. Q., Lill, J. C.,
 Allard, J. T.

Honours Lists

Latin—Barton, D. C. (3), Ward, D. H. (19),
 Glasson, L. W. A. (23).
 Maths. I.—Barton, D. C. (1), Harvey, W. H.
 (3), Mills, J. S. (12), Allard, J. T., Dunn,
 M. Q., Lewis, P. A., Ward, D. H. (17),
 Cox, G. M., Lawrence, J. R., Wheatley, P.
 J. (23), Glasson, L. W. A. (30), Gale, A.
 E. (34), Wohlers, J. C. (44), Wilkins, J.
 L. (49).
 Maths. II.—Barton, D. C. (1), Wilkins, J. L.
 (2), Mills, J. S. (4), Cox, G. M., Gale, A.
 E., Glasson, L. W. A., Harvey, W. H.
 (10), Wheatley, P. J. (21), Lewis, P. A.,
 Wohlers, J. C. (24), Dunn, M. Q. (27),
 Pickering, E. (30).
 Physics—Barton, D. C., Mills, J. S. (2), Har-
 vey, W. H. (10), Gale, A. E., Glasson, L.
 W. A. (14), Lill, J. C. (17), Ward, D. H.,
 Wheatley, P. J. (28), Allard, J. T. (33),
 Dunn, M. Q., Lawrence, J. R., Skinner, S.
 L. (43), Southcott, W. T. (50).
 Chemistry—Glasson, L. W. A. (29), Lill, J. C.,
 Mills, J. S. (33).
 Economics—Pope, J. B. (1), Brabham, G. E.

Passed in Required Four Subjects

Appelbee, P. R.—Eg, Gn, MI, MII, P.
 Allard, J. T.—Eg, Fr, MI*, MII, P,* C.
 Badcock, J. E. H.—Eg, MI, MII, P.
 Barton, D. C.—Eg, L,* Fr, MI,* MII,* P,* C
 Beauchamp, F. T.—EgQ, MI, MII, H, Ec,
 Ech
 Chappell, J. F.—Eg, MI, MII, C
 Clarke, J. T.—Eg, MI, Ec, Gg
 Cox, G. M.—Eg, Gn, MI,* MII* P, C
 Crowe, D. S.—Eg, L, MI, MII, P, C
 Cutlack, S. L.—Eg, Fr, MI, MII, P
 Dawe, P. A.—Eg, MI, MII, P, H
 Dunn, M. Q.—Eg, Fr, MI,* MII,* P,* C
 Ellis, D. F.—Eg, MI, P, C
 Faull, J. F.—Eg, MI, P, C
 Gale, A. E.—Eg, LL, MI,* MII,* P,* C
 Glasson, L. W. A.—Eg, L,* MI,* MII,* P,* C*
 Glastonbury, K. B.—Eg, Fr, MI, MII, P, C
 Harvey, P. W.—Eg, MI, MII, H, Ec
 Harvey, W. H.—Eg, Fr, MI,* MII,* P,* C
 Hill, P.—Eg, L, MI, MII, P, Gg
 Kelton, B. L.—Eg, MI, MII, C
 Lawrence, J. R.—Eg, MI,* MII, P,* C
 Lewis, P. A.—EgQ, Fr, MI,* MII,* P, C
 Lill, J. C.—Eg, Gn, MI, MII, P,* C*
 Mills, J. S.—Eg, Fr, MI,* MII,* P,* C*
 Michell, J. R.—EgQ, MI, MII, P, C
 Olsson, G. D.—EgQ, L, Gn, MI, C, Ec
 Palmer, D. R.—Eg, Fr, MI, MII, P, C
 Parker, G. E.—Eg, Fr, MI, MII, Ec
 Pickering, E.—Eg, Fr, MI, MII,* P, C
 Pitman, D. T.—Eg, Fr, MI, MII
 Pitman, J. B.—Eg, Fr, MI, MII, P
 Pinch, R. J.—Eg, Gn, MI, MII, P, C
 Pope, J. B.—Eg, MI, MII, C, Ec,* Ag Sc
 Puckridge, D. W.—Eg, MI, MII, P, C, Gg
 Skinner, S. L.—EgQ, Fr, MI, MII, P,* C
 Smith, D. M.—EgQ, Gn, MI, MII, P, C
 Southcott, W. T.—Eg, MI, MII, P,* C, H
 Ward, D. H.—Eg, L,* MI,* MII, P,* C
 Wheatley, P. J.—Eg, MI,* MII,* P*
 Wilkins, J. L.—Eg, MI,* MII,* P, C

Passed in Less than Required Four Subjects

Bell, S. R.—MI, MII, Gg
 Bridgland, M. W.—Eg, Fr, MI

Coat, J. L.—Eg, Ec, Gg
 Cook, I. B.—MI, MII, C
 Cooper, W. T.—Eg, MI, H
 Cowling, J. R.—MI, MII, C, Gg
 Elford, R. F.—MI, MII, P, C
 Ferris, B. L.—MI, MII, Gg
 Fricker, M. S.—Eg, MI, P
 Gould, B. B.—H, Ec, Gg
 Haskard, R. L.—MI, MII, C
 Hennessy, I. N.—L, MI, MII, P, C
 Jeffery, J. L.—MI, MII, P, C
 Menzies, G. M.—Eg, Fr, P
 Morris, R. R.—P, H, Ec
 Nicholson, J. R.—MI, MII, P, C, H
 Michell, J. A.—Ec, Bk, D
 Prest, R. H.—Eg, H, Ec
 Pritchard, D. M.—MI, MII, P, C
 Saunders, L. B.—MI, MII, C
 Stevens, M. A.—MI, MII, P, C
 Wohlers, J. C.—MI,* MII,* C, Ec

Certificate Holders who Gained Extra Subjects

Newman, B. B.—Ec
 Skinner, R. N.—Ec, C
 Williams, D. N.—Ec

SUPPLEMENTARY LEAVING EXAMINATIONS

Those who Completed their Certificates

Coat, J. L. Ag.-Sc.
 Cook, A. B.—Eg, P
 Hennessy, I. N.—Eg
 Jeffery, J. L.—Eg
 Pritchard, D. M.—Eg
 Stevens, M. A.—Eg

Others who gained Subjects

Cowling, J. R.—P
 Hale, R. P.—Eg
 Lewis, P. A.—Eg
 Michell, J. A.—P
 Olsson, G. D.—Eg
 Skinner, S. L.—Eg

D U C E S

VIu - - - R. P. Hale
 VIA - - - W. E. Mann
 VIB - - - I. G. Kelly
 VIC - - - J. A. Stevens
 VuA - - - B. W. Smith
 VuB - - - W. R. Vardon
 VuC - - - J. Stribley
 VuD - - - P. G. Hart
 VIA - - - G. N. Walton
 VIB - - - J. D. Goulter
 VIC - - - A. W. Hillier
 VID - - - D. R. Greig
 IVA - - - A. Jeffery
 IVB - - - J. S. Crossing
 IVC - - - T. J. Rundle

House Notes

SCHOOL

The first term has closed, and School House has a very successful start in its year's activities.

At the beginning of the term Mr. Fuller took over the post of Housemaster, and Mr. Prest and Mr. Goodenough joined the staff. Wilbur Harvey was appointed Captain of the House, and he, Keith Scott and Don Lord joined the ranks of the School Prefects.

During the term Sister Lane left us, and Mrs. Smith filled the vacancy. We welcome her and wish her all the best in her new post.

Thanks to the efforts of the resident staff, conditions in the House have been good. Some rules have been modified and amenities have been improved. Unfortunately, the parties have been missed owing to the polio precautions, but, as the latter may soon be eased, we are still hopeful.

During the holidays extensive alterations to the wing bathrooms will be continued. These have caused some disruption in House routine, but the improvements will merit any sacrifice.

First of the Inter-House events was the tennis. Our team, led by Jim Faull, who played so well in the Intercol., reached the final by defeating Cotton. Waterhouse were confident, but steady play right through gave us a convincing win.

We had four representatives in the eight this year. Lord, Scott, Bailey and Tiver are to be congratulated on their inclusion.

The Athletics came and found us prepared. The lads flocked to the "Standards" events, and their keenness was rewarded by a lead of 150 points when that branch of the competition closed. Then, having amongst us a large proportion of the Athletics practice, we looked forward to a keen tussle with Waterhouse on the day. We were rewarded with a sound victory throughout. Individual events, the march and two of the three relays fell to us.

Doug. Smith, with 20 points from four events, must be congratulated on winning the Senior Cup. Cox and Scott also deserve special mention for winning the Under-15 Cup and two senior events respectively. Other competitors, too numerous to mention, won events or gained points, and all contributed to a great win. Waterhouse again saw our backs; we sympathise and wish them better luck in the other activities of the year.

Naturally, the premier athletics house gave the Intercol. side a good start. Congratulations to 21 of our members who gained inclusion, and especially to those who won events.

In schoolwork we have done reasonably well. Four boarders have topped their grades—namely, Kelly, Hart P., Greig and Rundle T. Congratulations are due to them, and also to Ward, who was top of the first-year students in the Leaving Honours.

It has been a good term's effort, and the spirit in the House augurs well for next term, when the football and schoolwork will be our main concerns.

Lighter Addenda

Are the Territorians sending a team to the Olympics?

Is Boarding-House life good for "slim" people?

Are we fond of dogs or are dogs fond of us?

Anyone attempting to supply answers to the above will be dealt with.

BAYLY

Early this term our House Committee was elected, and we congratulate Miller on his appointment as House Captain. We hope that he and his Committee, consisting of Ducker, Lewis, Lill, Tanner, Pinch and Wohlers can win the House Cup for Bayly this year and put an end to all doubts as to which is the best House.

The first House competition this term was the tennis. As we had three Intercol. players in Wohlers, Miller and Vandepier (reserve), we appeared to have a good chance of winning. However, this was not to be, and the best we could manage was third. In the first round against Waterhouse, Wohlers and Miller were surprisingly beaten by Richardson and Johnson and we lost three sets to one. In the next round we defeated Cotton and thus managed to avoid the wooden spoon.

The next fixture was the School Sports, and once again Bayly was handicapped by the poor standard of marching and the lack of enthusiasm as far as standards were concerned. Because of this we were far behind before the sports began, and we trailed further and further as the day went on.

In the Intercollegiate Rowing Bayly was represented by Tanner, Brown and Humble (cox). We congratulate these boys on their selection, although they could not quite manage to bring home the Blackmore Shield.

In conclusion we should like to thank Mr. R. T. Smith and Mr. Leak for their help this term and we warn other Houses to look out for our football team next term.

COTTON

This term Cotton has not shone as we expected at the beginning of the year; and, as yet, we have failed to fulfil the prediction made last year that we should dominate all school activities, sporting as well as academic. A vast improvement can be expected next term, however, and we are confident of acquitting ourselves well in the football.

At the first meeting this year the Committee was chosen as follows: Beauchamp (Captain), Head, Smith, Hall, Perrott, Bridgland and Hill.

Our house, as usual, was well represented in the Intercollegiate events. In the rowing we were capably represented by Beauchamp (Captain-of-Boats) and Cooper (Stroke).

We had two of the star performers, Head (Captain) and Sumner, in the tennis. We should like to congratulate Head on winning every set in which he played. In the Athletics, one of our representatives, Dene Smith, was again captain. Others who did well from Cotton were Perrott, Preece and Hill.

It will be noticed that the captain of each Intercol. team has been a Cotton House member, which shows once again the vast superiority of Cotton House over others.

Owing to Sumner's illness, we had to include in the House tennis match less experienced players and consequently we did not win as was expected.

Congratulations to School House for their easy win in Athletics. Their superiority over the other Houses was sustained throughout the term and they thoroughly deserved their success.

We finished a good third, and, if more enthusiasm had been shown in the standard sports, we should undoubtedly have finished higher up.

Perrott excelled in the Under 16 events and is to be congratulated on winning the cup.

We should like to thank Mr. Laurie for the time he put into coaching our team for the marching competition. We are sorry we could not reward his efforts by winning the event.

Once again we should like to thank Mr. Mutton for his untiring interest in the House, and we warn the other Houses of our determination to lead the field in all school activities during the next term.

WATERHOUSE

With many prominent members of the school in our ranks, Waterhouse is looking forward to another good year. At the beginning of the term, after five years of service, Mr. Allen resigned from the position of Housemaster. We are sorry to see him leave, but we are fortunate to have Mr. Kurtz to fill this vacancy. We hope he enjoys his term of office with us.

We congratulate Hale, Chase, Perry and Prest on being appointed School Prefects, and

Prest, Perry, Applebee, Fuller and Skinner on being elected to the Waterhouse House Committee.

Michael Perry was the only member of our house to be included in the Intercol. tennis team and we should like to congratulate him on his selection. The prospects of a win in the House tennis competition did not seem very good, but, after an exceptionally good win over a strong Bayly House team, we felt confident of winning the final. In the former match two young players, Bill Johnson and Barry Richardson, combined particularly well to defeat the Intercol. pair, Wohlers and Miller. In the final, however, neither pair showed its true form and we were narrowly defeated by School House.

The results of the standards were not very pleasing and on Sports Day School House were a long way in front. Waterhouse had a good lead over Cotton and Bayly, and on Sports Day we increased this margin. Despite good efforts on the part of Skinner, Watt, Bill Cooper, Phillips, Sweeney, Goodale, Dyke, Hambly and Gray, however, we were unable to make up the big leeway between us and School House. Skinner is to be congratulated on winning the senior 120 yards hurdles and on breaking the senior high jump record. In the House Marching it was only lack of numbers that prevented us from beating School House. Congratulations to School House for winning both the House tennis and athletics, but, as we are certainties for the football and cricket in the second and third terms, we can afford these two losses.

Ten lads from our house gained inclusion in the Intercol. Athletics team. Of these boys Cooper, Skinner and Hambly acquitted themselves well, and was not their fault that we did not defeat Saints.

It is not only in the sports field that we dominate, but also in the classroom. Bob Hale is to be congratulated on being Dux of the School, and Chase on coming a good second. Other Waterhouse boys who distinguished themselves are Vardon (Vu B) and Crossing (IV B)—congratulations on a good effort.

Thus, we find Waterhouse House well to the fore in all school activities, and we hope that during the next two terms we shall be the undisputed leaders of the House Competition.

Library Notes

The following books have been added to the Memorial Library.

The A.B.C. of English Usage—Treble and Vallins. Last Essays—J. A. Spender. Australia 1949—The Herald Melbourne. You can Change the World—James Keller. Sixty Poems—Rudyard Kipling. The Production of School Plays—Annica MacDonell. What Do Boys and Girls Read?—A. J. Jenkinson. The Art of

Literary Study—A. B. Charlton. Tales out of School—Geoffrey Trease. The Human Situation—W. MacNeile Dixon. Illustrated English Social History—G. M. Trevelyan. The Economic Pattern—Cyril Renwick and G. A. J. Simpson-Lee. Economics for Australians—R. R. Hosie. There's Freedom for the Brave—Paul McGuire. 1066 and All That—Sellar and Yeatman.

Scout Notes

The first term of the 1950 school year has proved to be a most successful one for the Scout Troop. At the beginning of the year, Mr. W. W. Goodenough joined the school staff, and the troop welcomed him with open arms. During the term he has proved a practically inexhaustible source of crazy stunts and games, for which we are thankful. Mr. Cleland has continued to give us invaluable help in good Scouting.

The six patrol leaders, three junior and three senior, were chosen before school resumed and these, with Mr. Cleland and Mr. Goodenough, spent the second week-end of term very profitably repairing and cleaning the shack, and discussing the programme for the term.

A meeting of the full Court of Honour, held at the School one Friday night near the end of term, planned the winter programme, and decided to form a Group Committee affiliated with the School Parents' and Friends' Association. They also decided that a Sea Scout Troop should be formed.

JUNIOR TROOP

This troop has at present a strength of twenty-four, and has many potential members on its waiting list. Its activities for the term have included patrol meetings, troop instruction, a camp and a hike. The patrol meetings have proved to be very popular, and several well organised meetings have been run entirely by the patrol leader or second.

Late in March, a troop hike was arranged, and nine of the troop took part. The hikers climbed Black Hill, crossed to Montacute, and hiked via Norton Summit to the Morialta Protestant Children's Home. They stayed there for the night and hiked home next morning.

Easter Camp was held on the flat adjacent to the School's shack at Mylor, and the Eagles, under Geoff Bridge, won the camp competition. A feature of the camp was that there was a camp-fire each night, but this did not meet with the approval of all. A post-hole-digger proved most acceptable and saved much time and labour.

We should like to ask the following questions:

1. Who dropped the Eagle's tent in the creek?
2. Which patrol pulled itself into the Onkapinga?
3. Who burnt the Kooka's roast?
4. What happened to Kingsley Newman's shoes? (poor sole!)
5. How far would Bill Vardon's bow fire an arrow?

On the whole, the term has been very successful. Many new recruits have been given their first taste of real scouting and the juniors are now concentrating on badge work, the aim being to have every one pass his second class by the end of second term.

SENIOR TROOP

The seniors numbered eighteen at the beginning of the term, and under the guiding (?) hand of Mr. Goodenough have had a very satisfactory term. Although there has not been much badge work passed, the interest and enthusiasm of the seniors has been kept, and the patrol-spirit has been fostered. There is, however, a feeling among the seniors that, if they were not treated as juniors, things might be even more successful.

Ten of the seniors camped with the juniors in pup tents at Easter, and went in pairs of two-day First Class journeys on Easter Sunday and Monday. Although two pairs were unfortunate (?) enough to run into a nudist colony, the hikes were generally enjoyed. On the Saturday, the seniors built and launched a raft which Captain Scott was able to negotiate several inches down the mighty Onkus.

The seniors are planning a hike through the Flinders Ranges in September. A minimum standard of First Class plus Ambulance Badge has been set for participants. Juniors who have reached this standard are welcome.

SEA SCOUT TROOP

Early this year the Sea Scouts totalled one patrol of five members which operated as a senior patrol. On March 11th these five went to Outer Harbour and tried rowing in a whaler. Their tutor was Mr. Ian McBryde of the Wongala crew, and to him we owe many thanks for our success in the rowing for the Carr Shield on March 25th. We won our heat and semi-final, but lost to a stronger crew from Saints in the final. Later we went for a short jaunt under canvas in one of the Association's boats, again under the guidance of Mr. McBryde.

On Friday, April 28th, the first Prince Alfred College Sea Scout Troop branched out on its own, with Mr. Ron Silk acting as A.S.M. By the second meeting, the numbers had grown from eight to twelve, and these were divided into two patrols with Geoff Peters and John Hoepner as Patrol Leaders.

It is primarily due to the enthusiasm of these two that the Sea Scout Troop was started. As soon as enough money can be raised, it is hoped that we may be able to buy a boat. The troop has been well launched, and is sailing to find a place in the sun.

Prefects Palaver

At the beginning of the second term Frank Beauchamp was appointed Captain of the School and Wilbur Harvey Head of the Boarding House. To them we extend our hearty congratulations and we hope they both have a successful year.

In the realm of sport this term, the cream of the school has again dominated. In the tennis we were represented by John Head, Mike Perry, Johnnie Miller and Wilbur Harvey (res.). We congratulate them on a fine win.

Frank Beauchamp, Keith Scott and Don Lord formed the backbone of the eight, which was a really good crew.

In the Athletics we were again to the fore. Dene Smith was captain and Keith Scott vice-captain of this team. Others amongst us who represented the school were "Bulla" Hall, Wilbur Harvey and Don Lord. It will be noticed that, in every Intercol. contested so far, the captain of the team has been a prefect—further proof of our brilliant sporting ability.

From the strain and rigours of Intercol. training the boys turned to table tennis (?) for relaxation. With an excited and somewhat light-hearted demeanour we cut, drove and smashed — particularly smashed. It was

rumoured that one of our ping-pong balls lasted a week. This is highly improbable.

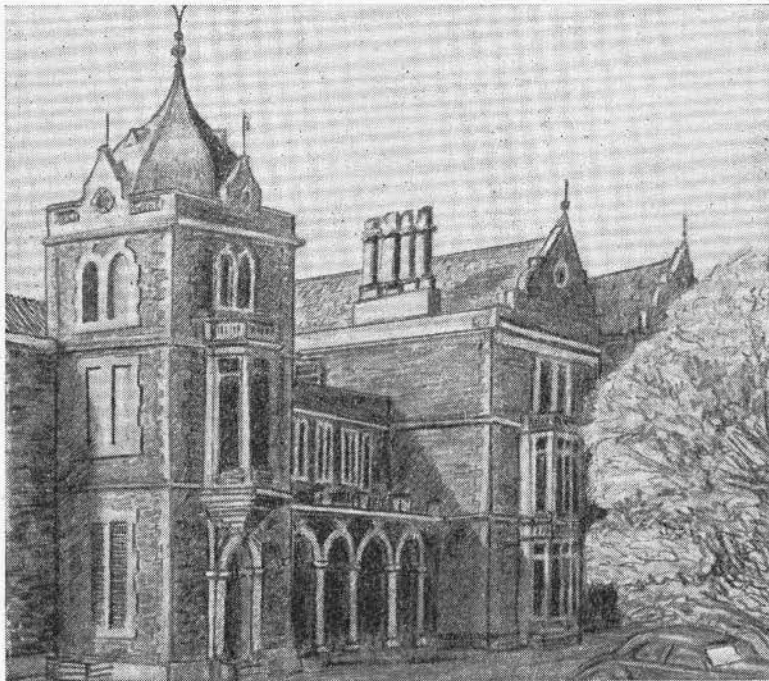
In the last issue of the "Chronicle" it was stated that the table had shed a leg. This was firmly (?) fixed, but we are sad to announce that one side of the table has now been savagely torn away.

Not only have we shone in sport but also in school work. "Big Bob" Hale was Dux of VIu with Head, Miller and "Bones" Chase close behind him. We are indeed proud to have such champion scholars in our den.

Although the term has been interrupted a good deal, we are pleased to announce that no serious crime wave has occurred. The most blackguardly offence probably was the failure of several new boys to say their school songs before the judgment day arrived.

In conclusion we should like to ask:—

1. What is the mystery of note-throwing in VIu?
2. Who does Dene barrack for—the Richmond Tiger(s)?
3. Who is Cocker the P.R.?
4. Why are we endowed with such an "e-fish-ant" Wilbur?



L. T. S., IV A

Club Activities

SENIOR DEBATING GROUP

A Senior Debating Group, supervised by Mr. Dennis, was formed this year. As most of us are inexperienced in debating, his advice is very much appreciated.

After a preliminary round of prepared speeches, a debate was held, the subject being "That the sciences and mathematics are of more real value than languages." the con. side advanced the better argument.

The next meeting consisted of a mock trial. Samuel Figg Wiltshire, who was accused of murdering his wife and family, was tried and found not guilty.

After an open forum debate on "What is the world's greatest problem?" a stormy parliamentary discussion on women's rights to equal pay with men was held. This resulted in the defeat of the Gould Government by the Opposition parties, which were led by Menadue and Smith.

Officers appointed for the first term were: President, B. M. Hopkins; Vice-President, I. M. McTaggart; Secretary, B. W. Smith; Committee, P. A. Barclay and J. Menadue.

THE CHESS CLUB

When this year's club activities began our membership was about forty. Day and Staker were elected president and secretary respectively. There are thirty boys on our roll now and many of these have had little previous experience. Dr. Ellis, the master-in-charge, has been carefully explaining the moves to the beginners. His moving about among the players is much appreciated, as he illustrates many of the finer points of the game. There are not enough sets for all, but we shall soon have more. Those who are not playing gather around and watch another game, and in this way gain much experience. Although we shall not enter the inter-school chess tournaments, we hope to hold our own competitions later.

R. S.

THE LINO-PRINTING CLUB

The Lino-printing Club was hampered at first through lack of equipment and the inexperience of most members. The equipment having been procured, the members began to cut blocks under the supervision of Mr. Kurtz. Five ties have been made at the school by four different members, but all of these ties carry the same design. The similarity of design has been found to be the main drawback. There will be many new members in the club next term as some members of the Pottery Club are transferring to us.

R. C. G.

DRAMATIC SOCIETY

This year the Dramatic Society is again active.

Under the guidance of two new masters, Mr. Goodenough and Mr. Coombes, and also of Mr. Cleland, our club studied four plays. "A Pot of Broth" by W. B. Yeats, taken from the book "Selected One-Act Plays of Today", was accepted as one to be staged along with "A Voice said Goodnight", "A Night at the Inn" and "The Man who would not go to Heaven".

There are approximately thirty boys interested in this club. All take part in at least one play, while some have extra duties as advisers and technicians. Early next term we hope to produce these plays in the School Assembly Hall; so we give to all a cordial invitation to be present.

With the experience we gain from the hints and direction of the capable masters-in-charge, we shall endeavour to produce, later in the year, a three-act play.

STAMP CLUB

At the beginning of this year a stamp club was formed for the first time at Prince Alfred College. Mr. A. R. Laurie was elected president, M. P. Schneider secretary, R. B. Smith treasurer and B. B. Tregilgas minute secretary. We decided upon a small annual subscription and this money is being used to purchase stamp equipment and books on philately. A 1950 Stanley Gibbons Catalogue and "Stamp Collecting" by Stanley Phillips have already been obtained and we hope to add to our library in the near future. We should like to thank Mr. Laurie for his donation to the club funds and several boys who have lent a number of magazines or given valuable suggestions.

This term we wrote to Sydney Grammar School, hoping to exchange stamps, and to Stanley Gibbons in order to obtain some approval sheets. We also borrowed books from the Public Library and, if the polio outbreak is less severe next term, we shall try to visit at least one of the meetings of the Philatelic Societies in Adelaide. Stamp collecting is a most fascinating and interesting hobby and I am sure that all members will derive much benefit from our club.

M. P. S.

LEATHER-WORK CLUB

This year Mr. Hart is the master-in-charge of the Leather-work Club. He has helped the boys in the club immensely. We started the term by making small purses and comb-cases. Rundell has started to make a brief-case and Gibbs a shopping bag.

The secretary of the club is Caire, who held this post last year.

K. G. C.

P.A.C. RADIO CLUB

We have been fortunate in having on the staff this year Mr. Bowen, a keen radio amateur, who formed our Radio Club. He was able to choose fifteen keen boys from the score or so who volunteered to join; and so the club has not lacked any enthusiasm. During the first few periods he gave us some valuable instruction on meters and amateur gear and gradually introduced practical work. One period we were shown an excellent film on valve manufacture at the Sydney Radiotron Factory. This showed us many points which he had previously stressed. Then a few boarders realised how reasonable our repairs were and thus some of the junior members had a chance to see the under-chassis of A.C. and portable receivers for the first time.

At present there is a very simple amplifier under construction by two members, and it is hoped that in time all will have had an opportunity to build this set, which will give them valuable practical experience.

Our Radio Club has got away to a grand start and we have many sound ideas which we hope to introduce next term to make it even better.

THE WEAVING CLUB

Following the purchase by the school of two looms at the end of the last term, a weaving club for boarders has been formed. We have, so far, completed one scarf and two others are well on the way. The predominant colours selected were red and white. We are pleased to report that, with practice, we are becoming more and more proficient.

D. R. D., A. M.

THE PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

During the last seven or eight weeks, Mr. White, from Kodak's has given lantern slide lectures to the members of the club. Nearly all phases of the taking of films, developing and printing, have been covered.

This series is drawing to a close and, when it is finished, the practical work in the dark rooms will commence.

D. B. Mc.

THE POTTERY CLUB

The Pottery Club, under the supervision of Mr. Kurtz, got away to a good start this term and some of the younger members are already starting to make some progress. Because we have only one period a week, it has been difficult to keep the clay moist, but in the second term it should be easier as the weather will be more suitable.

The club has a large membership and next term we should get some good pieces of pottery.
D. L. C.

THE JUNIOR DEBATING GROUP

The Junior Debating Group has its headquarters in VI B classroom. Anyone passing the door during the first period on a Friday afternoon may hear the best English spoken in debates and prepared or impromptu speeches.

Most interesting of all were speeches delivered by the boys who have been fortunate enough to travel in various parts of Australia. Frequently the speakers brought along picture post-cards or souvenirs of various kinds so that all could see for themselves the charms of the places that had been visited.

In debating, the members were less successful, but as they gain experience they will undoubtedly acquire the art of speaking logically and convincingly.

Next term a committee will be chosen to draw up a programme, and there is good reason to hope that the Junior Debating Group will have pleasant and profitable meetings during the rest of the school year.

MODEL AEROPLANE CLUB

So far this term few models have been flown at school. Several members of the club have started models but have not completed them yet. The only models which have been flown are ones which have been made at home. Two members of the club have worked on boats, but these have not yet been completed either. Next term we hope to have more models flown. We should like to thank Mr. Mutton for his interest in and supervision of our work.

Rifle Club Notes

Headed by Mr. A. S. Johnston as President, the newly-formed Rifle Club has been affiliated in the M.M.R.C.U. There was no lack of members, but those selected to attend a practice shoot at the Keswick Miniature Range were handicapped by a shortage of suitable range rifles. In spite of this we managed to gain a higher score than our St. Peter's rivals. The members of the club elected as captain J. R. Bailey, and as secretary D. Glyde, who, on leaving school was succeeded by T. Watt. F. Robilliard was elected as treasurer and, with

the aid of these members, the Rifle Club hopes to improve on the practice meeting at the shoot to be held in July. At this meeting, the club will compete with teams from Adelaide, Unley and Woodville High Schools, Adelaide Technical School and St. Peter's College. To prepare for this shoot, practices are being held at the school's range during the free lesson each Friday. In conclusion, the members of the Rifle Club would like to thank Mr. Johnston for his help and enthusiasm in forming and supervising our club.

Cricket

FIRST TERM, 1950

Last year's vice-captain, M. G. Fuller, was appointed captain. We settled down very promptly after the vacation and were actually playing cricket before school resumed. We won two of the four matches played, being unlucky enough to meet two of the strongest teams early in the school year. Fuller, Ducker, Perry, Lill and Evans showed good form with the bat, while Fuller, Bridgland and Watt were the best of the bowlers. We must thank the groundsman, Mr. Atkinson, for the excellent wickets he has provided.

P.A.C. v. Clarence Park (Feb. 4-11)

We won the toss and batted. Disaster overtook our opening pair but the threatening collapse was averted by Perry and Eaton who rose to the occasion. Our opponents batted very steadily and were hard to dislodge.

Scores—P.A.C. 143 and 3 for 91—Perry 48, Eaton 31, Bridgland 22, Evans 18, Fuller 42 n.o., Ducker 24 n.o. Clarence Park 4 for 247 (declared).

P.A.C. v. Sturt (Feb. 18-25)

Branstrom, the Sturt fast bowler, opened and bowled to a leg trap which he found rather costly. Later, he claimed three quick wickets and we were finally all out for 124. Sturt batted for 90 minutes on the first day and all of the second, as is well illustrated by the scores.

Scores—P.A.C. 124—Eaton 29, Fuller 24, Ducker 23, Evans 19. Sturt 426—Fuller 3 for 52.

P.A.C. v. S.P.O.C. (Mar. 4-11)

Again winning the toss we batted. Lill and Evans did very well and helped us to knock up a total of 244. Good fielding was chiefly responsible for our dismissal of Saints for 212, there being three run-outs.

Scores—P.A.C. 244—Lill 62, Evans 43, Perry 26, Hall 21, Day 21. S.P.O.C. 212—Lill 2 for 48, Bridgland 2 for 51.

P.A.C. v. Teachers' College (Mar. 18-25)

Winning the toss we sent our opponents in to bat on a damp wicket which did not give our bowlers the advantage expected. We succeeded in dismissing them for 176. Thanks to good batting by Ducker we carried our tally to 213.

Scores—P.A.C. 213—Ducker 76, Fuller 35, Day 22. Teachers 176 and 3 for 40—Watt 3 for 41 and 2 for 11, Fuller 2 for 8, and Bridgland 2 for 18.

April I

A non-association game was played against Rostrevor. Rostrevor was dismissed for 49 (Bridgland 5 for 11) and we replied with 9 for 170 (Lill 38,* Perry 32*).

Second XI

(Captain—Crowe)

This term the seconds have played three matches. Although we were defeated in all three, the scores would have been much closer had the fielding of the team been much better. However, the team should be strengthened next season by the return of two players who were injured this term. The most consistent players were C. D. Gray and Daebler. Watt also scored a bright 24 against the Under 16 XI.

The seconds extend their thanks to Mr. Davies, who has been most helpful in coaching them at practices during the season.

P.A.C. 91 (Gray 32), lost to St. Peter's Second XI 130 (Gray 3 for 24, Lewis 3 for 30).

P.A.C. 86 and 86 (Watt 24, Gray 21), lost to P.A.C. Under 16 XI 120 and 4 for 105 (Gray 5 for 35).

P.A.C. 94 (Crowe 30, Stevens 29 n.o.), lost to S.H.C. Second XI 152 and 4 for 42 (Gray 3 for 30).

Under Sixteen "A"

We had a fairly successful term winning two out of the three matches played. Silver and Babidge were our most successful batsmen, McIntosh, Sweeney and Preece being the most successful bowlers. The team wish to thank Mr. R. T. Smith for his excellent coaching.

P.A.C. Under 16A defeated P.A.C. Second XI. Second XI 86 (McIntosh 3 for 18) and 86 (Sweeney 5 for 36). Under 16A 121 (Mickan 30) and 4 for 105 (Babidge 67).

P.A.C. Under 16A defeated Immanuel First XI: Immanuel 153 (McIntosh 3 for 33). Under 16A 6 for 195 (Silver 56 not out).

P.A.C. Under 16A lost to C.B.C. First XI: C.B.C. 4 for 152 (Green 3 for 38). Under 16A 8 for 120 (Walsh 46).

Under Fifteen "A"

This term we played three matches and of these two were won and one lost. Our two wins were recorded against A.H.S. In the second game against A.H.S. we won by one run and if it had not been for a hard-hitting innings by Turley the result might have been different.

Our loss was to S.P.S.C. and this was mainly due to bad fielding.

The most consistent batsmen were Menadue and Waters, while the best bowler was Hopkins.

We wish to thank Mr. Coombes for his excellent coaching.

Under Fourteen

Under 14 "A"—Captain, R. Lyon.

Under 14 "B"—Captain, C. Hilder.

The Under 14 "A" side played six matches winning three of them. Craig was outstanding in both batting and bowling, while Lyon, Lathlean and Whitham also did well.

The Under 14 "B" side won four games and lost one. Best players were Pope, Smyth M, Prider, Nettlebeck.

Both sides wish to thank Mr. Provis for his assistance in coaching.

Third and Fourth XI's

The results of these two teams have been quite good this year, owing to the enthusiasm shown by some of the senior boys of the school. Our thanks are especially due to Solly and Chase, whose keenness has helped to make every game enjoyable. It is felt that these teams, especially the Fourth XI, exist mainly to enable as many boys as possible to play competitive sport for the school, so an appeal is made for players—if you are willing to play and will practise, you will get a game sooner or later.

Football

With nine of last year's twenty players available and some of the new players quickly getting in to top form, our supporters are confident of a successful season.

Before the first match Scott and Appelbee were selected as captain and vice-captain respectively. This season we have been fortunate to obtain two new trainers in Malcolm Fricker and Bill Cooper and their help is thoroughly appreciated.

A pre-season match against Postal Institute, an Amateur League side, was played on June 3rd, and our new recruits had their first taste of big football.

It was a wet day and conditions were adverse. We defeated the Institute, the final scores being:

P.A.C. 14—15 P.I. 4 points

This overwhelming defeat was due mainly to the fact that the Institute was unable to field a full side and two of our boys filled the gaps. Despite the wet conditions our boys played well and among the players to show out were Ducker, Perrott, Scott, Lewis, Day and Pinch. Ducker and Perrott, together with Scott and Day played well in attack, while Lewis and Pinch made the best of limited opportunities in the back lines.

Goal-kickers—Prest 4, Perrott 3, Scott and Noblet 2, Day, Miller, Faull.

P.A.C. v. Concordia College

This was our first competition match and our players looked forward to a good game. The Concordia side was much bigger and older, but on a perfect day and on our own ground, we defeated them comfortably.

P.A.C. 13—12 C.C. 9—1

Goal-kickers—Prest 4, Scott 3, Wohlers 2, Day, Noblet, Faull and Crowe.

Under Thirteen

The team has to rely too much on one or two good players this year, but has played very well at times. Outstanding performers have been Wicks, Pearlman, Anderson and Glastonbury. The side has been well captained by Pearlman. We should like to thank Mr. Allen for his energetic efforts on our behalf.

RESULTS

- V. A.H.S.: P.A.C. 66 lost to A.H.S. 9 for 78. Wicks 20; Pearlman 2 for 13, Treloar 2 for 15, Brown 2 for 16.
 V. K.C.: P.A.C. 7 for 78 defeated K.C. 19. Wicks 23, Pearlman 18; Treloar 3 for 35, Wicks 2 for 2, Anderson 2 for 0.
 V. S.H.C.: P.A.C. 56 lost to S.H.C. 119. Pearlman 16; Payne 3 for 20, Pearlman 2 for 21.
 V. C.B.C.: P.A.C. 4 for 139 defeated C.B.C. 63. Wicks 97 not out, Pearlman 26; Anderson 6 for 13.
 V. R.C.: P.A.C. 6 for 109 lost to R.C. 6 for 132. Wicks 42, Glastonbury 29; Anderson 4 for 17.

Keith Scott played tireless football all day in the ruck and gained a well merited first vote. Others to play well in a side beginning to show signs of form were Ducker and Perrott, who played well in attack, ably supported by Noblet in ruck, with Day on the fringes and Lord on a wing.

P.A.C. v. Rostrevor College

The match against Rostrevor is always looked upon as a good match and this game was no exception. Playing again on our own ground our boys all played well, showing at times, glimpses of good football. The play was even throughout with Princes taking more opportunities in the forward lines. In the third quarter, however, Rostrevor rallied and rattled on four quick goals. After this our boys dug in their heels and won well.

P.A.C. 15—15 R.C. 5—3

Goal-kickers—Day, Prest, Crowe, 3; Faull 2; Scott, Ducker, Miller, Cornish.

Day roved well throughout and gained the umpire's second vote. Scott and Noblet rucked well and Ducker, Miller and Perrott, aided by John Wohlers on a wing, again played well in attack.

The remainder of the programme is as follows:—

- June 24 v. Immanuel College at P.A.C.
 July 1 v. Sacred Heart College at P.A.C.
 „ 8 v. Concordia College at C.C.
 „ 15 v. Immanuel College at P.A.C.
 „ 22 v. Christian Brothers College at C.B.C.
 „ 29 v. Rostrevor College at R.C.
 Aug. 5 Intercol. v. S.P.S.C.
 „ 12 a bye.
 „ 19 v. Scotch College at Scotch.

Tennis

Because of the poliomyelitis epidemic only two sets instead of the usual three-set doubles were played in the Saturday morning matches at the Memorial Drive. The singles remained at nine-game sets. As usual our teams were very successful, the "A" team losing only one match and the "B" team being undefeated.

The School Championship was held this term and the main upsets were caused by Fleet who defeated Perry and Sumner, two members of the Intercollegiate team, in the first two rounds. In the semi-finals, Wohlers met Faull, and Head met Fleet, Wohlers and Head winning comfortably 6-3, 6-3 and 6-1, 6-1 respectively. In the final, Head, playing confidently, took the first set 6-4 and led 4-2 in the second. His play, however, lapsed somewhat at this point, and Wohlers, gaining confidence and hitting more firmly, was able to take that set 6-4 and the third 6-2.

The House Tennis was also played this term and was won by School who defeated Waterhouse in the final.

Once again we must sincerely thank Mr. Luke whose untiring and capable coaching of

the team has contributed so much. We must also thank Messrs. Harvey, Williamson, Baraclough, Price, Dennis and Goodenough for the valuable practice which they have so generously given.

Under 14 Singles Championship

Fifty boys played for trophies presented by Mr. H. J. H. Baker and Mr. H. S. Staunton. After an enthusiastic contest the final four were Rundle, T. J.; Medson, I. L.; Baker, K. J.; Hillier, A. W.

In the semi-finals Baker defeated Hillier 9-3 and Medson defeated Rundle 9-1. After a keenly-fought final Baker defeated Medson (who won the Preparatory Cup last year) 9-7.

Under 13 Singles Championship

Fifty-two boys competed for trophies presented by Mr. H. G. Lock and Mr. J. C. Johns. After closely contested matches the semi-finalists were B. B. Cox, M. J. McKay, D. K. Lock and F. Symons.

In the semi-finals Cox defeated Lock 9-7 and McKay defeated Symons 9-7. McKay went on to defeat Cox 9-4 after a strenuous match.

Intercollegiate Tennis

The annual Intercollegiate Tennis match was played at the Memorial Drive Courts on Saturday, March 25th. The weather was ideal for tennis and the courts themselves were in excellent condition. The Governor, Sir Willoughby Norrie, was present during the last round of the morning. This year, owing to the poliomyelitis outbreak, it was decided to play two straight sets of six games instead of the usual rubbers.

Our first pair, Head and Wohlers, began uncertainly against Saints third pair, Matz and Maloney and playing overcautiously trailed 0-40 on Wohler's serve at 5-5. After recovering to deuce, the Princes pair took the set and went on to win the next very easily 6-2.

Sumner and Faull played soundly against Brummitt and Wheaton and after taking the first set 6-5 recovered from 4-2 down in the second to 5-5. Brummitt and Wheaton took command of the net to win Sumner's serve and the set 6-5.

Miller and Perry found Saint's first pair, Bowman and Addison too strong in the first set which they lost 6-3. They had an excellent chance to break through Bowman's service in the second set but this was missed and Saints' once again gained control to win 6-3.

The score at this stage was P.A.C. 3 sets to S.P.S.C. 3 sets. The first round of singles followed. Faull, our fourth player, met Wheaton and played confidently to win the first set 6-2. He then seemed to lose touch badly, especially

off the forehand and Wheaton, gaining confidence, led 5-1. Faull, however, settled down and playing very consistently, drew level, only to see Wheaton wisely change to a net attack and take the set 6-5.

Perry drove and smashed very well to take the first set from Brummitt and continuing in this vein he led 5-3 and 40-15 only to make several errors on vital points and Brummitt won the set 6-5.

Our sixth player, Miller, with crisp driving and fast serving quickly took the first set against Maloney, but becoming too cautious he lost touch and allowed Maloney to take the initiative and win the set 6-5. The scores at lunch were still level at six sets all with Princes slightly ahead on games.

After lunch before a large crowd the second round of doubles began.

Head and Wohlers were too good for Saints' first pair, Bowman and Addison, and always had control of the net. With strong smashing and volleying they won 6-2, 6-4.

Sumner and Faull found Saints' third pair, Matz and Maloney, a difficult proposition and after losing the first set, due mainly to sound doubles tactics by Matz, they had to fight hard to win the second 6-4.

Perry and Miller played two closely fought sets against Brummitt and Wheaton who broke through in the vital stages of each set to win 6-4, 6-4.

After this round the sets were still level with P.A.C. 9 sets to S.P.S.C 9 sets.

Playing first single, John Wohlers was below top form in the first set and not timing his shots with his usual precision and confidence, allowed Bowman to gain a slight advantage and eventually win the first set 6-5 and lead 4-2 in the second. Wohlers was playing more soundly now and Bowman could not match his consistency, Wohlers winning the set 6-4.

John Head drove firmly and consistently against Addison who, rather unsettled, often overhit or mis-hit his drives from both wings, fell into service errors and Head won easily 6-1, 6-2.

Matz, Saints' third player, played very well against Sumner, who although playing fairly well to get into winning positions, was over-anxious and the Saints player won 6-1, 6-3.

There was very great excitement and expectation on both sides at this stage as the score was 12 sets each with Princes still holding a slight games advantage.

The last round of doubles began with our first pair, Head and Wohlers, playing Saints' second pair Brummitt and Wheaton. The Saints pair seemed a little tired and nervous and after 3-3 in the first set Head and Wohlers were in full command and were untroubled to register an easy victory.

Miller and Perry found Saints' third double a little superior and Matz and Maloney took the first set comfortably 6-2, but only just won the second set 6-5.

Sumner and Faull did a magnificent job to lead 5-0 against Saints' first pair, Bowman and

Addison, who were given no chance to get going. The P.A.C. pair finally won the set 6-2. This, although few knew it at the time, was the deciding set of the match. Sumner and Faull continued to play very well although Bowman and Addison recovered somewhat to win the second set 6-4.

Thus Princes, after a tense and even struggle, won a most exciting Intercollegiate Tennis Match by twelve games, the final scores being: P.A.C 15 sets 146 games to S.P.S.C. 15 sets 134 games.

Critique

Wohlers, J. C.—Fine player with sound ground strokes. Reliable and well-placed service and excellent net attack. Played well in Intercol.

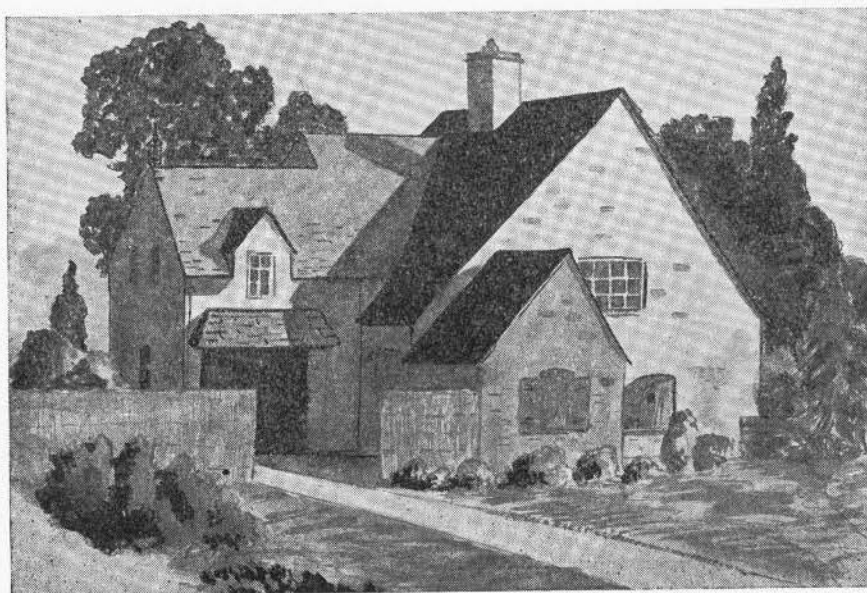
Sumner, R. D.—An attacking player with forceful ground strokes. Service erratic. Volleys and smashing need practice.

Faull, J. F.—A natural player with well-placed service and ground strokes. Volleys and smashes well, but inclined to be over cautious.

Perry M. G.—A strong player with firm fore-hand drive. Volleys and smashes well, and has greatly improved a weak backhand.

Miller, J. M.—A greatly improved player all of whose shots are neatly executed although a tendency to play his shots while too upright makes him rather erratic.

Head, J. G.—A heady player who has no apparent weakness. All shots firmly and carefully executed. Won all his sets in Intercol.



"CLOVELLY MANOR"

R. D. S., VIc

Intercollegiate Athletics

The Intercol. was contested on Tuesday, May 9th, under almost perfect conditions. The track was slow and this was reflected in the times for most events.

Owing to the polio epidemic, the number of events in which any one boy could compete was limited, so that undue strain might be avoided. The distance events were also shortened, the senior mile being reduced to 880 yards, the 440 to 400 and the Under 16 880 to 660 yards. The 440 Yards Hurdles event was permanently changed to 220 yards low hurdles.

The Princes team showed a heartening improvement, which must have encouraged Messrs. Fuller, Foreman, and all those who untiringly coached the boys throughout the term. Mrs. Gordon presented medals to successful competitors after the final event.

The Reds were given a good start by Skinner in the Senior 120 Yards Hurdles. This lead was held tenaciously until the last two events for the day.

P.A.C. 6 points — S.P.S.C. 3 points

In the 100 Yards Under 16, Perrott forged ahead of Richardson in the last few yards to defeat his team-mate narrowly.

P.A.C. 12 points — S.P.S.C. 4 points

Doug. Smith continued Princes' winning run with a stylish win in the Senior 100. Cooper did well to finish second.

P.A.C. 20 points — S.P.S.C. 5 points

The Junior 100 Yards gave Saints their first success, but Cox and Jenkin fought on to fill the minor placings.

P.A.C. 23 points — S.P.S.C. 9 points

Bruce, of Saints, won the Senior High Jump with the record height of 5 ft. 10½ ins.—a magnificent effort. Skinner gained a further three points for his team in this event.

The Old Scholars' 100 Yards resulted in an easy victory for A. K. Gordon (S.P.S.C.). The time for the race was 10.1 seconds, the unfavourable conditions evidently affecting the Empire Games representative in his attempt to lower the record. Warnecke, an old Red, ran a clear second.

The 220 Yards gave Doug. Smith his second win for the meeting. Smith won both events in which he was allowed to compete. Hill of Princes ran third.

Perrott's performance was only slightly below that of Doug. Smith. The 100 Yards Hurdles, in which he finished very strongly to create a new record, gave him his second victory. McIntosh filled third place.

P.A.C. 37 points — S.P.S.C. 20 points

Until the Shot Putt, Princes had dominated most events but this, and nearly all the other field games, helped to increase Saint's tally. This event was a debacle, Saint's trio easily outdistancing the nearest of their rivals. Bruce gained the second of his three victories here.

P.A.C. 37 points — S.P.S.C. 29 points
Bloxham and Hambly, both of Princes, fought out the Junior High Jump, Hambly eventually winning on a count-back.

P.A.C. 43 points — S.P.S.C. 30 points

At the interval, the Reds held a handy lead. Enthusiasm was running high in the Prince's stand where a long-awaited win was now anticipated.

Scott ran very gamely to win the next event, the Senior 400 Yards, and Cooper was always close to the leaders.

P.A.C. 49 points — S.P.S.C. 33 points

Scott was the only competitor from Princes to gain a place in the Senior Broad Jump. Saints were now decreasing their deficit.

P.A.C. 49½ points — S.P.S.C. 41½ points

The Junior 100 Yards Hurdles was won by Cox, and Hambly was also placed. Our first string, Smallacombe, struck the first hurdle and retired.

P.A.C. 54½ points — S.P.S.C. 43½ points

Princes scored a further three points in the 220 Yards Hurdles when Preece narrowly defeated Gilfillan for second.

P.A.C. 57½ points — S.P.S.C. 49½ points

Menzies, our third string, jumped well in the Under 16 Broad Jump, but could not match Saint's representatives.

P.A.C. 58½ points — S.P.S.C. 55½ points

With the teams now locked together and only the two distance events remaining both Princes and Saints sensed victory. The tension in both stands was mounting visibly before the start of the Under 16 660 Yards.

Kay gained an early advantage, but it was obvious that he was tiring and the Saint's competitors, running as a team, filled all places.

P.A.C. 58½ points — S.P.S.C. 62½ points

A first and second were needed by Princes in the Senior Half-mile. Excitement rose to a fever pitch. Harvey and Dene Smith started well and at the end of the first lap our runners had a clear lead. The cheering from both stands was terrific. The early effort was beginning to tell however and one by one the Reds were overhauled. The Saint's trio, running a perfectly judged race, rose to the occasion and Princes did not gain a place.

Thus, one of the most exciting contests ever staged was won by Saints, the final scores being:—

P.A.C. 58½ points — S.P.S.C. 71½ points

On the whole it was a splendid afternoon's sport, each school winning eight events.

It is significant that in the past five years the contests for the Shot Putt, Senior Broad Jump and Under 16 Broad Jump have gained for us a total of only 18½ points out of a possible 125. What is the explanation of this? Is this lop-sided state of affairs to be allowed to continue? It seems that not enough boys in the school try themselves out thoroughly at these events.

Table of Results of Intercollegiate Athletics 1950

EVENT	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	TIME OR DISTANCE	RECORD	RECORD HOLDER
120 Yards Hurdles (Senior) ..	Skinner	Lillecrapp	McTaggart	16½ sec.	14¾ sec.	{ Seppelt, I. H. (1927) Claring-Bould, J. A. (1941) Biggs, F. W. (1945)
100 Yards Flat (Under 16) ..	Perrott	Richardson	Creswell	11½ sec.	10¾ sec.	{ Craven, R. B. (1937) Biggs, F. W. (1945)
100 Yards Flat (Senior) ..	Smith (Doug.) Bryan	Cooper	Duncan	10½ sec.	10½ sec.	Craven, R. B. (1937)
100 Yards Flat (Junior) ..	Bruce	Cox	Jenkin	11½ sec.	10½ sec.	Skewes, R. J. (1946)
High Jump (Senior) ..	Bruce	Skinner	Forgan	*5 ft. 10½ in.	5 ft. 9 in.	Bruce, I. B. (1950)
100 Yards Flat (Old Scholars)	Gordon	Warncke	Black	10-1 sec	10 sec.	{ Pellew, L. V. (1919) Toms, H. G. (1933)
220 Yards Flat ..	Smith (Doug.) Hamby	Duncan	Hill	24-1 sec.	22-9 sec.	Jose, A. D. (1946)
High Jump (Junior) ..	Bruce	Bloxham	Wurm	4 ft. 11½ in.	5 ft. 3½ in.	Hoad, i. W. (1943)
Putting the Shot ..	Bruce	Muecke	Gilfillan	41 ft. 3 in.	44 ft. 5 in.	Seppelt, I. H. (1928)
100 Yards Hurdles (Under 16) .	Perrott	Melbourne	McIntosh	*14 sec.	14¾ sec.	Perrott (1950)
Broad Jump (Senior) ..	Bruce	Muecke	Scott Becker	21 ft. 7½ in.	23 ft. 1½ in.	{ Campbell, A. G. (1932) Ferguson, W. R. (1941) Gordon, A. K. (1944)
Broad Jump (Under 16) ..	Hackett	Melbourne	Menzies	18 ft. 1½ in.	21 ft. 6½ in.	Cockburn, T. G. S. (1947)
400 Yards Flat ..	Scott	Smith	Cooper	48 sec.	14 ³ / ₁₀ sec.	{ Frost, H. (1937) Jose, G. A. (1941)
100 Yards Hurdles (Junior) ..	Cox	Haselgrove	Hamby	14¾ sec.		Dawes, W. L. (1947)
220 Yards Hurdles ..	Lillecrapp	Preece	Gilfillan	28 sec.		{ Tolly, B. M. (1927) Campbell, A. G. (1931)
660 Yards Flat ..	Wheatley	Bonython	Jay	1 min. 35 sec		Muecke, D. S. (1948)
880 Yards Flat ..	Brumby	Stuart	Goodchild	2 min. 10¾ sec		Greatwich, G. M. (1947)

Names of P.A.C. Competitors in italics. * denotes a record.

School Sports

Saturday, April 29th was a perfect day for the Annual School Sports. School again won the House Competition. They already held a big lead gained in the standard trials and on Saturday they went further ahead to win with a total of 520 points. Waterhouse came second with 297 points followed more closely by Cotton and Bayly Houses. The House March, in which all boys participated, was very impressive. Lt. Col. G. D. T. Cooper, O.B.E., again judged the marching and he placed School, who marched splendidly, first.

On account of the poliomyelitis restrictions, three finals, namely the Senior 440 and 880 yards and the Under 16 440 yards, and several elimination heats were run during the previous week.

Doug. Smith dominated the senior events, winning the 100, 220, 440 and 880 yards, the first in the excellent time of 10½ seconds, and thus compiled a total of 20 points for the Senior Cup. Scott, who won the weight putt and the broad jump, was second with 14 points, while Skinner, who won the 120 yards hurdles and high jump, was third with 13 points. Other events were won by Lord (220 hurdles) and Dene Smith (mile).

In the Under 16 section, Perrott won the cup by winning the 100 and 440 flat, 100 yard hurdles and the high jump. In the high jump he reached five feet five inches before being forced to retire because of time.

Cox won the Under 15 Cup by winning the broad jump and 220 yards flat. In the Under 14 section Dyke won the 75 and 100 yards flat while in the Under 13 section Wicks won every event.

Members of the Old Collegians Athletic Club competed for the first time. Warnecke won the trophy presented by Dr. C. T. Piper for the 100 yards and also won the 440 yards, while Charnock won the 120 yards hurdles. The trophies for these last two events were presented by the Old Collegians Athletic Club and Dr. Bert Jolly respectively.

We were pleased to welcome back Mr. J. D. Iliffe who has not missed a School Sports meeting for more than 60 years and Mr. A. E. J. Klose, who retired from the staff last year.

Mrs. D. A. Clarkson kindly consented to present the prizes. This was no mean task, for the generosity of old scholars, parents and friends had made it again possible to award prizes to the first, second and third placings. Mr. Dunning thanked Mrs. Clarkson for this further interest in the school sports. He also expressed his gratitude to all those masters, parents and others who had helped to make the afternoon a success and drew our notice to the excellent work of the groundsman.

At the close of the presentation of prizes the Captain of the School, Frank Beauchamp, thanked Mrs. Clarkson. In particular we would like to praise Mr. A. S. Johnston for his work

in organisation and also those in charge of the records who, in conjunction with Messrs. A. H. Dennis and A. M. Hart, kept everybody well-informed of the proceedings.

D. H. W. and A. E. G.

Detailed results of all events follow:—

Old Scholars' Events

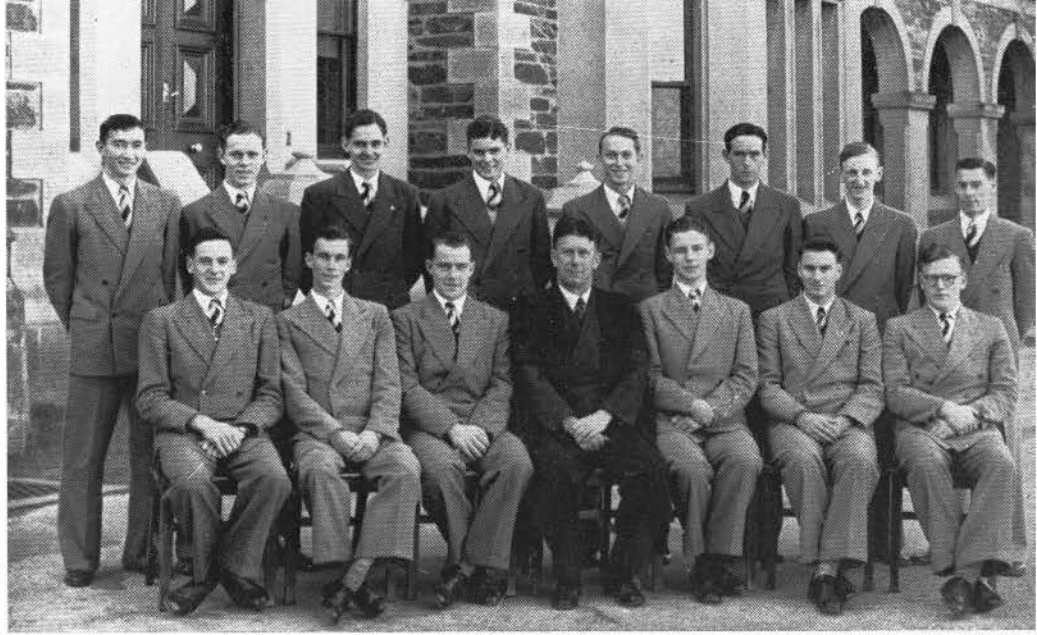
- 100 Yards Flat— 1. Warnecke, 2. Rosser, 3. Charnock. 10 sec.
 440 Yards Flat— 1. Warnecke, 2. Medlow, 3. Harford. 55·6 sec.
 120 Yards Hurdles— 1. Charnock, 2. Rosser, 3. Michell. 16 sec.

Senior Events

- 100 Yards Flat— 1. Doug. Smith, 2. Noblet, Pitcher (equal), 4. W. Cooper. 10·2 sec.
 220 Yards Flat— 1. Doug. Smith, 2. Scott, 3. W. Cooper, 4. Noblet. 22·8 sec.
 440 Yards Flat— 1. Doug. Smith, 2. W. Cooper, 3. Watt, 4. Scott. 55 sec.
 880 Yards Flat— 1. Doug. Smith, 2. Watt, 3. Phillips, 4. Little. 2 min. 15½ sec.
 Mile— 1. Dene Smith, 2. Phillips, 3. Harvey, 4. Kenyon. 5 min. 4 sec.
 220 Yards Hurdles— 1. Lord, 2. Preece, 3. McTaggart, 4. Hill. 28 sec.
 120 Yards Hurdles (W. S. DeGaris Cup)— 1. Skinner, 2. Lewis, 3. McTaggart, 4. Preece. 16·6 sec.
 400 Yards Relay— 1. School, 2. Waterhouse, 3. Cotton 4. Bayly.
 High Jump— 1. Skinner, 2. Hall, 3. Pitman, 4. Prest. 5 ft. 7 ins.
 Broad Jump— 1. Scott, 2. Beauchamp, 3. Wohl-ers, 4. Noblet, 19 ft. 11 ins.
 Putting the Weight— 1. Scott, 2. Pitcher, 3. Hill, 4. Beauchamp. 33ft 1 in.
 Senior Cup (Craven Cup)— 1. Doug. Smith 20 points, 2. Scott 14 points, 3. Skinner, 13 points.

Under 16

- 100 Yards Flat— 1. Perrott, 2. Pullin, 3. Richardson, 4. Menzies and Maxwell. 11 sec.
 220 Yards Flat— 1. Richardson, 2. Pullin, 3. Ekins, 4. Mickan. 24·8 sec.
 440 Yards Flat— 1. Perrott, 2. McIntosh, 3. Pullin, 4. Richardson. 55½ sec.
 880 Yards Flat— 1. Hopkins, 2. Maxwell, 3. Bloxham, 4. Ashby. 2 min. 35·4 sec.
 100 Yards Hurdles— 1. Perrott, 2. Pullin, 3. Richardson, 4. Maxwell, Menzies (equal), 14·2 sec.
 400 Yards Relay— 1. Bayly, 2. School, 3. Cotton, 4. Waterhouse.
 High Jump— 1. Perrott, 2. Fuller, 3. Ashby, 4. Marshall. 5 ft. 5 ins.
 Broad Jump— 1. Menzies, 2. Sweeny, 3. Goodale, 4. Mickan. 18 ft. ½ in.
 Putting the Weight— 1. Walker, 2. Maxwell, 3. Cooper, 4. Harbard. 38 ft. 7½ ins.
 Under 16 Cup— 1. Perrott 20 points, 2. Pullin, Richardson (equal) 8 points, 4. Maxwell 6½ points.



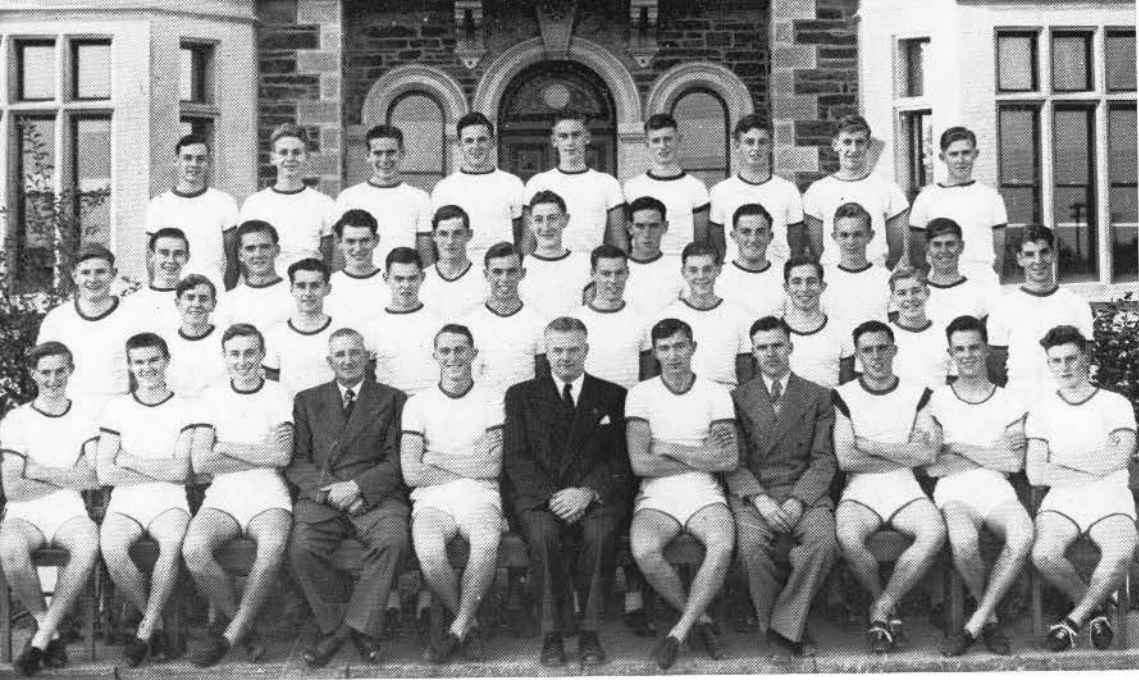
SCHOOL PREFECTS 1950

Back Row—K. P. Scott, R. H. Prest, W. G. Tucker, M. G. R. Perry, D. M. Smith, A. D. Hall,
B. C. Chase, D. V. Lord
Front Row—W. H. Harvey, J. M. Miller, F. T. Beauchamp (Captain of the School),
Mr. J. A. Dunning, M.A., M.Sc. (Headmaster), R. P. Hale, J. G. Head, R. J. Pinch

HOUSE PREFECTS 1950

Back Row—G. B. Chapple, D. T. Pitman, M. I. McTaggart, M. A. Tiver, D. M. Smith, J. F. Faulk
Front Row—I. J. W. Pearson, D. V. Lord, W. H. Harvey (Head of House), Mr. J. A. Dunning,
M.A., M.Sc. (Headmaster), K. P. Scott, D. H. Ward





INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS 1950

P.A.C. 58½ points — S.P.S.C. 71½ points

Back Row— P. L. Goodale, C. J. Hill, J. C. Wohlers, W. H. Harvey, A. B. Walker, B. M. Hopkins,
K. E. Jenkin, W. A. Lewis, J. L. Menadue
Third Row—W. C. A. McIntosh, D. T. Pitman, M. I. McTaggart, M. A. Bloxham, F. S. Hambly,
A. D. Hall, D. G. Noblet, D. R. Pullin, I. L. Smallacombe
Second Row—B. W. Richardson, B. L. May, R. T. Maxwell, D. W. Kay, S. K. Cox, D. V. Lord,
I. A. Wallace, A. B. Menzies, C. W. Pitcher, G. E. Bennetts
Front Row—D. T. Preece, Doug. M. Smith, S. L. Skinner, Mr. J. S. Steele (Sports Master),
Dene M. Smith (Capt.), Mr. C. W. Foreman (Coach), K. P. Scott (Vice-Capt.), Mr. P. A. Fuller (Athletics
Master), M. D. Perrott, W. T. Cooper, D. W. Phillips



SCOUTING

THE WINNING PATROL

Eagles — Easter Camp,
at Mylor



MINNIE AND HAPPY

Sea Scout Patrol Leaders
— Senior Hike, Easter



INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS 1950

Won by P.A.C. - 16 sets 146 games
 S.P.S.C. - 16 sets 134 games

Back Row—J. M. Miller, R. D. Sumner, M. G. Perry, J. F. Faull
 Front Row—J. G. Head (Captain), Mr. T. G. Luke, J. C. Wohlers,

THE EIGHT 1950

Back Row—K. P. Scott (2), D. C. Brown (4), M. A. Tiver (3), R. T. Bailey (bow)
 Front Row—P. R. Tanner (5), F. T. Beauchamp (6), Mr. F. J. Frolich (Coach),
 M. J. Cooper (stroke), D. V. Lord (7)
 D. S. Humble (cox)





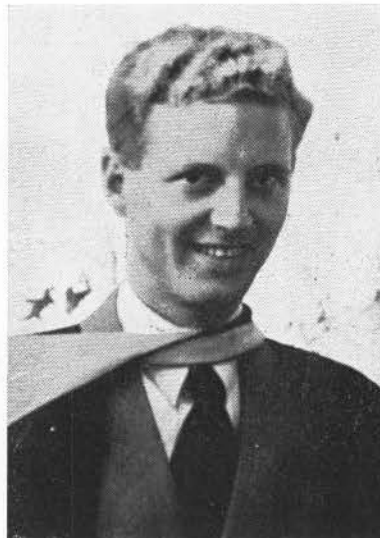
MR. A. E. HAMILTON, O.B.E.



MR. RUSSELL J. DUMAS, C.M.G.
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THE LATE MR. ALLAN LYON
Late President, N.S.W. Branch



MR. COLIN S. HOCKING, B.Sc.
Winner of Rotary Foundation Fellowship



MR. PETER MARTIN
Winner of Gowrie Trust Scholarship

Under 15

- 100 Yards Flat— 1. Jenkin, 2. Cox, 3. Kay, 4. Bennett. 10·8 sec.
 220 Yards Flat— 1. Cox, 2. Kay, 3. Bennetts, 4. Smallacombe. 25·6 sec.
 100 Yards Hurdles— 1. Smallacombe, 2. Cox, 3. F. Hambly, 4. Dunn. 15·1 sec.
 High Jump— 1. F. Hambly, Bloxham (equal) 3. Wallace, 4. Treloar. 5 ft. 0½ in.
 Broad Jump— 1. Cox 2. Bloxham, 3. Caire, 4. Renk. 17 ft. 9½ ins.
 Under 15 Cup— 1. Cox, 2. Bloxham, 3. F. Hambly, Smallacombe (equal).

Under 14

- 75 Yards Flat— 1. Dyke, 2. Gray, 3. Rundle, 4. Smythe. 9 sec.
 100 Yards Flat— 1. Glastonbury, 2. Stewart, 3. Smythe. 12·2 sec.
 75 Yards Hurdles— 1. James, 2. Stacey, 3. McKay, 4. Peterson. 12·5 sec.
 High Jump— 1. Stacey, 2. Lyon, 3. Rundle, 4. Daniel. 4 ft. 5 ins.
 Broad Jump— 1. Gray, 2. Blockley, 3. Conigrave, 4. Hilder. 15 ft. 8 ins.
 300 Yards Relay— 1. School, 2. Waterhouse, 3. Cotton, 4. Bayly.

Under 13

- 50 Yards Flat— 1. Wicks, 2. Glastonbury, 3. Pearlman, 4. Stewart. 6·1 sec.
 75 Yards Flat— 1. Wicks, 2. Stewart, 3. Pearlman, 4. McKay. 12·2 sec.
 75 Yards Hurdles— 1. Wicks, 2. McBride, 3. Stewart, 4. Humble. 14·4 sec.
 High Jump— 1. Wicks, 2. Pearlman, 3. Luke, 4. Humble. 4 ft 5½ ins.

Other Events

- Under 15 Obstacle Race— 1. McKenzie, 2. R. Smith, 3. Greenslade.
 Over 15 Mile Handicap— 1. Bridge, 2. Hall, 3. Bishop.
 Under 15 440 Yards Handicap— 1. Renk, 2. McKenzie, 3. Pridham.
 House Marching Competition— 1. School, 2. Waterhouse, 3. Cotton, 4. Bayly.
 Over 15 880 Yards Handicap— 1. Cox, 2. Faull, 3. Skeer.
 Under 14 100 Yards Handicap— 1. Glastonbury, 2. Stewart, 3. Smythe.
 Over 15 Obstacle Race— 1. McKenzie, 2. Chapman, 3. Maxwell.

Rowing

Our training began at Murray Bridge where the usual camp was held. The camp proved to be one of the best for years and no days were lost because of illness. After some days in camp the boats were filled as follows:— For the Eight: bow, R. T. Bailey, 2. K. P. Scott, 3. M. A. Tiver, 4. D. C. Brown, 5. P. R. Tanner, 6. F. T. Beauchamp, 7. D. V. Lord, stroke, M. J. Cooper and cox D. S. Humble, and for the Clinker Four: bow J. Kenyon 2. R. J. Pinch, 3. Wandke, stroke, Measday and cox, Knox.

After school resumed a number of enthusiastic juniors were found and they provided good material for the under age and open crews. Mr. Alan Crompton, Mr. John Lavis, Mr. J. Vardon and Mr. John Watkins kindly consented to coach the junior crews and everything was going well when we heard the unwelcome news that, owing to the polio epidemic, the Head of the River Regatta had been cancelled. However, the Eights were permitted to continue training and finally we rowed against Saints for the Blackmore Shield. We should like to thank Mr. Potts for his supervision and encouragement and Mr. Frolich for his very valuable assistance in coaching.

THE BLACKMORE SHIELD

On Saturday, April 22nd, we witnessed our crew's bid for the Blackmore Shield. It was a fine day with a slight north wind blowing, and the crews were in high spirits. Good times recorded at training and a fine exhibition against the Port Adelaide Eight in the Metropolitan Regatta the previous Saturday, indicated a good chance of beating the Blues.

The Old Boys' Eights provided a foretaste which savoured well for things to come.

Rowing from the Willows, the Old Reds on the north side, went away by a quarter of a length at the start, and maintained their advantage. At the turn under the Morphett Street Bridge their lead was half a length. Saints increased their rating but could make no impression on the Old Reds, who were rating lower but with a longer smoother stroke. Saints hung on, but were outclassed towards the finish and Princes went away to win by a length and a quarter.

Hopes ran high as our Eight set off for the start in good style. The wind and trouble with the buoys delayed the start for about ten minutes. Whether or not this had any effect is hard to tell, for though the start was clean enough, Saints took a canvas lead there. Rating slightly higher, our crew fought back, with the margin half a length in Saint's favour. A burst past the Willows by the P.A.C. crew narrowed the margin to a few yards and both crews were sprinting as they came to the bridge.

Saints, on the north side, took a canvas lead under the bridge and made a bid which gained them half a length, which they then increased to three-quarters in the run to Long's Point. Rating about 36, Saints rowed on beautifully to win by a length and a quarter.

The time for the race, three minutes and two seconds, left much to be desired, since both crews had recorded much better times at training. Saints, however, must be congratulated on winning in fine style.

His Excellency the Governor (Sir Willoughby Norrie) who followed the race in Mr. Whibley's runabout "Atlanta", presented the Shield to Saints' stroke and with three cheers all round the afternoon was brought to a close.

Original Contributions

BEST-MAN BUSINESS

They still joke about the blunders I made as best man. I thought they would have been long forgotten, for Don and Judy have been married for five years now. But there you are! Such happenings stand-out vividly in one's memory.

One night in May a very good friend of mine invited me to be the best man at his wedding. Of course, I accepted, and knowing the trials that confronted me in such an important position, I began reading book after book on the subject. Finally I was satisfied I knew the procedure.

When I had organised transport for the bridal party, there was very little else I could do until the actual ceremony. There were three days of freedom left in Don's life when we purchased the ring, which I unceremoniously threw into my pocket. The eve of the great day arrived and everybody was "clucking" about in a blind panic, myself included.

We eventually arrived at the church, however, ten minutes earlier than was anticipated. Don persistently asked me if I had the ring, and each time I assured him that that part of the business was in my department and that he had no reason to worry.

Finally zero hour arrived, and we were standing before the minister, listening to the hushed music of the organ, when I tried to remember in which pocket I had put the ring. My thoughts were blank as the bride drew near. What was I to do?

Hoping they had forgotten about the ring I thought nothing more of it until it was called for. Feverishly I rummaged through my pockets. Where was that silly little band of gold? As a matter of fact, I was about to give up when I suddenly remembered that it had been tied to my handkerchief for safe-keeping. You can imagine the titters and how I felt in front of a full congregation retrieving that ring. I still blush at the thought of it.

There was one consolation, however; it meant the whole thing was nearly finished and I would soon be out of that church. That in itself would be a blessing.

From the actual wedding we went to the "breakfast" where I was called upon to respond to the toast of "the bridesmaids". I knew that speech perfectly prior to the gathering, for I had prepared it some weeks before.

Confidently I arose, addressed the bridal couple and company, and proceeded with this "prepared" speech of mine. Today I do not know what happened. I rather thought it went over well for nobody laughed openly. But it appears I became a little muddled in my facts; they told me afterwards that I commented on the groom's beautiful dress and train

and somehow completely upset the atmosphere of such an occasion.

I fear I have told you too much about this affair already, so before I become embarrassed altogether, I shall stop. However, if you are ever short of a best-man, I am only too willing to oblige—experience speaks for itself.

L. K. M., VI B.

HOW TO KEEP A PARROT

In order to keep a parrot you must know its habits and vices. The first thing to know is that the ambition of every true parrot is to escape if possible, if not, to injure and annoy its captor. The best ways of annoying the owner are to destroy everything within reach, to capsize water and seed dishes as often as possible, and to invite any wandering sparrows in to eat all the food except the sunflower seeds, which are parrots' favourites.

Our parrot always adopts this technique in destroying his cage. He bites through the top perch about two inches from the end. This is done to ensure that all the debris falls into the drinking water. The lower perch is eaten through in the middle in order to deposit all the rubbish into the bath water. This perch destruction is the most effective way of annoying the owner. Besides causing much extra work and affording our pet a good deal of amusement, it gives him a chance to cripple me while I am effecting, or rather, trying to effect, repairs to his cage.

To keep a parrot from escaping a thorough inspection should be held each night and morning. Any damage must be repaired immediately if the parrot is to be at hand next morning. When repairs are being effected it must be remembered that this is the very chance for which the parrot has been waiting. Do not attempt to mend anything unless armed with a water pistol at the very least. Another method is to hold it back by the tail feathers. This method is not advised unless the case is extremely urgent, as the treatment improves neither the features nor the temper of the parrot. This routine should also be followed for feeding the bird and cleaning its cage unless one needs an excuse to see the doctor's new nurse, or to have complete rest.

If the parrot should ever escape because the inspection has been neglected or the water pistol is out of order, it is necessary to know how to catch the escapee. Wait until the bird settles on a choice almond tree or grape vine and edge up to it with a ladder, a suit of armour, a dish of seeds, and most important of all, a first aid kit. When the parrot's attention is absorbed by an almond or an extra special new seed, make a grab at him. If it does not

succeed the pet will probably never be seen again; so the timing of the movement must be perfect. Once, about twelve months ago, our parrot escaped because the inspection had been neglected for a few days. Although we caught most of him and returned him to his cage, the rest got away. It took our "Manx" parrot about six weeks to grow a new tail.

B. W., VI. B.

A SCHOOL ALPHABET

A is the answer the masters expect,
but B is the blunder we fail to detect.
C is the chalk that they use on the board,
and D is the duster with which we are floored.
E is for English a language quite tricky,
and F is for French with its idioms sticky.
G is gymnasium, a lesson of old,
and H is the height of the rope, I am told.
I is the icecream we all like to eat,
and J is the jostling and jumping on feet.
K is the knowledge we should gain in class,
but L is the language the masters won't pass.
M is the maximum mark we can gain,
but N is the number we really obtain.
O is the order of service each day,
and P is the prayer that the penitent say.
Q is the query the master will make,
and R is the reply I hope he will take.
S is for science, a wonderful think,
but T is the tinkering which causes a stink.
U is untidy, a condition of books,
and V is the violence of a master who looks.
W is "What can the result ever be
to X is the unknown in Y equals three?"
Y did I tackle this poor contribution,
since Z is for zero, its chance of inclusion?

R. S., VI A.

CREATION

My brain's alert, my hand is steady,
With pen in hand, and paper ready
I sit and wait the lightning flash,
That instant when my pen shall dash
From top to bottom of the pad,
And thoughts will issue forth like mad.

The editors are waiting, the deadline draws
near,
The fog in my brain begins to clear.
I only seek that germ of all creation,
I only 'wait that cursèd inspiration!

R. P., VI A.

THE ANGLER

He sits; where the rushes sway in the wind
His long arms browned, his body thinned,
Upon a rock beside the brook,
With eyes half-shut and vacant look,
A bamboo rod held in his hands,
His thoughts far off in distant lands,
Lost in the glow of brighter dreams,
Than fishing for trout in glittering streams.

G. G., Vu B.

NIGHTMARE IN THE LABORATORY

One night a few weeks ago I had just gone to bed and was thinking about the day's happenings when I suddenly found myself back in the Chem. Lab. at school. I was surprised, because there was no one else in the room and it was in the morning.

After looking for some iron filings with which to carry out an experiment, I saw a bright light at the far corner of the room and recognised it to be a piece of burning phosphorus. What was even more surprising was that it spoke.

"What are you doing here?" demanded the hostile-looking piece of burning phosphorus. It came over towards me. I felt queer—as though the ignorant piece of phosphorus was the master of me and the laboratory.

"Anyone who comes in here while I am present shall pay for it," it said, glowing fiercely at me. "I'm Phosphorus, the master of this laboratory."

This was too much. It seemed as though this piece of phosphorus was a learned science master, who had objected to being used in an experiment, and had overthrown its user. It seemed to glue me to the floor of the room by the cold way in which it spoke, and the fierce glow that came from it, and I could not move.

"I didn't know I was intruding," said I. "I came here to try out an experiment."

"Oh," said the phosphorus, "you're one of those people who torture us—burn us out in oxygen, shut up in a gas jar, and pour water and litmus solution in the gas that is given off! But you shall pay for it."

It took a test-tube from a shelf. It seemed to attach itself to the tube and jump down with it. How I could not tell. My mind was confused as I did not know that phosphorus could talk, but there it was.

"Get down some sulphur and iron filings, and mix and heat them in this test-tube," said the master of the laboratory. I obeyed. When it was cool, I was ordered to put in starch, paraffin wax, mercuric oxide, potassium chlorate, glass wool, and numerous other things. I was feeling rather desperate, because the tube never seemed to fill. It was like a fairy tale, with a magic test-tube. I felt like throwing the whole mixture at my foe. Then I was ordered to pour carbon-bisulphide into the tube. I did so, wondering what I was to do next. Was I to be "tortured" in turn by being shrunk and put into the tube? I wondered what my punishment would be, and when it would come.

The phosphorus was careless, though. It came just a little too near the test-tube, and—bang! I felt myself being shot up in the air, and then swept down again, to find that my enemy was disintegrated and the test-tube

smashed, its contents spread out on the floor.

It was then that I heard music being played, and, wondering why, I found myself in bed, listening to my sister practising on the piano.

L. S., IV A.

THE GIFT

As Samuel ("Sam") Cartwright, a character well known to the police, entered the Bain Emporium a week before Christmas, he was wondering what he would give to Lois, blonde and well-proportioned, was his fiancee. She wore expensive clothes which were very often the reward of flattering some male ego.

A small, exquisite pair of diamond earrings which were on the counter caught his eye and he asked the price.

"Twenty-five pounds seventeen and three, sir," said the assistant. "They're the only ones in town!"

Muttering a hasty "Thanks" Sam walked away from the counter. He did not have that amount of money.

That afternoon, as the town-hall clock was chiming three o'clock, Sam lifted the earrings when no one was looking and put them in his pocket. Glancing furtively towards the other side of the store, he was surprised to see Detective Inspector Smythe watching him suspiciously.

"I've got to get rid of them. I've got to! Smythe's coming over." Sam's thoughts whirled round and round. He noticed a big man who was wearing an overcoat standing next to him. He slipped the earrings into the pocket of the overcoat and hurried out of the store.

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Three days later a woman with blonde hair walked into the gaol where Sam, who had been caught stealing in another store, was imprisoned.

"Hello Sam. Caught again? I can't wait all my life . . . if most of the time you're behind bars. I've found someone else; not a crook! Here's your ring."

"B - but Lois, I - you . . ."

"No Sam, it's all finished. Look what he gave me for Christmas. It must have cost him a lot. I told him so, but he said that the person he got it from practically gave it to him."

Lois lifted her blonde tresses, and there on her ears were the diamond earrings.

B. B. T., Vu A.

MR. JINGLE ATTENDS A FOOTBALL MATCH

Mr. Pickwick, when attending a football match, West Riding v. Bucks, was surprised to hear near him the familiar voice of Mr. Jingle, using such expressions as "Now then, slow-coach"—"not bad"—"Would you like the ball on a silver platter, sir?"—"Muff!" and other remarks which could not do otherwise

than bring smiles of pleasure upon the countenances of the players. At half-time, Mr. Jingle was heard to remark, "Excellent game—some scrums good—very."

"You have played it once or twice, sir?" his companion asked.

"Once!—hundreds of times—thousands—should think I have—not in Britain—Greenland—cool—very."

"It must be rather difficult so far north," remarked Mr. Pickwick.

"Difficult—well nigh impossible—weather freezing—played match once—mid-winter—friend the justice—Lord Jabbera—most goals—weather below zero—large frozen lake—five o'clock a.m.—natives to make up teams—Greenlanders—Esquimaux—three-quarter time—no goals either side—goalies still waiting—didn't move—noses navy blue—frozen stiff—carried off—put in hot baths to thaw out—more Esquimaux—ball frozen hard as a brick—rather hard to kick—Jabbera ran too fast—feet slid from under him—broke his head—carried off—more Esquimaux—more frozen stiff—carried off, too—only Jabbera's butler left—Binki Rombo—time almost up—ball bounced—I kicked goal—two hundred and seventy-three feet—gong—went home—lunch—hunted reindeer in afternoon."

"What happened to the Lord Justice, sir?" asked a bystander.

"Poor old Jabbera—never recovered—had to wear plaster cast all his life—frightful upset—couldn't fit wig on top—had to leave Bench—fish out of water—went mad—psychiatrist—no hope—having long rest now."

B.W.S. (uVA).

A FORMAL MESS OF THE 28th CADET BATTALION

Although the 28th Cadet Battalion has been formed only recently, it has already established a traditional formal mess, or guest night. This form of mess is in honour of a visiting personage and is held only during the annual May camp at Woodside. The procedure is generally explained to recently commissioned cadet officers the night before the actual event.

The formal mess commences when all the officers are gathered in the annex before entering the dining room. Here the visitors are introduced to the officers by the C.O. of the camp, who then leads the way to the dining room, the officers following in order of seniority, although theoretically ranks are not recognised in the mess. The tables are arranged so as to form a "U" or a "T", the C.O. and his guest being seated at the head of the table, together with the chaplain of the unit and the President of the Mess. At the far end of the table is the Vice-President, usually the junior subaltern.

The President sits, his fellow officers do the same and the first course is served by the waiters, whose aim is to be quick, silent and unobserved. When everybody has been served the President begins to eat, which is the signal for everybody else to do likewise. On seeing that the course has been completed the President signs to the waiters to clear the table for the next course. The procedure for the following courses is the same.

The traditional toast at an officers' mess is, of course, the loyal toast. At the appropriate moment the Mess President says: "Mr. Vice —" and then all rise while the Vice-President submits the toast of "The King." The formal mess is then officially over. If the President is agreeable, the officers may then smoke while any speeches or toasts are given. When the President, the C.O. and his visitors leave the mess, the officers are permitted to follow and generally complete the evening in the anteroom.

J. R. B., VIA

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following exchanges, and apologise for any omissions:—

South Australia:

The Paringa Hall Collegian, Unley High School Magazine, Christian Brothers College

Magazine, The Black Watch, Adelaide Technical High School Magazine, Adelaide High School Magazine, Whyalla Technical High School Magazine, Walford House School Magazine, St. Peter's Collegiate Girls' School Magazine, LeFevre Boys Technical School Magazine, Gawler High School Magazine, Rostrevor Magazine, The Scotch College Magazine, The Wilderness School Magazine.

Victoria:

The Wesley College Chronicle, The Scotch Collegian, The Royal Australian Naval College Magazine, The Ballarat Grammarian, The Carey Chronicle, The Caulfield Grammarian, The Mentonian, The Pegasus, The Mitre, The Melbourneian.

N.S.W.:

The Torch-Bearer, The Newingtonian, The Hawkesbury Agricultural College Journal, The King's School Magazine.

Queensland:

The Portal.

Western Australia:

The Swan.

Tasmania:

The Launcestonian, The Hutchins School Magazine.



THE STAMPEDE

D. G. E.

The Preparatory School

SCHOOL NOTES

The first term of 1950 has been a good one. Very few boys have missed more than a day or two from school as we were free from the epidemics that hindered our work last year. Every class is full and we were forced to defer acceptance of many more boys than we were able to take. The situation for 1951 is even worse as we have 135 applications for the 40 odd vacancies we shall have. From a study of our lists we find that parents must put their sons' names down four years before they wish them to enter school if they wish to make their acceptance reasonably certain.

Leaders

The following boys are to be congratulated on their appointment as leaders:— B. G. Walker (Captain of the Preparatory School), W. G. Alexander, G. R. Brown, R. G. Gibbs, A. P. Gibson, R. Gniel, A. J. Holland, M. Lemon, W. A. McEwen and K. R. Smith.

Standards

Standard Sports were conducted for several weeks before Easter. Most boys showed themselves keen to try to pass the running, jumping and throwing tests but 25 boys, one fifth of those eligible to enter, either did not try or were unable to pass in a single test. To encourage boys to continue coming out and indirectly to train for their Sports Day, all boys who passed in the five tests of their age group were permitted to enter for the tests of the next age group. The scores when the tests closed were Robertson 245, Chapple 212.

Preparatory Sports

On Saturday, May 6th, the Prep. School Sports were held on the back oval. Once again a jolly, intimate afternoon was enjoyed by all.

B. J. Smith, who won all the Open Cup events is to be congratulated on winning the Preparatory School Cup and the Under 13 Championship. The other cup winners were G. R. Hill, Under 9, P. M. Hopkins, Under 10 and Under 12, and S. J. Woodcock, Under 11. Mr. H. S. Walker and Bruce, who, it is rumoured, were trained by Mrs. Walker, won the Father and Son Relay against very determined opposition.

Robertson, mainly due to Chapple's dropsical handling of the relay flags, gained most points for the Welch Cup.

Mrs. Close presented the prizes to the successful competitors.

We should like to thank all who helped to make the Sports so enjoyable, the staff, the officials, and those who gave so generously to the Prize Fund.

THE FATHER AND SON RELAY

(With apologies to John Masefield)

I must go down to the Sports again for the
Father and Son Relay,
And all I ask is a good start and wind that will
last the day.
Though I'll feel sick and I'll be stiff, without
a minute's training
With a grey look on my drawn face and all my
joints complaining.

I must go down to the Sports again for my son
can't be refused,
I'd rather run a thousand times than by him be
abused.
For all he asks is my presence there and to
know that I am trying,
For he feels sure with his own speed we can
win the contest flying.

I must go down to the Sports again, alas! for
my quiet life;
To the lungs' pump and the heart's bump and
the stitch like a jabbing knife.
And all I ask is the green sward on which I
can recover,
And the felt pulse and the stroked brow with
the hard race over.

Cricket

The Under 13 "B" team was successful in winning four of its six matches. It was narrowly defeated by the Under 13 "A" and succumbed to S.P.S.C. "B".

P.A.C. "B" defeated Marist Brothers
P.A.C. "B" defeated Unley High School "B"
P.A.C. "B" defeated Adelaide High School "B"
P.A.C. "B" defeated Sacred Heart College "B"
P.A.C. "B" lost to P.A.C. "A"
P.A.C. "B" lost to S.P.S.C. "B"

AVERAGES

BATTING—	Inn.	H.S.	Runs	Ave.
Lemon	6	88	129	25.8
Walker	6	46	114	19.0
Gniel	6	30	98	16.3
Pearlman	6	41*	76	15.2

* Not Out

BOWLING—	Wkts.	Runs	Ave
Lemon	9	38	4.2
Walker	13	97	7.4
Brown	11	106	9.6
Dignum	4	40	10

The Under 12 team played two matches against S.P.S.C. It was defeated both times, once overwhelmingly, once narrowly.

Robertson House won the Senior House Match and Chapple the Junior.

The Mothers' Club

The Annual General Meeting was held early in the term. Mrs. H. S. Walker and Mrs. R. D. McEwen were elected to the Committee. At this meeting the need for improving the Prep. back ground was pointed out; so the Mothers' Club, assisted by a Fathers' Auxiliary, arranged and held a very successful Games Afternoon at

the Prep. on April 15th. A Cheap Jack, Side Shows, Trading Table, Magician, Picture Show, Pony Rides, Miniature Sports and Afternoon Tea contributed to a very enjoyable and profitable afternoon. £123-10-0 was raised.

The playground apparatus ordered in the Christmas holidays has arrived and has been installed. The improvements planned for the back ground are the establishing of a lawn 110 feet by 45 feet and the asphaltting of the remaining area.

Collections

Collections for charity this term amounted to £32.

A. W. Welch Cup

Points for the Cup were:—

	Robertson	Chapple
School work - - -	8	7
Exams - - -	7	8
Cricket - - -	5	3
Athletics - - -	11	7
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	31	25

Original Contributions

THE SONG OF THE FISHERMAN

A fine day and an azure sky
With the golden sands gleaming,
A gentle breeze with salty tang
And the white gulls screaming;

The sea's roar 'gainst the rugged cliffs
And the silver foam flashing,
The deep green waves as they roll along
And tiny ripples splashing,

A fragile craft with its silken sail,
The tuna leaping high,
These are the things I like the best,
With the wind and sea and the sky.
C. D. C., III B. (assisted)

MY CAT

I have a little pussy cat
My sister calls him Percy,
He has such lovely soft, grey fur
Just like a woollen jersey.

He catches mice so easily,
And sometimes brings in rats;
But you should hear him late at night,
With the next-door neighbour's cats.
A. J. U., III B.

A FEW USES OF ELECTRICITY

It pushes, pulls, and excavates,
It lifts, it drives, it cultivates,
It seeds, it ploughs, it digs and drills,
It planes, it rubs, it stamps and fills,
It hits, it grinds, it saws and turns,
It crushes, sweeps, and tips and churns,
It sews, it cleans, and makes our shoes,
It clips, it prints, yes, prints this news.

D. K. D. IIIA.

II B

A is for Absent, for As we have none,
B is for Balfour, whose chief aim is fun,
Chapman and spelling don't always agree,
Cole finds a joke if there is one to see,
Cutting can't sit still, full of wriggles is he,
Fotheringham's books are as neat as can be.
Gerard and Gogier have smiles that are bright,
Hislop and Hill always try to do right,
Isaacs takes lessons from spiders we think,
They crawl on his paper, they live in his ink.
Jeffrey grows dizzy from moving so often,
Kitto's so tired, his desk we must soften,
Krantz devours books for his dinner and tea,
Motteram aims a good speller to be,
Palmer for speed is well known to us all,
Pearlman excels with the bat and the ball,
Pearson leaves books wherever he goes,
Piper spreads ink from his head to his toes.
Rhode's most happy when work is all done,
Sims is our artist, his fame has begun,
A. Smith's a trier, and does as he should,
H. Smith is proving small parcels are good.
Stain is quite lost when enjoying a book,
Stocker misses nothing, he must have a look,
Sullivan's partner in chatter has flown,
B. Treloar wishes a pony to own,
R. Treloar's an all rounder, for pranks is well
known,
Yeaman of late much more tidy has grown.
These are the II Bs, a fine lot of chaps.
Would you like to meet us? An honour—per-
haps!

OUR FETE

More than a month ago
Our Prep. School had a show,
But it wasn't as big as the Fete
In nineteen forty eight.

There was afternoon tea and a trading table,
You could throw darts at boards if you were
able,
There were miniature sports and sideshows too,
Something for everyone to do.

One hundred and twenty-three pounds
Were earnt to improve our school grounds;
A huge success was the whole afternoon
Except that it ended much too soon.

J. A. S., III B.

MY CHRISTMAS PRESENT

His eyes are sad, his tail is curly,
His paws are huge, his body burly.

His looks are worried, his nose is flat,
His coat is wrinkled, his legs are fat.

He sniffs and snores and slobbers about,
He likes a cuddle without a doubt.

His teeth look fierce—a very queer sort,
He's my bulldog, Winston—Winnie for short.

A. S. J. III B.

OLD BOYS'



SECTION

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PAST PRESIDENTS

1879-1891	J. A. Hartley	1913-14	N. A. Webb	1933	S. W. Jeffries
1892-3	E. B. Colton	1915-16	W. D. Taylor	1934	P. R. Claridge
1894	G. M. Evan	1917-18	A. A. L. Rowley	1935	L. S. Clarkson
1895	G. S. Cotton	1919-20	W. S. Kelly	1936	F. L. Collison
1896	A. W. Piper	1921	R. Owen Fox	1937	A. G. Trott
1897	F. A. Chapman	1922	S. Gilbert Lawrence	1938	Joseph Crompton
1898	Arthur Hill	1923	Hubert H. Cowell	1939	W. J. Hiatt
1899	J. H. Chinner	1924	M. Erichsen	1940	Frank T. Cooper
1900	G. W. Cooper	1925	L. D. Waterhouse	1941	L. S. Walsh
1901	J. W. Grasby	1926	T. C. Craven	1942	F. E. Piper
1902	A. E. Davey	1927	H. B. Piper	1943	H. N. Shepley
1903	G. W. R. Lee	1928	J. M. Bath	1944	C. J. Glover
1904	P. E. Johnstone	1929	W. R. Bayly	1945	G. K. Ryder
1905-09	W. R. Bayly	1930	Ralph Vardon	1946	M. W. Evans
1910-11	A. C. Catt	1931	A. L. Bertram	1947	John F. W. Dunn
1912	J. R. Robertson	1932	A. G. Collison	1948	G. T. Clarke

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 seven shillings and sixpence per annum. It is suggested that Country Members should remit sufficient to cover four

years' subscription or become Life Members by payment of £7/7/-. 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:

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

L. B. and Harold SHUTTLEWORTH,
c/o Shuttleworth & Letchford,
50 Grenfell Street Adelaide,

Joint Secretaries

Editorial

We can feel proud that our Association today is one of the strongest of such bodies in Australia. It has grown from strength to strength and each year brings together increasing numbers who have the welfare of P.A.C. at heart.

We look to the boys leaving school to swell our ranks and it is pleasing to note each year the large proportion who join the Association immediately. Up to that age our whole life has been centred round the School whether in the classroom, the sporting field or its numerous other activities. Our friendships too have been made and consolidated, and we see the Association as one of the best vehicles for carrying on those friendships into later life.

There is a tendency, however, with some to lose touch with all except their immediate circle of friends after a number of years. This drift is natural as each becomes engrossed in his own vocation and makes new friendships and associations, not specifically connected with P.A.C.

Then, later on, at a time when our children are old enough to go to school there is a marked re-awakening of interest and many who have not taken a particularly active part in Association affairs look to it again with the same enthusiasm as when they left school.

Thus it is seen that the common bond which brings us together and holds us together is the love and respect we feel for our Alma Mater.

One of the objects of the Association is to keep Old Boys, wherever they may be, in touch with one another. There is ample opportunity for maintaining our old friendships and also making new friendships with Old Boys of differing ages. Probably the best of these are found during Old Boys Week when there are a variety of functions and sporting activities to suit all tastes, and the enthusiasm shown is an inspiration to all.

The various Old Scholars sporting bodies keep together a large number who might otherwise drift apart and every credit is due to those responsible for organising and maintaining teams in the field each week. The monthly luncheons also are an excellent means of keeping in touch with our old friends, particularly for those who work in the city.

Recently a new type of function has been inaugurated in which Old Boys oppose each other at Golf and Bowls, as well as the annual events against St. Peters. A great deal of enthusiasm has been shown at these functions and it seems that these and perhaps other sporting activities amongst Old Boys themselves will give each of us the opportunity we desire of maintaining friendships of our school days and furthering the welfare of Prince Alfred College.

Obituary

BURING—On 26th May, at his residence Fowlers Road, Glenunga, Adolph Wilhelm Rudolph (Rudi) Buring in his 79th year. He attended the School 1883 to 1887 (School Reg. No. 1303) and was a member of this Association.

DARLING—On 26th January, at Melbourne, Harold Gordon Darling in his 65th year. He attended the School 1894 to 1903 (School Reg. No. 2691) and was a Life Member No. 489 of this Association.

LORD—On 4th June, at 17 Wunulla Road, Point Piper, Sydney, Clairmont James, beloved husband of Helene Lord, aged 73 years. He attended the School 1890 to 1892 (School Reg. No. 2170).

LYON—On 14th April (suddenly) at a private hospital, Sydney, N.S.W., Allen C. Lyon, of 12 Wolseley Road, Mosman, aged 66 years. He attended the School in 1897 and was a Life Member No. 1079 of this Association.

MARTIN—On 26th March (result of accident) Ronald Henry, beloved husband of Hilda M. Martin, of South Terrace, Kensington Gardens, aged 69 years. He attended the School 1892 to 1897 (School Reg. No. 2496).

MILLHOUSE—On 24th February, at North Adelaide, Eric, beloved husband of Marjorie Millhouse, of 42 Lefevre Terrace, North Adelaide, aged 58 years. He attended the School in 1909 (School Reg. No. 4367).

MURRAY—On 29th July, 1949, at Glen Osmond, William P. Murray, aged 69 years. He attended the School 1892 to 1897 (School Reg. No. 2469) and was a member of this Association.

NEALE—On 24th February, at his residence Minns Street, Seaton Park, Ernest Hillary William, beloved husband of Lillian Sarah Neale, aged 70 years. He attended the School 1894 to 1897 (school Reg. No. 2663) and was a member of this Association.

SUDHOLZ—On 6th January, at Adelaide, Ronald Frederick Sudholz, of 37 Hewitt Avenue, Rose Park, aged 37 years. He attended the School 1920 to 1928 (School Reg. No. 5603) and was a member of this Association.

VERCO—On 12th May, at Adelaide, Frank Amos Verco, of No. 9 Lefevre Terrace, North Adelaide, aged 72 years. He attended the School 1892 to 1896 (School Reg. No. 2507) and was a member of this Association.

WHITE—On 8th April, suddenly, at his residence, 121 Napier Terrace, Hawthorn, Alan Hubert, beloved husband of Aileen White, aged 53 years. He attended the School 1910 to 1915 (School Reg. No. 4455).

MACKMAN—On 6th June, Alfred Palmer Mackman, of 2a Marlborough Street, Malvern, aged 68 years. He attended the School 1898 to 1899 (School Reg. No. 3174).

VERCO—On 5th June, at his residence, St. Peters, Reginald John Verco, aged 64 years. He attended the School 1897 to 1902 (School Reg. No. 2964) and was a Life Member No. 157 of this Association.

THE LATE MR. HAROLD G. DARLING

Mr. Harold Gordon Darling had been chairman of the Broken Hill Pty. Co. for more than 26 years. He was born in Adelaide and educated at Prince Alfred College. Although he shunned publicity, he was one of Australia's biggest commercial minds, and his quiet influence behind many activities in heavy secondary industry was of great value to Australia.

Mr. Darling began a career which was to contribute strongly to Australia's industrial expansion and earn his own reputation as one of the nation's outstanding financial authorities in the grain business of his father, John Darling, in 1903. He succeeded to its management on his father's death in 1914.

In that year he also became a director of the B.H.P., continuing the work which Mr. John Darling began in 1906 as chairman.

When he continued his father's pioneering work, Mr. Harold Darling combined brilliantly with the chief general manager, Mr. Essington Lewis, in directing the huge and steady expansion of the company's activities, with the production of steel at the lowest possible cost to meet the needs of the growing nation as his objective.

The great part which Australian heavy industry played in munition manufacture during World War II. was due largely to his business influence and foresight. It was his pride that B.H.P. was able to provide Australian manufacturers with the cheapest steel in the world.

During his control Whyalla was developed as a modern model of an industrial township to serve as the company's ore port and ship-building centre.

During World War I., Mr. Darling was a member of the Advisory Board to the Australian Wheat Board. In 1927 he was appointed to advise it on the State's finances. In 1942 he was appointed a member of the Aircraft Advisory Committee set up by the Commonwealth Government.

THE LATE MR. ALLAN LYON

On 21st April 1950, Allan Lyon died suddenly while undergoing an operation, and his passing has left an almost irreplaceable gap in the ranks of Old Boys generally, and especially in those resident in N.S.W.

He came to Sydney soon after leaving P.A.C. and after a varied experience in the commercial world established his own business as a mercantile agent, and since that time his office has been a Mecca for both visiting Old Boys and those resident in Sydney.

For very many years Allan Lyon has been President of the Sydney Branch of the Association, and without doubt the continued success of the Branch has been due to his devoted efforts in the interests of the School he loved so well.

The representative gathering of Old Boys who attended his funeral showed the high esteem in which he was held by all members of the Sydney Branch. He was respected as a man of high character and loved by all for his sense of humour and the great courage and high resolve with which he faced his own peculiar problems and difficulties, brought about by the many unfortunate years of the

confirmed illness of his wife and the need to maintain the efficiency of his business.

While he had no children he possessed an intense love for them, and many a child has benefited by the unobtrusive generosity which expressed his love.

In addition to his many years of devoted effort for the Association, and in spite of his heavy domestic responsibilities, he found time for public service and he was, for many years, a committeeman of the Taxpayers' Association of N.S.W., and as such gave valuable help to members of that Association and taxpayers generally.

Allan Lyon was widely respected in the commercial world, where his uprightness of character and honesty of dealing was fully recognised. He was a worthy citizen and his kindliness, courage and cheerfulness in the face of difficulties was an inspiration to all who knew him.

He will be sadly missed in the life of the Sydney Branch of the Association, and we mourn the loss of a good friend and a great Old Red. His approach to life was epitomised by his "Reds Can't Be beat," which was invariably called forth by any problem or difficulty he may have experienced.

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

2245 Hunkin, L. D.	2256 Hersey, Ian	2267 Harbison, A. W.
2246 Shuttleworth, A. C.	2257 Barton, D. C.	2268 Harbison, J. R.
2247 Wheatley, P. J.	2258 Clarke, J. T.	2269 Gibson, V. R.
2248 Gore, W. G.	2259 Cowling, J. R.	2270 Glyde, D. R.
2249 Jennison, R. B.	2260 Klose, A. E. J.	2271 Ham, M. W.
2250 Ellery, R. T.	2261 Bennett, C. E.	2272 Burnard, R. DeG.
2251 Osborne-White, D. A.	2262 Conigrave, J. D.	2273 Turner, H. McL.
2252 Welch, I. D.	2263 Skinner, R. N.	2274 Pearson, K. M.
2253 Thomas, G. B.	2264 Penna, P. D.	2275 Bennier, D. J.
2254 Menz, R. W.	2265 Chapple, J. B.	2276 Smart, A. E.
2255 Hill, R. R.	2266 Oldfield, C. D.	2277 Martin, D. M.

ORDINARY MEMBERS

Bowen, G. A.	Looker, J. P.
Burns, D. T.	Parkinson, J. H.
Drew, L. V.	(Jnr.)
Dunn, M. Q.	Piper, F. G.
Gardner, A. R.	Platt, R. A.
Harvey, P. W.	Whiteford, J. B.
Kelton, B. L.	

Purely Personal

We congratulate Hon. P. A. McBride upon his appointment as Minister for the Interior of the Federal Government.

Roy Middleton has been appointed Manager of the Executor Trustee and Agency Company of S.A. Ltd.

Len. S. Clarkson, President of the Adelaide Chamber of Commerce, is the third "Old Boy" to hold that office in succession to O. L. Isaachsen and Gordon Sunter. Robert K. Wood is also a past president of that Chamber.

Lt. Col. M. S. Joyner has been awarded the Australian Efficiency Decoration.

C. N. Loader of East Perth, W.A., recently visited Adelaide.

J. E. Tregenza (formerly of Brisbane) is now residing at 6 Ashleigh Avenue, Shirley Gardens, Payneham.

R. W. Farrant has been transferred from Minlaton to Berri.

H. B. Honey has moved to 8 Diagonal Road, East Glenelg.

Joseph Crompton has been granted leave of absence whilst visiting England and the Continent.

J. M. Woolcock has also left for England per S.S. "Himalaya".

Ron W. M. Johnston has been elected a representative of the District Councils to the Tramways Trust.

G. A. Fischer has left for a trip to England via Italy and France.

Life Membership to this Association has been granted to Claude Bennett and A. E. J. Klose upon their retirement from the school staff as a token of appreciation for their service to the school. A framed etching of the school was presented Spen. Williams upon his retirement as he already holds a Life Membership.

R. D. G. Reed has removed to 6 Lauder Avenue, Wollongong, N.S.W.

Rex Ingamells, at school 1927-30 and then from 1940 to 1942 on the teaching staff, has now developed into one of the best known contemporary Australian poets. Eleven volumes of his poetry have already been published and now working under a Commonwealth Literary Fund Fellowship he has written an epic poem of some magnitude entitled "The Great South Land". It deals with the discovery of Australia in the spiritual as well as the geographic sense. Several recognised literary critics have commented very favourably on the manuscript.

The edition, which is to be limited to 1,000 copies, is being published by Georgian House Pty., Ltd., Melbourne, and is to be ready by December, 1950.

It is claimed that "The Great South Land" is the most ambitious poem yet produced by an Australian.

Mr. W. L. Davies at the College will be pleased to furnish further information.



BIRTHDAY HONOURS

We congratulate Mr. Albert E. Hamilton who has had conferred upon him the honour of an officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

Mr. Hamilton was elected to the Council of the Pastoralists' Association in 1912 and was President of the Stockowners' Association from 1923 to 1925.

He was elected to the Council of the Royal Agricultural and Horticultural Society of S.A. in 1904 and is still an active member of each of the above societies.

Mr. Hamilton has been a keen supporter of the School and this Association.

OLD COLLEGIANS ABROAD

The Association Committee is forwarding parcels to Old Boys in England in order that they may participate in and appreciate "Old Boys' Week."

Correspondence has recently been received from R. B. Potts (Queens College, Oxford), who frequently comes in contact with Ralph Parsons and John Keeves. Also from Sid W. Smith (1924-1931), who is now residing in Surrey.

R. O. Pomeroy (formerly of British Insulated Callenders Cables Ltd., 84 William Street, Melbourne) is now residing at 28 Carleton Avenue, Wallington, Surrey, England.

All old scholars visiting London should contact Dr. Stanford Howard at 49 Wimpole Street, London, W.1.

EDUCATION FUND

This fund has been raised for the purpose of educating the children (boys and girls) of Old Boys who lost their lives on Active Service.

Messrs. C. J. Glover, N. S. Angel and L. B. Shuttleworth have been appointed Trustees to administer this fund, under direction of the Association Committee.

Amount subscribed to 31st May, 1950:—
£2,476/16/9.

Up to the present time no applications have been received. Members are requested to notify the Secretaries should they learn of any child desiring educational benefits. All enquiries should be addressed to the Joint Secretaries, 50 Grenfell Street, Adelaide.

Re-union Dinners

SOUTH EASTERN DINNER

This Dinner was held on the 11th March at Naracoorte. There was an attendance of 40 Old Scholars and the Committee responsible for the arrangements are to be congratulated upon the success of the function.

Mr. G. M. Potts and Rev. C. J. Perry, representing the School, and Messrs. D. A. Clarkson and Harold Shuttleworth, the Association, attended from Adelaide. The Dinner, under the chairmanship of Mr. P. J. Bailey, was held in the Naracoorte Town Hall, as it was not possible to obtain hotel accommodation. The success of the evening was in great measure due to the untiring efforts of the wives of a number of Old Boys, who catered for the Dinner and waited upon those present at the table.

The toast to the School was proposed by Dr. H. R. Oaten, and responded to by Mr. G. M. Potts and Rev. C. J. Perry.

The President (Mr. D. A. Clarkson) replied to the toast of the Association, which was proposed by Mr. A. C. DeGaris.

Mr. Leo DeGaris, by whom the arrangements were made, has forwarded to the Association the net proceeds of the Dinner, amounting to £11/10/-, to be credited to the War Memorial Fund.

It has been decided to hold the next Dinner at Mount Gambier.

MAITLAND

Mr. Ron Tiddy, of Maitland, is in charge of arrangements for the Annual Dinner of Old Scholars of Central Yorke Peninsula. The Dinner is to be held at Maitland on Friday, 7th July.



MONTHLY LUNCHEONS

Monthly luncheons are held at Myers' Apollo Rooms, Rundle Street, on the second Thursday of each month. These have been well attended, and the addresses much appreciated.

Our Guest Speaker in February was Mr. F. H. Harrison, Chief Mechanical Engineer S.A.R. His address embraced "Leigh Creek and the South Australian Railways."

In March, Mr. Eric Storey spoke on "Cables in general and Ascension Island in particular," and gave a very interesting description of the history and geography of the island.

The Rev. R. E. Stanley, who chose as the subject of his address "Canberra," was guest speaker in April.

At the May luncheon Mr. G. Noblet, who visited South Africa with the Australian XI, spoke on the tour in that Dominion by the Australian team, and this attracted a splendid attendance.

Old Boys Week

MONDAY, 31st JULY:

Bridge and Chess Match—Old Blues v. Old Reds

TUESDAY, 1st AUGUST:

Lacrosse, Hockey and Baseball at St. Peter's College—Old Blues v. Old Reds
7.30 p.m.—Table Tennis at Railways Institute—Old Blues v. Old Reds

WEDNESDAY, 2nd AUGUST:

Rugby and Football at Prince Alfred College—Old Blues v. Old Reds
10.30 a.m.—Golf at Seaton—Old Blues v. Old Reds

THURSDAY, 3rd AUGUST:

8.50 a.m.—Morning Assembly
Football—Town v. Country
7.30 p.m.—Reunion Dinner at the Dining Hall, John Martin Ltd.

FRIDAY, 4th AUGUST:

Annual Dance at Palais Royal, North Terrace, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY, 5th AUGUST:

Intercollegiate Football at Adelaide Oval
7.30 p.m.—Masonic Temple: Prince Alfred Collegians' Lodge

SUNDAY, 6th AUGUST:

11 a.m.—Old Scholars' Service

A full programme has been arranged for Old Boys' Week. On Monday evening a Chess match will be played in addition to the Bridge contest at "Arcadia" Cafe.

Arrangements are also being made for a Baseball match at St. Peter's College, but it is very doubtful as to whether this Association can field a team.

The annual Golf Match has been arranged to be played at Seaton on Wednesday, 3rd August. Unfortunately this date clashes with the Football and Rugby matches at the College, but intending golfers can arrange to play this match early in the morning if they so desire.

The Town and Country football match will as usual be played at the School on "Old Boys' Day," and all country players are requested to send in their names as early as possible to the secretaries. At the Dinner the usual interstate telephone link-up will be made with Melbourne, Sydney and Broken Hill. In response to requests your Committee has arranged for an improved menu and refreshment service.

The annual Dinner is usually the most popular function of the week and members are requested to make early application for tickets and table reservations. The annual service will be held at the School on Sunday, 6th August.

Successes of Old Boys

We congratulate Dr. T. Draper Campbell, Director of Dental Studies at the Adelaide University, upon having gained the highest honour available to a dental scientist—Fellow in Dental Surgery of the Royal College of Surgeons, London.

Dr. Campbell's research on Australian aborigines has won him an international reputation.

We also congratulate Colin S. Hocking, who has won a £1,000 Rotary Foundation Fellowship for study in America. He has also won a Commonwealth Research Fund grant for at least a year study at the recently established N.S.W. University of Technology. The Fellowship will allow him 12 months post-graduate scientific study at Cornell University, New York.

A Bachelor of Science, Mr. Hocking is a laboratory assistant to Dr. C. S. Pennycuik at the University of Adelaide. He was a bank clerk for two years before joining the Waite Institute staff as a laboratory assistant. He obtained his degree in 1948.

At Cornell University, he hopes to obtain his Master of Science degree.

We also congratulate Peter Martin, who has been granted a Research Travelling Scholarship by the Gowrie Trust.

Conditions for the Research Travelling Scholarship include that the candidate must be or have been a member of the Forces with service in the last war, or be the child or other lineal descendant of such a member.

The scholarship is tenable at a university or other approved institution abroad.

Mr. Martin, who served as an officer in the R.A.N. during the war, is doing second year science at the University of Adelaide, where he won the John Bagot Scholarship for Botany 1 last year.

AT ADELAIDE UNIVERSITY

[We apologise for any errors or omissions]

Degrees were conferred and Diplomas granted as follows:—

June 24th, 1949:

B.E. Honours—Crompton, J. W.
B.E.—Griggs, J. M.

December 16th, 1949:

M.B., B.S.—Cawte, J. E., Dewar, C. C.,
Hoare, L. L., Nicholls, E. M.

Commemoration, March 29th, 1950:

LL.B.—Bennett, H. T.
M.A.—Ward, R. B.
B.A.—Dinning, R. A. B., Hart, A. M.,
Ochenden, G. P., Zeppel, F. R.
M.Sc.—Potter, R. J.
B.Sc. Honours—Hocking, C. S., Lynn, K. R.,
Parkinson, K. J., May, L. H., Hone, M. R.

B.Sc.—Blight, J. M., Chartres, B. A., Cooper, M., Edgerley, M. W., Howard, R. T., Jephcott, B. R., Provis, D. F., Skinner, B. J., Thompson, B. J., Wellby, M. L., Clarkson, C. L.
B.E.—Smith, B. H., Jennison, R. B., Reed, R. D. G.
Dip. Ed.—Forsyth, E. C., Hart, A. M., Ochenden, G. P.
Dip. Comm.—Carter, D. B., Dunn, R. K., Hastwell, R. D., Johnstone, N. S.
Dip. Pharm.—Francis, R. L.

ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS, 1949.

[An asterisk denotes a credit]

Faculty of Arts

Intermediate Exams for B.A.

Basheer, M. R.—Hist. II.
Brebner, C. R.—Lat. I.
Brebner, D. M.—Psych.,* Logic.*
Cleland, J. L.—Eng. I.
Cox, B. R.—Pol. Sc.
Dinning, R. A. B.—Eng. III.,* Pol. Sc., Psych.,* Geol. I.
Duguid, A. M.—Lat. I.,* Hist. I., Psych.,* Maths. II.*
Gale, M. E.—Eng. II., Hist., I.
Griggs, R. L.—Pol. Sc., Econ. II., Stats II., and Act. Maths.
Hart, A. M.—Eng. I.
Laycock, G. C.—Geol. I., Lat. I.
Leak, B. H.—Eng. III.
Marquis, L. S.—Pol. Sc.
Medwell, J. G.—Eng. I., Ger. I., Hist. I., Econ. I.*
Norman, A. E.—Fr. I.
Ochenden, R. H.—Econ. II.
Olsson, L. T.—Lat. I., Econ. I.
Parkinson, K. J.—Educ.*
Pridham, G. J.—Eng. II.
Tregenza, J. M.—Eng. I.,* Germ. I., Hist. I.
Woodard, C. G.—Ethics.
Zeppel, F. R.—Eng. III., Hist. II., Pol. Sc.

Intermediate Exams for Dip. Educ.

Dennis, A. H.—Ed. Psych II.,* Sec. Ed. II.*
Forsyth, E. C.—Sec. Ed. III.
Hart, A. M.—Ed. Psych II., Sec. Ed. III.
Hiatt, S. G.—Ed. Psych. I., Sec. Ed. I.
Parkinson, K. J.—Sec. Ed. II.
Provis, D. F.—Hyg.

Faculty of Science

Honours B.Sc.

Chemistry—Hocking, C. S. (1st), Lynn, K. R. (1st).
Geology—Parkinson, K. J. (2nd, A).
Botany—May, L. H. (1st).
Anatomy—Hone, M. R. (2nd, B).

Intermediate Exams for B.Sc.

Baker, I. N.—Maths. II,* Phys. I,* Chem. I,* Geol. I.*
Blight, J. M.—Geol. I.*

Chartres, B. A.—Chem. I., Phys. IIIA*
 Clarkson, C. L.—Inorg. and Phys Chem. III.,
 Org. Chem. III.
 Cooper, M.—Bact. I.
 Cox, W. F.—Maths. II., Phys. I.
 Howard, R. T.—Org. Chem. III.
 Jeffcott, B. R.—Org. Chem. III., Bact. II.
 Murray, E. L.—App. Maths. I., Phys. I.
 Offe, I. W.—Biol.
 Parkinson, K. J.—Mining Geol.
 Provis, D. F.—Inorg. and Phys. Chem. III,*
 Geol. III.*
 Rogash, P. E.—Phys. I., Chem. I.
 Smith, J. W.—Maths. I., Phys. I.,* Chem. I.,
 Geol. I.*
 Skinner, B. J.—Inorg. and Phys Chem. III.,*
 Geol. III.,* Eng. Geol.*
 Thompson, B. J.—Org. Chem. III.
 Welby, B. L.—Bact. II.
 Woodard, G. D.—Phys. I.,* Chem. I., Geol.
 I.,* Bot. I.

Faculty of Agricultural Science

2nd Year—Dolling, C. H. S.

Faculty of Engineering

Intermediate Examinations for B.E.

Atkins, K. J.—Maths. Ic, Phys. I, W. Prac. I.
 Berriman, I. P.—Maths. Ic, Phys. I, Eng.
 Chem., Arch. Hist. I, Drg. I, Art Drg.
 I, Mod. I.
 Bennier, D. J.—Civ. Eng. I, Elec. Eng. I,
 Mech. Eng. I, W. Prac. IIA.
 Burton, L. K.—Maths. Ic, Eng. Chem., Eng.
 Mat.
 Bunday, G. H.—Elec. Eng. I, Ind. Eng., W.
 Prac. IIA.
 Campbell, I. D.—App. Maths. I, Arch. Des.
 I,* Geom. Proj., First Aid.
 Claridge, P. G. B.—Arch. Th. Const. Prac.
 III, Arch. Des. II, Art Drg. II.
 Davie, R. S.—App. Maths. I, Eng. Mat., Ind.
 Eng., First Aid, W. Prac. I, Eng. Drg.
 I, Surv. IA.
 Davies, D.L.—Arch. Th., Const. Prac. III.,
 Civ. Eng. I, First Aid, Des. II.
 De Cean, N.—Civ. Eng. I, Elec. Eng. I,
 Mech. Eng. I,* W. Prac. IIA.
 Dyer, J. R.—Civ. Eng. I, Hyd., Elec. Eng. I,
 Mech. Eng. I, W. Prac. IIA.
 Dunn, P. C.—App. Maths. I, First Aid, W.
 Prac. I.
 Ellison, L. R.—Eng. Drg. II, Str. Mat.
 Good, R. J.—Maths. Ic, Eng. Chem., Eng.
 Drg. II.
 Harley, D. G.—Maths. Ic, Phys. I, First Aid,
 Eng. Drg. Des. I, W. Prac. I.
 Harley, P.A.—Maths Ic, Phys. I, Arch Hist.
 I, Drg. I, Ant. Drg. I, Mod. I.
 Hodge, J.—Des. Struc. I.
 Jennison, R. B.—Civ. Eng. I, Elec. Eng. II.
 Johns, R. W.—Arch. Th. Cons. Prac. III,
 Arch. Des. II, Civ. Eng. I.
 McCormick, C. W. D.—Maths. Ic, Phys I,
 First Aid, Eng. Drg. Des. I, Surv. IA,
 W. Prac. I.

McFarlane, A.—Maths. IIC, App. Maths. I,
 First Aid, Eng. Drg. Des. I, W. Prac. I.
 Medlow, R. G.—Maths Ic, Phys I, Eng.
 Chem.,* First Aid, Eng. Drg. I, W.
 Prac. I.
 Packer, J. S.—Maths. IIC, Phys. I,* Eng.
 Chem., First Aid, Eng. Drg. Des. I,
 Surv. IA, W. Prac. I.
 Price, K. D.—Geol. I.
 Reed, R. D. G.—Hyd., Des. Struc. I, Elec.
 Eng. I, Eng. Drg. Des. II, Mining II,
 Mining and Met. Sem.
 Sharley, A. N.—Maths. IIC, Phys. II, Geol.
 I, Str. Mat.
 Smith, B. H.—Elec. Eng. II.
 Waugh, D. M.—Geol. I, Eng. Drg. II, Phys.
 Met. I.
 Watson, D. R.—Civ. Eng. I, Hyd., Elec. Eng.
 I, Mech. Eng. I, W. Prac. IIA.
 White, D. A. O.—App. Maths. I, Geol. I,
 Str. Mat.
 Wibberley, B.—Phys. Chem. II (Met.),* Ass.
 II, Des. Struc. I, Elec. Eng. I, First Aid,
 Met. III,* Met. Phy. IIA,* Met. Phy.
 IIB, Met. IIC,* Min. and Met. Sem.
 Wiadowski, I. B.—Maths. Ic, Phys. I, First
 Aid, Eng. Drg. Des. I, Surv. IA, W.
 Prac. I.
 Shaughnessy, P. G.—App. Maths. I, Phys II,
 Str. Mat, Geol. I.
 Yelland, G. P.—Eng. Drg. I, Surv. IA.

Faculty of Law

Intermediate Exams. for LL.B.

Basheer, M. R.—Law of Eq. and Conv., Merc.
 Law.
 Brebner, C. R.—El. of Law, Law of Con-
 tracts.
 Brebner, D. M.—Law relg. to Coys. and
 Part., Jurisp.
 Cleland, M. E. E.—Law relg. to Coys. and
 Part., Constit. Law, Jurisp.
 Ferrett, R. G.—Law of Eq. and Conv.
 Olsson, L. T.—El. of Law.
 Pridham, G. J.—Law of Contracts, Law of
 Prop.
 Woodard, C. G.—Law of Prop., Merc. Law,
 Constit. Law.

Faculty of Medicine

Examinationns for M.B., B.S.

1st Year—Schwartz, C. J.,* Tassie, G. W.,
 Francis, J. G.
 2nd Year—Bennett, R. C.,* Deland, C. G.,
 Elix, R. L.,* Ward, G. G., Wicks, G. R.
 3rd Year—Allen, T. H., Jorgensen, D. M.,
 Kneebone, G. M., Linn, J. M., Nairn, D. E.,
 Markey, G. B., Paull, C. G., Smith, J. W.,
 Stockbridge, J. K., Welch, H. W.
 5th Year—Benson, W. H., Dunn, D. E., Heit-
 mann, J. S., Shea, B. J., Weetman, A. R.,
 Williamson, D. A.
 6th Year—Hoare, L. L.,* Dewar, C. C.,
 Cawte, J. E., Nicholls, E. M.

Faculty of Dentistry**Examinations for B.D.S.**

- 1st Year—Kimber, R. J., Berry, T. B., Wark, B. G.
 3rd Year—Bailey, K. W.
 4th Year—Coombe, R. J., Leach, R. B., Pynor, D. E., Reiners, J. A., Vawser, P. F.

Diploma in Pharmacy**Intermediate Examinations**

- Carlier, E. G.—Elem. Pharm., Toren. and Comm. Pharm., Bot.
 Cox, P. J.—Elem. Pharm., Toren. and Comm. Pharm., Bot.
 Crago, R. A.—Vol. Anal. and Drug Assay.
 Francis, R. L.—Pharm. III.
 Gryst, R. E.—Toren. and Comm. Pharm., Bot.
 Humble, W. G.—Theor. Org. Chem., Elem. Pharm.
 Sutton, J. C.—Toren. and Comm. Pharm.
 Warnecke, P. G.—Elem. Pharm., Theor. Org. Chem., Prac. Org. Chem.

- West, L. T.—Elem. Pharm., Toren. and Comm. Pharm., Bot.
 Williams, B. N.—Theor. Inorg. Chem.*

Diploma in Commerce**Intermediate Examinations**

- Bennett, H. T.—Pub. Fin.
 Carter, D. B.—Comm. Law II, Acc. III.
 Dunn, R. K.—Acc. II.*
 Harvey, K. W.—Acc. II,* Comm. Law II.
 Middleton, C. R.—Comm. Law II.*

Diploma in Physiotherapy

- 3rd Year—Maitland, G. D.*

Scholarships and Prizes

- Roby Fletcher Prize (Psych.)—Duguid, A. M.
 David Murray Scholarship (Law)—Bennett, H. T.
 R. W. Bennett Prize (Law)—Olsson, L. T.
 Stow Prize (Law)—Brebner, D. M.
 Ralph W. Parsons has been awarded a Fellowship by the Nuffield Foundation for his studies at Oxford in the field of nuclear physics.

HISTORY OF THE SCHOOL

Mr. J. F. Ward, who for some time has been compiling a "History of the School," is desirous of including some photos of the school buildings, especially some of the earlier stages, including—

- (1) A view of the front of the gymnasium before 1891, when the chemistry room was added.
- (2) A view of the back of the buildings before 1909, when the balconies were added on the centre block.
- (3) A view looking down the northern end before the pavilion was built.
- (4) Any other early photos of the buildings and grounds.

Any Old Boy who can supply any photos is requested to forward same to the Association Secretaries as early as possible. They will be returned to the senders at an early date.

INFORMATION WANTED—WORLD WAR I.

Mr. Ward is compiling a list of decorations and awards in connection with World War I. (1914-1918) and is anxious that it should be correct and complete. Will all Old Boys who received decorations or awards, or who can supply any information thereon please advise the Association Secretaries as early as possible.

SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

Members are reminded of the urgent need to enrol intending scholars at the earliest possible date. Enrolments have already been made up to 1961. Don't delay; but make enquiries from the Headmaster now.

P.A.C. WAR MEMORIAL

In the erection of a memorial to perpetuate the memory of those sons of the School who served and who made the Supreme Sacrifice in the Service of the Country, there is no more fitting place than in their boyhood School.

Contributions to the fund may be forwarded to Mr. E. W. Forbes, Epworth Building, Pirie Street, Adelaide, or to Mr. W. Douglas Verco, 178 North Terrace, Adelaide, or to the Association Secretaries. The following is the list of donations to 31st May, 1950.

Brought Forward	....	....	£22,099	2	10
Makin, S. R. B.	....	....	50	0	0
Naracoorte Dinner Proceeds	....	....	11	10	0
Paterson, L. H. B.	....	....	10	10	0
P.A.C. Boys Collections	....	....	14	17	6
P.A.C. Boys Collections	....	....	16	5	0
Anonymous	10	0	0
Rowell, H. E.	3	3	0
Ockenden, G. P.	3	3	0
Andrews, H. D.	2	2	0
Anonymous	1	1	0
Copping, K.	1	1	0

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LIFE MEMBERS' CERTIFICATES

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

COLLEGE ENDOWMENT FUND

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

Sports

OLD COLLEGIANS' CRICKET CLUB

The Old Collegians' Cricket Club again competed in the Adelaide Turf Association during the 1949/50 season.

Bill Leak, Peter Dalwood and Ray Smith shared the batting and bowling honours and are to be congratulated on their performances.

The following are the main averages:—

BATTING						
	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Aver.	
B. Leak	6	2	104	222	55.5	
P. Dalwood	10	1	85	306	25.5	
L. Letcher	13	1	71	306	25.5	
M. Thompson	6	—	65	142	23.7	
R. Smith	11	1	55	213	21.3	
T. Bond	12	2	46*	179	17.9	
BOWLING						
	O.	M.	Rns.	W.	Aver.	
B. Leak	33.3	3	180	11	16.4	
M. Wellington ..	39	3	153	9	17	
M. Thompson ..	70	7	247	14	17.6	
A. Dawkins	39.3	5	124	7	17.7	
V. Branson	23.6	—	145	8	18.1	
R. Smith	111.2	3	560	16	35	

OLD COLLEGIANS' RUGBY CLUB

The result this season so far has not been as successful as last year, but as the team has not fallen lower than fourth on the Premiership table, there is still hope for the finals.

The loss of several of our key players at the beginning sadly weakened the team, but these are now being ably filled.

Brian Smith is showing good form now, and as the season progresses and his experience grows, he will develop a strong run.

Others to show out are Brian Kent, Ken Wilkinson, Geoff Clarke and Jim Harbison, who we must congratulate on his trip to Broken Hill with the combined Adelaide side.

We would like to congratulate Warren Carter on his fine coaching and leadership of the side, in spite of numerous difficulties, mainly non-attendance at practice.

Warren also has to be congratulated on his captaincy of the Broken Hill side.

We wish to congratulate Len Perkins on his appointment by General Motors Holdens to go to America for further engineering studies. We will miss him, but it will be a grand experience for him.

During the next half of the season we are arranging several social events, the first of which is at the home of Tom Phillips on the 24th of June.

Any Old Boy or friend who wishes to play this season please contact R. Johnson, c/o S.A. Rubber Mills, Phone LF 1691.

OLD COLLEGIANS' TENNIS

The Annual Old Scholars' Tennis match was played at St. Peter's College on 6th March last. Both sides included several A Grade players and the games all proved interesting and some excellent tennis was produced. The teams were fairly evenly matched and the result depended upon the final set. Princes were again successful by a small margin.

Scores:—

Morris, A., and Newcombe, M., lost to Turnbull, D., and Mehaffey, J., 4—6, 6—3, 1—6, and lost to Astley and Whitehead 4—6, 3—6.

Battye, R., and Rowe, D., defeated Astley and Whitehead 6—2, 5—6, 6—3, and defeated Turnbull, D., and Mehaffey, J., 6—5, 6—4.

Lock, R., and Welch, H. W., defeated Mehaffey, J. W., and Wilson 6—5, 6—2, and lost to Brookman and Allen 1—6, 5—6.

Williamson, D., and Babidge, D., defeated Brookman and Allen 6—3, 2—6, 6—4, and defeated Mehaffey, J. W. and Wilson 6—3, 3—6, 6—5.

Final Scores: Princes 5 rubbers to 3.

OLD COLLEGIANS' ATHLETIC CLUB

The Old Collegians' Athletic Club, owing to a shortage of members, did not have such a good year as the previous one, those members that did complete regularly in Inter-club meetings run under patronage of the S.A./3/A were quite successful, and this club feels that with the number growing from enthusiastic boys who are leaving the College it will be able to compete quite successfully with the other bigger and older clubs.

In the programme of the School sports three events were "Old Scholars," being 100 yards, 120 hurdle, and the entries for those were quite good.

Peter Warnecke won two events—100 yards and 400 yards. "Congratulations, Peter."

J Charnoch had a narrow victory over D. Rosser in the 120 yards hurdle. Trophies for these events were given by Drs. Piper and Jolly and the Club. Both these Club members were picked to represent the Adelaide Varsity team in the recent Inter-Varsity Competitions.

At the latter end of the season Mr. Mattison was kind enough to give a Picture Evening in the Assembly Hall at the School; the pictures were enjoyed by all and we look forward to more of these evenings.

There are still more members wanted and all boys who are interested in taking up Athletics after they have left school could obtain details of the Club from the Secretary, L. Harford, at 117 King William Street, Adelaide, or from any of the members.

Bowls Social Evening

Following the success of last year's function a sub-committee comprising Dr. M. W. Evans, Messrs. N. A. Walsh and Colin Hassell, was appointed to arrange a similar function which was held at Toorak Bowling Club on Wednesday, 22nd February. Unfortunately the Maitland players were unable to attend, thus leaving 11 rinks. The "Piper" family (F. E., J., C., R. W.) engaged the "Johnston" family (R. M., A. K., E. M., R. D.) in a friendly contest, but the official scoring card has been mislaid. The Walsh brothers, with the aid of Eric Storey (from Ascension Island) and Gordon

Balfour were not quite good enough for the President's rink, comprising Messrs. J. A. Dunning, D. A. Clarkson, N. L. Rayner and Harold Shuttleworth.

During the supper interval Mr. Clarkson thanked the Toorak Club for allowing the use of the excellent greens. Mr. F. L. Bunday replied on behalf of the club. We are deeply indebted to the Ladies' Committee for the beautiful floral decorations and also for their able assistance at the supper tables. Pennants were presented to the four best players.

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.

PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGIANS' LODGE

W.M.: Wpl. Bro. L. S. Walsh.
 I.P.M.: Wpl. Bro. H. M. Wilson.
 S.W.: Bro. N. A. Walsh.
 J.W.: Bro. W. F. Patterson.
 Chaplain: Bro. C. J. Perry.
 Treasurer: Wpl. Bro. R. F. Middleton.
 Secretary: Wpl. Bro. R. P. Goode.
 D.C.: Wpl. Bro. W. L. Davies.

The Lodge meetings are held on the first Friday of each month.

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

Subscriptions for the year ending 30th September, 1950, are now due, and members are requested to remit promptly to facilitate the work of the Association.

As the amount of Annual Subscription, 7/6 is so small, it is suggested that members forward, two, three or four years' subscriptions, thereby saving postage and exchange. The prepayments of subscriptions will also save the Association expense of postage, etc.

The work of the Association has increased considerably, and your co-operation by prompt payment of subscriptions is requested.

ASSOCIATION TOKENS

Tokens are now available to members in accordance with the rules of the Association upon payment of 20/-

LOST TOKENS

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

Interstate Branches

BROKEN HILL

The Branch President is Mr. George Fisher, General Manager Zinc Corporation, Broken Hill.

The Branch Secretary is Mr. Bruce Fowler, c/o Elder, Smith & Co. Ltd., Broken Hill.

Annual Branch Dinner

On Friday, June 9th, the Broken Hill Branch of the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association held its Annual Dinner at the Royal Exchange in that city. The function was most happy and successful, and the President of the Association, Mr. David Clarkson, the Headmaster, Mr. John Dunning, and the incoming President, Mr. Rex Pearson, made the journey to Broken Hill to be present at the function, much to the delight of the Broken Hill boys. Mr. Clarkson made all feel completely at home, and his entertaining glimpses into the past history of the "School" were greatly appreciated by all, while Mr. Dunning's amazing knowledge of the past doings at P.A.C. and his very sincere, quiet determination to make a success of his term as Head of the School could not fail to impress all present. Mr. Pearson appealed to the Old Boys as another of the right type of fellows to step into the important position of President of the Association when his time comes. The toast of the "King" was proposed by Mr. W. A. Harbison, that of "Our Alma Mater" by the Broken Hill President, Mr. G. B. Fisher, and responded to by Mr. J. A. Dunning, "The Old Collegians' Association" proposed by Mr. B. Fowler, the Broken Hill Secretary, and responded to by Mr. D. Clarkson, and "Kindred Associations" proposed by Mr. J. W. Prider

and responded to by Mr. H. L. C. Cotton, President of the Broken Hill branch of St. Peter's Old Collegians' Association.

Mrs. Clarkson and Mrs. Dunning also made the trip to the "Hill," and the wives of the B.H. committeemen could not speak too highly of their delightfully friendly approach, making all who met them feel that they had known them for years instead of hours. On the night of the "Dinner" the visiting ladies were entertained by the wives of the Committee at an informal dinner and afterwards were shown over the local Commercial Radio Station 2H by Mrs. Jack Prider, who also supplied supper for the party.

While in Broken Hill the visitors were shown over the surface workings of the Zinc Corporation, the manager of this mine being Mr. George Fisher, President of the Broken Hill Branch and an Old Red. They also paid visits to the Central Power Station, Flying Doctor Base, Zinc Corporation kindergarten and lakes, and Penrose Park and Umberumberka Reservoir, some 23 miles from Broken Hill. On the Saturday night the visiting party and all the old boys and their wives were invited to the lovely home of Mr. George Fisher, where he and his good lady entertained with a really delightful cocktail party.

The Broken Hill Old Scholars are overjoyed with the success of the entire week-end and feel that the stimulus given their branch by the honour paid it through the visit of these good people of such important connections with the Old School will prove of the greatest value in the future.

NEW SOUTH WALES

The Branch Secretary is Mr. E. A. Kesting, "Yanawa," 24 Loorana Street, East Roseville, N.S.W.

The Late Mr. Allan C. Lyon

The sudden death of Allan Lyon, who for so many years was Branch President of this Association, came as a great shock to his many friends. He died on 14th April at a private hospital whilst undergoing an operation. Many Old Boys attended the service and funeral. Floral tributes were also sent from Prince Alfred College and also the Old Collegians' Association (Adelaide).

Personal

Rev. A. R. Gardner was at College 1913-1915. In 1922/24 he was a student at Queen's College, Melbourne, obtaining his B.A. degree. He

joined the Methodist Ministry and served in various districts under the Victorian Conference. After commencement of war he was appointed Chaplain and served for four years as Staff Chaplain. During the years 1945-9 he was appointed Director of Methodist Overseas Missions with headquarters in Sydney, and filled that position with distinction. At last Conference he was appointed to Circuit work again, and was elected Superintendent of the Lindfield Roseville Circuit with headquarters at Lindfield (N.S.W.).

Jack T. Hiatt.—After leaving College he entered the service of the Savings Bank of South Australia and attended evening lectures at the University for the Economics course. Early in the war he was appointed to Headquarters and reached the rank of Staff Captain, serving in New Britain and New Guinea.

Whilst there he passed a number of subjects for his degree, and at the conclusion of hostilities obtained both Economics and LL.B. degrees. He moved to Sydney and studied for the New South Wales Bar. Last year he completed the course, and is in practice as a Barrister.

Ewart R. Stow, of 26 Cremorne Road, Cremorne, has just returned from a visit to Adelaide. During his visit he was entertained at lunch by the President, Mr. D. A. Clarkson, and several members of the Committee.

In November, 1948, Mr. J. L. B. Cowan was the Navigator of a Survey Flight to South Africa from Australia made by Qantas Empire

Airways Pty. Ltd., the route being via Perth, Cocos Island, Mauritius Island to Johannesburg.

As a result of this Mr. Cowan, who is Chief Navigation Officer for Qantas, has been invited to lecture to the British Institute of Navigation on General Navigation, and he is leaving for England on 10th June for this purpose.

Annual Dinner

The Annual Dinner will be held at the C.T.A. Club, Martin Place, on Thursday, 3rd August, to coincide with dinners at Melbourne, Broken Hill and Adelaide. The usual telephone link-up with Adelaide and Melbourne has been arranged.

QUEENSLAND

The Branch Secretary is Mr. P. D. Coles, Room 12, Fourth Floor, National Mutual Building, 293 Queen Street, Brisbane. (Telephone B 8017.

Personal

Mr. J. E. Tregenza has been transferred to Adelaide. His address is No. 6 Ashleigh Avenue, Shirley Gardens, Adelaide.

VICTORIA

The Branch President is Mr. W. Allen Shepley, manager of the Melbourne Branch of the Bank of Adelaide, 267 Collins Street. Telephone C 6661.

The Branch Secretary is Mr. A. N. Dawkins, Sales Engineer, Electric Supply Dept., Town Hall, Melbourne. Telephone JM 1511.

Golf Outing

On the 5th February last, a dozen members with their wives and families drove some 50 odd miles to Flinders for a golf-picnic day. The early morning promised a fine day, but before lunch-time a strong wind blew up and during the afternoon it became a howling gale. The Flinders golf course, situated right on the coast, offers no protection from the weather, and it was impossible to play an enjoyable game under the conditions of the day. Picnic lunch and afternoon tea had to be managed inside the shelter of members' cars, and the competition for trophies cancelled. Most unfortunately, what promised to be a pleasant outing, was completely marred by the bad weather.

Annual Meeting

At the annual meeting, held in conjunction with a banquet tendered to the Headmaster at Scott's Hotel on Friday, the 19th May, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

Branch President: Mr. W. Allen Shepley.

Committee: Dr. E. Rosanove and Messrs. Fred Jackett, Colin Alexander and Howard Manuel.

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. A. N. Dawkins.

Headmaster's Visit

During the month of May (19th to 26th) the Branch was honoured by a visit from the Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning, and the President of the Association, Mr. Dave Clarkson, accompanied by committeeman Mr. Reg Hall. Mr. Dunning's visit was in fulfilment of a long-standing promise to come over to Melbourne to meet Old Reds as soon as he could arrange to do so. That he should come so soon after taking up his appointment was much appreciated by the Victorian Branch Committee, who set themselves out to arrange a series of functions to entertain him in a fitting manner.

Mr. Dunning arrived on Friday morning, the 19th May, and was met by several members who conducted him to his hotel. In the evening he was entertained by 30 members at a banquet at Scott's Hotel. We were very pleased to have with us also on this occasion the Association President and Mr. Reg Hall. Prior to the dinner, an hour was reserved for cocktails, during which time Mr. Dunning was able to personally meet all the Old Boys who attended.

Our guests were welcomed by our retiring President (Eric Armstrong) and later a toast to the Headmaster was presented by our newly-elected President (Allen Shepley) and honoured most enthusiastically. Mr. Dunning was frankly astonished at the memory of the Old Boys who gave him the school war cry without a blemish. Unfortunately space will not permit a detailed account of the proceedings, but the gathering listened intently and most interestedly to Mr. Dunning's response which dealt with all the phases of school life today and its problems. He devoted much time in

telling us of the masters, both past and present, particularly those who had retired, but were still going strong. The names of Ward, Iliffe, Langley, Klose, Potts, Bennett and Smith awakened many memories amongst the members. Likewise Haslam, Grey and Bayly.

We could not allow Dave Clarkson to come all the way from Adelaide without getting up on his feet, of course, so Dave gave us the latest information from headquarters, including the announcement that we are to have again this year the telephone hook-up Adelaide-Melbourne-Sydney-Broken Hill at the Annual Dinners on Thursday, 3rd August.

On the following day, members, being anxious that Mr. Dunning should know all there is to know about Australian Rules Football, accompanied him in an official party, as guests of the Richmond Football Club, to witness a great game between Richmond and Essendon. The "Head" was shown behind the scenes, and everything was done to ensure that his "football education" was complete. With this knowledge now available to the school XVIII, we, in Melbourne, are confident of a great victory at the end of July.

Mr. Dunning's prowess as a golfer had preceded his arrival, and accordingly another official function planned for him was luncheon and a tour of the course at Kew Golf Club, through the courtesy of Charlie Crompton, who is a Kew G.C. member. Six Old Reds accompanied the "Head," who engaged in a duel, partnered with Howard Manuel against Charlie Crompton and Norm Dawkins. The "Head" and Howard ran away with the first 9 holes, but Charlie and Norm fought back to be 1 up at the 17th. Most unfortunately, the "Head" played perfect par golf on the last stroke to win it and square the match—a fitting and happy ending for all concerned.

During the week Mr. Dunning was here several members entertained him privately, and on the night of his departure (Friday, 26th May) Fred Jackett was the host at a gathering of several Old Boys at the C.T.A. Club to wish him farewell.

Mr. Dunning's visit did much to cement the interest of Old Boys, domiciled in Melbourne,

in the school, and was, we feel sure, thoroughly enjoyed by him. For our part we thoroughly enjoyed having him with us.

Personal

A. E. Dawkins, Superintendent of the Defence Research Laboratories, Maribyrnong, has been appointed Chairman of the Australian Association of Scientific Testing Authorities.

Mr. Colin Alexander left Melbourne in March by air for a four months' business trip on behalf of his department, Commonwealth Works Housing.

Brian W. Manuel is now sportsmaster at Grimwade House, a preparatory school to Melbourne Grammar Church of England School. Brian recently created a new Australian amateur record for putting-the-weight.

Rex Ingamells has recently published an epic poem, "The Great South Land"—according to critics "the most ambitious poem yet produced by an Australian."

Don Candy (now living in Melbourne) has become one of the most prominent players in Victorian Pennant Tennis. He is hotly tipped to win the State Hardcourt Championship.

George L. Ekins has retired from the secretaryship of North Broken Hill Ltd. His address is 43 Rix Street, Glen Iris, Melbourne.

John Bennett has forsaken school teaching (Brighton Grammar, Vic.) and returned to the legal profession in Melbourne.

Roy Jackett and Eric Armstrong (President Victorian Branch at the time) visited Adelaide last April and made an "official call" at school for morning assembly.

H. C. Wilson has recently removed to No. 75 Sir Garnet Road, Surrey Hills, Vic., E.10.

W. A. Sayer is now residing at 349 Riversdale Road, Camberwell, E.C., Victoria.

The Late Mr. Harold Darling

We regret to record the death of Mr. Harold Gordon Darling, who had been Chairman of the Broken Hill Proprietary Company for more than 26 years. He died at his home, Toorak, Melbourne.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Mr. V. H. Dawe is President and his address is c/o Perth City Council, 207 Murray Street, Perth.

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

Personal

Mr. Rex W. Pearson (Vice-President) recently paid a visit to Perth, but was unfortunately taken ill and was unable to meet members of this Branch.

We were pleased to meet Mr. W. A. Palamountain when he paid a visit to Perth.

Mr. C. N. Loader, of Perth, was in Adelaide a few weeks ago but unfortunately did not have time to visit the school.

Monthly Luncheons

This Branch has monthly meetings which alternately take the form of "luncheons" and "Sundowners."

Old Boys' Cricket Match—Princes v. Saints

Once again the match was played on 5th February last at Wesley College, South Perth, at the invitation of the Acting Headmaster, Mr. Collins, and the College Council.

Prince's captain, Fred Waldeck, won the toss from the opposing captain, Max Rymill, and elected to put Saints in to bat on a perfect wicket on an ideal day against an attack little more than mediocre. At lunch with the score at one wicket down for 67 Saints looked set for a win, while, at afternoon tea, with a score of 181 runs to chase, Princes had lost one for 14—not a good start. At this stage Saints were confident of an easy win, but they underestimated their opponents who, with two hours to get the runs required, managed the tidy score of 122 for the loss of six wickets—the result, a drawn game. A good deal of praise is due to Spencer Haslam, who proved our sheet anchor and made 30 not out. He had been ill in bed all week and batted—with the assistance of a runner—only because things looked so grim for us.

When time was played out we had three very disappointed players in Morgan Dawe and Edgecombe, who felt that their sterling efforts in the field for some three hours or so should have been rewarded with the opportunity to flay Saints' attack which was led by an ex-Sheffield Shield player in Wainwright.

About 40 were present at the luncheon and 80 or more at afternoon tea, and all expressed

themselves favorably on the day's outing, which gives us encouragement to see that this fixture does not lapse in the future.

Mr. R. J. B. Miller deserves full credit for his excellent organisation of the match, while Viv Martin 27, and Bill Chapman 33, deserve praise along with "Slam" Haslam for their good knocks.

SAINTS	PRINCES
Murphy, P. 48	Dawkins, A. L. 1
McKenzie, J. 20	Martin, V. 27
Gawler, J. 14	Williams, M. 4
Wood, D. 13	Waldeck, F. C. 5
McKellar Hall, R. .. 10	Haslam, S. H. (n.o.) 30
Bednall, — 0	Chapman, W. B. 33
Rymill, M. 22	Livingston, J. C. 16
Wainwright, (n.o.).. 11	Thurston, L. E. (n.o.) 1
Gooch, J. 26	Morgan, C. R. } Did
Hines, P. 1	Dawe, V. H. } Not
Good, N. 2	Edgecombe, E. H. } Bat
Sundries 14	Sundries 7
Total 181	Total, 6 for 124

Bowling	Bowling
Chapman 4 for 58	Wood 2 for 28
Williams 2 ,, 32	Wainwright .. 1 ,, 25
Livingston 3 ,, 25	Murphy 2 ,, 24
Morgan 1 ,, 7	McKenzie 1 ,, 8

Umpires — Messrs. W. R. Rogers and W. E. Southwood

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