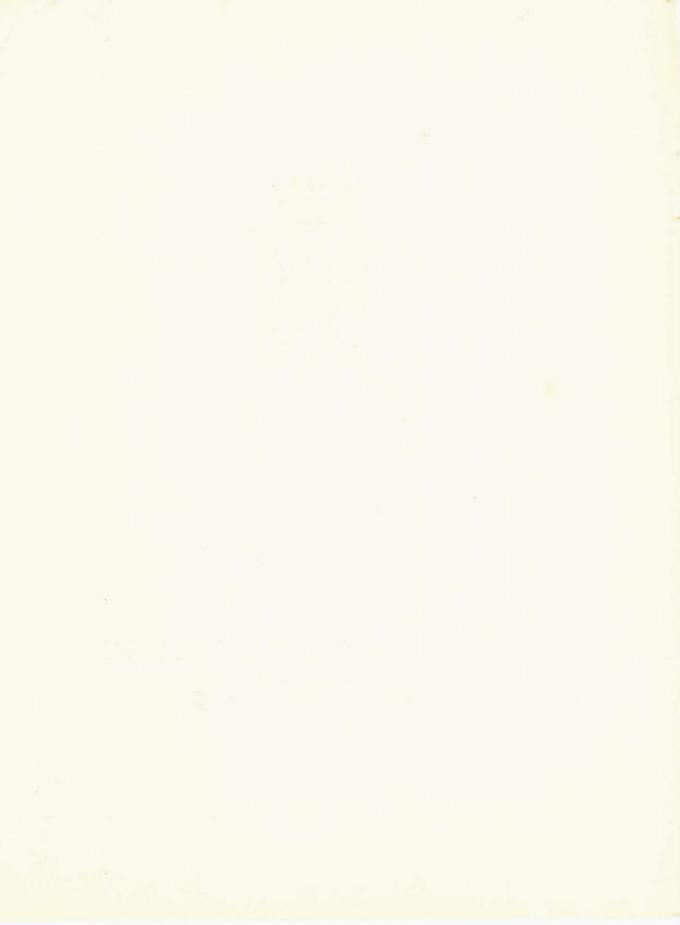


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Editorial

During the last war, an artist was asked what he was doing at home. "I am the civilization you are fighting for", he replied. He was one of that vast host that has given mankind imperishable things. They are everywhere, in words and pictures and in stone, but mostly in the hearts of men.

A science student and an arts student were discussing their future careers. "But just where can you get as an arts man?" queried the former. He was expressing in these words the attitude of modern society to the intellectual. And, unfortunately, because the peoples of the advanced world are so materialistically minded, there are comparatively few openings for an art student. Because of this popular discouragement, the time has come when there is a gap in the literary progress of mankind. The lack of leaders in the cultural field, coupled with the tremendous advances of science, results in unbalanced development.

The scientific trend calls for material results, and for results quickly. As a consequence, many of today's youth are shallow-thinking. Commercially-minded business men have profited to the utmost from this, and the level of morals is at its present low ebb. I do not wish to condemn all scientists for this sad state of affairs—rather I accuse society of not encouraging the growth of the spiritual side of our nature. The men of the future who should be writing of the beautiful things of life, expressing the glories surrounding them in either verse or prose or music, are instead being directed to seek warmth of heart in hard figures and cold cash. As second-rate moralists, we all decry the present social position, but the only way to a true enrichment of life is to emphasize the arts. For far too great a percentage of us, appreciation of English literature reaches matriculation standard and stops there.

The world assesses itself by material values, but the things that really count, the everlasting things, are not physical results but spiritual legacies. Mind is more than matter. Perhaps soon there will be a literary revival, a surging forward. Are we on the threshold of a new awakening in the realm of the arts? Only if we recognize the worth of the arts can we hope to see a literary revival.

A. C. W. M.

School Notes

This Chronicle includes the notice of the Annual General Meeting of the Old Collegians' Association.

Kent Town Church was packed on the evening of Sunday, 29th June, for the mid-year Church service. The service was conducted and the address given by the Chaplain, Rev. R. Kyle Waters, B.A.

There has been only one change in the staff. Mr. P. M. C. Turnbull resigned during second term. We welcome in his place Mr. M. A. Sexton, B.A. Hons. (Leeds).

The Headmaster entered hospital at the end of July, and had a longer stay there than had been expected. He was able to return to duty at the beginning of the third term.

D. J. Perriam, who gained first place in the 1957 Leaving Honours examination, was awarded "The Advertiser" prize of books to the value of £25. These were presented to him at assembly one morning by Mr. Lamshed of "The Advertiser".

Congratulations to the coaches and members of the football and athletics teams on fine victories at the Adelaide Oval. The football team, amid the various social activities arranged for them in Melbourne, found time to defeat both Melbourne Grammar and Wesley.

Our crew was a very inexperienced one this year, but the coach and crew had reason to be proud of and pleased with the efforts in both the "Head-of-the-River" and the Blackmore Shield race.

Both the Preparatory School and the Big School concerts were very successful. As a result, more than £200 was paid to the Back Oval Fund.

During the second term vacation, a party of boys, accompanied by Mr. Potts and Mr. Peard, toured New Zealand, another group went to Alice Springs and combined work and pleasure, and other groups spent the first week in helping some of our Methodist Missions and Institutions by doing useful jobs.

The Anzac Day Service was conducted by the Chaplain on Thursday, 24th April. The address was given by Mr. W. L. Davies, M.C., B.A.

The President of the Conference, Rev. C. T. Symons, was present at assembly on 3rd October and told us some of his impressions of Japan, which he had recently visited.

The school congratulates the President and committee members of the Old Collegians' Association on the success of the 1958 Old Boys' Week.

We acknowledge with gratitude a bequest to the college of approximately £4,000 by the late Mr. George G. Shierlaw for the purpose of founding scholarships. The nature of the scholarships is to be decided by the School Council. Mr. Shierlaw (No. 1420 on the School Register) who attended P.A.C. in 1884 and 1885 had lived in New Zealand for many years.

Mr. G. T. Clarke, M.P., was the speaker at the second term meeting of the Parents and Friends' Association. He told of some of his experiences on his trip "Round the World in Seventy-seven Days." Mr. Clarke also spoke at the morning assembly shortly after his return from abroad.

Mid-year School Service

The service this year was held in Kent Town Church on Sunday, 29th June, and was conducted by the College Chaplain, Rev. R. K. Waters, B.A. The Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning, M.A., M.Sc., read the lesson and the school choir, under the direction of Mr. Rolland May, Mus.Bac., sang the introit, "Rejoice, O Land in God thy Might" and the anthem "King All Glorious". The organist, Mr. Mark Symons, gave an organ recital before the service.

In his address, based on the text from St. Luke, "And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature and in favour with God and man", the Chaplain said that there was nothing lop-sided in the personality of Jesus.

It is to the everlasting glory of Christianity's Lord that in Him strong men find strength; the greatest minds find in Him inexhaustible Truth; the noblest spirits fall prostrate before the utter purity and grandeur of His soul. Yet no one, seeking, has ever failed to find in Him a friend; and even little children may look with understanding upon His unsearchable riches.

Certainly there was nothing lop-sided in the personality of Jesus. Nor should there be in those who worship Him.

The pale aesthete absorbed in the ceremonial and artistic expression of religion has little in common with the Carpenter of Nazareth. The ecstatic soul bubbling over with pious enthusiasm, but unaware that the next door neighbour is desperately ill, is a humbug. The hearty muscular Christian, full of goodwill but com pletely insensitive to the doubts and fears and difficulties of his brother man can be and often is a tactless ass. The brain-on-stilts, who mistakes a part of reality for the whole and will

never admit that the heart has reasons which the mind knows not—he, too, is a caricature of a Christian—and often a caricature of a man.

Such unbalanced approaches to life and religion simply could not happen if we took Jesus Christ seriously both in precept and example; the precept—"Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy mind and with all thy strength: and thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself", and the example, that "Jesus increased in wisdom and stature and in favour with God and man".

Prince Alfred College exists to encourage boys in the same kind of total growth.

From time to time it has been suggested in the press that the benefits of education in a school like this are these—meeting the right people, making useful friendships, qualifying for an old school tie, and so on. Such articles inevitably conclude that such benefits are hardly worth parental sacrifice.

We quite agree. If that is what a boy comes to P.A.C. for, he will probably get it. But it is a poor return on parental investment.

However, such a newspaper article fails to mention the real aim and the only purpose of schools like this. Not that we ever make a secret of it, even though we may not always fulfil it terribly well.

We are here to promote the Christian Faith, to cultivate Christian character by Christian education. If that is what parents and boys seek in the school, they will probably find it. And it is worth any sacrifice.

For the end product of it is balanced personality, increased in wisdom and stature and developing in spiritual and social understanding.

Student Christian Movement

The first term ended very successfully as far as the S.C.M. was concerned. The final address was given by Sir Philip Messent to a large audience, and it proved profitable to those present.

As usual the second term was devoted to discussion groups. There were two groups, a total of thirty-three members, which was the largest for some years. They were led by two theological students and we sincerely thank Mr. Bernhard Clarke and Mr. Ross Harris for

giving up their time to come out to us. During the term we had another interesting address from Miss Margaret Bearling, who recently returned from Russia.

We again look forward in the third term to an instructive and stimulating series of addresses. In the words of the hymn writer;

"May God prosper thy works, and defend thee."

I. H. G.

The Back Oval

The work of developing and enlarging the back oval area is now almost complete. Early in the second term, the four cottages and the large house containing six flats near the Young Street back gate were demolished and much of the levelling was done. Unfortunately, the wet weather in August and September prevented Mr. Thomson from completing the preparation of the ground for the three hard courts and the knock-up board area.

The posts for the cyclone netting are in position, and the knock-up board is completed. The areas for the three new grass tennis courts and for the cricket practice wickets are well covered with couch, and should be in excellent condition at the beginning of next year.

There has been a very good response to the appeal for contributions to the War Memorial Appeal. It will be remembered that the College Council decided to devote to the Back Oval Appeal a sum equal to the amount of donations now received. In addition, we are indebted to the enthusiasm of groups of mothers of present boys, to the Parents and Friends' Association and to many old boys for help in connection with functions to raise money for the Back Oval Appeal.

Further functions are being arranged and the proceeds of these and also any donations received after 30th September will be ack-knowledged in the next issue.

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Playing Area in Parklands

For many years, the College has had a permit to use two tennis courts throughout the year, and a football ground during the season in the East Parklands. Up to the present, we had not been able to secure a permit to use this ground for cricket, as a cricket club held the licence, but just as this issue is going to print, we have received information in a letter from the Town Clerk.

"I have to inform you that the City Council at its meeting held yesterday granted your application for a yearly licence for an area of land approximately 170 yards long by 110 yards wide in Park No. 15, East Parklands. Permission was also granted to:—

- (a) Erect a fence of a type to be first approved by the Council's Officers;
- (b) Level and fence the area;

(c) Grass and reticulate the area as proposed, the erection of the fence to be held in abeyance until this part of the scheme is about to be commenced.

Openings are to be left in the fence for the free passage of pedestrians and all work must be carried out to the satisfaction of the Director of Parks and Gardens."

The permission thus granted means that our long-held hopes for a good parklands playing area can now be realized. Such an oval, along with the larger back oval, will mean much better facilities, not only for school teams but also for those from the Old Collegians' Association.

It is hoped to draw up plans immediately for the development of this area, and to proceed with the work as soon as possible. Prine Alfred College Chronicle



INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS TEAM, 1958

P.A.C. 93 points - S.P.S.C. 75 points

Back Row-M. H. Skinner, R. W. Hurn, R. J. Slatter, I. H. Craig, R. J. Ashby, G. L. Combe, J. D. Hains

Fourth Row-R. G. Brandwood, N. R. Whitworth, R. G. Candy, G. B. Williams, G. J. Mooney, W. G. Whitworth, A. G. Gerard, P. C. Freburg

Third Row-J. L. Brown, W. Kolowrocki, R. G. Cleland, M. S. Elliott, W. D. Phillips,

W. F. Tonkin, F. T. Perry, I. H. Pickering

Second Row-J. E. Angel, D. R. Oaten, P. M. Dunn, P. E. Day, J. K. Pearlman, R. J. Verco, D. R. Watts, R. G. Acott

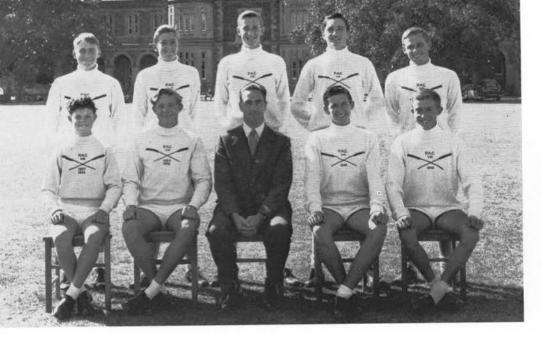
Front Row-P. W. Stain, L. G. Kobelt, P. G. Morton, P. M. Hopkins (Captain), Mr. G. F. Connell (Coach), R. S. Berkin, D. M. Hannaford, J. P. Causby, I. J. Daebeler

INTERCOLLEGIATE FOOTBALL TEAM, 1958

Back Row-D. D. Trowse, P. M. Dunn, I. H. Pickering, P. C. Freburg, G. J. Moore, D. R. Watts Centre Row-D. G. McArthur, D. M. Hannaford, P. G. Morton, I. H. Craig, R. J. Ashby, D. M. Duffield, R. W. Hurn

Front Row-N. G. Yates, G. L. M. Combe, W. D. Phillips, D. R. Oaten (Captain), Mr. F. C. Bennett, W. F. Tonkin (Vice-Captain), J. P. Causby, P. D. Shaughnessy





THE EIGHT, 1958

Back Row-P. J. Whitham (bow), B. R. Pontifex (3), J. H. Jackson (6), P. W. H. Woodruff (4), T. R. Denton (5) Sitting-D, F, Bowen (coxswain), R. F. Bartholomaeus (7), Mr. C. D. Mattingley, W. R. Giles (stroke), R. W. Reeves (2)

THE CADET CORPS

Officers and N.C.O.s, 1958

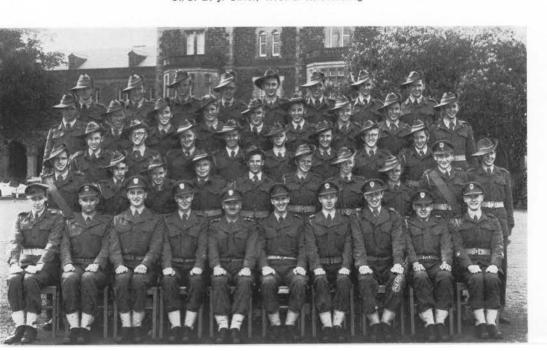
Back Row—Cpl. G. J. Mooney, Sgt. R. G. Catford, Sgt. P. J. Nelson, Cpl. J. R. Rowe, L./Cpl, P. G. Morton, S./Sgt. D. G. McArthur, Cpl. G. L. Brown, Sgt. W. R. Giles
Fourth Row—L./Cpl. P. C. Freyburg, Cpl. R. W. Taylor, Sgt. R. A. Geddes, Cpl. R. N. Waite, Sgt. C. J. Michelmore, Cpl. H. M. Woollacott, Cpl. A. J. Catt, S./Sgt. R. M. Moyse, L./Cpl. B. R. Pontifex

B. R. Pontitex

Third Row—Cpl. J. H. Whitwell, Cpl. D. J. Jarman, Cpl. D. M. Cooper, Sgt. J. W. Staker, Sgt. C. V. Lloyd, Cpl. I. H. Gray, Cpl. R. J. Jarman, L./Cpl. L. P. Gibson

Second Row—W.O. G. R. Evans, Cpl. M. L. Saddler, Sgt. R. W. Smith, Cpl. J. A. Haslam, Cpl. K. E. Little, Cpl. R. A. Panter, Sgt. R. W. Thompson, Cpl. D. P. Clarke, W.O. G. E. Turner, L./Cpl. I. R. McKay

Front Row—W.O. R. J. Slatter, U./O. K. D. Gogler, U./O. P. W. Woodruffe, U./O. P. M. Hopkins, Capt. G. H. Woollard (O.C. Unit), Lt. P. H. Kentish, U./O. R. W. Evans, U./O. J. H. Jackson, U./O. D. J. Oliver, W.O. I. H. Pickering



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UPPER SIXTH FORMS

Hislop, D. (1947). I.C. 56, L.C. 57.

Stain, J. A. W. (1947). L.C. 57.

Tonkin, W. F. (1957). Prefect 1958, House Prefect 1958, XVIII 1958, vice-Captain 1958, Colours 1958, Half-colours 1957, Aths. 1957-58, Colours 1957, Half-colours 1958.

SIXTH FORMS

Berkin, R. S. (1957). House Prefect 1958, I.C. 1957, XVIII 1957, Colours 1957, Aths. 1957-58, Colours 1958, Half-colours 1957.

UPPER FIFTH FORMS

Jenkinson, R. B. (1956).

Laurie, M. G. (1956)

Madge, G. D. (1952)

Mattner, W. B. (1958).

Smith, R. H. (1950)

LOWER FIFTH FORMS

Calderwood, J. A. (1956).

Tolmer, G. A. (1955).

Salvete

Denotes Boarder

† Denotes son of Old Boy

Denotes grandson of Old Boy Denotes great-grandson of Old Boy

Crompton, R. P. † # [(September)

Brearley, R. G. (July)

Dubin, R. * (July)

Tunbridge, P. J. (April)

III LB

Uppill, C. P. * (May) Woods, J. A. † (September)

Hackett-Jones, G. A. (May)

Urquhart, P. N. W. (June)

VI A

Hackett-Jones, P. J. (May)

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Kolowrocki, W. (April)

Errata

We regret the following errors in our April issue.

W. M. Crompton who was shown as representing the third generation of his family at the school is actually the great-grandson of an Old Boy and S. R. Taylor is the son of an Old Boy.

DUCES

FORM CAPTAINS

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Club Activities

LEATHERWORK CLUB

This term the members of the club produced a variety of models including comb-holders, pencil cases, 'phone book covers, belts, wallets, brief cases, and bicycle bags.

We were able to display many different and well-made models in the school exhibition.

STAMP CLUB

All members worked very hard and conscientiously in the second term to prepare the stamp display for the School Exhibition which was held on the 14th-15th of August. This year a new method of preparing the display was employed, and in this way all the members really felt that they had personally helped to make the display the wonderful success that it turned out to be. The display itself comprised a number of colourful and interesting "first day covers", and the rest of the board was filled with many varied and multi-coloured large stamps arranged thematically. It is hoped that the third term will be at least as successful as the past two terms have been.

MODEL AEROPLANE CLUB

The Model Aeroplane Club has had a very successful term with satisfying numbers of models being flown each week. This is due to the enforcement of the new rule concerning the bringing of models to school. There is, moreover, a definite keenness among the members and this is gratifying.

Mr. Mac of "Mac's Hobby Shop" has been very kind in visiting us three or four times, inspecting the models and giving valuable advice. We were honoured also by the visit of an experienced stunter, who with his "All American" gave us an excellent display.

Late in the term the exhibition was held and this was quite successful, large numbers of models being displayed.

The members seem to show a definite increase in interest and as a result our hobby periods throughout the term have been very good.

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

During the second term the Photography Club has been very active. At first, we took photographs of the school, but later we visited the Botanical Gardens and Lake Torrens. A visit to the zoo is being planned.

Since the school has obtained a developing and printing outfit we have been able to gain more pleasure processing the photographs that we have taken on our excursions. We also spent two weeks criticizing each others' photographs.

The club's display in the Hobbies Exhibition was quite interesting and was a fair showing of the term's work.

CHESS

The junior chess club started the second term well, with one new member added to their numbers. They are learning quickly and hope to become strong players. The senior club, containing boys who have been playing for some time, also began well with twenty-one members who derive much profit from the Friday games.

Towards the end of the term both clubs were much interested in a visit from Mr. Irving, Australian Junior Champion, who gave us an instructive talk on opening theory. We hope to see him again next term, when he will give us a demonstration of blindfold playing, and will also play several simultaneous games.

The last match of inter-school chess was played in July and our B team finished sixth out of eleven. We hope to do better next year, however, when we shall have more experienced players,

SCIENCE CLUBS

The science and radio clubs have again had a very successful term. In the radio section many boys are making small receivers and amplifiers, whilst some of the senior members are making plans for the erection of a transmitting station.

The science club is continuing to produce new apparatus for the physics laboratory besides improving and maintaining the old stock. A replica of the apparatus used by Sir J. J. Thompson to measure the charge-to-mass ratio of an electron is amongst the recently built equipment. The chemistry section is being kept busy in arranging reagents and apparatus in the chemistry laboratories which were recently improved.

The science clubs this year again took part in the Hobbies Exhibition. The display included spectrometers, discharge tubes, oscilloscopes and induction coils as well as many pieces of apparatus used in the more interesting experiments. Some members contributed scientific models which were made at home and almost every piece of equipment was actually operating on the spot. A number of microscopes were also set up, showing some interesting biological specimens, and these proved very popular. On the final night some liquid air was procured from the University and a demonstration of the more interesting properties of this substance was given.

SENIOR DEBATING CLUB

By almost unanimous voting the following committee was chosen for the second term.

President: R. W. Evans. Vice-President: N. G. Yates. Minute Secretary: J. H. Jackson. Organizing Secretary: J. H. Wicks. Committeeman: D. C. Davies. The standard of speaking has greatly improved this term and we have witnessed several very interesting and closely fought debates. The debate "That Capital Punishment should be abolished" presented many outspoken comments from the members of the house.

Prepared speeches were varied and interesting, but in some cases the quality was lowered by lack of preparation. Impromptu speeches and discussions gave an opportunity for members to show their promise in speaking on the spur of the moment and twice during the term the programme was varied by the introduction of an experts' panel to which the members put their personal problems.

I am sure we can look to the third term with optimism.

JUNIOR DEBATING SOCIETY

The society is progressing satisfactorily. The younger members are gaining confidence and making their presence felt.

In one debate we were convinced that ghosts are real; but we were reluctant to believe it was true, for we trembled at the thought of haunted houses and lanes frequented by evil spirits.

Prepared speeches are usually given in an interesting manner, and all members who have taken part go to considerable trouble to say something worthwhile.

Altogether there is reason for us to be pleased with the progress being made, but a few excitable members have yet to learn to keep themselves under control when the subjects under discussion give rise to differences of opinion.

ENGINEERING

This year, activities in the Engineering Club have been running very smoothly. The club has well over forty members, showing the growing interest in engineering in this school.

During the latter stages of the second term, the club, as usual, had on display in the Hobbies Exhibition various working parts of a motor car. Great interest was shown in this display.

LIBRARY GROUP

This term the library group has been very busy with various jobs under the direction of the new librarian. We have been making leather covers for paper-covered books, processing new books, pasting attractive dust covers to their books, covering books with clear plastic, and, last but not least, repairing. One of our number has been busy doing posters which advertise displays that are held in the library twice a month.

WOODWORK CLUB

A great deal of useful woodworking has been done by the club's members, who have been engaged in making many useful models. Nearly all the members worked towards having their models finished by the end of the term, in time for the exhibition.

The club had a centre stand in the exhibition this year, much interest being shown in it. On display were several small tables, shadow boxes, a gramophone, a model yacht and several smaller items such as fishing-tackle boxes. To finish off the exhibit, wooden veneers were on display and the casting group lent us some of their models. The interest shown in the exhibit was encouraging, despite the attractions of the nearby science exhibit!

The group is an active one and we hope it will continue in this way.

Rural Youth

The club started the year by welcoming twenty-eight new members and these were initiated on the 29th March at a film evening. Mr. Playford from the Department of Agriculture gave the club some hints on meeting programmes and showed films on diseases of livestock.

On 27th June the club went on a tour of Caterpillar's workshops and distribution centre at Enfield, and spent a very enjoyable evening roaming through the vast turning machines and presses. We enjoyed an interesting series of films in the company's theatrette as well as a welcome supper in the canteen.

The most recent meeting was held on the

19th July and consisted of a talk by Mr. Glenn from the Department of Agriculture on the subject of bee-keeping. He provided us with many interesting facts and showed us a film of the professionals at work.

This term the club intends to challenge the M.L.C. Rural Youth Club to two debates, senior and junior, and we hope to make as much a success of it as we did last year.

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This year's officers were Robert Ashby as president, Dick Hurn as vice-president, Roger Kelly as secretary and Roger Brandwood as news reporter.

Rev. R. K. Waters gave the club much help in organization and advice.

House Notes

BAYLY

The first term proved rather unsuccessful for Bayly inter-house sport, but we took first position for schoolwork. We did poorly in the athletics and the standards, coming last in both.

In the eight we were represented by Giles, Denton, Pontifex and Bowen and we had several rowers in the junior crews.

Bayly had bad luck in the senior house football. After comfortably defeating Water-house in the first round, we lost to Cotton in the final and then to School. We filled last position in the junior house football.

We were represented in the Intercollegiate Football by Oaten, who captained the side, Trowse, McArthur and Freburg.

The cross-country run aroused a great deal of interest. We were well represented in the senior section by Cleland and Mooney. Bayly won the two junior cups, the Under 16 being taken by Hilbig and the Under 15 by Jeffrey in record time. Congratulations boys!

Generally the second term has been successful for Bayly. We won the cadet competition, came second in the cross-country and rifle shooting, and third in the senior house football.

The debating, chess, basketball and schoolwork competitions have not yet been decided and we hope to gain valuable points in these. We expect to carry off first places for schoolwork and debating. Congratulations go to Luke who has been Dux of the School for the first two terms.

We are looking forward to an excellent third term and with plenty of enthusiasm could win the House Competition from Cotton.

COTTON

As usual, Cotton is once again well to the fore in the House Cup Competition and hopes are high of achieving a hat-trick of successes. Steady point-scoring in all divisions has marked the Cotton victories in recent years and this is again being maintained in 1958.

Although Peter Hopkins was Captain of Athletics, we did not particularly distinguish ourselves in this sphere and came third both on Sports Day and in Standards. Hopkins, however, dominated all the sprint events in which he participated, creating new records in the Sports Day 220 yards and the Combined Schools Sports 100 yards, in which his 10.2 seconds also equalled the State Junior record, and equalling records in the Intercollegiate 220 yards and the Sports Day 100 yards. Morton also competed ably both on Sports Day and in the Intercollegiate Athletics.

Cotton were able to obtain full points in the House Tennis by winning both senior and junior divisions. We were exceptionally well represented in the winning Intercollegiate Tennis side, filling four of the six places. To these players—Davies (vice-captain), Woollacott, Hopkins and Carlier—we extend our congratulations and especially to Hopkins, whose performances earned him a well-deserved merit badge for gaining full colours in athletics, cricket and tennis.

Whitham was our representative in the Rowing Eight but we had six members in the winning Intercollegiate Football team—Yates, Shaughnessy, Pickering, Morton (five goals), and Moore. These, together with Davies and Hains, were the Cotton representatives on the Wesley trip and are also to be congratulated on their selection and performances. Mainly owing to the efforts of these players, we were able to win the senior house football and were also successful at the junior level.

The rifle shooting once again saw Cotton superior to other houses. Weymouth and Hopkins, this year's A-Company Cadet Commander contributed largely to this result. Lack of interest caused Cotton to come last in the cross-country run and there were even relatively few good personal efforts. A good result was once more attained in schoolwork for the first term and we filled second position.

In conclusion we thank Mr. Duff and Mr. Mutton for the continued interest which they have shown in the house.

WATERHOUSE

First Term 1958

The house got away to a good start in the term by coming second and third in the senior and junior tennis respectively. Phillips (captain of tennis) and Kerr (reserve) were the only Waterhouse boys in the team, but Walter and Watts were unfortunate because of injuries. In the school sports Waterhouse did very well, although we came last in the house march. We finished second on the day behind a very strong contingent from School. Causby and Watts, both under 16, did very well, and gained many points for the house. Others to do well were Daebeler and Skinner (under 15), while Stain held the fort in the under 14 events. The under 13 lads put up a very good show to complete a most successful day. Thanks to Mr. Woollard, Mr. Coombes and Mr. Glancey for their help in the marching! We also finished second in athletics standards, in which all who tried are to be thanked for their efforts. In the Intercollegiate Athletics Causby, Watts and Daebeler were Waterhouse's main representatives, while Skinner and Phillips did well.

For schoolwork this term we finished third. This position will have to improve next term if we are to do anything this year.

Second Term 1958

The first inter-house contest this term was the house football and, although we finished last, our young side did very well, and should have gained valuable experience. This was borne out by a good effort of the juniors to finish second to a strong Cotton side.

Congratulations to Causby, Phillips, Watts and Dunn (19th) on being included in the Intercollegiate Football team.

In the annual cross-country events, Water-house did well in the senior division, but disappointed in the Under 16 and Under 15 events. With the number of boys in the house, the results should have been much better. Phillips won the senior race in record time, while Skinner was near the front in the Under 15. It was pleasing to see some Under 14 boys trying the Under 15 course, and these should do well next year.

In the competitions outside sport, Waterhouse was successful in the chess matches, but came last in the rifle shooting. The chess was very close, and we offer congratulations to our team.

Thus the second term has been quite successful, although not as good as the first. With a bigger effort from the boys in the middle of the school, the house should do very well next term, and we could still give Cotton a fright in the contest for the House Cup!

SCHOOL

COMMITTEE

Messrs. N. E. Peard, G. F. Connell, J. Mills, A. Lockyer, P. Jenkin (Masters-in-Charge), R. F. Bartholomaeus (Head of the House), W. F. Tonkin, R. J. Ashby, R. Barrows, R. Brandwood, A. Brown, J. L. Brown, G. L. M. Combe, R. L. Farrow, J. W. Staker, R. W. Hurn, R. J. Humphris

At the end of the second term we were sorry to see Bill Tonkin leave the house. His personality and sporting ability will be a great loss to the house.

As usual schoolwork has been our downfall in the House Competition. There is no excuse for us always occupying the bottom position. The members of the committe all feel that a more determined effort on the part of those who get below fifty per cent. would easily lift us from the bottom position.

With our usual high attendance at standards, we finished well ahead of the other houses and started well in the house competition. We were also victorious on Sports Day, Bob Berkin winning the Senior Cup. Our congratulations also go to all the other members of School who won events.

During this term the senior boarders have had a busy social life and have attended many dances, including two dancing classes at M.L.C.

As usual the senior party was most successful and we should like to thank Mr. Jenkin who acted as M.C. and who also coached the prefects in their item, and Mrs. Hosking and Sister who spent much of their valuable time helping us prepare for the party. Our congratulations also go to the decorators who did a marvellous job.

In the eight we were represented by R. F. Bartholomaeus who was also Captain of Boats, and there were several School House rowers in the junior crews.

We congratulate Bill Tonkin (vice-captain), Combe, Hurn, Ashby, Hannaford and Duffield on their inclusion in the first eighteen. Tonkin is to be congratulated on his fine game which won him the Norman Dowie Cup. Although we had this solid nucleus in the house team, we were beaten by Cotton and gained a second place only. In the junior house football we came third.

The final competition for the term was the cross-country run which resulted in a fairly easy win for us.

During the second term a senior and junior table tennis tournament was held. Our congratulations go to Chapman and Farrow who won the junior and senior sections respectively.

During the last holidays the Wing was renovated and repainted and we are all very pleased with the results.

We were narrowly beaten in the first round of the house debate by a much more experienced Waterhouse side. We extend our congratulations to Brandwood, Edelman and Kelly who have been regular members of the school debating society. We hope to do better in the second round next term.

The house tennis resulted in an utter thrashing for School and we had to be content with fourth place. With a few good juniors coming on well we hope that we shall win the house tennis next year.

At present we are third in the house competition and, with the rowing and cricket next term, we feel that we shall improve our position.

Debating Society

What a forlorn appearance the society had at the commencement of the debating term! At that stage it seemed certain that Princes would be scratching to offer any opposition to other schools. Thanks to a general increase in interest, however, we have enjoyed a successful term of debating.

At a meeting prior to our first evening's activities, the following were elected to office:—

President: A. C. W. Mitchell Vice-President: P. H. Woodruff Secretary: H. D. M. Combe

Committee-men: R. A. Geddes, K. H. Badenoch.

In a do-or-die effort to arouse interest in the society, several prominent members of the Sixth and Upper Sixth forms were "pressganged" into opening a series of pre-selected topics for discussion amongst the house. From this discussion, Mr. Evans emerged a likely future M.P. with his ideas concerning how the Council could reap a profit from people's parking problems, both day and night, by placing parking-meters on Windy Point.

Our next meeting took the form of two trial debates, to enable us to choose our best teams to meet Walford C.E.G.G.S. in our first Inter-School debate. In the first of these our juniors faced a team of VIA boys, and took the pro. side of the subject: "That there is too much emphasis placed on scientific education in schools", and we were thrilled with their effort in coming very close to beating the much older boys of the con. side. From the seniors who debated the subject: "That it is better to be a Jack-of-all-Trades than a Bachelor of Arts", a team consisting wholly of Leaving boys was chosen to represent us against Walford.

At last the time arrived for the Walford debate, and it was with enthusiasm and with fear that a party of some forty boys stormed the attractive Walford girls. Our fears of a 2-0 defeat at their hands, such as we suffered at our last meeting, were further increased when our juniors, saying: "That it is better to be a giraffe with a sore neck than a centipede with corns", overcome by the poise, vivacity and lastly the eloquence of the Walford girls, were convincingly beaten. It can be imagined what a thrill we felt when our seniors, Messrs. Combe, Geddes and Badenoch, teaming well, defeated the very strong Walford team, while showing the house that "A young man married is not a young man marred". An excellent supper concluded an excellent evening for all, the score being 1-1.

Prior to the many debating activities of Exhibition Week, we held two more debates amongst ourselves. We were now noticeably

perceiving our ranks swelling, and feeling ourselves to have real talent after our triumph over the girls. The subjects were: "That the teaching of Latin in schools is useless", and "That it is better to be an optimist than a pessimist".

Exhibition Week now came upon us, and it was necessary for us to provide entertainment for both nights. Thursday night saw the first round of the house debating in which Bayly soundly beat Cotton who spoke on the conside of the subject: "That U.S.A. is falling at last. Thank goodness". School, who have occupied bottom place in inter-house debating for many years, pressed the far more experienced Waterhouse team who said that: "These are better times". We should like to thank Mr. Mills and Mr. Dennis who kindly adjudicated the two debates. The final between Bayly and Waterhouse promises to be a very interesting one.

Friday of Exhibition Week saw us swamped with what seemed like hundreds of M.L.C. girls, but there were many new faces amongst the boys who had come to support their teams and the Boarders' Library seemed like the M. C. G. on grand-final day.

Congratulations to our junior team who improved vastly on their showing at Walford. Messrs. Jeffrey, Simmons and Morris won, speaking against the motion "That all the world loves a lover." Our senior team consisting of Messrs. Combe, Mitchell and Evans, felt confident that they had convinced the house that "The power of the tongue is not mightier than the power of the pen", and thus had tucked another scalp under their belts. Nevertheless they failed to impress the adjudicator, and were rather shocked as well as disappointed when they learnt that they had been defeated. We must here offer our sincere thanks to Mr. Glenn Gibbs, an old scholar, who so kindly adjudicated these debates.

With the experience our young senior team has gained from these debates, and with the improvement shown by our juniors, we hope that we can crack the double in our annual competition against Saint Peter's College to be held early in the third term.

Once again we must offer our thanks to Mr. Dennis for the constant advice and valuable time which he gives to the society.

With three of our best speakers returning to school next year, we hope to have one of our most successful years ever.

Third Term

Bayly won the inter-house debating competition with a recent win over Waterhouse, in what Mr. Dennis, who adjudicated termed: "The most unusual debate" that he had ever

witnessed. Although the subject was: "That girls aren't what they used to be", neither side had more than one speaker keeping strictly to the subject, and, although this was most unorthodox, it led to one of the most enjoyable debates that we have witnessed this year.

In the other debate, School, speaking con. beat Cotton for third placing, on the subject, "That Ignorance is Bliss".

The P.A.C. senior team confounded expectations, when just prior to the "Chronicle" going to press, they defeated the older, more experienced and highly-favoured S.P.S.C. team for the Inter-Collegiate competition.

Our team of Geddes, Combe, and Evans, put forward a very neatly interlocked argument for the con. side of the debate, "That a barbarian is happier than a civilized man", and it was this that the opposition could not break through.

Our juniors also did well in saying that "Safety first is not a bad motto for life", but, because of skilful reply by the Saints leader, the debate was declared a win to the S.P.S.C. boys.

Many thanks go to Mr. John Jenkin, himself an excellent debater, for his fine adjudication and very constructive criticism.

Prefects' Palaver

The time has come once again to extol the virtues of the stalwarts of P.A.C. Since the last edition many items of interest have arisen. Some, of course, are not for publication, but others we shall here report.

The big sporting activities which have taken place since last edition include the Intercollegiate Athletics, Combined Schools Athletics, and Intercollegiate Football. We were successful very easily in all three, no doubt due to the influence of the prefects. Peter Hopkins, who captained the athletics team, ran brilliantly to win the 100 and 220 yards in both competitions. He was well supported by several others who gained points with well-earned places.

At the beginning of football season, David Oaten was appointed captain of football and Bill Tonkin vice-captain. Others who played in the Intercoll. were "Piggy" Shaughnessy, "Woof" Phillips, Glen McArthur and "Shorty" Craig, while Peter Woodruff played a few matches in the First XVIII. Pete Hopkins did an excellent job as boundary umpire and trainers don't come much better than Mick. We were unfortunate to lose Rob. Moyse early in the season with knee trouble.

At the end of the second term we were sorry to see Bill Tonkin depart from our ranks. Bill played many fine games of football for us and we have the Tennyson Cup in the Assembly Hall to remind us of his effort on 26th July.

On the scholastic side of things, we find Col. Luke heads the list with a rather small percentage of approximately 91-466666. Solid work! A really fine effort! He was closely followed by Mick Story and several others who also gained certificates. Keep that work up boys, and you might pass the Leaving Honours examination!

The school concert ended on a bright note with "H.M.S. Pinafore". Stars in this were Glen Mac. as the Captain and Mick as Sir Joseph, the admiral. The school play, which is to be held early in October has "Woof" Phillips, Malc. Elliott and Mick Story all starring.

The annual Parker Hike for scouts is to be held shortly and no doubt Bart, and Peter Whitham will be striding out in front.

The Wesley trip was a great success and enjoyed by everyone. Nine prefects went to Melbourne but they had so much trouble in keeping themselves in order that they did not have time for much else. At the dance on Saturday night, however, Hopkins and Phillips found time to sing "P.A.C. Rock" to a very amused audience. Since then it is a wonder these boys haven't had radio and T.V. offers from everywhere!

This year the Cadet Unit is functioning very efficiently, no doubt due to the ability of our under officers—Hopkins, Woodruff and "Diz" Evans who also scored very well in the recent house shooting competition.

And so once again, you can see that the prefects have shone out in all the main school activities so far held and promise to do well in what is to come!

The Revenge of the "Rosary"

[Winning entry in the Kenneth Hurley Memorial Prize Competition.] by H. D. M. Combe

The judge's words still ring in my ears, but I do not believe them! I cannot and will not believe that I am insane. If that were true, should I have proceeded as I did? And should I be worrying now about that fool's statement?

I regret that I am not so informed in such matters as to know whether a crazy man is aware of his craziness.

Crazy! I? Why? Because I killed a man? Under the circumstances in which I committed the crime, anybody, crazy or not, would have acted just as I did.

Surely then it is risky to affirm that I am insane, for, although I have my idiosyncrasies, I think that statement was a gross exaggeration. Besides—and this is a fact no one can deny—everything contributed to the performance of the crime.

Of the two of us I was the less guilty. Why did the man start boasting about having money, advertising the fact, and putting on airs about it? Why did he pat his breast and say that he was carrying a small fortune in his pocket?

Apart from the fact that it was dark, so that he had been afraid to go on foot to the next village, which was, so he said, his home town, he ought to have noticed my build, more than big enough to crush him, and the fact that at that time of the night there was no one in my little hotel except the two of us.

He was stupid—and unlucky. He was stupid to drink so much. And my claim that he was simply unlucky is proved by the fact that his train was late. Were that not so, he would have had time to catch the last bus—and would probably be alive and happy today. And it was certainly no fault of mine that he gulped down two bottles of wine while he was eating the wretched dish of ham and eggs that I fixed for him.

The idea of killing him came to me at the moment when he threw himself still dressed on the bed. How is it possible that a man who said he had a small fortune in his pockets could entrust himself like that to the first hotel he came to? You can clearly see that it was fate that pointed its finger at that money and said to me, "There it is! It's yours! You're dumb if you don't take it . . ."

I thought at first that somebody might have seen him come in, but how foolish of me! Who would be going around on a night like that, windy and dark, at two o'clock in the morning? Twice I got as far as the entrance to the room. He hadn't bothered to shut the door, but both times I went back, not having the courage to go ahead. On the third attempt I

looked at his face. He had his head thrown back and he was snoring. A bulge on his chest, where THE pocket was, right where he had told me a few moments before that he had his money, seemed to be illuminated with a metallic gleam, as if the gold had come out of his pocket book and was dancing right there on his coat, with diabolical twists and turns, a gilded waltz.

I was dazzled, almost blinded and I approached on tiptoe, craning my neck. My temples were throbbing and the perspiration streamed down my neck and face. I stopped by the bedside after picking up the pillow which had fallen on the floor when the drunken fellow threw himself on to the bed; I covered the man's face with it. He quivered and tried to get up, but I only bore down harder, and threw myself on to the bed to hold him down with the weight of my body. For a few minutes I felt him tremble with convulsions, which little by little became weaker.

Some time had passed before I took the pillow away. I did this slowly, hoping to see the other man get up, and throw himself at me in a natural reaction against my aggression. Since he didn't move, I took a good look at him. A rictus of pain was stamped on his wrinkled, yellowish face. He was dead!

It is a very strange thing—I felt neither sorry nor afraid. I unbuttoned his coat and took out the notecase, which was in fact full, but I did not bother to count the money. I emptied the dead man's pockets—those eyes observed my progress with a frighteningly fixed and glassy stare.

Nothing of importance rewarded my quest, and nothing unusual had found its way into his pockets, save those dirty white balls, which at the time, as he had professed to be of the Roman Catholic faith, I took to be beads of a broken rosary—broken possibly during our struggle. These, together with his other personal effects, which consisted chiefly of a notebook that confirmed what he had told me of his Bradford interests, a gold propelling pencil, a piece of string and a roll of "Durex", I returned to his pockets.

Perhaps here I ought to tell about my way of life. I keep one of those small hotel-houses so frequent in the villages which dot the Surrey countryside. As a means of saving money, I have, behind the house, a little garden where I can grow such vegetables as are needed for my meals. It so happened that, during the day on which that stranger met his death at my little hotel, I had dug a hole in my little vegetable garden, in order to fill some bags

with rich earth to fertilize some vegetable patches.

After taking hold of the body, which proved to be light, and overcoming the repugnance which the corpse caused me, I carried it on my back down to this manure pile at the end of my garden. Then tenderly, I put the body in the hole and levelled over the ground. It was for a long time that I stood there admiring the job, amazed by the ease with which a crime is executed. I had read in "Agatha Christies" about the "perfect crime". Was not what I had just done technically one of the most perfect?

Then I went back to the room and made up the bed. I removed the last traces of the man's stay at my place and opened the suitcase he had with him. It didn't have much in it, just some used clothing and a number of packages containing seeds. One of these was broken, and he had wrapped it up in a piece of newspaper. I looked at the coloured pictures on the outside of the packages and wondered a little about the flowers that were illustrated. They seemed ugly and ungraceful—just a few yellow petals on the end of a long leafless stem. I did read the name printed at the bottom of the package, but I only remember it was some funny long name which meant nothing to me.

"The man must be a flower cultivator", I thought at the time and closed the suitcase without further interest in the matter. As the night was still cold and windy, I put on my overcoat and went out carrying the suitcase. It was not far to the river, and I pitched the suitcase into it. When it hit the water no noise could be heard as it floated down-stream for a while before sinking.

The next morning I counted the money, of which there wasn't much—barely enough to buy a larger house on the other side of the hill

The days went by without anything happening to cloud the happiness of my life, until one afterneon I was called on by a man with a grim look, who introduced himself as a Scotland Yard detective, and showed me a photograph, asking me whether or not I had seen the face pictured in it. I am absolutely positive that I did not change colour, that my heart did not alter its beating, nor a muscle in my face tremble, when in a firm voice I said that I had not. Whilst he looked all over the place, including the garden, we talked, and he seemed to believe everything that I said.

From that time on, a kind of vague fear began to work in my mind which caused me never again to go into the garden and—I don't know why—I nailed up the gate. Two months passed before one afternoon some customers who were drinking and talking on the balcony told me that a suitcase had been found on the river bottom with some clothes in it. I remained indifferent and the conversation died out without further comment,

But on the following day I had another visit from that Scotland Yard man. His eyes were even sterner than they had been on that previous occasion, and his words were rather blunt. At first he didn't ask me any questions, as silently he inspected the whole house, and it was only after he had taken out of his pocket some small packages, in whose yellowish and almost rotted paper I recognized the packets of seeds, that he asked me if I had any idea what was wrapped up in that piece of newspaper. I swallowed dry, and pulled out of myself a slow "No" which must have sounded more like a "Yes".

The man kept his eyes fixed on me—in the way which I have since learnt to be common amongst members of the British Police Force—for a few moments, and then continued his search until he stopped in front of the garden gate which I had nailed up on the day after his first visit. He stood there for several minutes and then asked me for a hammer with which he began to pull out the nails, which were already rusty.

We went into the garden where the grass had run wild, for it was already tall, having invaded the vegetable plots, which I hadn't bothered with any more, buying my vegetables instead.

The detective took the whole ground in with his eyes, and saw—I am sure he saw it much sooner that I did—the manure pile all covered with flowers. He made me go on ahead of him, and he took out of his pocket the little packets of seeds still wrapped up in the piece of newspaper. There was no doubt about it—the flowers that had grown in the manure were exactly like those pictured on the packets. Their ridiculously tall, leafless stems ended in yellow petals.

The rest was quick, for I did not even have the courage to refuse to start digging. While I was uncovering the decomposed body of my victim, I was considering his diabolical revenge. He had fertilized right in his grave the seeds from the package that had come open in his pocket and which I thought were beads from his broken rosary.

I cannot be crazy!

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Scout Notes

The past terms have been active ones, and good scouting has been carried out in each section of the group. We welcome Mr. M. N. Gray as a scouter. Although he has had no previous experience in the scout movement he has entered fully into our scouting and the Sea Scouts have benefited greatly.

The "Bobs for Jobs" appeal this year brought in a record sum. We congratulate those patrols who won pennants and those boys who earned their Eager Beaver badges. Unfortunately our regular source of income from work during the September holidays has ceased, and we were left with nothing planned for these holidays and no money.

At the School Exhibition at the end of the second term, the scout display featured a large model bridge by the Firsts, the Y.W. Cadet "Little Sport" by the Seconds and a tent and rucksack made by a member of the Thirds. Those who helped plan this exhibition are to be congratulated on their efforts.

We congratulate J. L. Williams and G. P. Brown on being awarded their Queen's Scout badge, and J. O. Willoughby, M. D. Linn and O. P. Hilbig on winning their Scout Cord.

The Scouts Parents Association has continued to be very active in its work for the group. Much work has been done in the plans for the development of the camp site at Aldgate, and help has been given with the Scout Badge Day and at the Burnside Ballroom. A most successful annual meeting was held in June and Mr. G. H. P. Jeffrey was elected Chairman, and Mr. L. E. Goldsmith as Secretary. The scout group owes a great deal to the efforts of the strong parents association, and particularly to the work done by Mr. R. L. Whitham, the retiring Chairman, and to Mr. Jeffery who had been Secretary since the association was refounded.

The B.-P. Guild of Old Scouts has taken over the running of the Parker Hike for 1958. They devoted a great deal of time, effort and imagination to the planning of the hike, and their work was rewarded by an excellent hike with a record field. The theme of the hike was the I.G.Y. and included the arrival of a flying saucer, the launching of rocketrons and a secret radio station. The hike was won by R. M. Adamson and P. G. Chapman.

1st P.A.C. TROOP

The first term this year was most successful and enjoyable for everyone. Easter camp was held at Kuitpo Forest, and we were indeed lucky to have cold showers and a safe place for cooking during the very hot days. The standard of camping was high and many tests were passed.

The second term will be remembered for its varied and interesting troop meetings and its most successful patrol camps at the shack at

Mylor. "Bobs for Jobs" this term has given rise to new tables in all the patrol rooms after a wonderful effort by the troop in this respect.

Much has been due to the capable leadership of our Scoutmaster, Mr. Lockyer. We thank him, the scouters and seniors who have helped at our troop meetings and patrol camps.

2nd P.A.C. SEA SCOUTS

As usual we have had a very full sailing programme. With our Y.W. cadet in commission, many of the younger lads have been able to gain valuable instruction from their P.L. skippers. In addition there have been regular trips out on "Southern Myth" and once again we must thank Mr. Norm Howard for his outstanding interest and help.

During the May holidays the S.P.S.C. and P.A.C. Sea Scouts held a combined camp at Goolwa; with nine boats available it was possible to have more than half those in camp sailing at a time. Although our camping standards were lower than expected, we learned much of boating and sailing. We should like to thank everyone who helped to make this camp a success and especially Mr. Harry, who kindly allowed us to camp on his property.

At the beginning of the second term we were very pleased to learn that Mr. M. Gray was taking out a warrant as a Sea Scoutmaster, and we have already gained much from his interest and knowledge of sailing. Meetings on Wednesday mornings have alternated between troop meetings and patrol stunts. At troop meetings a series of talks has been given on seamanship and the Helmsman's Badge. This work was rounded off by an examination at the end of term.

The P.L.s have been very fortunate to go on two cruises on "Southern Myth"; the first to Kangaroo Island and the second to Port Vincent. They have learnt the meaning of the senior scout motto, "Look Wide".

3rd P.A.C. SENIOR SCOUTS

The seniors have had several successful excursions. In the May holidays a party of eight hiked for a week from Melrose to Mambray Creek, while a smaller party spent a long week-end in the Onkaparinga Gorge. The Mitchell Patrol and the Burke and Wills Patrol have run week-end patrol hikes and it is pleasing to see that the P.L.s are keen to run these hikes for their patrols.

In addition there was a most successful hike including parts of the Venturer's Badge, which will be good training for the Parker Hike.

The troop meetings have been run with an emphasis on Public Service Badges, but we have been disappointed with the results. We look forward to the development of the Bill Taylor Memorial Campsite, and the opportunities it will provide for pioneering and woodcraft.

New Zealand Tour

The morning of Friday, 22nd August saw fifteen boys and two masters from the school flying to Sydney on the first stage of a trip to Aotearoa, "The Land of the Long White Cloud", or New Zealand. At 9.50 p.m. we landed at the airport on the outskirts of Auckland where we met the bus-driver, Mr. J. Barry, who was to accompany us on our tour of the islands.

The following day, after touring Auckland and surrounding districts in the morning, we made for the Waitakere Ranges on the southern border of the city. But unfortunately it rained; so we were robbed of any chance of viewing some of the magnificent scenery which our driver assured us could be appreciated to the fullest extent on a fine day.

During the remainder of the week we passed through famous "Thermal Area", stopping at Waitomo, Rotorua, Taupo and Tokaanu. At Rotorua we were shown through Whakarewarewa---Whaka, for short---by Rangi the chief guide, who engaged in quite a lively conversation with Mr. Potts, while we looked on and listened. Possibly the most interesting part of the week was the hour or so spent at the Wairakei Geothermal Power Station. Here we saw how the Government is making an effort to harness the vast quantity of steam-power at their disposal in order to provide the country, particularly the North Island, with muchneeded electricity. An unfortunate consequence of this development is that the Wairakei Geyser Valley nearby has lost much of its former splendour, probably because of the vastly reduced steam-pressure.

On Friday, a week after our arrival in these islands of unparalleled splendour, we reached Wellington, "the windy city". The following day we visited Parliament House where we had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Moohan, the Minister for Railways.

That night we boarded the inter-island steamer "Rangatira" bound for Christchurch, the second largest city in New Zealand. The next day we toured the city and then made for "The Hermitage", Mt. Cook, to try our hand at ski-ing and "she-ing" if possible. For two days we stayed in this paradise but then we had to push on to Queenstown, regarded by many as the most beautiful spot in New Zealand, and with this opinion we could not disagree. It was here, too, that we met a group of girls from Wellington whom we had previously seen on the steamer. For more details of our brief stay in this town one should see "Bart".

And so on to Te Anau, the beginning of the Milford Track, situated on Lake Te Anau and possessing such a small population that only five girls turned up to the local dance-and they were in their twenties.

Dunedin seemed to be covered in a haze as we entered. It was somewhat the same when we left but nonetheless our stay in this city was one of the highlights of the tour. The Sunday morning service at the Central Methodist Mission was one that we shall always remember.

The day came, however, when we had to return home and on Tuesday, 8th September, we embarked on the T.E.A.L. 'plane for Sydney. The following day we arrived home.

On behalf of all the boys I should like to thank Mr. Peard and Mr. Potts for organizing and running the tour so well. They were always willing to be of help to any of us.
All in all it was a "Mighty" tour.

G. M. J.

The Alice Springs Trip

The Methodist Youth Department made available an opportunity for twelve senior boys to go as a work party to Alice Springs during the vacation at the end of second term. We were to paint Griffiths House, the hostel in the town for outback children attending Alice Springs schools. When our train bookings were arranged first class seats only were available, and we wish to thank the School for meeting the difference between the first and second class fares.

Four days were spent on painting, and we are pleased to say that we accomplished twice the amount of work which the mission hoped we would do.

We were impressed with the town and par-

ticularly the Flynn Memorial Church at which the party attended services on the Sunday. Two most enjoyable days were spent in the outback viewing such beauty spots as Palm Valley and Stanley Chasm. The Hermannsburg Mission was also visited. On our last day in Alice Springs we were shown the Flying Doctor base, and the home of Rex Batterbee, who taught Albert Namatjira the rudiments of painting.

Although much of our time was occupied in painting, we enjoyed ourselves considerably, and we should like to thank most sincerely the Rev. Malcolm McArthur who was in charge of the party and who helped greatly in making this trip successful.

Library Notes

MEMORIAL LIBRARY

The re-organization of the Memorial Library is now complete, although few new books have been added to the stock during second term. While some of the senior boys are using the resources of this library in providing more general reading for their particular subject interests, too few realize the opportunities offered and many fail to use the library as a place for serious study.

At the end of the second term the committee checked the stock, and thanks are due to those who have been responsible for this, and also for maintaining quietness in the library.

WARD LIBRARY

At the end of the second term the stock in the Ward Library numbered slightly over 3,000 volumes, consisting of approximately 1,250 works of fiction, 1,600 non-fiction and 150 reference.

About 200 new works were added during this term, the most important being the new

ten-volume "Australian Encyclopaedia." This fine publication will fill a long-felt need in reference literature of Australia.

Several new magazine subscriptions have commenced to arrive and these are read with great interest. The proceeds of a sale of outdated magazines will enable a new subscription to be opened.

Loans for second term showed an increase in the proportion of non-fiction borrowed—850 non-fiction and 820 fiction. It is still true that most books are borrowed by boys from the lower forms and it is unfortunate that few boys in the Public Examination forms have time for wider reading.

The library is, however, used extensively, especially at lunch times, when there are quite often many boys unable to find a vacant seat, although the seating capacity is almost seventy.

Thanks are due to the boys who assist in the routine tasks which are essential in maintaining the services of the library.

J. E. G.

Service Week

Once again this year, some of the senior boys of the school gave up the first week of the second term vacation to this worthy cause. The number of volunteers was fewer than the jobs that could have been performed, but some very useful work was done at Resthaven Home, Burnside, and especially in the Bowden and Brompton districts. The plight of some of the old-age and invalid pensioners in the latter districts in pitiful indeed, and anything that can be done to alleviate their lot is very much appreciated. The gratitude of some of these people was embarassing at times, and every boy who participated in the service scheme this year was tremendously impressed by the great need that exists for help.

Service Week is an annual feature of our school year, and Mr. Leak, who does the arranging of the groups, is hoping that the idea will continue to grow, and that very much more may be done in the future to assist those who are living under very much less favourable conditions than boys who attend schools like ours. The benefit of the scheme is double-edged; not only do we assist the needy, but out of our efforts we derive a more sincere appreciation of our own home and family life.

It is to be hoped that many of our boys will want to join the scheme next year, and do what they can to assist. Anyone who would like to have further particulars of the scheme should contact Mr. Leak; your offer to help will be gladly accepted.



RELAXATION

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The School Play

This year J. B. Priestley's "When We Are Married" was chosen to be performed in the Norwood Town Hall on 9th and 10th October.

Casting aside time and any other theories, Mr. Priestley, in this play, sets out to entertain with a simple and light-hearted theatrical jest.

Three couples—the Helliwells, the Parkers and the Soppitts—were married on the same day and by the same parson, and they have now gathered at the Helliwell home to celebrate their silver wedding. The husbands are monuments of rectitude and pillars of Lane End Chapel and great is their consternation on discovering that, owing to a technical flaw, their twenty-five-year-old marriages are illegal and that they have not been properly married at all. The news must be kept from their wives at all costs and the bringer of the tidings is sworn to secrecy. But unfortunately the charlady, embittered and under notice, has overheard everything, and acquaints the three ladies with their sad plight in no uncertain words.

The main delight comes in watching the varied reactions of the three couples on learning that they are no longer legally tied together.

It would be difficult to single out any one particular member of the cast, but John Slatter as Alderman Helliwell and Malcolm Elliott as his wife were outstanding. Kenneth Badenoch in the role of Annie Parker was excellent in the love scene with Herbert Soppitt, played by Wayne Phillips, Robert Jeffrey was very good as a cantankerous Mrs. Soppitt and Geoffrey Shepherd was most aptly suited to the part of Councillor Albert Parker. Mrs. Northrop (Michael Story) and Ruby Birtle (Robert Makin) acted splendidly and with a drunken photographer, Henry Ormonroyd, played by Lindsay Cole, brought many a laugh from the audience. And last, but by no means least, Brian Fotheringham, as the meek and mild Rev. Clement Mercer, Glen Turner as Gerald Forbes who wooed the shy Nancy Holmes, played by David Smyth, were really very good and acquitted themselves well.

The play was generally voted a great success—in fact the best so far.

Once again Mr. H. E. Coombes and his players are to be congratulated on a very fine performance.

The School Concert

This year's concert was a great success and contained the usual variety of items which is always a tribute to the imagination of the organizers. The choir, under Mr. May, opened the concert with two hymns, and the Jarman twins followed with the piano duet, "Qui Vive". This was followed by Mr. Glancey's production "Queer Street", and the applause which this received repaid all the effort which had gone into it.

Once again we were entertained by a pianoforte solo; this time R. J. Jeffrey played a Polish dance, the name of which cannot be pronounced and so need not be included. Mr. J. M. Mills produced the next play, "A Glimpse of Reality". This play portrayed well the sufferings of a school-boy and the acting was so good that certain classes at P.A.C. were brought vividly to mind.

One of the highlights of the night was the "Bunk-house Boys" and the audience was in

fits (of laughter) for the whole performance. D. J. Motteram then obliged with a piano solo, "Valse De Concert" and this was followed by a novelty item produced by Mr. W. L. Davies. In this item the conversation consisted mainly of alphabet letters and the tricky acting was managed surprisingly well.

The "Bunk-house Boys" returned once more and after this the school band performed. The band is worth a special mention here because of the work which went into its presentation. After a pianoforte solo, the Gilbert and Sullivan "H.M.S. Pinafore" was presented by the choir. The colossal success with which it met was a tribute to Mr. R. G. May our music-master, who put so much time and energy into it. Lastly our thanks are due to the stage manager Mr. M. N. Gray and his stage hands, to the business manager, Mr. J. S. Steele and to those who so kindly assisted with the make-up and dressing of those taking part.

The Cadets

A record number of cadets entered the training camp at Warradale in May to enjoy the most successful camp in the memory of the boys. Although adverse conditions arose early in the camp, they were dealt with, and even bad weather did not upset the efficiency of the unit as a body. An attempt to reinstate the previously abandoned Sergeants' Mess was made, and largely through the efforts of W.O.2 Koch, it functioned admirably, and the lot of the sergeants was greatly improved. For the first time at one of our camps, all N.C.O.s fired the Owen at the range. The field days were held at Chandler's Hill, and large variety of training gave all concerned most instructive and interesting days. A tent competition for the best tent in camp was held, and we extend congratulations to the winning tent led by Cpl. Mooney.

The organization of range practices by the C.O. for Saturday mornings has led to increased interest being shown in that phase of cadets. Results showed a marked improvement in the standard of shooting at the school, while thirty-five have gained 80 or more out of 100, 99 being gained by both Weymouth and Hall, and an excellent 98 by U/O Hopkins. Weymouth, it may be mentioned, has fired five times, and gained over 90 in every shoot.

Increased interest has been noted in cadets since the House Shield is once more contested

for. Fine efforts from Bayly House members have gained them top points and the shield for this year. In second position were School House who put up a splendid fight.

A cup, awarded to the most efficient platoon for the year has also been introduced. There is keen rivalry between the respective companies, 5 Platoon B Coy. and 3 Platoon A Coy. occupying the first two positions.

For the first time for many years a bivouac for all N.C.O.s was held at Adare House, early in the third term. The main object of the bivouac was to bring to a climax the year's training in which all N.C.O.s have proved hard-working and efficient, and to give them a little advanced training. After the manner of survivors from an aircraft they made plans of the area, and marked in all points of importance on the map, whilst at the same time they were on the lookout for enemy patrols.

After the splendid success of this scheme the year was brought to a close with the Ceremonial Parade which was inspected by the C.O. of Central Command, bringing a successful termination to probably the greatest year for the P.A.C. Cadet Unit since it began. It has built up to a strength of over 260, the biggest unit in South Australia, and has improved in all aspects of cadet life.

D. G. M.

Cadet Bivouac

The week-end started at 4.10 p.m. on Friday, 19th September, as fifty-four cadets from P.A.C. climbed into two buses to start the two-hour trip to Adare House, Victor Harbor. We did not know what to expect, but we knew we were in for a good time. It must be admitted that those in the "Bull's" bus had a slightly warped sense of humour, but at least we gave the driver a thrill. We arrived at Adare at six, and immediately sat down to a fine meal. This was characteristic of the whole week-end; the food was first class.

After tea we were given a lecture on how to use a compass and map. After that we were free until lights out at 10.30. Next morning (Saturday) we were out at the training area at 8.45. We then split up into six syndicates and set out on a pre-selected course into the scrub. Everything went well in the morning and, although it rained on Saturday afternoon, the exercise went on, and everyone had a good time.

After a riotous beginning to Saturday evening, we settled down for one and a half hours to listen to a very interesting lecture on parachute jumping by Sergeant Innis. Perhaps U/O Hopkins will make a parachutist some day.

Owing to rain, exercises were cancelled for the evening, and we settled for pillow fights and yarns in bed. It certainly was bad luck about Graham Evans's sleeping bag. Sunday morning started with a church service at Adare chapel. This is a new church of contemporary design, and one cannot help being impressed by it. After church we went on a three-mile time trial—it was three miles even if U/O Oliver's syndicate did choose to do six miles in one hour forty-five minutes. U/O Gogler's syndicate did this in fifty-one minutes: a good effort.

The bivouac ended with U/O Woodruff's syndicate winning with sixty-four points—congratulations to Moses and his fellows.

There were no casualties for the week-end, but the river was rather cold. In closing we should like to thank Captain Woollard for arranging the bivouac and the trustees of Adare for letting us hold it there. Everyone will agree that all had a wonderful time.

Football

INTERCOLLEGIATE MATCH

The Intercoll. was played in typically wet Intercoll. football weather. Adelaide Oval was a morass in the middle, and holding in the wet remainder, Princes were expecting to win by a small margin, as their form had been improving steadily throughout the season. The team was:—

Forwards:

Hannaford Morton Trowse

Half-forwards:

Phillips Hurn Watts

Centres:

Moore Causby Pickering

Half-backs:

Duffield Tonkin Shaughnessy

Backs:

Yates McArthur Ashby

First ruck: Craig, Combe, Oaten

19th Dunn, 20th Freburg, 21st Candy

Saints won the toss and chose to kick to the Cathedral end. Although they won the first knock too, Princes showed remarkable speed early in the quarter and left Saints yards behind. Whereas it was quite obvious that Saints were playing in mud, the Reds looked as though they were playing on firm grass. Morton opened the scoring with a point and two kicks later added another. The ball rarely passed the centre-line and Princes were playing excellent football considering the conditions. Both wings were open, and Phillips and Watts were safe on the flanks. Causby was marking safely at centre, and Oaten was picking up plenty of "crumbs".

Hannaford took a good mark and scored the first goal for Princes. Soon after, at a throw-in by the behind post, Craig took the ball and snapped it through for another. Oaten passed to Morton twenty yards in front, and Princes had another goal.

Quarter-time scores:

P.A.C. 3—2 S.P.S.C. 0—2

Saints scored an early goal from the goalline, but soon afterwards Morton streaked out to mark a long kick, and from forty yards on an acute angle put the ball through the centre. The ball was forced to our goal square after the bounce, where Morton snapped from the scrimmage for another. Saints began to surge back, but the half-back line was holding strongly. Duffield and Tonkin were playing well, and Ashby, McArthur and Yates were playing close to the man. Morton scored another point from off the side of his boot; the half-forwards were always in front, with the right wing being most open. Morton goaled again, and Princes looked a very much superior team, especially in drive. The half-backs were too strong for Saints, and the rovers and followers had an edge over their counterparts.

Half-time scores:

P.A.C. 6-3 S.P.S.C. 1-3

Saints went straight into attack, but were pushed out by a tight defence. Morton scored a point, and then Saints appeared to pull together. Although Tonkin and Causby were winning well, Sangster goaled for Saints, and after a scrimmage they goaled again. Saints were dominating the attack and playing in front of the man, while Hill for Saints was often gaining the knock. They had drawn to within six points when Princes regained the initiative, mainly from strong roving by Oaten, and clever football by Causby and Watts. Duffield was playing well on the half-back flank; Tonkin and Sangster were having an even duel. The ground was very slippery, and the game was gradually reverting to soccer.

Three-quarter-time scores:

P.A.C. 6-5 S.P.S.C. 4-4

Saints looked like running away when they scored 1—1 quickly, but Princes came back with two points. Ashby was playing robustly in the back pocket, and a clear avenue was provided by Tonkin, Watts and Trowse. Causby ran headlong into two Saints players, and was helped off the field after an excellent game in which he had dominated centre, and had begun many drives. He was replaced by Dunn who went to the wing, and Pickering came across to centre. Morton goaled from a scrimmage to start Princes off once more. He hand-passed to Hurn who hooked a goal over his left shoulder. Moore came off the field and was replaced by Freburg. A drive from Duffield resulted in Phillips running down the flank and kicking into an open goal. Sangster scored a goal for Saints from a long way out; Princes were attacking strongly again when the siren went. Congratulations to Bill Tonkin on winning the Norman Dowie Cup, and to Saints for putting up a good fight.

Final scores:

P.A.C. 9-8 S.P.S.C. 6-7

Goal-kickers: Morton 5, Hannaford, Hurn, Phillips, Craig, each 1. The whole team played well, which reflects on Mr. Bennett's coaching. Those chosen as best were: Tonkin, Duffield, Morton, Craig, Causby, Oaten, and Phillips.

Oaten, D. R. (captain), rover—A brilliant ball-handler, fast and elusive, he has led his team with inspiring enthusiasm. He is to be congratulated on winning the Old Collegians' medal for the best player for the season.

Tonkin, W. F. (vice-captain), centre half-back—Finished the season in brilliant form. Very safe overhead and a strong, determined groundworker, he is a class footballer.

Causby, J. P., centre—A fine mark, a dashing groundworker and a splendid kick. At his best he is a match-winner.

Combe, G. L. M., ruck—Hampered early by injury, he played his best football late in the season. A powerful and determined follower, he hits out well and has excellent anticipation in the field play.

Phillips, W. D., rover-half-forward—A clever ball-handler and an excellent mark and kick, he has created many openings with his speed and play-on methods.

Shaughnessy, P. D., half-back—A rugged and powerful defender, he checks closely and clears with dash and fierce determination.

Yates, N. G., back pocket—Strong and determined, he is an ideal back pocket. He checks closely, clears well and is never beaten.

Ashby, R. J., ruck—A strongly built youngster, he has improved with every game. He hits out well and is a strong mark and kick. His play is marked by rugged determination.

Craig, I. H., ruck—A reachy and mobile follower, he hits out well. He is strong overhead, a powerful kick and handles the ball well.

Hannaford, D. M., ruck—Hampered by injuries, he found it hard to strike top form. He is a good mark and kick and a mobile and determined groundworker.

Hurn, R. W., centre half-forward—A dashing groundworker, a spectacular mark and a powerful kick but his play has been spasmodic.

McArthur, D. G., full-back—A bustling, close-checking defender with good judgement and a fine pair of hands.

Duffield, D. M., half-back—A talented footballer, good overhead, a powerful kick and a good groundworker, he has excellent anticipation.

Morton, P. G., full-forward—A talented youngster, he makes position well and marks brilliantly.

Moore, G. J., centre wing—Dogged and determined, he won his position consistently. He is a fine mark, a good groundworker and has good anticipation.

Pickering, I. H., centre wing—Fast and determined and an excellent groundworker, he has been a consistent winner.

Trowse, D. D. rover—A nuggety left-footer, he plays with determination and skill. A good groundworker and an accurate kick.

Watts, D. R., half-forward—A greatly improved footballer. He makes position well and breaks into attack with good handling and a brilliant burst of speed.

Dunn, P.M., wing—A speedy, bustling player with the ability to dispose of the ball under pressure. He showed marked improvement.

Freburg, P. C., half-forward—A good mark and kick with a fair turn of speed, he is rather too easily bustled.

Woodruff, P. W. H., ruck— Strong, a good mark and kick, he lacks pace in field play to back up his otherwise useful ruck work.

Candy, R. G., utility— Strong and determined, his handling is a little uncertain, but he has shown steady improvement.

Davies, D. C., full-back—A good mark and a strong kick, he was playing well until a midseason injury sapped his confidence.

FIRST EIGHTEEN RESULTS

7th June-P.A.C. v. A.B.H.S.

A.B.H.S. 2-7 4-8 9-10 12-12 84
P.A.C. 0-1 2-7 4-8 9-10 12-12 84
Goalkickers—Hurn (3), Oaten, Morton I.
Best Players—Yates, Oaten, McArthur, Moore,
Tonkin, Causby, Trowse, Pickering.

Our first match was against Adelaide High on our ground. We started the match with four senior players unavailable and after ten minutes, Combe was off the field with a leg injury. With this handicap and the inexperience of our side, we were beaten by the better side on the day. Some of our boys lacked a yard in pace and at this early stage in the season, we were not combining well in the forward line, although Hurn did well to get three goals from full forward. Yates turned back many High School attacks from the back pocket and was our best.

14th June-P.A.C. v. Rostrevor

P.A.C. ___ 2—2 3—2 8—4 10—6 66
R.C. ___ 0—1 2—7 3—7 5—10 40
Goalkickers — Hurn (3), Woodruff, Phillips (2),
Trowse, Oaten, Craig.
Best Players — Oaten, Tonkin, Trowse, Phillips,
Pickering, Moore, Ashby, Craig.

Our first win for the season was not really impressive although we showed much improvement from the week before. Our players were combining much better. We were only leading by five points at half-time but a determined third quarter in which we added five goals gave us a firm grip on the game. We went further away in the last quarter to win comfortably by twenty-six points.

21st June-P.A.C. v. C.B.C.

P.A.C. 4-8 9-9 10-14 13-17 95 C.B.C. 0-1 1-2 2-2 5-2 32 Goalkickers—Oaten, Craig (3), Hurn, Phillips (2), Freburg, Morton, Trowse (1).

Best Players—Moore, Tonkin, Oaten, Freburg, Yates, Trowse, Phillips, Pickering, Causby, but all played well.

This match was played in good football conditions on our ground. Our side outplayed the hard-hitting opposition everywhere and showed patches of excellent football. The handball was improving and everyone was combining well. Bad kicking for goal unfortunately spoiled what could have been an unusually high score. As it was, we ran out winners by sixty-three

5th July-P.A.C. v. A.B.H.S.

3rd Final Pts. 1st A.B.H.S. ... P.A.C. Goalkickers — Hurn (3), Craig, Trowse, Oaten, Watts, Phillips (1).

Best Players-McArthur, Craig, Oaten, Hannaford, Moore, Pickering, Phillips, Causby.

In the return match at Adelaide High, we were unlucky to lose by three points after leading all the way until the last scoring shot of the match. At quarter-time we had a handy lead of twenty-seven points after a brilliant start. High School, however, in a determined second quarter came back to within a goal at half-time. From then on it was a very even struggle. Princes found most difficulty in getting past the High half-back line which was defending grimly. A move to place Hannaford at centre half-forward had little effect in the last quarter and High School just scraped home by three points in a rugged match.

12th July-P.A.C. v. S.H.C.

1st 2nd 3rd Final Pts. 10—8 10—2 5-2 P.A.C. _ _ 3—1 S.H.C. _ _ 2—0 Goalkickers—Hurn (5), Morton (2), Phillips, Oaten, Woodruff (1).

Best Players-Craig, Hurn, Oaten, Moore, Pickering, Ashby, Shaughnessy, Tonkin.

Playing in very wet weather Princes came from nine points down at threequarter-time in a brilliant finishing burst to snatch victory by six points. Sacred Heart's accuracy in kicking for goal was an excellent feature in their game and kept them in front for most of the game from limited opportunities. An experiment of bringing Hurn out to centre half-forward and Morton to the goalfront paid off when Hurn played brilliantly to get five goals and Morton with two showed great promise.

19th July-P.A.C. v. P.G.S.

2nd 3rd Final Pts. 1st P.A.C. ____ 8—4 13—10 18—15 23—18 156
P.G.S. ___ 1—0 2—1 3—1 5—2 32
Goalkickers — Morton (7), Phillips (6), Hurn,
Trowse, Combe (2), Oaten, Craig, Causby, (6), Hu. Causby, Hannaford (1).

Best Players—Phillips, Causby, Oaten, Morton, Hurn, Moore, Pickering.

Again the ball was slippery and the game very scrambly on the small oval. We won every position and with the half-forwards combining well with the full-forwards we were able to win very convincingly with Morton kicking seven goals and Phillips six.

2nd August-P.A.C. v. A.B.H.S.

2nd 1st 5—1 1—1 7—2 6—5 A.B.H.S. __ 1—1 6—5 6—8 Goalkickers — Morton (5), Phillips, (2), Watts (1).
t Players—Tonkin, Causby, Morton, Oaten,
Moore, Ashby, Hurn, McArthur.

We met High School for the third time for the season on our ground in fine weather. Our team, confident after the previous week began brilliantly and halfway through the second quarter led by six goals. High School came back very determinedly to be only nine points down when the bell went at half-time. From then on it was a very even struggle with neither side giving anything away. Tonkin, again playing brilliantly, turned back many of High School's attacks while Giddings at centre half-back or full-back for High School turned many of ours. We finally ran out winners by three points.

9th August-P.A.C. v. Scotch College

P.A.C. _____ 7-4 12-7 17-10 23-13 151 S.C. _____ 1-1 1-4 2-5 3-7 25 Goalkickers-Morton (10), Trowse (4), Oaten (3), Phillips (2), Combe, Davies, Hurn (1). Best Players-Trowse, Oaten, Morton, Tonkin, Duffield, Causby, Moore, Ashby.

In the last match of the season our boys overwhelmed Scotch. We won in nearly every position and with Morton leading and marking brilliantly at full-forward the half-forwards and followers had an easy job in picking him out. The backing-up was excellent and we were able to move the ball down field in a very short time and with the forward lines wide open we were able to reach an excellent score and win by 126 points.

THE VICTORIAN TRIP

This year's trip to Melbourne by the football team as guests of Wesley College was a great success in that we beat both Melbourne Grammar School and Wesley on their own grounds. It was the first time that either of these teams

had been beaten by P.A.C. in Melbourne. We played M.G.S. on Friday, 15th August. SCORES:

Final Pts. 1st 2nd 3rd

This game was played in continuous rain and conditions were at their worst for football. Despite this, the standard of football was excellent.

Pickering and Moore were playing brilliantly on the wings and Watts at half-forward right created many opportunities for scoring. Everyone was combining well and kicking well directed passes. Our boys were mostly in front of their opponents and the keenness and fitness of our team showed out in the last quarter when the ball went into their forward lines only once.

Goalkikers—Oaten, Morton (3), Hannaford, Causby, Watts (1). Best Players—Pickering, Tonkin, Oaten, Watts, Ashby, Yates, Moore, Craig, Hannaford. We met Wesley on Monday, 18th August, -Oaten, Morton (3), Hannaford, Causby,

SCORES:

Again playing in wintry conditions, our boys showed they were the superior side by beating Wesley by thirty-two points in a poor game. The standard never rose to that of the M.G.S. match.

Morton played another fine game at full-forward to get five goals. He would have had a few more if he had kicked more accurately. We again had a winning centre line which gave us a great deal of drive while Tonkin played brilliantly at centre half-back to turn back many of the attacks made by Wesley.

Goalkickers-Morton (5), Combe (2), Hannaford (1). Best Players - Morton, Tonkin, Moore, Causby, Oaten, Trowse, Craig, Phillips, Yates.

OTHER MATCHES

Second XVIII

This year the Seconds had a fairly successful season, winning six matches and losing three. These three were lost to the first XVIIIs of King's, Immanuel, and Concordia.

Grant Laidlaw was awarded the trophy for the best and fairest player for the season, while Kerr, who was elected vice-captain, and Freburg were equal runners-up. Others to play well during the season were Woodruff and Candy.

The leading goal-kickers for the season were Watson, Kerr and Willcox. Our best win for the season was against Rostrevor Seconds, when we won 23-18 to 2-1. In this match Watson kicked eleven goals.

In conclusion, I would like to thank Mr. Leak for his helpful coaching and advice.

Thirds (White)

Best Players—Pearlman (most consistent), Keal, Balfour, M. Hall, Jeffries, McKay.

The Thirds Whites had an unsuccessful season winning only three of the seven matches played. However, the team struck form in the last two matches defeating both Immanuel Seconds and Rostrevor Thirds. Earlier we had lost to S.H.C. Thirds, A.B.H.S. Thirds, C.B.C. Seconds, P.G.S. Seconds, and defeated A.B.H.S. Fourths.

We would like to thank both Graham Coombe and Mr. Leak for their helpful advice and vigorous coaching.

Thirds (Red)

Best Players-Bagshaw, Shiell, Cowan, French, Hart, Whitworth.

The Thirds Red did not have a very successful season, winning only two of the seven matches played. The boarders struck form late in the season when they defeated S.H.C. Thirds and S.P.S.C. Thirds. Earlier they had lost to S.H.C. Seconds, A.B.H.S. Thirds, R.C. Thirds, S.H.C. Thirds and S.P.S.C. Seconds. The team would like to thank Graham Combe and Mr. Leak for the time they have given to coach the team.

Under 15 "A"

This year the Under 15 "A" team had a very successful season, in winning all but four matches. Skinner won the trophy for the best and fairest player. All members of the team trained keenly and well. Most consistent were Skinner, Kobelt, Chappell, Drew, Lyle and Simmons. On behalf of the team we should like to thank Mr. Keeves, for his coaching and keen interest taken in the team.

Under 15 "B"

The Under 15 "B" team had quite a successful season. In the latter part the team had easy wins over Saints and Scotch. We were beaten by Concordia three times, but in the last match were narrowly defeated. The most consistent players were Pontifex, MacInnes and Walker. On behalf of all the team I would like to thank Mr. Keeves for his coaching and interest he took in us.

Under 14 "A"

This season the Under 14 "A"s have been successful in winning seven of our eleven matches played. We lost twice to S.H.C., once to S.P.S.C. and lost badly to Pulteney Grammar. In the remaining matches we defeated R.C. twice, S.C., I.C., S.P.S.C., C.B.C. and narrowly defeated A.B.H.S. by two points in the most thrilling match of the season

The most consistent players for the season have been MacIntosh, Stain, Shaughnessy, Cranston and Wainwright while Jory scored most goals.

On behalf of the team we would like to thank Mr. Provis for his helpful coaching and for the interest he has taken in the team.

Under 14 "B"

Altogether this season, we have been fairly successful, winning four out of ten matches played. We won against C.B.C. (twice), S.P.S.C., and P.G.S. Best players for the season were Copping, Webb, Bruce, Smith and Gerard.

Under 13 "A"

The Under 13 "A" football team did not start very strongly at the beginning of the term, but improved as the season progressed. Although we did not win many matches, those we lost were by very narrow margins. In the final match of the year however, we had a comfortable win over Adelaide High School, and it was pleasing to see such a determined finish to the season.

Mr. Connell was our coach and we are very thankful to him for the time he spent in improving us and following our matches. D. Lock, who captained the team, was the best player for the season, while Morris and May also played consistently well.

Under 13 "B"

This season has been a successful one with four wins and one forfeit. Our best win was over A.B.H.S. when we scored 12-9 to 2-0. The best players for the season were Solly and Macarthur.

FOOTBALL TROPHIES, 1958

Firsts

Norman Dowie Cup (for best and fairest—Oval Match) - - - - W. F. Tonkin
Best and fairest for season (presented by Old
Collegians' Association) - - D. R. Oaten
Best and fairest in match against Wesley
College (presented by Mr. P. A. Dalwood)
P. G. Morton

Best players against Old Scholars (presented by Mr. P. E. Clark) - - J. P. Causby

Seconds

Best and fairest (presented by Mr. Gordon Taylor) - G. T. Laidlaw

Under 15

Best and fairest (presented by Mr. Gordon Taylor - - - M. H. Skinner

Under 14

Best and fairest (the Dick Pinch Memorial) R. V. Shaughnessy

Under 13

Best and fairest (presented by Mr. Gordon Taylor - - D. B. Lock

The members of the First XVIII wish to thank Mr. Bennett for the work he has done in coaching us and the time he has spent on trying to improve our game. He did an excellent job.

The thanks of the football committee are extended to Mr. Bob Gniel, Mr. Michael Edgeloe, and Mr. Andrew Jeffrey for giving up many Saturday mornings to umpire under age matches. Their work was fully appreciated.



School Sports

The annual Athletic Sports day was held on the front oval on Saturday, 12th April. A fine attendance of parents and friends, and some excellent performances by the competing athletes, made the afternoon a highly successful and enjoyable one. Mr. Kurtz is to be congratulated on the excellence of the arrangements, which made it possible to carry through a long and complicated programme without a hitch

Altogether three new records were created, and three existing records were equalled, which was excellent, considering that our sports are held so early in the season.

R. Berkin, of School House, won the Senior Cup with a good all-round performance, although P. Hopkins (Cotton) stole some of the limelight in these events by winning the 100 Yards in equal record time of 10.3 secs, and the 220 Yards in a new record time of 22.6 secs. The Under 16 Cup went to D. Hannaford, who also broke the Shot Put record set two years previously by his brother Ian. The new distance of 45 ft. 10 in. was 7½ in. better than the previous record.

In the Junior events, P. Morton (Cotton) won the Under 15 Championship, P. Stain (Waterhouse) the Under 14, and R. Heaslip (School) the Under 13 Cup. The Under 14 High Jump record was broken by Angel (School), who bettered the previous record by 1 in., clearing 5 ft. 1 in. P. Day, in the same age group, equalled the 75 Yards Hurdles event record of 11 secs., and then, competing in the Under 15 age group, won the 100 Yards Hurdles in 14.3 secs., again equalling the previous record, an excellent performance.

The House Competition provided great interest and rivalry throughout the afternoon, and was eventually won by School House. The thanks of the School are due to all those whose efforts assisted to make this annual event such an enjoyable day.

Results

House Marching Competition-1, School, 2, Bayly; Senior Events

220 Yards Hurdles-1, Berkin; 2, Hurn; 3, Craig. Time, 26.5 secs.

100 Yards-1, Hopkins; 2, Tonkin; 3, Berkin. Time, 10.3 secs (equal record).

880 Yards-1, Phillips; 2, Candy; 3, Combe. Time. 2 min. 14 secs.

220 Yards-1, Hopkins; 2, Berkin; 3, Tonkin. Time, 22.6 secs (record).

High Jump-1, Hurn; 2, Freburg; 3, Moyse. Height, 5 ft. 4 ins.

120 Yards Hurdles-1, Berkin; 2, Craig; 3, Stain.

Time, 16.7 secs.

Shot Put—1, Tonkin; 2, Slatter; 3, Pickering. Distance, 36 ft. 5 ins.

Broad Jump-1, Hurn; 2, Berkin; 3, Oaten. Distance, 19 ft. 10 ins. 440 Yards-1, Tonkin; 2, Oaten; 3, Candy. Time, 1 Mile-1, Phillips; 2, Perry; 3, Cleland. Time, 4 mins. 50.5 secs.

Under 16 Events

100 Yards-1, Causby; 2, Watts; 3, Hannaford. Time, 11 secs.

Shot Put-1, Hannaford; 2, Ashby; 3, Hains. Distance, 45 ft. 10 ins (record).

Broad Jump-1, Hannaford; 2, Watts; 3, Pearlman. Distance, 19 ft. 42 ins.

440 Yards-1, Causby; 2, Watts; 3, Hains. Time, 56.5 secs.

100 Yards Hurdles-1, Hannaford; 2, Brandwood; 3, Hurn. Time, 14.4 secs.

High Jump-1, Watts; 2, Ashby; 3, Hannaford. Height, 5 ft. 31 ins.

880 Yards-1, Cleland; 2, Mooney; 3, Hains. Time, 2 mins. 12.8 secs.

Under 15 Events

100 Yards-1, Daebeler and Kobelt; 3, Morton. Time 11.4 secs. High Jump-1, Skinner; 2, Morton; 3, Lyle. Height,

5 ft. 1 in. 220 Yards—1. Morton; 2, Kobelt; 3, Daebeler. Time,

220 Yarus—...

25.3 secs.

Broad Jump—1 Morton; 2, Jolly; 3, Daebeler. Distance 17 ft. 9 ins.

100 Yards Hurdles—1, P. Day; 2, Morton; 3, Verco.

Time, 14.3 secs. (equals record).

880 Yards—1, Bastian; 2, Hilbig; 3, Reichstein.

Time, 2 mins. 181 secs.

Under 14 Events

Broad Jump-1, Shaughnessy; 2, Stain; 3, Day. Distance, 16 ft. 5\(\frac{1}{2}\) ins. 75 Yards-1, Stain; 2, Acott; 3 French, Time, 9 secs.

High Jump — 1, Angel; 2, Stain; 3, Shaughnessy. Height, 5 ft. 1 in.

100 Yards-1, Stain; 2, Acott; 3, Day. Time, 11.8 secs. 75 Yards Hurdles-1, Day; 2, French; 3, Stain. Time, 11 secs (equals record).

Under 13 Events

High Jump-1, Wagner; 2, Hassell; 3, May. Height, 4 ft. 3 ins. 75 Yards-1, Heaslip; 2, May; 3, Blake. Time, 9.2 secs. 100 Yards-1, Heaslip; 2, Morris; 3, May. Time, 12.1 secs. 75 Yards Hurdles-1, McArthur; 2, Gerard; 3, Shearer. Time, 12 secs.

Handicap Events

Under 15-100 Yards: 1, Daebeler; 2, Dunstone; 3, Verco. Over 15-100 Yards: 1, Pickering; 2, Charles; 3, Rowe. Under 15-Obstacle: 1, Barrows; 2, Patterson; 3, Dane. Over 15-Mile: 1, Perrin; 2, McNeil; 3, Hurst. Under 14-100 yards: 1, Heaslip and Collins; 3, Cranston.

Over 15-Obstacle: 1, Chapple; 2, L Hall; 3,

House Relays

Under 14-1, School; 2, Waterhouse, 3, Bayly. Under 16-1, Waterhouse; 2, School; 3, Bayly. Open-1, School; 2, Cotton; 3, Waterhouse.

Table of Results of Intercollegiate Athletics 1958

Event	First	Second	Тяткр	TIME OR DISTANCE	RECORD	Record Holder
120 Vards Hurdles (Senior)	Seppelt	Craig	Berkin	16·2 sec.	15·2 sec.	J. R. Bradman (1957)
High Jump (Under 15)	Morton	Skinner	Angel	5 ft. 34 ins.	5 ft. 34 ins.	G. M. Greatwich (1947)
880 Vards (Senior)	Warburton	Kay	Day	2 min. 4·1 sec.	2 min. 1-4 sec.	I. G. Beck (1956)
100 Yards Flat (Under 16)	Caushy	Watts	Arnold	10.7 sec.	10.6 sec.	A. G. Campbell (1932) W. R. Ferguson (1941)
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100 Yards Flat (Senior)	Hopkins	Fisher	Hope	10.5 sec.	10.2 sec.	F. W. Biggs (1945)
100 Yards Flat (Under 14)	Stain	Acott	Day	12.2 sec.	11.6 sec.	D. R. Watts (1956)
Putting-the-Weight (Open)	Seppelt	Hannaford	McKee	44 ft. 6½ ins.	48 ft 14 ins.	J. C. Irwin (1955)
100 Yards Hurdles (Under 16)	Hannaford	Gibson	Seppelt	14.0 sec.	13.8 sec.	R. F. Haselgrove (1952)
High Jump (Senior)	Haynes	Disney	Hurn	5 ft. 5 ins.	5 ft. 10½ in.	I. B. Bruce (1950)
	Daebeler	Kobelt	Morton	11.7 sec.	10.8 sec.	{ B. M. Jolly (1927) { A. G. Campbell (1931)
220 Yards Flat (Senior)	Hopkins	Hope	Fisher	*22.9 sec.	22.9 sec.	R. B. Craven (1937) F. W. Biggs (1945)
440 Yards Relay (Under 16)	P.A.C.	S.P.S.C.	1	*46.9 sec.	47·1 sec.	{ P.A.C. (1953) { P.A.C. (1956)
440 Yards Relay (Under 15)	P.A.C.	S.P.S.C.		48.9 sec.	48.2 sec.	P.A.C. (1956)
Broad Jump (Under 16)	Hannaford	Watts	Sangster	18 ft. 10\$ ins.	21 ft. 63 ins.	W. L. Dawes (1947)
220 Yards Low Hurdles (Senior)	Seppelt	Berkin	Disney	26·7 sec.	25.7 sec.	M. D. Perrott (1952)
100 Yards Hurdles (Under 15)	Kobelt	Morton	Day	*13.9 sec.	14·1 sec.	(1. A. Trethewey (1956) (G. E. Gibson (1957)
100 Yards Flat (Old Scholars)	Kitto	Taylor	Ling	10.5 sec.	9.8 sec.	A. K. Gordon (1952)
Broad Jump (Senior)	Seppelt	Hurn	Craig	19 ft. 8½ ins.	23 ft. 14 ins.	W. L. Dawes (1949)
	Fisher	Parsons	Hope	53 sec.	51.5 sec.	P. G. Harris (1956)
	Meyer	Cleland	Hains	2 min. 8·3 sec.	2 min. 5·5 sec.	C. J. D. Woods (1956)
One Mile Flat (Senior)	Kay	Warburton	Phillips	4 mn. 39·7 sec.	4 mn. 33-1 sec.	I. G. Beck (1956)

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

* equals record.

Athletics

INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

On Thursday, 1st May, 1958, P.A.C. defeated S.P.S.C. in the Intercollegiate Athletics for the fourth successive year, the longest run of P.A.C. wins in the sixty years of competition.

The first event of the afternoon was the open 120 yards hurdles, which was won by Saint's captain, Seppelt, from Craig and Berkin of P.A.C. Following this Morton won the under 15 high jump, with Skinner and Angel, both P.A.C., filling the minor places.

In the senior half-mile, the Saints runners filled all three places, but Candy is to be congratulated on his good effort.

Causby and Watts came first and second respectively in the under 16 hundred yards, the points at this stage being P.A.C. 21, S.P.S.C. 15.

In the hundred yards open, P.A.C. captain, Peter Hopkins, ran brilliantly to win from Fisher and Hope of Saints. Following this, Stain, Acott and Day, all of Princes, came first, second and third in the under 14 hundred yards.

Hannaford, although under 16, competed in the senior shot put, coming second. Hannaford went straight from this event to the under 16 hurdles (100 yards) which he won.

Points after this event were P.A.C. 43, S.P.S.C. 29.

Hurn, of P.A.C., came third in the open high jump, but in the following event, the under 15 hundred, Daebeler, Kobelt and Morton filled all three places.

Hopkins again showed his ability in winning the open 220 yards, equalling the record of 22.9 seconds. Following this win, the under 16 relay team (Watts, Hannaford, Brown and Causby) set a new record of 46.9 seconds with a fine exhibition of relay running.

The under 15 relay team (Kobelt, Williams, Verco and Daebeler) also ran very well to win.

Points at the interval were P.A.C. 64, S.P.S.C. 41.

At the resumption Hannaford won his second event, the under 16 broad jump, from Watts also of P.A.C.

Seppelt won the 220 yards hurdles, when he defeated Berkin, who ran very well. The under 15 P.A.C. competitors completed their clean sweep when Kobelt defeated Morton and Day in the 100 yards hurdles, setting a new record.

Kitto won the Old Scholars' 100 yards event from Taylor (P.A.C.) and Ling (S.P.S.C.).

Seppelt of S.P.S.C. was successful in the senior broad jump, with Hurn and Craig filling the minor placings.

Points: P.A.C. 88, S.P.S.C. 53.

It was Saints turn for a clean sweep in the open 440 yards when Fisher, Parsons and Hope defeated Tonkin of P.A.C., who ran a good race.

Although they did not win, the under 16 880 team gave a most satisfying performance. The P.A.C. runners came second, third and fourth, and this reflected the hard work Cleland, Hains and Mooney put in at training.

In the open mile, Phillips finished third behind Kay and Warburton (both S.P.S.C.) in a thrilling race in which the Saints team again showed superior ability.

Points: P.A.C. 93, S.P.S.C. 75.

Thus P.A.C. were victorious and all thanks go to Mr. Connell who gave many hours of tireless service to the boys in the team.

CROSS COUNTRY

The annual cross-country events were held on Monday, 11th and Tuesday 12th August.

The senior event was held on Monday, and a large number of boys—minus the school's best footballers—started on the three-mile course. Craig (Cotton) began at a terrific pace, but owing to football commitments, had to withdraw after a lap of the C.B.C. oval. Perry, (School) took over the lead closely followed by Phillips (Waterhouse), and these two soon broke away from the bunch. Over the final stages Perry tired, and Phillips went on to win in the record time of 15 minutes 44 seconds. This is the fifth consecutive year that Phillips has won a cross-country event. Waterhouse gained the best six places, followed by Bayly and School, with Cotton fourth.

In the under 16 event, Hilbig of Bayly ran strongly to lead from start to finish in near record time. He won by nearly a minute from Paterson of School. Hilbig's time was 13 minutes 52 seconds. School finished with the best six places followed by Bayly, Cotton and Waterhouse.

A new record was established in the under 15 event by Jeffery of Bayly, followed by Rowe and Humphris, both of School.

School again had the best six places, followed by Bayly, Waterhouse and Cotton fourth. The house competition was thus won by School House.

The events were once again well organized by Mr. Connell, and it is hoped that his efforts are justified by good distance results in the future.

THE COMBINED SCHOOLS SPORTS

After our conclusive Intercoll. victory, we went hopefully to the Combined Schools Sports. Under heavy track condtions, Princes once again showed their superiority over the other competing schools. This was our third consecutive win in the three years in which we have

Despite the rather moist conditions we scored eleven wins, three of which were records. Few of the existing records were broken because of the slow track and we therefore still hold more records than any other school competing.

From the very beginning our boys took control when Causby won the under 16 100, Daebeler won the under 15 100 and Hannaford, competing in a higher age group, filled second place in the open shot put.

Hopkins sprinted brilliantly in the 100 yards. 220 yards races and also clinched the 440 yards senior relay for Princes. He won the 100 yards in the record time of 10.2 seconds and the 220 yards in 22.9 seconds. His 10.2 equalled the State junior record.

Hannaford created a new record for the under 16 shot put. He hurled the weight 39 feet 31 inches. He also came third in the under 16 100 yards hurdles and second in the under 16 broad jump.

The under 15 high jump was won by Morton with a leap of 5 feet 2 inches. He came second in the under 15 broad jump.

Hurn won the open broad jump with a distance of 20 feet 1 inch and came fifth in the open high jump.

The under 16 220 was won by Causby who also clinched the under 16 440 yards relay for

Our under 13 relay team, consisting of Heaslip, May, Morris and Blake, equalled the record of 52.8 seconds.

RESULTS OF COMBINED SCHOOLS SPORTS, 1958

Open Events

100 Yards-1, P.A.C. (Hopkins); 2, R.C.; 3, S.H.C. Time, 10.2 secs (record).

220 Yards—1, P.A.C. (Hopkins); 2, S.P.S.C.; 3, S.H.C. Time, 22.9 secs.
440 Yards—1, A.B.H.S. (Giddings); 2, S.H.C.; 3, P.A.C. (Tonkin). Time, 52.0 secs.

880 Yards—1, A.B.H.S. (Hayes); 2, S.H.C.; 3, S.P.S.C. Time, 1 min. 59.6 secs. (record).

Mile-1, A.B.H.S. (Hayes); 2, S.H.C.; 3, S.P.S.C.

Time, 4 mins. 31 secs. 120 Yards Hurdles — 1, SP.S.C. (Seppelt); 2, A.B.H.S.; 3, P.A.C. (Craig). Time, 15.7 secs.

High Jump—1, A.B.H.S (Pfitzner); 2, CB.C.; 3, R.C. Height, 5 ft. 7 ins.

Broad Jump—1, P.A.C. (Hurn); 2, C.C.; 3, A.B.H.S. Distance, 20 ft. 3 in.

Putting-the-Weight—1, S.P.S.C. (Seppelt), 2, P.A.C. (Hannaford); 3, R.C. Distance, 43 ft. 9 ins.

440 Yards Relay-1, P.A.C. (Berkin, Tonkin, Pickering, Hopkins); 2, S.H.C.; 3, R.C. Time, 46:1 secs.

Under 16 Events

100 Yards-1, P.A.C. (Causby); 2, R.C.; 3, A.B.H.S. Time, 10.7 secs.

220 Yards—1, P.A.C. (Causby); 2, A.B.H.S.; 3, S.P.S.C. Time, 24.0 secs.

880 Yards—1, S.P.S.C. (Meyer); 2, R.C.; 3, S.H.C. Time, 2 mins 8.6 secs.

100 Yards Hurdles-1, R.C. (Salkeld); 2, S.P.S.C.; 3, P.A.C. (Hannaford). Time, 13.1 secs (record).

High Jump-1, S.H.C. (Sara); 2, P.A.C. (Watts); 3, C.C. Height, 5 ft. 3 ins.

Broad Jump-1, R.C. (Salkelt); 2, P.A.C. (Hannaford); 3, A.B.H.S. Distance, 19 ft. 62 ins.

Putting - the - weight — 1, P.A.C. (Hannaford); 2, A.B.H.S.; 3, S.P.S.C. Distance, 39 ft. 3½ ins. (record).

440 Yards Relay-1, P.A.C. (Watts, Hannaford, Brown, Causby); 2, A.B.H.S.; 3, S.H.C. Time, 47.3

Under 15 Events

100 Yards—1, P.A.C. (Daebeler); 2, A.B.H.S.; 3, S.H.C. Time, 11.0 secs.

100 Yards Hurdles-1, R.C. (Grubb); 2, P.A.C. (Kobelt); 3, S.H.C. Time, 14.0 secs.

High Jump-1, P.A.C. (Morton); 2, S.H.C.; 3, C.B.C. Height, 5 ft. 2 ins.

Broad Jump—C.B.C. (Rosetto); 2, P.A.C. (Morton); 3, R.C. Distance, 18 ft. 11 ins.

440 Yards Relay-1, S.H.C.; 2, P.A.C. (Kobelt, Williams, Morton, Daebeler); 3, A.B.H.S. Time, 47.8 secs.

Under 14 Events

100 Yards-1, A.B.H.S. (Russo); 2, R.C.; 3, S.H.C. Time, 11.3 secs (record).

High Jump - 1, C.B.C. (Heffernan), 2, P.A.C. (Angel); 3, R.C. Height, 5 ft. 3 in.

440 Yards Relay-1, S.H.C.; 2, A.B.H.S.; 3, P.A.C. (Stain, Acott, Day, Angel). Time, 50.5 secs.

Under 13 Events

75 Yards—1, R.C. (Minarelli); 2, P.A.C. (Heaslip); 3, S.H.C. Time, 9.0 secs.

440 Yards 4Relay-1, P.A.C. (Heaslip, May, Morris, Blake); 2, S.H.C.; 3, C.B.C. Time, 52.8 secs. (equals record).

SCHOOLBOY CHAMPIONSHIPS

P.A.C. competed only in one of the two Schoolboy Championship meetings, as the School Sports were held on the day of the first meeting. P.A.C. competed at the second meeting at Norwood Oval on Friday evening, 18th April, and won six "Advertiser" medallions. Berkin won the Under 17 220 Yards Hurdles in the record time of 26.5 seconds; Hopkins won the Under 17 Yards easily in 10.4 seconds; Causby won the Under 16 100 Yards in 10.7 seconds, and the Under 16 Hurdles; Ashby won the Under 16 High Jump with 5 ft. 3 in.; and Morton won the Under 15 Hurdles. A number of places were gained: Oaten 3rd in the Under 19 440 Yards; Phillips 3rd in the Under 19 Mile; Hurn 3rd in the Under 17 Long Jump; Berkin 3rd in the Under 17 220 Yards; Skinner 2nd in the Under 15 High Jump; Morton 3rd in the Under 15 High Jump, Ko-belt 3rd in the Under 15 Hurdles; and Stain 2nd in the Under 14 High Jump.

Rowing

The first term's rowing, although not crowned with successes, was definitely not a failure. Mr. Mattingley gave much valuable training to twenty rowers and coxswains during the rowing camp held on the Torrens in the

last week of the Christmas holidays.

The first rowing meeting was packed with beginners and juniors and it was especially encouraging to see that most of these boys retained their keenness even in spite of the fact that many did not get a row every training night. It was due to this keenness that the standard of rowing was rapidly improved, and coaches had a difficult time selecting their crews from the many good and rapidly progressing juniors.

Similar difficulties were faced by the coaches of the senior crews. Although there was not a great number of senior rowers, it was diffi-cult to separate them into crews due to their uniform standard of good rowing, and it was not until three weeks before the Head-of-the-River that the two eights were finally decided

upon.

In spite of the fact that the crews were training for the Head-of-the-River, those who were not chosen were not deprived of any rowing as several boats were made available to them for training. This year we were fortunate in having many offers for coaching. We are extremely grateful to these gentlemen for their help and interest in our activities.

The performances of the crews were as

follows:-

Under 15 Tub Slides

Bow, Jacobs, D. L.; 2, Cox, L. R.; 3, Barker, D. E., Stroke, Ackland, P.R.; Cox, Dalton, G. J.

This crew entered in several regattas this term, and rowed well in all of them. Unfortunately, they were defeated in the finals by heavier and more experienced crews, but they were certainly not disgraced. In the Head-ofthe-River Regatta they rowed a very exciting race against Saints starting from the willows. The race was neck-and-neck for the whole course and resulted in a dead heat.

The re-row, which was rowed later in the afternoon was also very close, Princes crew

winning by six feet in fast time.

The final was also a grand race by our crew, but the heavier Adelaide High School crew won by three-quarters of a length which was not a great margin considering the extra strenuous race the Princes crew had rowed.

The crew is extremely grateful to their coach, Mr. R. N. Francis who spent so much time with

them.

Under 16 Tub Slides

Bow, Johnston, R. J. C.; 2, Vandepeer S. S.; 3, Dibden, C. F. A.; Stroke, Nelson, P. J.; Cox, Sowton, I. R.

This crew has shown remarkable improve-

ment under the combined coaching of Dr. F.

A. Dibden and Mr. J. C. Walter. Although they rowed in several regattas they were defeated by older and more experienced crews.

In the Head-of-the-River they rowed well, but were not equal to the heavier and more experienced Saints crew, who won by two lengths. We congratulate Saints who defeated Adelaide High in the finals by one and a half lengths, a well earned win.

The crew would like to thank their coaches for their valuable help and fine coaching.

Open Crew

Bow, Fleming, A. J.; 2, Kallin, J. L.; 3, Binder, T. R.; Stroke, Clarke, W. B.; Cox,

Prentice, A. J.

This crew has been a true credit to our boat club. Not only have they upheld our fine record for always putting an excellent open (clinker) crew on the river, but have added several more successes and many good races to the records. In all the regattas in which they competed, their rowing was a treat to see, and often they defeated crews of grown men who have been training for a much longer time. They had one win in the Metropolitan Regatta and were only put out in the finals of the others.

The crew really put on their best display of oarsmanship in the Head-of-the-River Regatta. In the second heat they had their revenge upon Saints, who narrowly won last year, by winning by a canvas in good time. The race was close from start to finish but superior bladework enabled them to defeat the heavier

Saints crew.

The final was rowed against Adelaide High School who pressed the crew for most of the way. The finishing burst, however, was too much for them and the Princes crew won by half a length. It was a well deserved win and is the sixth win in the past seven years for our clinker.

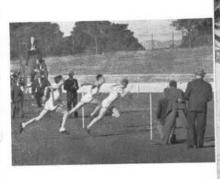
The crew extends its heartiest thanks to their coach, Mr. C. W. Nettlebeck to whom the crew owes much of its success.

The Second Eight

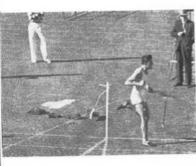
Bow, Smith, H. K.; 2, Jarman, R. J.; 3, Jarman, D. J.; 4, Shepherd, G. L.; 5, Story, M. J.; 6, Shaughnessy, P. D.; 7, Chapman, T. L.; Stroke, Adamson, R. M.; Cox, Davis, L. R.

The Second Eight, although not picked until three weeks before the Head-of-the-River, made great improvement. In spite of the fact that it was a light crew, the clean blade-work and good control of the boat amply counter-acted this. In both regattas in which it rowed before the Head-of-the-River it rowed extremely well, covering the course several times very close to the record. This year, however, training was difficult because both eights were using the "G. M. Potts", which greatly limited the length of training for both crews.

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- 1. Kobelt breaks Intercollegiate Under 15 Hurdles record, Morton 2nd, Day 3rd
- P.A.C. party on Ball Glacier, New Zealand.
 P.A.C.—Watts, Hannaford, Brown, Causby (last runner) win Under 16 Relay



AT THE PREPARATORY SCHOOL CONCERT







- The Editor, a la Scout hike
 Cast of the School Play, "When we are Married"
 Easter Scout Camp at Mount Crawford with S.P.S.C.





THE SECOND EIGHT, 1958

Winners

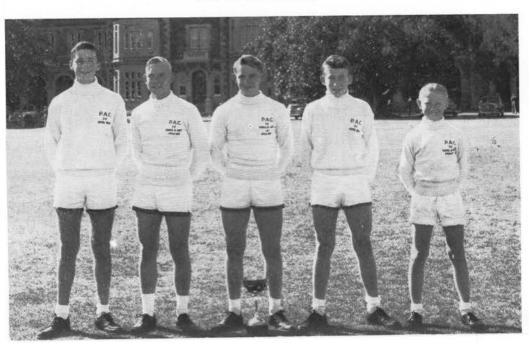
P. D. Shaughnessy (6), G. L. Shepherd (4), Mr. P. A. Humble, T. L. Chapman (7), H. K. Smith (bow)

R. J. Jarman (2), R. M. Adamson (stroke), L. R. Davis (coxswain), M. J. Story (5), D. J. Jarman (3)

OPEN FOUR, 1958

Winners

A. J. Fleming (bow), J. L. Kallin (2), T. R. Binder (3), W. B. Clarke (stroke),
A. J. Prentice (coxswain)



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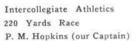
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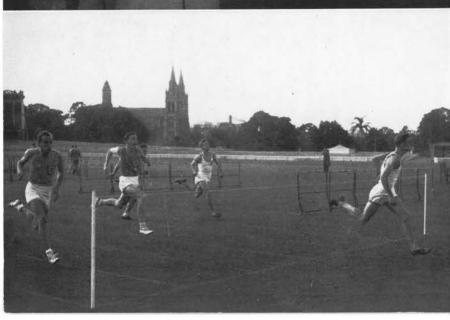
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D. J. Perriam, after receiving the "Advertiser" Prize, talking with the Masters who taught him in Leaving Honours

By courtesy of "The Advertiser"



Intercollegiate Athletics 100 Yards Race

P. M. Hopkins equals the record.

Competing against Adelaide High School in the second heat of their event the Second Eight held a good lead from the very beginning. With a steady rating of thirty-eight for most of the course it was not necessary to put on a finishing burst as they cruised over the finish four lengths ahead of their opponents.

In the final they competed against the good Saints crew, who had defeated them once before, and Saints took the lead just under the bridge. Princes, rowing with much more style and with long swinging strokes raised their rating and rapidly overtook Saints to win by

a canvas.

The crew extends its thanks to Mr. P. A.

Humble for his fine coaching and the great amount of enthusiasm and time he put into making them the crew he wished.

The Eight

Bow, Whitham, P.J.; 2, Reeves, R. W.; 3, Pontifex, B. R.; 4, Woodruff, P. W. H.; 5, Denton, T. R.; 6, Jackson, J. H.; 7, Bartholomaeus, R. F.; Stroke, Giles, W. R.; Cox, Bowen, D. F.

This year our coach, Mr. Mattingley, had an extremely difficult task in choosing the crew, and it was not until three weeks before the Head-of-the-River that it was finally chosen. Our training was hampered by the fact that the Second Eight was also using our boat.

In our first regatta as a crew we rowed quite well, but in spite of all our efforts we were defeated by the University crew by the narrow margin of two feet.

The Metropolitan Regatta, held a fortnight later, was very encouraging. We once more drew the same University crew and they led us all the way until Long's Point. Determined not to be defeated again, we quickly raised the rating and shot past the University crew to win by a clear half length. We were beaten in the final by the older and more experienced

Saints crew by one and a half lengths.
With a week to go our times for the course showed much improvement. The gruelling mile courses that our coach set us each night for a fortnight contributed greatly to this, as did our P.E. period each lunch-time.

We drew Adelaide High School for the Head-of-the-River heat and entered the race very confidently. A false start, caused by High School entangling a buoy, unnerved the crew, and the long wait until the fault was corrected did not help matters. High School jumped away from the very beginning and drew stead-ily away with their long powerful strokes. Our cox accomplished an excellent turn at the bridge thus closing the gap a little but we were unable to make up lost ground and High School won by one and three-quarter lengths. We congratulate High School upon their fine race and for the final in which they defeated Saints by one third of a length, to win the Head-of-the-River for their first time.

Determined to end the season with a success we set about defending the Blackmore Shield, and we set out on Tuesday vowing to give Saints a hard time.

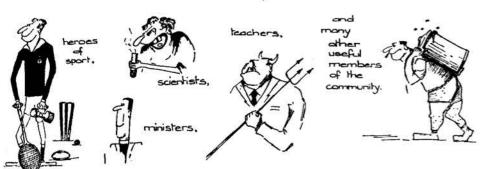
Saints jumped to a half-length lead at the start which they held up to the willows. With grim determination we put everything we had behind our oars and rating forty-two, we were level with Saints as we straightened up on the last stretch. Saints, however, had more weight and they drew away at Long's Point to win by half a length. We were not discredited however, as both crews completed the course in record time, a true indication of the pace.

Acknowledgments

We should like to thank our coach, Mr. C. D. Mattingley, for the time and effort he spent in preparing us for the race, and also for his enthusiasm in our boat club which he has run so well.

We also thank Mr. Woollard for his very valuable P.E. lessons after school and during lunch-times which did us and the other crews so much good. The Eight would also like to thank Bartholomaeus and our cox who handed so much of their valuable experience on to us, and other supporters of our club who gave us so much encouragement and help.

P.A.C. has produced;



Basketball

The school basketball club had a very successful season, the "B" grade team making the final four in its section. We are glad to say that so much interest has been shown by the school. This season both teams have found it rather difficult to practice in the confined space of the gymnasium, but we are glad to be able to say that, with the alteration to the back oval, a new basketball court is being erected. This court should be ready for use early in the third term, in time for the house matches.

The "A" team played eight matches, losing unfortunately, every one. However, competition was strong, and matches were often closer than scores indicated. We hope that the experience gained will enable us to do better in future years.

29th May, 1958—		
Marion High defeated P.A.C	****	40-20
5th June, 1958— S.P.S.C. defeated P.A.C		
19th June, 1958-		40—28
26th June, 1958— Unley High No. 1 defeated P.A.C.		55—18
18th July, 1958— S.P.S.C. defeated P.A.C		42—38
31st July, 1958— Unley High No. 1 defeated P.A.C.		
7th August, 1958— Unley High No. 2 defeated P.A.C.		32—24
14th August, 1958— Adelaide High defeated P.A.C.		
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Points for best player were awarded on a three, two, one basis. Best players for the season were Taylor (15), Whitwell (14), James (10), Nelson (6) and Dube (3).

Top scorers were Taylor (73 points), Whitewell (43 points) and James (41 points).

The "B" team had a much better season, only to go under by a very narrow margin to Saints No. 1 in the semi-finals.

The season's best players were Walkley (13), Maerschel (10), Jeffery Brown (9) and Graeme Evans (7).

Top scorers were Walkley (63 points), Jeffery Brown (37 points), and Maerschel (29 points).

In closing, I would like to, on behalf of the basketball club, thank our coach, Mr. Woollard, for the wonderful job he has done with us. He has given up much of his time for us, and has put a considerable effort into establishing basketball at P.A.C.



Original Contributions

VENICE

The city of Venice had always held a strange fascination for me, with its many canals surrounding nearly every building. Therefore. I looked forward to my visit to this strangely

romantic city with eager anticipation.
We arrived at the car-barn after a long trip over the causeway connecting this city of waterways to the mainland. This huge building has about ten different floor levels for cars, in order to cope with the thousands of tourists who drive to Venice each year. After parking our car on the third floor, we set off for our hotel. There are two main means of transport in Venice, which sharply contrast with one another; the old and historic gondola, which is now used only by tourists, and the fast motorlaunch. Being tourists who delight in relics of the past, we took the former and more romantic conveyance. We wondered why all gondolas were painted black, and, on making inquiries, found that they were thus painted as a sign of respect for the many people who died of the plague centuries ago, and they have never reverted to their original gaudiness. As we glided silently through the narrow canals we soon realized that one disadvantage of living so close to the water is the inevitable stench which arises from the rubbish which finds its way to the side of the waterways. However, after an initial feeling of repugnance, we soon became used to this unpleasant side of Venetian life. We noticed the commonplace sides of ordinary city life which seemed so out of place in Venice, such as traffic lights on the Grand Canal, and "bus" stops where the launches which provide the public transport pick up their passengers at small piers.

In the evening we walked in the famous Saint Mark's Square. The setting sun threw a golden light on the domes and spires of Saint Mark's Church, while the hundreds of pigeons fluttered noisily, squabbling over corn thrown to them by the people. Meanwhile bands played softly at the several open-air cafes, there being only one playing at a time so that the music could be continuous and there would be no disharmony to disturb the happy atmosphere. The crowd therefore shifted from one to the other, while we sat there feasting our eyes upon the scene before us.

Several nights later we went on a tour of the canals. Gondolas picked up people and met at a point in the Grand Canal. Then coloured lanterns were lit and we proceeded up the canal in two lines, with a larger boat at the head festooned with yellow and purple lamps. On board this boat were singers, and we lay back in our gondola listening to typical Italian music being wafted to us across the water, while the spring moon seemed to swing crazily in the sky overhead. This trip seemed to me one of the most beautiful and memorable events of our whole tour.

So our visit to Venice came to an end. The

city lived up to and exceeded all my expectations, and it remains in my memory as one of the most beautiful and unusual cities in all Europe.

M. S. E., VI UA

"NOTHING" AND "NO-ONE"

What is "nothing"? It is the greatest abstract word in our language. As an idea nothing can express it; as a thing, no person can hear or see it. Yet it is here. Ridiculous? Yes, how can one possess "nothing"? Why "no-one" can. "Nothing" and "no-one" do not exist, but are certainly here. We can feel their presence. They answer all unanswered questions beginning with "Who?" and "What?" Indeed, they are two of the most frequently used words, and are the two most common excuses.

"Thomas! What are you doing?" roars the teacher. Unless struck by some spark of genius, Thomas replies "Nothing", or "Nothing, sir"

if the master is too irate.

"No-one" is the ideal personification of "nothing". "Who slammed the door?" "No-one". "Who did his homework?" "No-one". What an ingenious word! It explains everything by saying nothing.

"No-one" has other uses. It denotes the state of a human being. He is either "some-one" or "no-one". Churchill, Lenin, Einstein, Drake and even the Queen, are "some-ones". The huge multitudes of the majority are classified as "no-one". How simple! Despite all this, try to be a "no-one" and see how hard it is. The tax gatherer will find you if every other "noone" does not. Take a holiday, and as all "no-ones" know, the whole home-town has chosen the same resort.

There is an art for all "no-ones" to enjoy. It There is an art for all "no-ones" to enjoy. It brings together the consistent pair "nothing" and "no-one". The art is for the "no-one" to do "nothing". "Very easy" you say. True, Mr. "No-one", but as in every other game there are rules. Have you kept by them? "Well" you may say hesitantly, "what are they?" There is only one basic rule. To be skilled in this art you must be able to do "nothing" when it is imperative that you do "something". This is very hard.

very hard.

The front lawn already hides the cattle grazing there; the sheep have been dwarfed for several months. Can you do "nothing"? Your wife is itching to get your hands on the harvester. Can you still do "nothing"? The roof leaks, the paint is peeling, the dishes lie unwashed, the clock is silent, your wife is not. Can you do "nothing", Mr. "No-one"? Take heart, remember your theme song.

"The weeds can grow, the birds can sing, I am a man who can do no-thing.'

and the chorus sung much slower,
"'No-one' and 'nothing', never heard of, never
felt and have never been,

Are ever present, ever used, never seen." A. D. M., VI A

MODERN CHIVALRY

In the subsequent lines I have tried to portray The dangers of the modern day Compared with the numerous dangers of old, Our sources of worry are manifold. Here I have chosen but one case— There are many more that we must face. But finish reading these mighty works To find where the source of trouble lurks.

In bygone days most knights could claim Their share of glory, wealth and fame For valiant deeds, which, I confess, They carried off with great success. One may have, with his naked hands Slain a dragon in distant lands. He may have chanced on a maiden fair Being carried off to a giant's lair. If so, he would knock the giant down And marry the lass in the nearest town.

In modern times, the general rule Is to send the bright young lads to school. And as for finding a maiden fair, The chance is remote, if it's even there! Dragons, of course, do not exist Unless you take into account a list Of crocodiles and types of snake Or the Loch Ness Monster which dwells in a

But wait! I have the image in my mind Of a monster of the nastiest kind!

His colour is purple, or so it is said, And a single horn sprouts from his head. Accompanied by this he sings and croons The delicate airs of rock-'n-roll tunes. As for eyes—instead of having two or three, Like any teacher, or you or me, Oddly enough, his one is in a place Which draws attention to the face. And though the story seems somewhat tall He happens to be a cannibal.

The would-be hero reads this tale, Which, as you know, can never fail To make him dream of how his steed and he Range o'er the coasts from sea to sea. At last as his deadly airgun pings Comes the last convulsive flap of the peopleeater's wings.

But on my advice, at home he stays, For Quixotes are usually locked up these days. D. G. C., VUA

THE ENIGMA

During the Cadet Camp in May this year, P.A.C. boys heard a hygiene lecture on the common house-fly. This fascinating subject seemed to strike a humorous note with the boys, and its birth and development are given below expressly for the enlightenment of those associated with the School.

Warradale in winter was a rather dismal place, With mud and rain to keep one's spirits low, And poor old Major Nemo wore a long and mournful face.

There were gloomy looks on every N.C.O. The P.A.C. Cadets are here-Oh heavens, not again!

The Sergeant-Major turned a trifle pale. Then he said, "A hygiene lecture must be given to these men, On the house-fly, 'though the subject's rather

stale".

"The house-fly lads, is dangerous, a public enemy'

The talk began and then went on with more, "He causes typhoid, cholera and also dysentery".

The laughter rose until it was a roar. That night the camp was bedlam and for many nights to come,

The screams of "house-fly" flew from tent to

Next day the Sergeant-Major seemed to be a trifle glum,

This wasn't what the talk had really meant.

On sides of buildings, clothing, tents and on the bark of trees,

In fact, on anything that came to hand, ctures of the "thing" appeared—ghastly Pictures of the effigies,

As another house-fly joined the growing band.

But soon the camp was over, and when order was restored.

It seemed, at last, the house-fly was no more, And when holidays were over and our school work had us bored

The house-fly came to life, as we all saw.

For weeks we were outnumbered, he appeared from everywhere,

On chairs and tables, blackboards and the floor,

But at last the beast was gone, the masters drove him to his lair,

And we won't hear from the house-fly any more.

We think the fly is beaten and perhaps we feel quite sure,

That he won't return, and yet the other day, I heard a distant humming drone along the corridor.

And I wondered if he hadn't come to stay. R. A. G., VI A

AROUND A CORAL REEF

Without a sound and amid a turbulence of bubbles we sank into the blue-green sea, past coral reefs and into a little secluded place away from the current. We stayed and just floated around, looking back at the place from where we had come, at the oranges, greens, blues, purples, mauves and every other colour of the rainbow, all blended into this coral reef -an unbelievable spectacle under the ocean.

As we swam on we saw a green "cloud" pass beneath us; but as we drew closer, we could recognize it as a school of catfish out after food. With a flap of flippers we sped on, exploring the wonders of this silent and peaceful world, but suddenly swooping aside to "make way" for the deadly, spine-backed stonefish.

It would be impossible to describe all the fish we saw, but there were some really extraordinary ones, like the lazy sucker fish, which attaches itself to another fish instead of swimming, and the angler fish which sends out its tentacles to lure other fish, like an angler casting his line.

While we swept past some coral formations a surprised crab would peep out of his wellcamouflaged crevice to peer dimly at these intruders. We swam down many valleys and over many hills in search of these underwater

creatures.

Once on the coral bottom we saw a giant clam cleverly blended in with his surroundings. On the top of a minaret of coral was an anemone, with the small unharmed fish swimming about inside its tentacles, while any other unsuspecting fish would be drawn into its mouth by the colourless tentacles.

Now was the end of our little journey amid the coral reefs and among the splendours of the sea. All the fish, colours, clams and insects seemed to combine and to form a world of their own-around a coral reef.

G. W., VLA

ON CRICKET

A bat, a ball, a good firm wicket, What else does one want for a game of cricket? The white-clad men, eleven a side, Prepare for their skill to be thoroughly tried.

The bowlers attack with plenty of guile, And batsmen face up with a determined smile. The fieldsmen too, have plenty to do, In gathering the ball and returning it true.

The spectators watch keenly with joy or dis-

As the ball is struck cleanly and fortunes sway.

The winning stroke follows with a sharp leg glance, As the man at fine leg misses his chance.

Yes, it's all the same to win or lose, The game's the thing when the teams oppose. There is nothing so good as to be on the wicket, When one has a game of the old sport-

cricket.

C. M. P., V LB

THE SNOB

He boarded the tram on the Friday night before the change-over to buses, on a glorious farewell ride. My first thought was to take a deep breath so that I could delay the necessity of breathing once more, and thereby risking danger to the delicate balance of my sense of smell. But he was quite oblivious to any distressing oddities about him, either in the peculiar aroma that wafted about him, or in his style of dress. Being slightly less repugnant, this latter was much easier to observe.

He wore a most distressed-looking overcoat, which was recognizable only by its length, and which had the distinct appearance of a gift of charity. In his breast pocket he sported a vividly gay but exceedingly dirty blue and white handkerchief, tucked in with all the pride of a dandy. On his head was a style of cap at which even the Ivy League would have shuddered. Not that it was gaudy. Far from it. It was a light fawn colour originally. The atrocity lay in its shape, or lack of it. Nothing ever resembled more a flattened, upturned handbag, with part of the lining pulled out to form a novel peak.

His face looked more like that of an Uncle Toby jug than did Uncle Toby himself; the general shape of his physiognomy reminded one of Milly-Molly-Mandy's grandfather, but his larger and flatter nose turned one's thoughts

to Oswald Pryor's Cousin Jack.
He seated himself with the grace of a duchess, and took from his pocket another equally glorious handkerchief, and after blowing several discords and a call to action into it, carefully folded it and returned it to its stable. Then he proceeded to adjust his tie, or cravat, or scarf, or whatever it was. It looked like a screwed-up tea-towel.

His aristocratic bearing attracted everyone's attention. Head and shoulders back, chest out, feet together and hands folded in his lap, he frowned fixedly at infinity. Somehow he caught sight of his shoes. With a supercilious glare at the gentleman seated almost opposite him, and with a grand contempt for all M.T.T. regulations, he raised his left foot and put it on the opposite seat. With an extra effort he bent over to the best of his ability to adjust his shoe-lace, taking the utmost pains to align the loops and to tuck in the loose ends.

Apart from our being unused to seeing people pay such meticulous attention to the trivialities of their dress in public, the sight was made more memorable by the meritorious effort required to perform such a feat. The toff was certainly not lithe and subtle about the equator, and again, his fingers were like small logs.

But through the whole of the performance, this short, coarse little man had commanded a silent respect, a shocked awe. No-one thought of smiling; it was natural that he should do such things. He had the inspiring personality of a great man; he demanded respect as royalty; he was as completely natural and unsophisticated as a statue, yet his cold silence spoke louder than any politician. He disdained to meet a gaze, he almost seemed to despise the common folk who made use of public transport. He was a snob.

A. C. W. M., VIUA

THE DEVIL FISH

I was drifting slowly over the ocean floor, my solid leaden boots only a few inches above the beautiful coral reef which stretched out before me. Myriads of tiny fish darted about, no doubt wondering what this great ogre was that had come to visit them. Now and then one of them would strike the face glass of my helmet and I would smile. I had come to regard them as my friends in this lonely world.

From a small hole under a lump of brightly coloured coral, the angry face of a moray eel looked up at me and seemed to snarl as I passed overhead. On my right a grey shape began to take a form in the distant mist. This proved to be an inquisitive shark which approached me cautiously. It was obvious that he was more afraid of me than I was of him, for, as I allowed some air to bubble up into the water, he sped off into the green distance.

Looking upwards, I could see the bottom of the lugger, encrusted with barnacles. I smiled as I thought of Natiro working away at the pump to keep me supplied with air.

Suddenly I noticed a cluster of promising shell and signalled accordingly. At my approach the shell-fish closed their gaping jaws, thus becoming barely discernible on the multicoloured ocean floor. As I filled the network bag, I spied one of the most beautiful sponges I had ever seen. I picked it up and placed it in with the oysters. A yellow and green sea snake darted sinuously away. The bag was hauled up and once more I was drifting along.

All of a sudden a dark shadow moved slowly across the ocean bed. Looking up, I saw a giant manta ray, lazily flapping its way through the water like some graceful twin-engined bomber. Although quite frightening at first sight, these huge fish rarely give the diver any trouble.

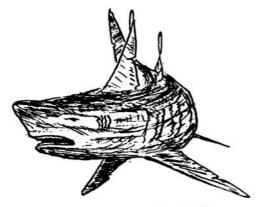
Then I saw a group of the biggest shells I had ever seen. There they were spread out in the sun just under a large shelf of rock with a number of sentinel fish hovering over them. For a while I could not decide whether to signal or not, remembering the warnings my uncle had given me about working near dark caves. Finally the temptation proved too great and I gave the line three tugs. The lugger stopped and, as the line went slack, I made my way towards the shell. A huge crab, caught away from its lair, threatened me with its enormous claws—strong enough to crush a man's hand. I began to place the oysters in the bag reflecting that not even a shellfish living in the ocean at a depth of eight fathoms is safe from the grasping hand of man.

I sent up one load and was just beginning on the second when I felt a heavy weight strike the top of my helmet. Glancing around, I saw that the sea was seething with long thick arms which were all about to engulf me. The first tentacle had now firmly grasped my helmet and I abruptly realized that I was the prey of one of the greatest enemies of the deepsea diver—the giant octopus. Remembering all that my uncle had told me, I thrust my arms straight up above my head; just in time, too, since the next tentacle wound itself about my

waist. He began to tighten his grip, so that I could feel my very life being squeezed out of me. I began to lash out with my hatchet, endeavouring to sever some of his great, thick arms. This would force him to bring others into action and would therefore loosen his hold on the bottom. It was no use signalling to Natiro to pull me up yet—it would take a battle-ship to shift this monster. Meanwhile I could see his great glassy eyes glaring out at me from the dark cave, and below them a horrible beak which seemed to be ready to crush me to a pulp. It was a great temptation to rush forward and plunge my knife between his saucerlike eyes, but this would surely have been fatal. Now and then I managed to sever the end of one of his tentacles but each time he seemed to be able to produce an even stronger substitute. Meanwhile he would secrete an inky black fluid into the water so that I could not see anything. For hours it seemed this strange battle on the ocean floor raged, and all the time I was growing weaker and weaker. The brute realized this and inch by inch was dragging me towards his gaping mouth. Closer, closer, closer, I came to that menacing mouth which now and then would thrust out in an effort to grab me. Then he contrived to pin my left arm to my side and I realized that it would not be long before he secured my right arm also. This would, of course, render me absolutely helpless and so, with a great effort, I gave the four tugs on the life-line which would instruct those above to pull until the rope broke. After that, all I can remember is having my right arm pinned to my helmet and then I passed out.

When I awoke, I found myself lying on the deck of the lugger with the deep blue sky above. Natiro was bending over me administering sips of brandy and tending to the bright red bands which the monster had made on my skin. All around were signs of a fierce struggle, with pieces of twitching tentacle strewn over the deck. In the sea, three or four sharks were fighting over the remains of the devil fish which was floating on the surface.

C. G. L., VI UA



D. G. C., V LA

The Preparatory School

SCHOOL NOTES

Staff

It is with the deepest regret that we report the death on 8th May of Mrs. James Anderson who for twenty-three years conducted speech training classes in the Preparatory School and produced the plays for the Prep. concerts.

It is pleasing to know that the prize for speech training that Mrs. Anderson gave each year is to be continued and will bear her name.

Seven members of the Prep. staff will journey to Sydney in the holidays to attend the refresher course arranged by the Junior Schools' Association of Australia.

Athletics

The Prep. School Sports were held on Saturday, 3rd May. The weather was threatening but remained fine except for one period of rain which temporarily disorganized the smooth running of the programme and led to the cancellation of the Fathers and Sons' Relay.

The Prep. Cup was won by N. Nottle and the Junior Cup by A. Woodcock.

Hundred Yards Championships were won by N. Nottle (Open), M. Denton (Under 13), D. Watkins (Under 12), A. Woodcock (Junior and Under 11), P. Marshall (Under 10). The 75 Yards Under 9 was won by D. Tregoning and the 50 Yards Championships by A. Brown (Under 8), K. Martin (Under 7) and G. Houston (Under 6).

P. Marshall equalled the record time, 13.7 seconds for the 100 Yards Under 10.

We would like to thank Mr. J. P. Flavel who has generously given the Prep. School a magnificent tarpaulin to be used in the obstacle races.

In the House Competition the points were:—Robertson 93, Chapple 48, Mitchell 31.

Standards

Interest was again keen and the record number of points gained in 1957, 1,006 was bettered by 106.

Robertson 474, defeated Chapple 372, and Mitchell 266.

Combined Prep. Sports

These were held at St. Peter's College and resulted in a very close contest between St. Peter's and Prince Alfred.

Princes led all through the programme till the eighteenth event when scores were even. It led again after the twentieth event only to see a dropped baton rob it of any chance of points in the Under 10 Relay. The final scores after the twenty-third event were St. Peters 90, P.A.C. 86, S.C. 55.

We should like to congratulate Nottle, Dalwood (3), Dunstone, North, Yard and the Open Relay and Tug-of-war teams on their victories.

Football

This year's Prep. team has proved itself to be the strongest we have had for years.

During the term the team played eleven matches and won eight of them convincingly. We regret that Warren, who played consistently well in the first games, had the misfortune to break his leg in the dying moments of the match against St. Peter's.

The seconds played ten games and, although they won only three, they were not disgraced in the seven they lost.

The Grade V team were narrowly defeated in their match against King's College and lost also to St. Peter's.

Robertson won their two senior and their four junior matches, Chapple one senior and two junior, while Mitchell failed to register a point.

The Mothers' Club

The second term meeting was addressed by Dr. Nancy Atkinson. Her subject, "Microbiology as a Career for Your Son", proved very interesting and instructive because she showed the many opportunities that existed in industry for a scientist whose usefulness many of us had thought was within the confines of the University.

Final payment was made on the radio-corder which has been in use in the Prep. for some months.

The Mothers' Club has been asked to convene the cake stall at the Parents and Friends' Garden Fete to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Williams on 31st October in aid of the Back Oval Appeal.

Natural History Club

Another successful camp was held at Victor Harbor in the May holidays. Mr. Kesting was supported by Mr. Kitney, Mr. Gray (2) and by a hard-working team of mothers, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Leak, Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Robinson. We are indebted to them and once again to Miss Wollaston for the aid she gave.

The Kangaroo team under D. Gray is to be congratulated on winning the team competition.

Other club activities beside the weekly meetings were a picture evening on 11th July and an outing to Bridgewater on 21st June.

Collections

During the first two terms £87 was collected and distributed to the various charities that the school supports.

House Competition

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First Term-Exams	3	6	-
School Work	_	6	3
Cricket	6	3	
Athletics	6	3	-
Standards	6	3	_
Second Term-Exams	3	6	_
School Work	6	3	-
Football	12	6	_
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A PLAGUE OF GULLS

While Summit talks are called abroad, In Ad-e-laide the Cricket Board Has its own crisis—an attack Of air invaders—to beat back.

No thoughts it spares for Lebanon, In its cold war the heat is on, On things abroad it turns its back, No time for Jordan or Iraq.

United Nations can do nought To stop the battle to be fought. No treaties, bulls or protocols Can stay th' invasion of the gulls.

From ocean bases each day brings The arms, the squadrons, flights and wings, And as they wheel to make their run Their outstretched wings obscure the sun.

Suggestions come in every day From Chile and the U.S.A. But no successful plans emerge To liquidate the dreadful scourge.

Spring-traps, poison, scarecrows, guns, Bofors, Brens and Oerlikons All were tried without success, Much to Mr. Lyon's distress.

If he asked for our advice We should give it in a trice, "Don't attempt to do by force What time itself would do in course".

Next summer when the Tests are played And day by day a score is made About a gross and rarely more The trouble with the birds is o'er.

For if the batting is so dour And thirty runs are scored each hour, No single self-respecting gull Will stay to watch a game so dull.

III LA

The Concert

This year two completely different programmes were given—the senior on Friday and the Junior on Saturday, 18th and 19th July. Comments received showed that this arrangement was appreciated.

Mr. Kitney and other members of staff and the boys are to be congratulated on the excellence of each performance.

The proceeds, £86, were given to the Back Oval Fund.

Visits

Boys from Grades I to V attended Norwood Town Hall on 31st July to see a performance given by the Australian Children's Theatre Directors, Misses Joan and Betty Rayner. They thoroughly enjoyed the programme, particularly the puppet item.

THE SEASHORE

The waves in the ocean are often rough, And there's always foam from isle to bluff; Ships sail in and out of port Bringing goods that folk have bought. Small boys play on sand and rock, While others watch the ships in dock, Seagulls call as they fly overhead, Young men fish on the ocean bed.

J. A. B., III LA

From Queenstown to Strahan
The cogtrain climbs the steep incline
On Strahan and Queenstown's railway line,
Fantastic canyons look so fine
Through ranges green with tree and fern.

M. J. T., III LA

THANKS TO THE NURSE

A war is mankind's direst curse, And without the army nurse Would nowadays be so much worse With bombs and new artillery.

Take Florence Nightingale for one; She like a mother with a son Brought hope where formerly was none By selflessness and sympathy.

She was the Lady of the Lamp And as she walked the pain-filled camp, The wounded soldiers' eyes were damp With tears of joy shed openly.

A. B. C., III LA

THE SNOW

In winter when the snow is deep, The children from their windows peep, And quietly from their bedrooms creep To go outside and play in it.

C. J. B., III LA

JOE

There was a boy whose name was Joe, Who wished to be an Eskimo. He always got the answer, "No!" Which made him think quite soberly.

Into a crevasse I might fall
Where nobody would hear me call,
Perhaps it's better after all
To play at home securely.

W. S. B., III LA

WINTER

In winter when the wind blows strong, When days are short and nights are long, And birds fly round without a song, Our lives drag on so drearily.

S. J. D., III LA

THE ACCIDENT

The boys played football on the grass And broke a window made of glass. The master kept in all the class And lectured them so angrily.

J. B. H., III LA

HARVEST TIME

The corn was growing in the field,
The wheat was gold like burnished shield
The rain had given such a yield
That church bells pealed out happily.

A. R. D., III LA

THE INTER-COLL, FOOTBALL

One Saturday when skies were grey, Our boys trooped on the field to play, To thrash St. Peters, come what may, On Adelaide Oval utterly.

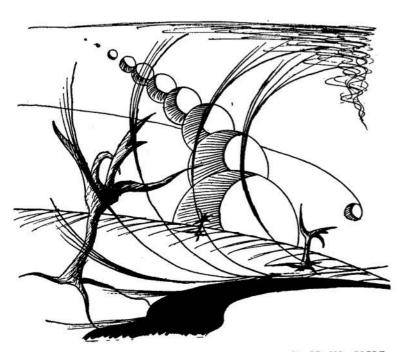
A. C. R., III LA

AT THE BEACH

In summer when the days are long, The children to the beaches throng, But how they scatter when the gong Is rung to warn that sharks are near.

For now no children in the sea Are swimming round hilariously, It's safer on the sand to be Than in among the sharks we fear.

R. J. H., III LA



R. N. W., VUC

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

R. Robertson
A. Webb
D. Taylor
A. L. Rowley

"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. Social gatherings are also held whenever occasions arise that make 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 £1/-/- per annum. It is suggested that Country Members should remit sufficient to cover four years' subscription or

become Life Members by payment of £15/15/-. 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, which are awarded from time to time at the discretion of the School.

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Obituary

BOUCAUT—On 23rd August, 1958, at his residence, Cowper Street, Glenelg, Max Arthur Boucaut, beloved husband of Laura Boucaut, aged 83 years. Attended the school in 1889. School Register No. 2014.

CHARLTON—On 6th August, 1958, Norman Neal Charlton, aged 68 years. Dearly loved husband of Doreen Charlton of 77 South Terrace, Plympton Park. He attended the school 1903-1905. School Register No. 3631 and was a Life Member No. 478.

COCKRUM—On 4th August, 1958, Percy Thomas Cockrum, beloved husband of Ella Clarissa Cockrum, aged 73 years. Attended the school in 1892. School Register No. 2499.

COLLISON—On 19th May, 1958, at his residence, 37 Avenel Gardens Road, Medindie, Arthur Gore Collison, aged 89 years. Attended the school 1880-1884. School Register No. 840 and was a Life Member No. 815.

COWAN (Dr.)—On 9th June, 1958, at Calvary Hospital, Darcy Rivers Warren Cowan, aged 72 years, beloved husband of Effie Hewitt Cowan, Brougham Place, North Adelaide. He attended the school 1893-1902. School Register No. 2608 and was a Life Member No. 112 of this Association.

COWELL—On 18th August, 1958, Geoffrey Reginald Cowell, aged 57 years. He attended the school in 1911. School Register No. 4553 and was a Life Member No. 390 of this Association.

DAVEY—On 4th August, 1958, Robert Shannon Davey, beloved husband of Marjorie Davey, aged 66 years. He attended the school in 1901-1909. School Register No. 3485.

FLINT—On 7th May, 1958, at his residence, 20 Dew Street, Mile End, Alfred Lawson Flint, aged 78 years. Attended the school 1888-1894. School Register No. 1883.

HEGGATON—On 9th August, 1958, Rupert Duffy Heggaton, aged 84 years. He attended the school in 1890. School Register No. 2231.

KELLY—On — F. Lorne Kelly, aged 72 years. He attended the school in 1899. School Register No. 3184.

MALCOLM — On 16th September, 1957, Robert James Malcolm, aged 61 years. He attended the school in 1912. School Register No. 4677.

MORROW—On 5th June, 1958, William Shepherd Morrow, aged 32 years. He attended the school 1936-1943. School Register No. 7318 and was a Life Member No. 1398 of this Association.

NOCK—On 3rd August, 1958, Horace K. Nock of Sydney, aged 78 years. He attended the school 1896-1897. School Register No. 2901.

PARTRIDGE—On 1st September, 1958, Harold E. Partridge, beloved husband of Irene Partridge of 121 Wattle Street, Fullarton, aged 72 years. He attended the school in 1899. School Register No. 3264.

RALPH—On 16th August, 1958, Morris William Ralph, beloved husband of Ivy Grace Ralph, of 7 Albert Street, Edgecliffe, N.S.W., aged 83 years. He attended the school 1890-1891. School Register No. 2243.

ROACH—On 2nd September, 1958, Paul A. Roach, aged 75 years. He attended the school in 1898. School Register No. 3157 and was a member of this Association.

ROBERTS—In March, 1958, at Mount Gambier, Donald A. Roberts, who attended the school 1903-1906. School Register No. 3637 and was a Life Member No. 291.

ROWE—On the 4th July, 1958, Leslie Edward Rowe, beloved husband of Jean Rowe, aged 51 years. He attended the school in 1920. School Register No. 5561 and was a Life Member No. 916 of this Association.

SHEPLEY—On 15th June, 1958, at his residence, 31 Clifton Street, Goodwood, Harry Shepley, beloved husband of Alice Annie Shepley, aged 90 years. He attended the school 1881-1883. School Register No. 922 and was a member of this Association.

SLADE—On 16 November, 1957, at a private hospital, Lawrence Edwin Slade, beloved husband of Mary D. Slade, of 1 Percy Street, Cheltenham, aged 61 years. He attended the school 1911-1912. School Register No. 4522 and was a member of this Association.

STEPHENS—On 23rd July, 1956, Charles Edward Stephens, beloved husband of Anne Ramsay Violet Stephens, late of Glenview, aged 84 years. He attended the school 1881-1889. School Register No. 894. SULLIVAN—On 8th June, 1958, Eric Wilfred Sullivan, aged 73 years. He attended the school 1897-1901. School Register No. 2935 and was a Life Member No. 323.

TAYLOR—On 23rd July, 1958, at his residence, Brougham Place, North Adelaide, William Douglas Taylor, aged 82 years. He attended the school 1885-1892. School Register No. 1558 and was a Life Member No. 136 of this Association.

WADDY—On 22nd June, 1958, Theodore Milroy Waddy, beloved husband of Clarice Waddy of 5 Waterloo Street, Glenelg, aged 69 years. He attended the school 1898-1904. School Register No. 3217 and was a member of this Association.

WALKER-On 12th July, 1958, at a private hospital, Stanley James Walker, beloved hus-

band of Eveline Mildred Walker, of 46 Queen Street, Norwood, aged 77 years. He attended the school 1894-1895. School Register No. 2662.

WEST (Dr.)—On 16th September, 1958, Gordon Roy West, beloved husband of Marie West of 1 Jarvis Street, Erindale, aged 73 years. He attended the school in 1898. School Register No. 3117.

WHITBURN—On 19th March, 1958, at his residence 19A Wattle Street, Fullarton East, Douglas Roy Whitburn, aged 53 years. He attended the school 1918-1921. School Register No. 5299 and was a Life Member No. 1420.

WHITE—On 18th August, 1958, William Bolitho White, aged 81 years. He attended the school in 1891. School Register No. 2297 and was a member of this Association.

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

3005	Hislop, D.	3012	Griffiths, R. G.
	Smith, R. H.		Vandepeer, R. H.
	Wilkins, D. M.	3014	Billing, R. H.
	Shearwin, G. S.	3015	Rowe, R. W.
	Hannaford, I. G.		French, R. J.
3010	Renk, J. A.	3017	Evans, D. G.
3011	Smyth, W. A.	3018	Tonkin, W. F.
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ORDINARY MEMBERS

Blight, C. J.	Madge, D. G.
Cooper, P. G.	Nicholls, J. H.
Crouch, C. D.	Parkinson, K. J.
Edwards, J. T.	Roberts, G. H.
Hart, D. H.	Rohde, G. A.
Jenkins, R. G. K.	Skipworth, P.
Johns, R. J.	Stain, J. A. W.
Kessal, H. F.	Swain, J. D.
King, J. B.	Treglown, J.
Lawrie, M. G.	Trowse, G. B.

NOTICE

R. W. M. JOHNSON CUP

This was first presented by Mr. Ron Johnson in his year as President (1952) for annual competition between the Town and Country football teams on Old Boys' Day. Unfortunately this handsome trophy cannot at present be found. Would any old scholar knowing anything of its whereabouts please notify the secretaries!

THE HISTORY OF THE COLLEGE

Old scholars are reminded that copies of Mr. Ward's most interesting and valuable book of the first eighty years, 1867-1948, of Prince Alfred College are still available. No old scholar can afford to be without a copy of this valuable record. Copies are available bound in red cloth at £1/1/- plus 6d. postage. Order forms are available from the Association Secretaries, 77 Grenfell Street, Adelaide, to whom remittances may be sent.

Birthday Honours

Mr. L. S. Clarkson was honoured in the Birthday Honours List by the award of Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

Mr. Leonard St. Craig Clarkson was Vice-President of the Adelaide Chamber of Commerce from 1945 to 1949, and President from 1949 to 1950.

He has rendered valuable public service over a period of years as a member of the Children's Welfare and Public Relief Board, a member of the Board of the District and Bush Nursing Society, past president of the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association, and a layman of the Methodist Church.

He has been a leading member of the Rotary Club for many years.

Purely Personal

Dr. Colin Schwartz, acting master of Lincoln College, will sail for England in December to be assistant to the Regius Professor in Medicine at Oxford.

Old Collegians will be interested to learn that Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Harry recently celebrated in Canberra the golden anniversary of their wedding at Kent Town Church. Mrs. Harry was the eldest daughter of Sir Frederick Holder, Premier of S.A. and first Speaker of the House of Representatives. Mr. Harry was a pupil, then a master at P.A.C. He later taught classics at Geelong College and Launceston Grammar School. Mr. Harry visited the school in July.

Andrew Duguid (1st class honours in maths at Adelaide) gained in 1957 his Ph.D. in pure maths at Cambridge and we offer hearty congratulations. Since 1957 he has been lecturing in U.S.A. at Brown University, Providence, P. T.

Lt.-Commander Peter J. Hutson, R.A.N., is at present on loan to the Royal New Zealand Navy, and serving as Gunnery Officer in H.M.N.Z.S. "Royalist".

Lt.-Colonel Donald B. Dunstan, Royal Australian Infantry, until recently an instructor at Royal Military College, Duntroon, is now in another instructional posting at the Australian Staff College, Queenscliff.

Lt.-Colonel R. P. Woollard, Royal Australian Signals, is with the Australian Military Mission in Washington, D.C., U.S.A.

Major David Saunders, Royal Australian Infantry, lately returned from service in Malaya, and Captain Brian Passey, Royal Australian Infantry, are both in the Directorate of Military Training at Army Headquarters, Melbourne.

Major David J. Davies, Royal Australian Artillery, is serving at North Head, Sydney.

Captain Robin Hone, Royal Australian Infantry, who completed the staff course at the Australian Staff College, Queenscliff, last year, is now infantry instructor at the Officer Cadet School, Portsea, Victoria.

Max Rayner exhibited the grand champion merino ram at the Royal Show—described as a "260 lb. plus aristocrat".

A. M. Rodda has been elected president of the S.A. Branch of the Australian Corriedale Association. T. G. McKay is a member of the committee.

Eric Ashby is president of the S.A. Stud Merino Sheep-breeders Association. The family were successful exhibitors at the recent Royal Show.

S. L. Dawkins is a committee member of the S.A. Branch of the Australian Pig Society. He has been a successful exhibitor for some years.

Len Greenslade has been re-elected president of the S.A. branch of the Australian Poll Hereford Society.

The Lush family from Inman Valley exhibited the champion and reserve champion corriedale ewes for the second year in succession.

C. L. Dunn has been elected vice-president of the S.A. branch of the Red Poll Cattle Breeders' Association.

Parker, Collins, Kelly, Bennett and Dawkins families were, as usual, prominent exhibitors and won numerous trophies. The Dawkins family were also successful exhibitors at the recent Gawler Show.

Syd. R. Hall was a successful exhibitor in the wheat section of the Royal Show.

Graeme Chapman of Hoyleton has been selected to represent S.A. Rural Youth at the N.Z. Federation of Young Farmers' Clubs.

Sir Philip McBride, Minister of Defence, has decided to retire from the Federal Parliament at the end of this session. He has had a long and distinguished career and all old scholars will wish him a long and happy retirement.

Jack Williams is senior vice-president of the Adelaide Chamber of Commerce and is also president of the newly-formed Associated Chambers of Commerce of S.A.

Mr. C. R. Churchward, a world authority on decimal coinage, has the unique distinction of his system having been adopted by the Government of South Africa. We extend our congratulations.

Jack Glover, for many years a councillor, is now an alderman of the Adelaide City Council. He is chairman of the Parks and Gardens Committee. W. B. Nicholls is chairman of the Works and Highways Committee.

- P. R. Claridge and R. W. M. Johnson have been re-elected Mayors of Burnside and Campbelltown respectively. Harry White and Jim Tiddy (Unley), Jack Parkinson (Burnside), A. T. Matters (Glenelg), and R. M. Chapman (Mount Barker) have all been re-elected to the councils. M. G. R. Perry was recently elected to the Burnside Council. He is also chairman of the Apex organizing committee for the Children's Hospital Fete.
- F. D. Jackman has been appointed Commissioner of Highways. He has had a distinguished career in the Engineer-in-Chief's Department and the Highways Department.
- Mr. Len Clarkson is now a vice-president of the Commonwealth Club of Adelaide. He figured in the recent Birthday Honours.
- Mr. Len Freeman, now a director of Southern Securities Ltd., is deputy president of the S.A. Employers' Federation.

Robert Helpman, world famous dancer, choreographer and actor, is back in Australia to produce and star in Noel Coward's comedy "Nude with Violin".

Wally Rankine, who did so much to make our dinners a success at the Pier Hotel, Port Lincoln, is now manager of the new Flagstaff Hotel.

Mr. Charlie Sutton has been acting chairman of the S.A. Red Cross division.

The new kindergarten at Beaumont is to be named after Professor J. B. Cleland, a very distinguished old boy and early resident of the district.

E. P. (Duchy) Howard, who always attends Old Boys' Week in Adelaide has been appointed a director of Schroder-Scoville Pty., Ltd., Melbourne.

Malcolm Joyner has been appointed an honorary dental surgeon to the Governor-General. This is probably the first time that such an honour has been conferred on a South Australian.

Franklin White, who has lived in the U.K. for forty-five years, and who studied drawing at the school under the late James Ashton, has spent much of his life teaching students on the other side of the world. He is now looking after the Samuel Palmer School of Fine Art at Shoreham, Kent.

D. D. Harris, a keen scouter for many years, was presented with a bar to his medal of merit by the Governor-General.

Ralph Lee, industrial officer at the Chamber of Manufactures is a recognized authority in his field. He has also taken an active interest in church and R.S.L. affairs.

Ross Johnson completed his M.B., B.S. at the University this year.

Reports from London suggest that our oldest old scholar, Dr. Clendinning, now ninety nine, will reach the century.

Major Alwyn Shepherd is now 2I/C and mess-president of the 27th Battalion.

Norman Harris played a leading part in the designing and building of the Collander Memorial Cottages erected at Christies Beach by the Thirty-niners Association.

Brig. John McKinna, Commissioner of Police has been appointed a member of the Metropolitan Taxi Cab Board. He is also on the council of the Australian Institute of Management, Adelaide Division.

Jim Maelor has been appointed general manager of Cockings Ltd., interstate carriers.

- R. B. Laughton has been appointed secretary of the Mutual Hospital Association Ltd. He was formerly secretary of the S.A. Egg Board.
- C. R. Kelly of Tarlee has won the L.C.L. pre-selection for the federal seat of Wakefield. The seat is at present held by Sir Philip McBride.

Dr. Renfrey Potts, now associate professor of applied mathematics at Toronto University, has been appointed Professor of this subject at Adelaide University.

David Clarkson is now governor of Rotary International District No. 250, which includes South Australia and part of Victoria.

Jim Heaslip, M.P., is chairman of directors of Grosvenor Hotel Ltd.

Harry Williams is the eminent president of the Adelaide Rotary Club.

Dean Smoker, managing director of Light Motors Ltd., has recently been to the U.K. and Germany on business.

Hayley Lever, S.A. artist, who has spent most of his life in France, England and the U.S.A., has recently presented a self-portrait to the S.A. National Gallery. Two other oil paintings—both landscapes—are already in the S.A. collection.

The Gerard family has been largely instrumental in the erection of the Gerard Memorial Chapel at Resthaven, Leabrook. It was donated in honour of their parents.

Dr. C. G. Paull, who has been in the U.K. for three years, and who obtained his F.R.C.S., recently returned to Adelaide.

Mr. R. Asher, who qualified in pharmacy in 1908 is still in practice. He lives at Finniss St., North Adelaide.

Lloyd Craig, a member of the S.A. Pharmacy Board, has been appointed a director of Crapp & Hawkes Ltd.

Tertius Hannam, who was a champion gymnast at school in the eighties of last century and who lives at Mount Torrens still comes down to Adelaide each week.

W. B. Dorsch is an honorary medical officer for the Wanslea Home for Children.

Rev. C. T. Symons, President of the Methodist Conference, attended the fourteenth world convention on Christian Education held in Japan.

Robert Hale, who has been appointed to the staff of King's College, recently returned from England where he completed the mathematical tripos at Cambridge with honours.

The Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning, is chairman of committee of the Royal Commonwealth Society. Geoff. Clarke, M.P., is vice-president.

Messrs. K. M. Gibb and D. S. Yelland are members of the Engineering Trade Committee set up under the Apprentice Act and approved by the Education Minister.

Robin Oaten (engineering), Donald Clarkson, and Dudley Humble (medicine) have won scholarships under the Commonwealth Scholarship Scheme

Jim Allen, formerly in Washington, and more recently in Manila, is now back in Canberra with the Department of External Affairs. Brother, Dr. Doug. is still at Harwell Atomic Energy Research Establishment. Brother, Dr. Tom, has recently taken an appointment at the Royal Adelaide Hospital after three years in Fiji.

W. B. Kelly, pioneer Kangaroo Island farmer, has recently returned from a tour of the Philippines and Japan. "Whilst the farming methods of the Asians are basically excellent",

he said, "they need more equipment and techniques".

John Jenkin has been elected president of the University Students Representative Council. This is a high honour for a student and we offer our congratulations.

Peter Hodges, an enthusiastic old scholar, has recently returned from a trip overseas. He was welcomed back at the last monthly luncheon.

Dr. E. A. H. Russell, Priory Executive Officer for South Australia, attended the meeting in Sydney of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem.

Jim Derrington conducted the Easter Oratorio of the Crucifixion given at the Glenunga Methodist Church by a large combined choir.

Jim Freeman is now president of the Automotive Technical Training Committee (motor apprentices) and delegate on the Motor Engineering Trade Committee for the Chamber of Automotive Industries.

Two well-known old boys in Rev. C. J. Perry and Rev. R. E. Stanley were the preachers at the seventy-fifth anniversary services of the Spicer (East Adelaide) Methodist Church. The musical programme was arranged by the organist, Mr. J. E. Duff, senior maths master at the school.

Graham Nicholls, bass baritone and Norwood footballer, won second prize in the "Advertiser" aria contest at the Adelaide Town Hall.

Mr. Justice Piper

Mr. Frank E. Piper has been appointed a permanent judge of the Supreme Court of South Australia and at the age of fifty-eight is the youngest on the Bench. In offering congratulations on behalf of all Old Reds we think it fitting to recall a few details of his career at school, at the University, in the service of his profession, as an organizer of Davis Cup fixtures and as a member of the School Council.

Attending P.A.C. from 1910-17, he left with a Leaving Honours bursary. At the Adelaide University he gained his LL.B., winning several awards in the Law School—taking the Roby Fletcher Prize for Psychology, sharing the David Murray Scholarship and gaining a Stow Prize. The Chief Justice at the time drew special attention to his exceptionally brilliant course at the University. For some years he was lecturer in Private International Law and has been a member of the Faculty of Law since 1938.

In South Australian tennis circles his name has become a synonym for efficiency and suc-

cess. Vice-President of S.A.L.T.A. from 1934-48, he has been President since 1949. Two successful Davis Cup matches in Adelaide were organized under his supervision.

He was the Vice-President of the Law Society from 1950-52 and President from 1953-55. Appointed Q.C. in 1953, he was, three years later, honoured by H.M. the Queen, being made a Commander of the British Empire.

A member of the School Council for twenty years, he was also President of Prince Alfred Old Scholars Association in 1942 and served on its committee for some twenty years.

The father of two sons and a daughter, he had the satisfaction of seeing his two boys, Bob and Geoff, educated at his old school, Bob recently having taken his father's place on the committee of the Association.

His late father, Mr. Justice A. W. Piper, was also a judge of the Supreme Court, and his late brother, H. B. Piper, Chief Judge of the Federal Arbitration Court—a trio widely known and universally beloved.

Old Boys' Week

The week commencing the 21st July saw the usual contests against Saints played, plus our own functions which were highlighted by the attendance of the Rt. Hon. The Prime Minister, Mr. R. G. Menzies at our dinner, accompanied by one of our distinguished old boys in the person of the Hon. The Minister for Defence, Sir Philip McBride. We humbly and gratefully acknowledge the honour paid to us by the Prime Minister and say that for the five hundred Old Reds at the dinner it was an occasion which will live in our memories for the rest of our lives.

It was found necessary to play the squash match on Thursday, 17th July at the Adelaide Squash Club courts. Princes were represented by Perc Lewis, Don Brebner, Brian and Graham Fricker, Ross Lock and Bob Piper (our convener). Princes were well beaten 7 rubbers to 1 by a strong experienced Saints side, Perc Lewis winning our only match. Our thanks to the Adelaide Squash Club for the use of their courts.

Owing to Saints dinner being held this year on the Monday evening, bridge and chess were transferred to the Tuesday evening. The chess match was keen and very even, the scores being level after the first round and the final results being 6 all.

Lacrosse and hockey were played at S.P.S.C. on the Tuesday afternoon, 22nd July. The lacrosse match was exciting and ended in a draw. Saints took a devastating early lead, but Princes then took a hand to be one goal up at quarter time and three goals up at half-time. By the end of the third quarter Saints had drawn to within a goal and equalized shortly after the start of the final quarter, and that proved to be the last score for the match. Final scores were 7 all. Goal-throwers: Princes; Somerville 4, Richmond, Vincent, Wainwright (1 each). Saints; Schlatter 3, McCormack and Wilson (2 each). Best players. Princes: Aitken, Somerville, Perriam. Saints; Hall, McCormack, A Wilson

A. Wilson.

The hockey match was disappointing from Princes point of view. What appeared to be a reasonably good side captained by Geoff Williamson was finally beaten 5 goals to 1 after being down 1-3 at half time. Robin Oaten was outstanding in goal for Princes and made some brilliant saves, but the greater experience of Saints proved to be a deciding factor. Our only goal-hitter was K. Bridge and our best players R. Oaten, B. Chase, and K. Bridge.

Unfortunately Saints found it impossible to field a baseball side at a late stage and so we received a forfeit. It is to be hoped that this very popular function will be on again next year.

We would express our appreciation and thanks to the school and the ladies committee for their hospitality at afternoon tea.

Over 100 players took part in the bridge match and as the results from the various tables were called Princes took a good lead, finally winning 18 tables to 9. Mr. Lance Pellew congratulated Princes on their win and said he hoped that these contests would go on and on. He thanked Balfours for having the function there. Mr. Phil Clark (president of Princes) responded, thanked the conveners and spoke of the other functions to follow. A very pleasant evening concluded with supper.

The table tennis match was played at the Table Tennis Centre, 89 Currie Street, and for the second year in succession we had to lower our colours. Saints took an early lead when John Jackson and Colin Grant were beaten in both their singles matches. Ray Lyon, Dean Collins, Alan Day and G. Venner retrieved the position somewhat in their singles, but Saints won two of the three doubles matches to clinch the contest 9 rubbers to 6.

Football and rugby were played at Princes on the Wednesday afternoon, when the conditions were wet and boisterous, and this made scoring against the wind very difficult. Leighton Williams captained our side and Saints led by 1 goal 3 points at half time. The third quarter was our best effort when we outscored Saints against the wind to be only 2 points down at the final change. However, Saints made a fighting finish of the game and we finally won 8-6 to 7-5. This was undoubtedly one of the best games for some years. Goalkickers. P.A.O.C.: Clarkson, Williams, Johnson (each 2), Pearlman, Treloar. S.P.O.C.: Snoswell (3), Moffatt (2), Hargraves, Jay (1 each). Best players. P.A.O.C.: Clarkson, Nicholls, Johnson, Deslandes, Gray. S.P.O.C.: Davidson, Jay, Downer, Moffatt, Giles.

The rugby match played on the back oval had a good and enthusiastic following from the boys at school. Right from the start it was anybody's match as attacks from both sides were repeatedly repulsed. Eddie Reeves was prominent in moves through centre whilst John Harvey managed a try over the line. Neil Lodge also scored a well-earned try after a good run. Amid great excitement the game ended in a draw, 6 all. Scorers—Princes: Lodge, Harvey (each 1 try). Saints: Witt (2 tries). Best Players—Princes: Reeves, Slee, Lodge, Harvey, Gibson. Saints: Witt, Gibbs, Lea, Williams, King.

As is usual the United Collegians Royal Arch Chapter met at Masonic Hall, North Terrace, in the evening. Old Reds and Old Blues assembled in good numbers to make a very successful meeting.

The badminton match was played at St. Andrew's Church hall, Walkerville, on the

same evening and resulted in a big win for Princes, 13 sets 218 games to 2 sets 106 games. Princes were fortunate having in their team four of last year's players in Brian Anderson, Jim McPherson, Bob Pearce and David Walker, plus Ron Harrison and David Phillips. Saints were weakened by the loss of four of their regular players. It was a good evening and a good thing to see some spectators along. (More spectators at this and other functions would be welcome.) At the conclusion of play, supper arranged by the two conveners, Maurice Brown (Saints) and Colin McKay (Princes) was very welcome. We should like to thank the responsible authorities for allowing the match to be played here again.

OLD BOYS' DAY

Fortune smiled on us for Thursday, 24th July, which commenced with morning assembly at 10.30 a.m., when no less than fifty-three old scholars who had entered the school sixty or more years ago were present at the Head-master's invitation. After being welcomed by Mr. Dunning and Mr. Phil Clark and signing the attendance book they proceeded to morning assembly where the service was taken by the school chaplain, Rev. R. Kyle Waters. After the service where the lesson was read by the captain of the school, David Oaten, the Headmaster told those present of the recent improvements and extensions to the school and grounds. The Headmaster then called the roll of the old scholars and all the old boys received a rousing cheer from the present boys as they stood up. The oldest present on this occasion were Mr. J. H. Hobbs, 1878-the fourth generation being now at the school—Messrs. H. E. Fuller, O. Witt and H. Pitt, who entered the school in 1880. The Headmaster then extended a welcome to the President of the Association, Mr. Phil Clark, and members of his committee, and said he hoped the Association would have a good week. He also read the team for the Intercollegiate football match. Mr. Clark in responding thanked the Headmaster and said the old boys looked forward to this gathering each year, for they were able to renew old acquaintances and memories once again. He wished the first XVIII every success and the visitors then gave three cheers for the school and the team. After photos had been taken, morning tea was served in the boarders' library and the President presented a copy of Mr. Ward's History of the School to Mr. Fuller, a former secretary of the Association .

The football match Town versus Country was played in the afternoon before a large crowd, when the Country team continued their winning run. The conditions were ideal and up to half time there was little between the scores. However, after that it was a different story—the Country boys attacked well, were faster to the ball, and with Hurn as their spearhead put the issue beyond doubt early in the last quarter. Final scores—Country 11-9: Town 3-12. Goal-

kickers—Country: Hurn (6), Chapman (2), Ashby (2), Kitto (1). Town: Crouch, O. Wil liams, L. Williams (1 each). Best players— Country: Hurn, Kitto, Ashby, Sauerbier (who was captain). Town: Allington, Crouch, Todd and Williams.

Afternoon tea was served at the school on both Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and we would like to extend our thanks to the Headmaster and Mrs. Dunning and their staff for their kindly help and co-operation on these occasions.

WELCOME TO THE PRIME MINISTER

The Myer Apollo Dining Hall was crowded to capacity on the occasion of our memorable annual dinner. Mr. Phil Clark, our President, annual dinner. Mr. Phil Clark, our President, was in good form and he had with him at the top table The Rt. Hon R. G. Menzies, C.H., Q.C., M.P., The Hon. Sir Philip McBride, Sir Frank Perry, Sir Geoffrey Reed, Sir Shirley Jeffries, The Hon. Sir Lyall McEwin, Sir Lavington Bonython, Senator Rex Pearson, Senator Clive Hannaford, The Hon. Mr. Glen Pearson, the Headmaster Mr. J. A. Dunning, Mr. Len Clarkson, Mr. Acting Justice Piper, Rev. A. E. Vogt, Mr. Joseph Crompton, Mr. Len Shuttleworth, the Master of the Lodge, Mr. John Lathlean, senior officials of the Mr. John Lathlean, senior officials of the Association and the toast master, Mr. Colin McKay. The Rev. Vogt asked the blessing and the President then submitted the Loyal Toast which was followed by the singing of the National Anthem. The President welcomed all those present. He said many old scholars of the school had taken part in the public life of the country both Federal and State, which was one of the reasons why we were so happy and proud to welcome the Prime Minister to our dinner. He congratulated the Prime Minister on his record term of office, the way in which he had led the country both at home and in the field of foreign affairs. The President also made special reference to Sir Philip McBride, whose family had long been supporters of the school where the fourth generation was now in attendance, Sir Lyall McEwin, the acting Premier of the State, and Mr. Len Clarkson, who had recently been awarded the C.B.E. in the birthday honours. The interstate "hook-up" followed and the President extended hearty greetings to Old Reds at Sydney, Melbourne, Perth and Broken Hill. He referred to our honoured guest the Prime Minister, to our memories of the school and its students which lose nothing with the passing of time. He also referred to the wonderful response to the Back Oval Appeal and to the great generosity of Mr. Thompson, Sydney and Perth then responded. All were delighted to hear of the attendance of the Prime Minister at the dinner, and Mel-bourne were happy to welcome Mr. G. M. Potts there as their guest speaker. Jack Gerard then conducted some enthusiastic community singing. Mr. Menzies received a fine ovation when he rose to propose the toast of "The School". Mr. Menzies said: "I have never been

invited to take part in your celebrations before and probably will never be invited again!" His pleasantries and quips in lighter vein were well received and his reference to the chandeliers brilliantly displayed "in his honour" brought the house down. Then in more serious vein he said there was something about the great public schools that excited the minds and warmed the hearts of old boys. It was not just bricks and mortar, not merely beauty and efficiency, not merely passing exams—but a tradition which took hold of each new boy, who thus was influenced by all those who had gone before him. And the great custodian of this tradition were the masters of the school. Then in the country at large which he felt was destined to be a great country we needed character, courage, independence, intellectual judgment, a sense of community and a feeling of faith rather than cynicism. After further community singing the Headmaster responded. He thanked the Prime Minister for proposing the toast, for the honour he had done to the school and said: "From Sir Frederick Holder down to the present day our old scholars have done much in the world of public affairs". He thanked the Prime Minister for the many Commonwealth Scholarships now available and for the allowances for school fees. He said he was also pleased to hear the Prime Minister's remarks concerning school masters. At P.A.C. we owe a great deal to men like G. M. Potts, W. L. Davies, H. E. H. Mutton, T. G. Luke, J. S. Steele, R. T. Smith, A. H. Dennis and M. D. Close who have served the school so faithfully and well. Mr. Dunning then referred to recent developments at the school including the back oval and the renovation of the dormitories. The Head concluded with a reference to the new Westminster School and asked all old boys to support it. After the singing of the Football Song the President asked Mr. Joseph Crompton to speak in connection with a presentation to be made to Mr. L. B. Shuttleworth. Mr. Crompton said it was a great honour for him to speak on this occasion in connection with one who had for nearly fifty years done so much for the Association. He referred to the position of the Association when Len became Secretary and mentioned other men who had Secretary and mentioned other men who had made great contributions to its welfare—W. R. Bayly, A. G. Collison, H. W. A. Miller, but none had done more than "L.B.S." Turning to Mr. Shuttleworth he said: "This gift is a token of our appreciation and affection, and we thought it fitting that you should receive it from the hands of the Prime Minister". The rift a silver tray suitably inscribed was then gift, a silver tray suitably inscribed was then presented to Mr. Shuttleworth by the Prime Minister who said he was most honoured to be able to make the presentation and to have his name inscribed on it. Mr. Shuttleworth in responding said he felt overwhelmed by the occasion and the presentation. He thanked Mr. Crompton for his very kind remarks, and said that anything he had done had been amply repaid by the many friendships he had made. The presentation would be a reminder for the rest of his life of a most wonderful evening and of our guest the Prime Minister.

A very memorable occasion concluded with the singing of Auld Lang Syne. We would like to express our appreciation to Mr. Gunn and his staff for their wonderful help and co-operation both in relation to the numbers we were able to accommodate and to the excellent service throughout the evening.

Friday, 25th July saw the basketball match played at the University courts at 1 p.m. Your Association was represented by Lawrence (captain), Woollard, Mickan, Davis, Symons and Coombes, Princes began well and were a few points in front at half time. Then Saints set up a big lead early in the second half. Without detracting from Saints' effort this was partly due to our lack of reserves for the second year in succession—we would like to hear of more players immediately. A number of fast breaks in the latter stages brought us within 2 goals of Saints, the final scores being Saints 30, Princes 28. Best players—Saints: O'Grady, Northcote, Laycock, Del Fabro. Princes: Mickan, Woollard, Davis and Lawrence. We wish to thank the University Club for the use of their courts and Messrs. Reintals and A. Zeltino for umpiring the match.

The annual ball in the evening was, as always, a complete success with a wonderful attendance. The ladies committee headed by Mrs. Phil Clark (convener) did a splendid job with the decorations for which we offer many thanks. The official box was decorated with poinsettia, Scotch thistle, camellias and hya-cinths. Red and white balloons, red and white everlastings and frosted twigs, fennel and hops in white urns transformed the stage, while around the walls were school shields and flags and ivy, with four large clusters of balloons suspended from the ceiling. The President and Mrs. Clark entertained in their house before the ball and had in their party the Headmaster and Mrs. Dunning, the school chaplain, Rev. R. Kyle Waters and Mrs. Waters, the president of the Parents and Friends Association, Mr. Bruce Lock and Mrs. Lock, and officials of the Association. Prizes were given during the evening for the streamer and lucky spot dances and two floor shows provided a popular inter-lude, namely the Barber Shop Quartette and Fred Will on the slack wire. Streamers were sold during the evening by ladies from Brian Fricker's party and we would like to thank them for their willing help. Then community singing and school songs led by committeeman Jack Gerard also proved very popular. The band joined in the spirit of the show by playing school tunes and wearing school caps and blazers. Altogether it was a very happy even-ing with a big crowd still present when the band played the National Anthem at 1 a.m.

After our splendid win in the Intercollegiate football match everyone was in good heart at the Lodge meeting on Saturday night 26th July. An excellent attendance was well re-

warded by a splendid lecture from R.W. Bro. Gilbert Potts. W. Bro. Erichsen received his fifty years' service medal, he having joined this Lodge in 1908. At the festive board where the ladies had done a magnificent job with the flowers and decorations W. Bro. John Lathlean proposed the Loyal Toast and the toast to Grand Lodge. One of our eminent old scholars, Most Worshipful the Pro Grand Master Sir Geoffrey Reed responded. Bro. Thompson, S.W., proposed a toast to R.W. Bro. Potts and after W. Bro. Keith Yelland had provided some harmony with his flute R.W. Bro. Potts responded. He said he thought "it was worth while growing old as people said such nice things about you". After an enthusiastic rendering of the Football Song, Bro. Dunning proposed the toast to the visitors. He said he felt honoured to propose the toast and to see such an excellent gathering of old boys and a splendid representation from St. Peter's Collegiate Lodge. W. Bro. David Thomas of Saints responded and during a delightful speech made a very ingenious and well thought out presentation to the W.M. for his grandchildren. He was supported by two old scholars in John Harkness, W.M. of Owen Lodge and E. H. Smith, W.M. of Gladstone. Another very happy, pleasant, and profitable evening closed with the traditional Masonic Toasts.

OLD SCHOLARS' SERVICE

The fifty-fourth annual old scholars' service was held at the college on the Sunday morning with a splendid congregation. The assembly hymn "Lord behold us with Thy blessing" was followed by the General Confession and Lord's Prayer. After the reading of Psalm 103 the Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning, read the names of forty old boys who had died during the year. The lesson read by President Phil Clark, was taken from St. Paul's Epistle to the Romans, chapter XII. The address was given by an old boy in the person of the Venerable Archdeacon Codd, who said he appreciated the honour. The Archdeacon stressed the value of church schools where divinity was part of the curriculum, and where we received knowledge of the faith by which we live. We felt a man should be known NOT by what he has but by what he is and this would, of course, be in accordance with what he believes. Like the Communists we believe in the brotherhood of man, but unlike the Communists we believe in this under the fatherhood of God. Christians must rededicate themselves, they must convert St. Paul's exhortation into a pledge: "I can do all things through Christ who strengtheneth me". The hymn "A charge to keep I have" and the henediction brought the service to a close. After the service a retiring collection was taken up to be used for erecting a memorial plaque to two old scholars who had done so much for the Association, namely the late A. G. Collison and the late H. W. A. Miller. (The collection amounted to almost £20). We would express

our very grateful thanks to the school chaplain, Rev. R. Kyle Waters, who conducted the service, to Gordon Bowen, a master at the school, for playing the organ, to the Ven. Archdeacon Codd for an excellent address, to the Methodist Church for providing the broadcasting time and finally to Station 5KA.

Another Old Boys' Week was almost over when nearly 150 old Saints and Princes golfers went to Royal Adelaide on Tuesday, 29th July, for the annual golf match, where the greens were in excellent order. Although there were a few heavy showers early in the morning, the sun was shining brightly by lunch time with a strong fresh wind. As the first scores came in Saints took an early lead; several times we threatened to overtake them, but that was all and Saints finally won comfortably 21 matches to 14. Afterwards in the clubhouse President Phil Clark presented the Rymill Cup to Bob Barwell, Chairman of Saints and offered congratulations. After thanking the conveners (Bon Gaetjens and Fox Bonnar) he called for three cheers for Saints. Bob Barwell responded, thanked Royal Adelaide for the use of their clubhouse and course and called for three cheers for Princes.

Altogether fifteen events have been contested against Saints old scholars in the last month (we did not meet in the rowing) and the record shows that we each won six events, whilst three were drawn. It has often been stressed, but cannot be repeated too often, that we hope that the spirit of friendly rivalry and good fellowship will continue, both for the good of our respective Associations and the good of our respective schools. Your committee would ask you to bear in mind the following matters and so help the Association to keep proper records and to enable our section of the Chronicle to be a history of old boys for present and future generations.

- 1. Notify the Association of deceased mem-
- 2. Forward any items of interest relating to the doings of old boys.
 - 3. Notify any changes of address.
- 4. Attend as many functions as possible either as a player or non-player.

Finally, we would like to express our thanks and appreciation to the officers, conveners, and secretary, Bill Ewing, of the St. Peter's Collegians Association for their help and co-operation throughout the year. We assure them that it has been a pleasure for us to work with them.

MID-NORTH DINNER

This function was held on Saturday, 10th May, 1958, at Appila, when a splendid attendance of 120 Old Boys mustered.

An active committee with Mr. W. J. Heaslip as chairman and Mr. Arthur E. Catford as secretary may well feel gratified at its success. A party from Adelaide including the President of the Association (Mr. P. E. Clark), the Headmaster (Mr. J. A. Dunning), Sir Lyell McEwin and Senator Rex Pearson attended.

Mr. Stuart Giles of "Rookwood", Melrose, who was at the school in 1889 was asked to address those present. He recounted a most interesting story about the origin of the slogan "Reds can't be beat".

In 1891 an Intercoll. football match on the Adelaide Oval was drawing to its close, and the Reds were trailing by more than thirty points.

It had been a depressing game for the Red barrackers, for although in most positions our side had held its own, the opposing defence had been very difficult to penetrate.

Now, with more than half the last quarter gone, it appeared as if nothing short of a miracle could save the Reds from a humiliating defeat. But miracles do occasionally occur, even on the football field, and with little more than ten minutes to go, another forlorn attempt was launched.

This time, whether by accident or design, the ball was sent forward low, and a little wide of the players. Our diminutive goal sneak, who later gained a reputation in league football, was matched against a much taller, heavier and more experienced player, and so, up till then, he had had few opportunities of touching the ball. Now that it came within his reach, he gained possession in a flash. A clever dodge around the legs of his tall opponent, and a quick, straight kick, wiped six points off the deficit. Not only had our score been increased, but more important still, a practicable route to goal had been discovered.

Back went the ball to centre, and within another minute both flags were waving again.

Two goals in even time, and there now appeared to be a remote chance of avoiding defeat, but only eight fleeting minutes remained. Was it to be or not to be?

The Red team at any rate intended to show that it could be done, and played an inspired game.

The opposition was also badly rattled by the sudden change in the fortunes of the day; hence goals were piled on in quick succession, the winning one being scored with a minute or so still in hand.

Hence arose the slogan "Reds can't be beat", and it is up to us, one and all, whether in Prep., Big School, or in the wider fields of after life, to do all that we can to prove that it is not an idle boast.

[Further interesting comments on this slogan may be found on pages 74, 75 of the History of the School by the late J. F. Ward, O.B.E., M.A. —Ed.]

EYRE PENINSULA DINNER

This re-union was held on the long week-end in October, namely Saturday the 11th, at the Pier Hotel, Port Lincoln. The chairman. Dr. Brian Thomas, after welcoming those present, tendered apologies from Reg Veitch (Whyalla), James Heaslip (Appila), Colin McKay (Adelaide), and Senator Rex Pearson (whose brother Hon. Glen Pearson was amongst those present). The chairman expressed regret that the Headmaster was unable to be present and asked Mr. Ray Smith (second master) to convey greetings and best wishes for his speedy and complete recovery.

Fred Mableson from Tumby Bay submitted the toast of "The School". He said that P.A.C. would shortly be entering the final decade of its first 100 years. The Prime Minister had recently reminded old Reds that it was the Headmaster and masters, past and present, who had and would indoctrinate succeeding generations of boys with the school traditions. The school was not living on its past history, as witness the Ward Library, the new War Memorial wing, the improvements to the Back Oval and the successes of the lads in examinations and games. He asked Mr. Smith to assure the Head of the continued loyalty of the old boys of Eyre Peninsula.

Mr. Ray Smith thanked members for their welcome. He intimated that, in addition to the enlargement of the Back Oval playing area, permission had recently been granted by the Adelaide City Council for P.A.C. to put down an oval in the eastern parklands. Moreover, the dormitories, the bursar's office, the chem. lab, and lecture room had all been modernized and improved. In the various sporting contests he paid a tribute to Messrs. Connell and Bennett and assured his listeners that examination results had also been excellent. It was also pleasing to see old scholars doing so well at the University.

An interlude of questions and answers was followed by a playing of the recording of the Prime Minister's speech at the annual dinner. Trevor Pearson then submitted "The Association" in one of the best and most thoughtful speeches yet heard at these dinners. If young old boys were as keen and loyal as those of past generations, the continued success of the Association was assured, he said. Mr. Phil Clark, the president, in responding said that presidents were in office for one year only but the committee carried on indefinitely and saw to it that the job was done. The Association had given and always would give every support and help to the school. He reminded the gathering of the outstanding success of the Old Boys' Athletics Club, the recent winning of the Football Premiership in Grade A2 and the winning of the Chambers Medal by Tony Clarkson. He then presented O.S. ties to Hubert Mellor (from Lock) for having travelled the longest distance, to Murray Masters and Don Pearson the oldest and the youngest old scholar respectively at the re-union. The singing of Auld Lang Syne concluded a very enjoyable evening.

The members from Adelaide—the President, Vice-President Norman Angel, Norman Todd, Laurie Lawrence, Dr. Alan Clarkson, Colin Hassell and Ross Johnston would like to express their great thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Walkom, Mr. Lloyd Clarkson, Dr. Brian Thomas and Mr. Hubert Mellor for their kindness and hospitality. These sentiments are endorsed by the three representatives from the

Mid-North committee—Arthur and Syd Catford and Bill Staker, who made a friendly gesture by attending.

SOUTH-EASTERN DINNER

This function will be held at Keith on Saturday evening, 21st March, 1959. The convener is Mr. Cyril Cook of Keith and it is hoped to have a record attendance. All enquiries should be addressed to him as early as possible.

Prince Alfred Collegians Lodge

W.M.: Wpl. Bro. B. E Thompson

I.P.M.: Wpl. Bro. J. B. Lathlean

S.W.: Bro. W. M. Potts J.W.: Bro. A. J. Charles

Chaplain: Bro. Rev. R. K. Waters Treasurer: Wpl. Bro. G. K. Ryder

Secretary: Wpl. Bro. R. P. Goode

D.C.: Wpl. Bro. J. E. Vardon S.D.: Bro. D. N. Webb

J.D.: Bro. H. F. Gaetjens I.G.: Bro. M. P. Horner Tyler: Bro. R. B. Brittain

Installation of Bro. B. E. Thompson, S.W. as W.M.

Installation Night, the great annual event in the life of every lodge, was celebrated by P.A.C. brethren on Friday, 3rd October.

At the very impressive ceremony the Grand Master was represented by R.W. Bro. C. C. Crump, P.G.W. (Pres. of B.G.P.) while the actual installation was performed by Wpl. Bro. J. B. Lathlean who installed his successor. Then the newly installed W.M. invested his officers. Wpl. Bro. W. F. Patterson, D.C., conducted the ceremony smoothly and efficiently. Fraternal greetings and good wishes were extended on behalf of all visitors by W.M. of Balaklava Lodge, No. 52.

The banqueting hall was gay with flowers and decorations in which a red and white motif strongly predominated. Yet once again the ladies are to be warmly thanked, not only for their labours but for their artistry. The traditional masonic toasts were then honoured. The new Master, Wpl. Bro Thompson, in proposing the toast of Grand Lodge first extended a

cordial welcome to R.W. Bro. Cecil Crump and the Grand Officers accompanying him and then thanked him for his continuous service to the Craft for so many years.

R.W. Bro. Crump in responding hoped that the new Master would enjoy a happy and useful year of office and speaking as a member of P.A.C. Lodge he urged the brethren to be regular and whole-hearted in their masonic duties. The toast of the Worshipful Master was proposed by Wpl. Bro. C. Dunn who indicated that P.A.C. Ldoge had now the youngest master that had ever presided over its affairs.

Bro. A. J. Charles gave "The Visiting Brethren", the responders being the W.M. of the Lodge of Harmony (K. M. Yelland, an old Red), the W.M. of St. Peter's Collegians Lodge (D. J. Thomas) and W.M. of Owen Lodge (J. D. Harkness, an old Red).

Two brackets of songs by Bro. Ian Cochius and two saxophone numbers by Bro. Forth were very well received by the brethren. The Tyler's toast concluded a happy and memorable meeting.

The W.M. (Wpl. Bro. Thompson) accompanied by his wardens and a goodly number of past masters, officers and brethren, including the Headmaster, attended the fiftieth year jubilee meeting of St. Peter's Collegiate Lodge on Tuesday, 7th October.

V.Wpl. Bro. A. E. Sunter Clarke, now in his eighty-eighth year, foundation secretary of Lodge Jemalong (N.S.W. Const.) has had the Grand Lodge rank of P.D.G.I.W. conferred on him in recognition of his services to Masonry. He attended P.A.C. 1879-84, was initiated in Crystal Brook Lodge in 1912 and became its W.M. in 1921.

ONLY NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting

OF

PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS' ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED

Will be held at the School on THURSDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1958 at 7.45 p.m.

BUSINESS:

- 1. To receive the Annual Report and Balance Sheet.
- 2. To Elect Officers for the ensuing year.
- 3. Any other business that may arise.

By Order of the Committee,

HAROLD SHUTTLEWORTH ROSS C. JOHNSTON Joint Hon. Secretaries

At the conclusion a Smoke Social will be held when Mr. G. M. Potts, M.A., will give an illustrated talk on the P.A.C. Tour of New Zealand.

Owing to the increased cost of printing and postage, your Committee has decided to continue the practice of including in the Chronicle, the notice in connection with the Annual Meeting and Smoke Social, Annual Report and Statement of Accounts (which are included elsewhere in this issue) in lieu of the customary circular notice.

Fifty years ago

In addition to the usual old boys' dinner in Adelaide, P.A.O.C. dinners in 1908 were also held at:

Melbourne (J. W. Styles, chairman) Sydney (Walter Treleaven, M.A.) London (J. B. Robertson) Perth (the Premier, Newton Moore, C.M.G.)

Kalgoorlie (S. E. Hocking) Mount Gambier (P. H. Niquet) Broken Hill (Dr. Hains) Port Pirie (W. H. Campbell)

Boarders, for the first time, were granted their own column in the School Chronicle. Two items were: (1) Boarders' match versus S.P.S.C boarders. Victory for P.A.C. boarders, 11-10 to 8-5. (2) Paper chase: a fine moonlight night. Hares proceeded towards Cowells' gardens (???) as usual, and returned ten minutes before first hounds.

Of the Adelaide University Football XVIII that played against Melbourne University, fourteen were old Reds, viz. H. W. D. Stoddart (captain), H. G. Annells, W. B. Angwin, J. W. Blacket, W. W. Cooper, D. R. Cowan, W. A. V. Drew, C. F. Drew, R. A. Goode, S. W. Jeffries, L. H. Haslam, Evan Holder, J. Jona, A. C. Wilton.

The inter-varsity lacrosse team of 1908 had a strong blending of Princes old scholars. The following were members:—M. Erichsen, R. A. Goode (captain), L. W. Jeffries, D. M. Steele, D. R. W. Cowan, E. A. H. Russell, N. C. Shierlaw, H. K. Fry, A. Pinch, and R. J. Verco.

PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE CHRONICLE

PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS' ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED

Revenue Account for the Twelve Months ended the 30th September, 1958

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MR. L. S. CLARKSON, C.B.E.



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The Prime Minister (The Right Honourable R. G. Menzies, C.H., Q.C., M.P.) is welcomed at the Annual Dinner. The President (Mr. P. E. Clark) introducing the Headmaster (Mr. J. A. Dunning) with Rev. A. E. Vogt



Prince Alfred 64 College Chronicle

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Old Boys who attended the School 60 years or more ago, who were present at the Morning Service on Old Boys Day, 1958

THE OLD SCHOLARS FOOTBALL TEAM

Premiers S.A.A.F.L. Grade A2, 1958 Played 21 matches, Won 15, Lost 6 Defeated S.P.O.C. in Grand Final: 11-20 to 10-11

Back Row—R. J. Gibbs, A. G. Hannam, R. May, I. Wallace, B. Gray, B. Constable, L. A. Williams Centre Row—D. Boyce (Boundary Umpire), J. Kinross (Sprigger), M. E. Ducker, R. G. Todd, I. O. Tait, S. W. Schofield, P. A. Dalwood, A. R. Clarkson, I. G. Dennis, K. P. Scott, C. D Crouch, S. Boyce (Goal Umpire)

Front Row-D. L. Davies, B. A. Fricker (Hon. Treasurer), P. E. Clark (President), M. D. Perrott (Captain), J. A. Dunning (Headmaster), P. E. Butcher (Vice-Captain), A. E. Norman (Coach), A. F. Statton (Hon. Secretary)

Absent—G. C. Marshall, R. J. Byrne, J. D. Swain, J. McKenzie, C. James, D. Treloar, C. O'Connor (Trainer), O. E. F. Butcher (Time-keeper)



Eightieth Annual Report

The Committee has pleasure in submitting the Report for the year ending 30th September, 1958.

Membership—Life Membership shows an increase of 18. Ordinary Membership has been well maintained and the total constitutes a record for the Association.

Comparative Statement

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Life Members		1953 2,233	1954 2,312	1955 2,370	1956 2,457	1957 2,539	1958 2,557
Ordinary Members, paid -		624	490	346	492	534	365
Ordinary Members 1 year owing		142	284	357	175	114	298
Ordinary Members, 2 years owing		62	61	148	116	76	77
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FINANCE—The Revenue Account shows a deficiency of £228 after payment of Income Tax amounting to £100. The Capital Account now totals £15,849. This fund is steadily increasing and constitutes a record.

THE BENEVOLENT FUND, for the relief of distress amongst Old Boys, stands at £300.

THE EDUCATION FUND is for the purpose of educating the children of Old Boys who died on Active Service. Four boys and four girls are now benefiting from the fund.

Subscriptions—During the year ended 30th September, 1957, in order to off-set continued rising costs, Annual Subscriptions were increased to £1 and Life Membership to £15/15/-. The Revenue Account reflects the benefit of this course, but in order that the fullest advantages to the Association be achieved, prompt payment of Annual Subscriptions will be of great assistance and this will also relieve considerably the work involved, and postage charges incurred, in collection.

INVESTMENT OF FUNDS—Following the amendment to the Rules of the Association, your Committee has during the year made investments in various Public Companies by the purchase of shares. The full benefit both of a higher investment rate and the relief from taxation on dividends has not yet been obtained, as these investments have been made from time to time during the year as and when suitable shares became available.

INTER-ASSOCIATION CONTESTS—The results for the year were:—St. Peter's won Hockey, Table Tennis, Squash, Golf, Basketball and Tennis; whilst this Association was successful in Football, Baseball, Bowls, Bridge and Badminton. Chess, Rugby and Lacrosse were drawn.

OLD BOYS WEEK—A full programme of sporting and social functions was arranged and carried out. Old Boys Day was suitably celebrated with the usual Morning Assembly for those who attended the School 60 years or more ago, and there was an excellent attendance.

The Town and Country Football Match was played as usual on Old Boys Day and attracted many country members. The Annual Dinner was a great success. We were honoured on this occasion by the attendance of The Right Honourable R. G. Menzies, P.C., Q.C., M.P., Prime Minister of Australia.

Association Functions-

Social Evening—In February a large attendance of new members gathered at the School to hear talks on the sporting activities and other functions of the Association.

Bowls Match—In March a very successful Bowls evening was held at Toorak and interested a large number of members who play bowls only once a year.

Golf-The usual Golf Match for Association members attracted a record

attendance at Grange Links in June.

Messrs. Gordon Whittam and Bob Meyer, through the courtesy of Mr. Harry Meyer, who made available his picturesque golf course at Ashbourne, arranged and provided the food for a social barbecue Golf Day on 24th August. Those attending had a very enjoyable day and proceeds were donated to the "Back Oval Appeal."

SCHOLARSHIPS—The Association maintained one Scholarship at the School

during the year and made the usual Prize Donation.

Sporting Activities—There has been a continued strong interest in the

sporting activities of the Association during the year.

The Athletics Club is to be congratulated on its excellent performance during the season. The Challenge Cup (Senior), the H. R. Walsh Challenge Shield (Junior) and the C. Ronald Aitken Challenge Shield (Sub-Junior), in the State Championships, were all won by the Club.

The Football Club again fielded two teams, and on a number of occasions three teams. The A Team won the premiership in Grade A2, and the B team finished fourth in A5. This is the first time that the B team has played off in the final four. Anthony Clarkson won the Chambers Medal for the best and fairest player in Grade A2.

The Cricket Club is just now commencing its matches and hopes next season to field two teams in the Turf Association.

The Rugby players again supported ably the efforts of the Combined Collegians Club and again had a successful season.

Each of the sporting clubs is keen to enrol new members and would welcome attendance at practice on the College grounds.

Your interest, either as a player or spectator, would encourage the club and assist these worth-while activities of our Association.

COUNTRY RE-UNIONS — Successful Re-union Dinners were held at Appila and Kalangadoo; and just recently at Port Lincoln and Minlaton. The improving attendance at these Re-unions is evidence of the enjoyment gained.

THE BACK OVAL—Your Committee was very pleased to give its utmost support to the appeals for the Back Oval project made by the School, which will enable increased playing areas and facilities. The result of the excellent efforts of all groups who assisted in this project is now being revealed in the marked improvement and development of the School grounds.

Interstate Branches—Interstate Branches at Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne Perth and Broken Hill maintain the interest of Old Boys in their respective States. Re-unions and other functions and sporting contests have been held. The London Branch Dinner has become an annual function which is appreciated by Old Boys resident in England, and also by visitors from Australia.

Monthly Luncheons have been held regularly at Balfour's Cafe, King William Street, on the third Tuesday of every month. Very interesting and instructive addresses have been enjoyed during the year. Luncheons have been well attended, and it is hoped this will continue.

Honours—In the Birthday Honours List Mr. L. S. Clarkson was honoured with the award of Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

Mr. AND Mrs. J. A. DUNNING—The Association is again deeply indebted to the Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning and Mrs. Dunning for their assistance during the year, and especially during Old Boys Week.

Secretaries' Honorarium—After full and careful consideration the Committee resolved to increase the Joint Secretaries' Honorarium, the increase to apply for the year ended 30th September, 1958.

COMMITTEE—During the year 9 Committee Meetings were held, at which attendances were as follows:—Dr. M. W. Evans 6, L. P. A. Lawrence 9, N. A. Walsh 8, N. S. Angel 6, Dr. A. J. Clarkson 7, F. C. Hassell 7, Norman Todd 6, P. E. Clark 9, A. W. Crompton 7, Michael Perry 8, C. L. McKay 9, D. L. Davies 8, E. F. Hunwick 8, H. F. Gaetjens 4, A. G. Alexander 5, J. H. Gerard 5, J. S. Gilbert 8, R. W. Piper 8, B. Fricker 6, Harold Shuttleworth 5, Ross Johnston 9. Mr. Gaetjens was granted leave of absence whilst overseas.

In accordance with the Rules the officers and seven committeemen will retire, but are eligible for re-election. The retiring committeemen are:—Messrs. J. H. Gerard, J. S. Gilbert, R. W. Piper, A. W. Crompton, D. L. Davies, Norman Todd, N. A. Walsh.

Messrs. N. A. Walsh and J. S. Gilbert are not available for re-election.

The Association records with appreciation its thanks to the Treasurer, Mr. E. F. Hunwick, and to the joint Secretaries, Messrs. Harold Shuttleworth and Ross C. Johnston.

P. E. CLARK, President

Sports

PERSONAL

Congratulations to Ian Hannaford on being selected in the Port Adelaide and Carnival Football teams this season. He was a member of last year's school XVIII. He was also selected in the Advertiser "Team of the Year", and won The Advertiser best-first-year-player trophy.

Graham Nicholls, Bob Skinner, and Doug Young were members of Norwood's semi-final team. Klynton Kitto, who won the "Mail" medal for the best and fairest player in the Yorke Valley Association was included in the Norwood night team for the final against South.

Congratulations also to Tony Clarkson on winning the Chambers Medal for the best and fairest player in Grade A II of the S.A. Amateur Football League. We have to go back to pre-war days for our last medal winner in the person of John Stephens.

Evan Davies has had a successful season as captain of Port Victoria Football team, and captain of the combined Yorke Valley team.

Leon Lovegrove played his 100th game for West Adelaide during the season and Mick Wundke has done very well as centre half-forward with the same club. The latter was second in the club voting for the Margarey Medal.

Colin Parham has been granted life membership of the S.A. National Football League. He played 115 games for Port Adelaide in ten seasons.

John Lill playing at centre half-forward was best player for S.A. in the amateur interstate match against victoria. He has had a great season with the University side.

Brian Hurn, state cricketer, kicked six goals for Barrossa and Light in the final match of the Central Districts football carnival.

Bill Johnson won the Woolley Trophy for the leading goalkicker in the league seconds. He has been playing with Norwood "B".

Ray Trenordan has been a consistent member of North Adelaide "A" team and Grantly Sims was best player for Sturt "B" in the preliminary final. He had several games during the season with the "A" team.

Don Noblet (captain) was also named among the best players for Adelaide Commonwealth Bank in their annual match against Melbourne.

Peter Dalwood kicked three goals for a team of former interstate players in a match against old West Torrens players. He showed fine form for the O.S. team in the final and grand final matches.

Ian Day was well up in the voting for the League Seconds Margarey Medal. He plays with West Adelaide.

Dr. H. W. D. Stoddart, Sir Shirley Jeffries, and Mr. Roy Middleton attended the inaugural meeting of the S.A. Amateur Football League on 8th March, 1911. Sir Shirley was first chairman and Roy Middleton first secretary. The latter has recently been re-elected president of the S.A.C.A., and re-appointed a delegate to the Australian Board of Cricket Control.

John Ducker and Brian Hurn were included in the State cricket squad for indoor practice during the winter.

Don Bartlett has been re-elected chairman of the Adelaide Turf Cricket Association, Ken Webb continues on the executive, and Alan Statton is now assistant secretary.

Ron Parker, a former State opening batsman, has been appointed coach of the Sturt Cricket Club.

What is probably a record for a club in S.A. has been achieved by the athletic club in having seven of its members in the Australian rankings for 1957-58 (last year there were three). The list is as follows:— Kitto (220 yards), Gibson (120 and 440 hurdles), Perrott (220 and 440 hurdles), Page (440 hurdles), Taylor (hop, step and jump), Koch (shot put), Dyke (hop, step and jump, discus, hammer).

Congratulations are extended to the school athletics team on again winning the Intercoll. and Combined Schools' meetings. In the O.S. hundred at the Intercoll. meeting Kitto and Taylor filled the first two places.

At the school sports Dyke and Taylor were first and second respectively in the O.S. hop, step and jump. In the O.S. 100 yards K. Kitto, A. Gibson, and J. Harvey finished in that order, and in the 440 yards Kitto, Harris and Page were the place-getters. In the putting-the-weight exhibition Brian Dyke finished second to John Koch (distance 50 feet 2 inches).

Graham Crawford won the University Athletic Cup for the third time. He won the 100 yards, 120 and 220 hurdles, hop, step and jump, and broad jump. He is also on the committee of the club.

Four old scholars are vice-patrons of the University Athletic Club, namely Dr. D. G. McKay (who won the cup in 1924 and 1927), Dr. M. W. Evans, Dr. C. T. Piper, and Dr. L. P. A. Lawrence. Dr. Greg Markey and Dr. Sandy Skinner are vice-presidents.

Sir Lavington Bonython is the sole survivor of the original foundation members of the Adelaide Bowling Club.

Peter Humble was stroke of the crew which won the Alexander Memorial fours conducted by the Adelaide Rowing Club. Dr. Fred Dibden was a member of the crew.

Jim Freeman has been elected president of the State Branch of the Australian Power Boat Association.

Congratulations to Brian Anderson on being selected in the State Badminton team.

Ken Bridge has been playing hockey for Teachers College "A" team this season, Laurie Gibson for Grange and interstate, and Peter Millhouse with Lincoln College.

J. W. Trescowthick driving a 1910 Daimler was prominent in this year's Golden Fleece Veteran Car Rally to the Barossa Valley.

Don Candy and partner reached the semifinals of the Italian tennis championships last May

The S.A.L.T.A. tennis rankings for 1957-58 included Bill Johnson and David Rowe.

Dr. John Jackson is president of the S.A. Table Tennis Association and chairman of the State selectors. He is a prominent member of the Sturt team.

John Harvey and Hugh Williamson have been consistent performers with the Old Collegians rugby team. The team was narrowly defeated in the final for the A. F. Neilson Memorial Cup.

Brian and Keith Forrest are still playing "A" grade lacrosse for Port Adelaide. They have been great stalwarts of our O.S. team in Old Boys' Week for many years.

Geoff Rogers, vice-captain of University, was also vice-captain of the State Colts lacrosse team. Jim Richmond and Peter Somerville have also been playing for the same club, whilst Michael Wainwright has been showing good form in his first year. Andrew Jeffrey is another O.S. playing with Varsity.

Gordon McKay won the senior section of the equistrian event conducted by the S.A. Branch of the Federation which was held at Houghton last May.

Bill Shepherd (vice-captain Kooyonga), Brian Faehse and Dudley Trott have been representing their clubs in Simpson Cup matches. The former was a member of the State team, and last June equalled the unofficial course record of sixty-three off the stick.

Dr. John Waddy, Ken Babidge and Rodney Hill, were amongst those playing in "B" Pennant golf matches.

Max Raggatt, David Rowe, Michael Perry, Vern Branson, Keith Johnson, Gerald Cox and Bob Pearlman were all competition winners at Kooyonga last season. Paul Dalwood is a member of the committee.

When S.A. last won the interstate series held at Royal Adelaide twenty years ago, Bob Christie was a member of the team.

A. H. Guymer and A. N. Woolcock were two names noticed playing in the Edward Leaver Veterans Cup.

Ern Hunwick and partner were successful in the Services Challenge Cup match at Royal Adelaide. Jim Hodge was also prominent.

Other names noticed in the golf news were Charlie South, Colin Gurner, John Hill, Bob Slatter, Guy Morris, Bob Sharland, Laurie Lawrence, Malcolm Barton, Syd Torr, Max Brinsley, W. G. Humble, Garth Cord-Udy, Bert Lower and Don Brebner.

Recently Alan Paterson topped the R.A.A.F. exam and is now training as an Air Force Pilot.

CRICKET

The Prince Alfred Old Collegians Cricket Club will compete again this season in Grade Al.

This year the Turf Association has grown to thirty-eight teams and by next season it is hoped that P.A.O.C. will be able to make a thirty-ninth team.

Our club had a very enjoyable season of cricket in 1957-58 and as in other years was within striking distance of the final four until the last two matches, ultimately finishing seventh. We hope to be able to improve our standard in the future and put our team on top.

New players are needed and club officials will be pleased to hear from any old scholar who is contemplating playing.

Practice is held regularly at the school on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

The club secretary is Murray Wellington, UA8278.

CLOSE GOLF MATCH

This very popular function was held at the Grange Golf Club on Tuesday, 3rd June with a record number of over sixty players. The weather was kind—a beautiful sunny day with the greens in wonderful condition after the recent rains. The winner of the Clarkson Cup for the second year in succession was Bob Cleland, who finished 2 up. He received his trophy from President Phil Clarke in the clubhouse after the match. Your Association this year donated trophies to the winners of the 4 ball best ball event and this was won by Len Badcock and Bob Cleland who finished 5 up. The runners-up were Peter Wheatley and Dick Moore, also 5 up, who lost on a count back. The President thanked the Grange Golf Club for their hospitality, said all players had enjoyed the day, and thanked the conveners, Messrs. Hunwick, Gerard and Gaetjens. Mr. Russell King, the club manager, suitably responded. Further players who would like to take part in this match next year are asked to forward their names so that they may be added to the list.

ROWING

The weather and the attendance at the Head-of-the-River Public Schools Regatta at Torrens Lake on Saturday, 19th April, left nothing to be desired. In the Old Boys' Eight our convener, Rod Leaver, had got a good crew together consisting of the following: R. G. Morgan (bow), P. L. Magraith (2), M. R. Martin (3), A. D. Paterson (4), B. F. Dalton (5), T. O. Moore (6), D. S. Humble (7), P. A. Humble (stroke), and G. J. Dalton (cox). In the first heat against Adelaide High Old Scholars we led most of the way and won comfortably by two and a quarter lengths. Excitement was running high when we met Scotch Old Scholars in the final. It was a good even race for most of the course, but Scotch

with a very fine finishing burst just got there. We offer our congratulations to them on winning the Shannon Trophy. However, we are now convinced that it really is our turn to win this event.

We should like to thank the school for the use of one of their boats which was greatly appreciated. Also congratulations to the various school crews who reached the finals and who won the second eights and clinker fours.

FOOTBALL CLUB

The season which has just ended must rank as one of the best the club has had and it was most pleasing to see so many new members joining our ranks. At the beginning of the season Ted Norman was appointed coach, Dean Perrott captain of the "A"s and Ian Pontifex captain of the "B"s and the record for the club throughout the season bears witness to the manner in which these three so capably carried out their duties.

At the end of the minor round our "A" team finished second to our old rivals S.P.O.C. on percentage and although in the semi-finals we had a lead of approximately five goals at three quarter time we were swamped in the last quarter and lost the match by four points. However, whilst we had to do the job the hard way, we finally met Saints again in the grand final and after a very keen game, the team came out victorious, the final scores being P.A.O.C. 11—20: S.P.O.C. 10—11.

The "B" team after a very good start to the season had a midseason slump and finished in third position at the end of the minor round, but unfortunately lost to University in the semi-final by eight points. As this is the first time ever that this team has reached the final four we congratulate them on their effort and look forward to them taking out the shield next season.

To add further honour to the club this year Anthony Clarkson was awarded the Chambers Medal in Amateur League Grade A2 for the best and fairest player for the season. Our sincere congratulations are extended to "Doc" on his achievement, which was certainly a mighty effort when it is taken into account that he was playing in a side which went premiers.

We are most grateful to Ted Norman for all the work which he put into his coaching. He gained the full confidence of all members of the club whether players, officials or supporters and much of the credit for the success of the team this season is due to his untiring efforts. There would be no doubt that at the end of the season Ted must have been one of the fittest in the club. Not only did he do his full share of work at practice each night, but at the matches each Saturday, he must have walked miles around the various arenas urging the team on with his usual enthusiasm. Congratulations Ted, and we hope you will be with us again next year.

The executive committee under the chairmanship of Mr. Phil Clarke, met regularly throughout the season and we are thankful to the members of the Association who attended these meetings. As a result the club administration continued on the same standard as set by the executive committee the previous season.

The social committee under Bill Alexander ably assisted by Leighton Williams is to be congratulated on the fine work it has done throughout the season. The club spirit this season was the best it has been for some time, mainly through the endless work put in by this committee.

We were very pleased to see so many supporters following our teams throughout the year and certainly hope that next season we will see many more following their example.

One of our continual worries has been to find sufficient non-playing members to act as officials. This season we were fortunate to have Mr. Butcher, Mr. Boyce, Malc Boyce, Ian Markey, "Chook" and Eddie, and hope in addition to those mentioned that next year others will see fit to come forward and offer their services.

The season concluded with a dinner held at the Majestic Hotel, Adelaide, on Friday, 26th September, 1958. This was attended by 101 members and supporters and was a very successful ending for the year. Mr. Phil Clark was in the chair and others present included Mr. Laurie Davies (representing the Headmaster who was unable to attend), who responded to the toast of the school which was proposed by Dr. Alan Clarkson and Mr. E. Nazer, the President of the S.A. Amateur Football League, who responded on behalf of that body to the toast proposed by Brian Fricker.

The club is most grateful to those supporters who donated the thirty trophies which were presented, the two main trophies being won by Anthony Clarkson and Ian Pontifex for the best and fairest in our "A"s and "B"s respectively.

At the dinner Life Membership Certificates were presented to Ted Stephens, Jack Miller and "Chook" O'Connor, whilst gold medals were presented to Ian Markey and Peter Cox and we extend our heartiest congratulations to them.

As no doubt you are aware, our "A" team next year will be promoted to Grade A1 and as we will need all the support possible, we do appeal to all old boys to join us. They will find a warm welcome awaiting them whether as players or supporters, and any information regarding the activities of the club will be readily given by our honorary secretary, Alan Statton, at W6644 (business) or FU1587 (private).

RUGBY

The 1958 rugby season has been quite successful for the Old Collegians Rugby Club.

The "A"s made the final four, while the "B" grade team played well under rather adverse circumstances, a lot of their players being transferred to the "A"s for replacement of injured players.

This year for the first time we fielded a third team. On the whole the "C" grade team was a little disappointing owing to lack of sufficient players towards the end of the season.

Next year we look forward to a more successful year. We will be transferring our training ground from P.A.C. to Findon Park, where we will be practising under flood lights, twice a week. So we can look forward to some really hard and concentrated training.

P.A.C. is well represented in the club by players like Lance Ridgeway, Austin Gibson, John Sheppard, and Graham Slee.

Should any old scholars be interested in joining the club the committee urge you to contact the secretary, K. B. Gibbs, 8 First Avenue, Glenelg, who will be pleased to hear from you.

ATHLETICS CLUB

The Athletics Club, now in its eleventh season, feels it is in a position to boast of two teams and has nominated a second team which will compete in "B" grade this season.

This team, it is anticipated, will be very strong in sprinting and hurdling, but it will lack numbers in hammer-throwing, javelinthrowing, pole-vaulting and walking events.

No running ability is required for the throwing events. Hammer-throwing is an event in which everyone can be proficient after a small amount of weightlifting and practising style. Pole-vaulting is an event in which gymnasts of only moderate ability can perform very creditably.

If you can throw the 16 lb. hammer 60 feet or jump 7 feet 6 inches in the pole-vault you will gain valuable points for the team in interclub competition each Saturday afternoon.

We have more than our share of the State's star athletes. It is old scholars of only moderate ability that the club is lacking in.

The committee believes that provided we can have regular competitors in the throwing, walking events and the pole-vault to fill our "B" grade team each Saturday we will have a chance of achieving our goal this year of winning both the "A" and "B" grade premierships!

The season opens on 4th October, and practices are held regularly at the school throughout the season where we are very fortunate in having Mr. Connell available to coach and help us at all times. Athletics at the school were never higher and this should be reflected in the numbers and doings of our club this season. For any further information and enquiries contact Trevor Siegele (U4214), Andrew Jeffery (UX2929) or Bob Skinner (UX3583).

Interstate Branches

NEW SOUTH WALES

The Branch President is Mr. C. Geoff Bennett, 88 Belmont Road, Mosman, N.S.W. The Vice-President is Mr. Brian E. Monfries, 16 Pembroke Street, Eastwood, N.S.W. The Secretary is Mr. Don Spry, 2 Reely Street, Pymble, N.S.W.

Personal

Rev. A. R. Gardner. We are extremely sorry to hear that, from injuries received in a car accident, Alf has been forced to resign from the incumbency at Orange and has retired to "Pleasant Banks", Goroke, Victoria.

Peter Berriman. We are sorry to have lost Peter from our ranks. He has been appointed to the position of Bacteriologist with Tasman Vaccine Laboratories in Upper Hutt, New Zealand, and his address is now 21 Dunns Road. Silverstream, New Zealand.

Gurney Parker. Is at present on a business trip to England.

Arnold Weidenhofer. Has been appointed General Manager for N.S.W. branch of John Lysaght (Aust.) Pty. Ltd.

R. E. Honey. Has left the Commonwealth Bank and is now General Manager for Australia of the United Dominions Corporation Aust. Ltd.

C. W. D. McCormack. Left for Scotland on 21st July for a six months stay. On his return he will live in Melbourne, his address there being c/o Parbury, Henty & Co. Pty. Ltd., 522 Little Collins Street, Melbourne, C.I

Ken S. Brown. We have recently heard from Ken, who is Group Personnel Officer for Unilever (Aust.) Pty. Ltd., and at present in London with Mrs. Brown on a business trip. He attended the Old Boys' Dinner in London and writes as follows:

"I hope this letter will reach you before the Sydney Dinner. First, greetings from me personally and best wishes for a successful dinner. Secondly, Old Boys at the London Dinner held at the Oxford and Cambridge Club last Friday send you all in Sydney words of cheer.

There were about sixteen men present ranging from those at school in 1895 to a year or so ago.

Stanford Howard is the moving spirit here and in the chair was Dr. Rayner. Of course, as you would expect, many present were medicos, some doing post-graduate work at present. Dr. A. R. Southwood's son was one of these. Another eminent Old Boy there was Mitchell Rees who brought Prince Charles and his sister into the world. Current Rhodes Scholar, David Evans was there, not to forget Rex Dawe, now silver-haired, and Doug Allen, too, who is just about to publish a book on nuclear physics which he assured me I would not be able to follow. McKay of the Adelaide Advertiser and Cuthbert Martin also of Adelaide were visitors to London also. Another you would remember was Howard Hobbs. I am sorry I cannot recall the name of the 1895 man, but he was Mayor of Westminster and still on that Council. [Maurice Giles. Ed.]

I took the opportunity of telling them of the activities in Sydney and of the names of those who take part there. Another who was also at the London dinner was F. A. Gibbs, a master of the late twenties. He particularly asked me to send his regards."

Annual Dinner

Our annual dinner was a thoroughly successful and enjoyable function for the forty members who were present.

e were happy to have Geof. Bennett, the son of our old unforgettable gym master, in the chair and the toast of the evening "Our Alma Mater" was proposed by our dear old friend Maurice Ralph who was at school from 1889 to 1891.

His age has not dimmed either his sense of humour or his personality and his sentiment and wit charmed us all. He was ably supported by Jack Hiatt who struck a more serious note in thoughtful contrast.

The whole evening, however, centred on the telephone hook-up which operated perfectly for us this year. Thanks again to Herbert Botten who has made himself responsible for provid-ing the required amplifying equipment. We were indeed happy to hear both Adelaide and Perth so clearly and to be linked directly with so many Old Boys.

We were particularly glad to welcome Matt Tiddy who had journeyed from Newcastle to attend his first annual re-union dinner, Dick Gibson, who was also a new member, and Colin Alexander who was on loan for the night from Melbourne Branch.

During the evening Brian Monfries was elected Vice-President and Don Spry the new Secretary, replacing Ern Kesting, whose health does not permit him to carry on after holding office since 1936.

Visit by Messrs. Mutton and Close

During the September vacation, both the senior and preparatory schools of the college were ably represented in Sydney by Messrs. Mutton and Close.

Twelve former pupils of Mr. Mutton, who was holidaying, were delighted to meet him again at an informal luncheon. All wondered at his amazing aptitude for remembering the names and faces of the hundreds of pupils who have passed through his hands. We note that he still pins his faith on Ford.

Mr. Close was attending a conference, but he was able to find time to renew many friendships with old scholars living in Sydney and at an impromptu meeting he informed us of all latest events at the school and gave a really detailed account of the Intercoll. football.

Mr. Horace Keyworth Nock, one of Australia's foremost authorities on the wheat cost structure, died in Sydney on Saturday morning. (2/8/58.)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

The Branch President is Mr. J. C. Livingston of 10A Bindaring Parade, Cottesloe. The Branch Secretary is Mr. L. E. Thurston, 11 South Terrace, Como.

The Branch continued to hold the Sundowners which have now been a feature of Western Australian activities for some years.

The annual dinner was held at the C.T.A. Club on Thursday, 24th July, and there were twenty-one members present. The speeches over the telephone hook-up from Adelaide and Sydney were very clearly received and thoroughly enjoyed by all members present. The toast to the "Old School" was very ably proposed by Dr. F. E. Gallash, a member of our committee.

On Sunday, 5th October, we met our old rivals, Saints, in the annual golf match and after a very enjoyable game it is with regret that I have to report that Saints proved the winners. Whilst on the subject of golf, on Sunday, 26th October, we will be combining with Saints to play a combined Victorian Public Schools team, and on Tuesday, 11th November, a team of four players will be participating in a combined Public Schools of Australia match for a shield kindly donated by Mr. Harry Jessop, one of our Old Boys.

During the year two of our members have received high honours for their good work and they are Dr. J. L. Rossiter, who was honoured to be elected to the highest position in Freemasonry in W.A., and Mr. Vernon Dawe who was awarded the Silver Wolf for his outstanding service to the Boy Scout Movement.

QUEENSLAND

The Branch Secretary is Mr. P. D. Coles, Room 12, Fourth Floor, National Mutual Building, 293 Queen Street, Brisbane—phone B8017. Monthly luncheons are held on the last Thursday of each month at the Commercial Travellers' Association Club, Elizabeth Street, Brisbane.

VICTORIA

The Branch President is Mr. Paull Fiddian. The Branch Secretary is Mr. Neil Effick, 90 Beach Road, Sandringham S.8, Victoria.

At the annual dinner held on the same night as the Adelaide dinner, Mr. G. M. Potts, M.A., of the school staff was our guest speaker. Melbourne Old Reds welcomed him with lively acclamation and listened with interest to the very latest details of happenings at the old school.

BROKEN HILL

The Branch President is Mr. W. R. M. White. The Secretary is Mr. K. D. Price, c/o North Mine, Broken Hill, N.S.W., who reports:

"Twenty-eight local members and guests attended the annual dinner of the branch on the 24th July, 1958.

The President, Mr. Bill White, toasted the Queen and welcomed all diners, and was subsequently thanked by Mr. Jack Prider for designing a colourful and unique menu card for the grand occasion. Mr. Prider toasted "The School" and Mr. Jack Clark "Kindred Associations".

Responses were heard from Mr. Ern Andrews of St. Peter's Old Collegians Association, and others representing brother Adelaide colleges.

The Secretary, Mr. Ken Price, spoke on behalf of the Back Oval Fund and a sum of thirty-eight pounds was raised to assist the project.

The reception from the landline hook-up was better than ever this year, and all members were overjoyed to hear news from the parent body and Sydney and Perth Branches."

London Branch

Dr. Stanford Howard, of 49 Wimpole Street, London, W.1., is desirous of meeting all Old Boys who may be visiting London.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATES

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

TOKENS AND TIES

Supplies are now available for Association members.

Tokens are available at £1 and new Association Ties are 12/6 for woollen and 5/- for silk,

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

Subscriptions for the year ending 30th September, 1959, are now due, and members are requested to remit promptly to facilitate the work of the Association.

The work of the Association has increased considerably, and your co-operation by prompt payment of subscriptions (£1/-/-) is requested.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

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