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## Editorial

The instinct to do the right thing is not a recent development of civilization. Back through the centuries examples of instinctive chivalry, or in the more modern vernacular—fair play—have been eulogized in verse and drama.

The best example is probably the story of King Arthur and his knights, which inspired Tennyson's immortal work.

The growth of the Olympiads is synonymous with the development of true sport, and the call to "Pass the Torch".

Gradually the symbol of the torch-bearer has been translated into every-day life. We pass on the torch of service, beauty, honour and discipline when we strive, as the athletes of old strove, to make our own personal effort in the race of life a worthwhile contribution.

"The race is to the strong" does not mean merely physical strength. Paul says: "I can do all things through Christ who strengtheneth me", and so Christianity has changed the pagan sports into the idealistic contests of modern times.

Thus by playing the game, we learn to fight the good fight as happy warriors should:

"Who is the happy warrior? . . ."  
 "'Tis, finally, the man, who, lifted high,  
 Conspicuous object in a nation's eye, . . .  
 Plays, in the many games of life, that one  
 Where what he most doth value must be won . . ."  
 "Who, not content that former worth stand fast,  
 Looks forward, persevering to the last,  
 From well to better daily self-surpass . . ."  
 "This is the happy warrior: this is He  
 That every man in arms should wish to be."

W. D. P.



## School Notes

The number on the roll at the beginning of the year was 865. Of this number 607 were in the Big School. An additional fourth form accounts for most of the increase, but unfortunately for many wishing to enter in 1960, we shall have to revert to four fourth forms next year, as we shall then have to find room for another lower-fifth form.

During the long vacation, extensive alterations were made to the Physics Laboratory and to the dormitory accommodation in the central portion of the Boarding House.

We welcome to the staff Mr. D. H. Prest, M.Sc., Cert.Ed., (Captain of the School in 1949) who came to us in November upon his return from study at the Universities of Southampton and Birmingham, Mr. S. Claver, B.A., Mr. G. Gabb, Mr. P. H. Phillips, B.A., and Mr. E. S. Whitworth

At the end of 1958, we farewelled Mr W. L. Davies, B.A., and Mr. M. K. Secombe. Mr. Davies had retired in 1954, but after spending 1955 in travel abroad, he returned as a part-time master. Mr. Secombe has left us to join the ministry of our Church and we wish him well in his new sphere of service.

Mr. Potts and Mr. Mutton joined the staff in April, 1919, and have thus completed forty years of service.

The Preparatory School staff remains unchanged except that Mr. D. C. Kitney has leave of absence for the first term while he visits his parents in England. We are grateful to Mrs. D. H. Prest, M.A., who is taking form II A during his absence.

Comfortable wins in cricket and tennis against our old rivals are recorded in this Chronicle. Congratulations are extended to the coaches and captains, Mr. Leak and Oaten of cricket, Mr. Gabb and Phillips of tennis and to the members of the teams.

Mr. Leak has unfortunately been forced to give up the coaching of the first eleven because of an injury to his back. He continues as sports master and secretary of the sports committee, and he is coaching junior boys at cricket. Mr. Bennett is now coaching the firsts in both cricket and football. We are disappointed at the decision of S.P.S.C. to withdraw from the intercollegiate athletics.

Mr. P. R. Jenkin, who had done resident duty in the house while doing an economics course at the University, was married in January. His place has been taken by another old boy, Mr. G. C. Kelly, who is helping with the work of the scouts.

Early this year the deaths occurred of Mrs. W. R. Bayly, widow of the fourth headmaster of the School, and Mr. C. E. Bennett, who from 1904 to 1939, first as assistant to Mr. Hugo Leschen, and then as Gymnasium Master, was a well-known and popular figure in the School. To their families we extend our sincere sympathy.

The President and members of the Committee of the Old Collegians Association paid their annual visit to morning assembly during November. The President, Mr. P. E. Clark, told the school of the work the Association was doing, and appealed to all boys leaving school not only to join but also to become active and interested members.

The General Rowell Prize, open to cadets in Central Command, has been awarded to P. J. Nelson. This is the fourth time in ten years that a P.A.C. boy has won the prize, previous winners being R. T. Southwood, D. W. Evans and R. W. Evans.

It was reported in the last issue of the Chronicle that the City Council had granted the College permission to level, grass, reticulate and fence the parklands oval for which we had previously held the licence for football only. The levelling has been completed and, at the time of writing these notes, the area is being covered with 800 tons of loam. The assistance given by Mr. Brian Fricker in organizing this work is much appreciated.



## Cadet Notes

This year opened in fine style with the unit reaching its maximum number, two hundred and fifty-eight. We have seven platoons, four of which consist of recruits, and they can look forward to an enjoyable and successful year with officers and N.C.O.s who have really distinguished themselves at the training courses held in January of this year at Warradale.

In the specialist sections P.A.C. set a record by having no failures whatsoever. Our congratulations go to MacDonald, who gained second position in the mortar course and to Jarman, who came first in the intelligence course.

It should be borne in mind that these courses are conducted for cadets from the whole of South Australia.

The senior N.C.O. course was well attended and of those who entered from P.A.C. the following have been promoted to the rank of sergeant: Hains, J. D.; Jarman, D. J.; Jarman, R. J.; Mooney, G. J.; Panter, R. A.; Rowe, J.;

Wait, R. N.; Woollacott, M. This year Haslam, J.A., and Cooper, D.M., have been promoted to the rank of sergeant major.

This year U/O Woodruff is company commander for A Company and U/O Oliver is in charge of B Company. Those promoted to the rank of under-officer were Brown, G. L., Geddes, R. A., Giles, W. R., Michelmore, C. J., Nelson, P. J., Staker, J. W. and Thomson, R. W. Our congratulations must go to Nelson who topped the Under-Officers' Course and to Brown who finished only one mark behind him. This is the second time in two years that P.A.C. have won the General Rowell Prize and these two boys may now be considered as the two most efficient of the 2,000 cadets in Central Command.

Finally we would like to thank Captain Woollard and Lieut. Kentish for the efficient way in which the unit is running and we look to them as leaders in a successful year.

## Annual School Service

The twenty-sixth Annual School Service, conducted by the School Chaplain, Rev. R. K. Waters, B.A., was held in Kent Town Church on Sunday, 14th December. The Captain of the School, D. R. Oaten, read the lesson, Daniel 6: 10-28, and the School Choir, directed by Mr. Rolland May, Mus.Bac., sang as introtit "Alleluia" (Thalben-Ball) and two anthems, "Blessed art Thou, O Lord of our fathers" (Martin Shaw) and "Mighty Lord and King all glorious" (from "Christmas Oratorio" by Bach), the trumpet obligato to the latter being performed by Mr. Len Taylor. The organist was Mr. Mark Symons and before the service began Mr. Ian Gray gave an organ recital. The Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning, M.A., M.Sc., preached the sermon on the incident related in the lesson from Daniel 6.

### THE HEADMASTER'S ADDRESS

I want to base my remarks this evening on a verse from a hymn that was often sung in my Sunday school days. I have not heard it recently, but strangely enough it was mentioned in this church last Sunday morning by that good friend of P.A.C.—Rev. J. H. Allen. Most of the older ones here this evening will know the verse. Let me hasten to add for the benefit of those who were here last Sunday that I am not going to sing the verse to you as Mr. Allen did in the course of his address. These are the words.

"Dare to be a Daniel  
Dare to stand alone  
Dare to have a purpose firm  
And dare to make it known."

Oaten has just read for us the story of Daniel and the lions' den. You will remember that Daniel, a boy of princely lineage, had been carried away to Babylon at the time of Nebuchadnezzar's first attack on Jerusalem. He received advancement in the royal court until he held a position of high authority and importance. Amidst all the comfort surrounding Daniel, it would have been so easy for him to travel with the crowd and to have forgotten and denied his God. This he did not do, and so the King most unwillingly had to see that his order was carried out—an order which the King's followers, jealous of Daniel, had trapped him into making so that Daniel would be removed from his exalted position.

It is not to be expected in these, as we think, enlightened, modern days, that any young man here tonight will be remembered two thousand five hundred years hence because he was thrown into a den of lions for daring to be a Daniel. But it is well to remember that we still have our martyrs in recent years—and the scientific torture and punishment now administered are just as fearsome to contemplate as the den of lions.

"Dare to stand alone  
Dare to have a purpose firm  
And dare to make it known."

These are three frightfully difficult things to carry out. From the time when we are very young to our old age, the devil is tempting us and, making it, oh, so hard to do these three things, and so easy, so very easy, to run with the crowd instead of standing alone, to let our standards fall instead of having a purpose firm and to fail utterly in our witness of God instead of making it known. But I am convinced that the time when these temptations are greatest is in the four or five years after a boy has left school. He is now free from what he has perhaps regarded as the senseless and restricting rules and regulations of his school. He has been granted more freedom by his parents and rightly so. Incidentally what a problem it is for parents to know how much liberty should be given, because damage can come from giving too little as well as too much! What a problem when parents are told that every other boy in the group or class is allowed to do this, or to own that, when further searching would often show that "every other boy" in reality turns out to be only two or three boys and no more! In addition, boys are not all alike, and freedom that is quite all right for one will be far from right for another. Yes, indeed, it is a difficult problem for parents and it requires much thought and patience and prayer, for it is so important. Boys! try to look at this problem sometimes from the point of view of your parents and try to realize that they are doing what they think is best for you, for to them there is nothing more precious than you in this world. The pity of it is that so many of us do not realize how precious we have been until it is too late or almost too late to show our appreciation.

Therefore as has been my custom in these services, I shall try to direct my thoughts particularly to those who this week are going from school to a less restricted and what I hope is for them a fuller life. The time will come to each and every one of you, and come not once but again and again, when you know you should stand alone; your conscience tells



you that you should; but it will seem so much easier to follow the crowd. You will begin to fear what those about you—your so-called friends—will think of you or say about you. Don't be deceived. If you stand for what you know is right, derision will not be your lot. Rather it will be that, if you have followed the crowd, you will just be one of the crowd and no notice will be taken of you, but the young man who sticks to his guns will in the end be admired by his fellows.

Sometimes you will have to make your decisions hurriedly and without much warning. A party may turn out to be quite a different affair from what you expected it to be. Then the question to ask yourself is this. "Would I like my father or my mother to know that I am here?", or if it is a mixed party "Would I like my sister to be here?" If the answer is NO then this is one of the times to stand alone. To your surprise, in all probability others will stand with you.

In both the Old and the New Testament, again and again, we come across men who, firm in their faith, have stood alone—the greatest of them all is our Lord Jesus Christ. The story of the Christian Church is full of such names. Some of these heroes are famed in history and their names will be handed down to posterity, but most of them have been unknown and unsung outside the small circle which has been blessed by their presence.

You, too, can be numbered among this band—you have had and will have far greater opportunities than most of them. It is up to you. As I have said earlier, the task is not easy, but if you stand firm in your faith in your God and His Son, Jesus Christ, then you will have the strength and the will power to stand for what you know is right.

Beware of anything—your work, your companions, your sporting interests—which is crowding God out of your lives, which is making you throw aside the dreams and hopes and high purposes with which you are now setting out, anything which leads you to think that eternal things are only of secondary importance.

It is through things like this that souls are mostly lost. You will conquer this worldliness not by running away from it, but by facing up to it in God's name. Don't be afraid to be different; don't be afraid to let it be known where you stand.

Dare to have a purpose firm. The call comes to but a few to serve their master as a minister or as a missionary, but if it does come, pay heed to it and do not brush it aside; but to all of you I would say—"do not be afraid to choose and face up to a difficult task." In the end the difficult things are the things that are most worthwhile doing. They are the things that bring great satisfaction in their achievement.

The job ahead of you depends so much upon the way that you approach it. Your viewpoint will be to a large extent determined by your attitude of mind.

Remember the story of the scouts sent by Moses to spy out the promised land. Twelve brave men were chosen, and, often risking their lives, they viewed the land flowing with milk and honey. Ten of them were awed by the difficulties confronting any attempt to conquer the land. Two of them, Caleb and Joshua, with the thought of God on their side, saw possibilities of success where the others saw failure, yet they had viewed the same land. More than forty years later only Joshua and Caleb of the twelve entered the promised land; and we find Caleb asking Joshua, now his leader, for the most difficult patch of territory in Canaan as his portion to conquer in the name of Jehovah.

The same will happen today. Two will look at a job that has to be done. One will see the difficulties, be afraid of them and not face up to them; the other, seeing the difficulties, will regard them as a challenge and will thus be spurred on to greater efforts.

In these days, God does not call men to conquer strongholds as he did in the days of Moses, but he still expects us to undertake difficult tasks at the call of duty. You know of many modern warriors who have won outstanding victories in God's name—Dr. Barnardo, General Booth, Livingstone, Schweitzer and on and on—an endless list.

John Chalmers, towards the end of an adventurous career as a pioneer in Papua, in addressing a London audience, showed the attraction of the difficult thing. These were his words: "Recall the twenty-one years, give me back all its experience, give me its shipwrecks, give me its standings in the face of death, give it me surrounded with savages with spears and clubs, give it me back again with spears flying about me, with the club knocking me to the ground. Give it back to me and I will still be your missionary" (and back he went ultimately to be killed by cannibals). What an instance of a purpose firm!

A story is told that once upon a time a minister fell asleep as he was brooding over some of the hard experiences of his life. In his dream, his attention was held by a Figure, white, serene, strong, lovely, whom he recognized as the Master he had been trying to serve. In his perplexity and weariness he spoke almost angrily and said: "Master, it is too hard—you have set me a task that is too high—it is impossible." And the Figure looked upon him with a smile, and answered him with a question: "Aren't you glad that I did?" And he awoke with a new courage to carry on.

So I say to you as you go out into life, "Try to get a picture of where you are going. Have a firm purpose, and placing your faith in God, you will be able to face up to the difficult task.

Choose the hard tasks in life and they will make a man of you." As we read the stories of many of the heroes of the Old Testament we tend to be critical of their crude ideas of God, but it would be far better for us to pause a while and consider whether we are one half as venturesome in our service of the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

And then DARE to make it known. Listen to the question in the Billy Graham column in the "Advertiser" on Thursday.

"The teacher in my school keeps making fun of religious people. I want to speak up every time, but then she would just make fun of me. Besides I can't answer her arguments. Is there anything I can do in such a situation?"

This is a portion of Billy Graham's answer—"Every Christian is at some time or other in a hard place where there is opposition to a true faith in God. Every such place gives an opportunity for our witness. Your personal witness for Christ coupled with a consistent life will be more convincing to your classmates than your teacher's attitude." How unwilling most of us are to make any sort of public witness of our faith, to spread the good news to others. We are willing to talk about or listen to people talking about almost everything else under the sun. When the intercollegiate events come along, we let everyone know we are P.A.C. supporters; as the football season progresses we let them know we barrack for say, as an example, Norwood. We do not mind what rude remarks our Saints friends have to say about us, what doubtful compliments the Port Adelaide supporters will pay us. But are we as ready to let all about us know we are on the Lord's side? Do we treat as beneath contempt the comments of the scorners?

While still at school boys do not come face to face to any extent with those who deny the existence of God, who pour scorn on the Christian Church. As you go forth into the life of the world, as you proceed to the University for further study, you will meet such men, you will hear their arguments. You may well be in the position of the child of the Billy Graham question who said "I can't answer her arguments." It is in the face of such people and their argument that you must make your faith and purpose known, and by making them known, you will be still further strengthened in your own faith.

A few years ago in one of these services I spoke on the subject that the greatest enemy of the church today is indifference—not the active opposition of any group but the complacent indifference of millions who term themselves Christians. Look at the church attendance figures in Australia of all the major denominations except the Roman Catholic Church, and compare them with the religious denomination statistics in the census figures, and work out the proportion attending church even fairly regularly. What is the result? Appalling, yes, and appallingly sad.

It is one of the saddest parts of my job to have to say "NO" to so many parents who wish to send their sons to P.A.C. I am particularly sorry for those who are willing to make sacrifices to give their sons the chance of the Christian education which we, however imperfectly we do it, try to give to our boys. But I have no sympathy for the parent who wants his son to come, so it seems, solely because he thinks it will improve the boy's social standing in later life, as he will get to know the right people, whatever that means. For such a parent I am not sorry, but for the son I am, because we might have been able to do something for him despite the shallowness of his parents' views.

The one and only justification for the foundation of a school by a Church is that its pupils may have the benefit of an education in which the claims of our Lord and his Church are ever to the fore.

You who have been fortunate enough to have enjoyed such an education, to have sat at the feet of our chaplains, first Mr. Perry, whom I am glad to see with us this evening, and then Mr. Waters, to have taken a part in the general life of our school with its many activities, should go out better fitted to be a Daniel, ready to stand alone with a purpose firm and ready to make it known.

May I conclude with a story of Jowett, Master of Balliol College in the University of Oxford, and one of the greatest college heads of all time. He was once visited by some rather shallow people. A very gushing young lady said to him: "Oh, Doctor, do tell me what you think of God?" To which the great scholar replied: "That, my dear young lady, is a very unimportant question—the only thing that matters is What does God think of me?" And that boys, is the important question for us all.

## Speech Day

Speech Day was held at the School on Friday, 19th December. The President of the Conference, Rev. C. T. Symons, M.A., B.D., who presided, addressed the gathering after the School Chaplain (Rev. R. K. Waters, B.A.) had offered prayer. The Games Report was read by the Captain of the School and the Headmaster then presented his report for the year.

The prizes were presented by His Excellency the Governor, Air Vice-Marshall Sir Robert George, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., K.B.E., M.C. In his address to the boys His Excellency expressed his satisfaction that here, as in England, Christian principles are the background of education. He reminded them that the development of new techniques and methods resulting from scientific development calls for an educated community. Service to others is an integral part of daily life and those leaving school should continue such service by active participation in civic affairs.

### HEADMASTER'S REPORT

Mr. President, Your Excellency, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present the ninetieth annual report on the work of the School. This, incidentally, is the tenth that I have presented.

I would first, on behalf of the School, extend to Your Excellency and to Lady George a very warm welcome. We would assure you, the honoured representative of Her Majesty in this state, of our loyalty to her. We are honoured by your presence, not only because you represent Her Majesty but also because you and Lady George are rendering such signal service to South Australia. We marvel at all that you do for us, and I venture to suggest, sir, that with all your experience of speech days, you must be the best qualified man in this state to act as judge should there ever be a headmasters' report competition.

The number on the roll at the beginning of the year was 808, the same number as in 1957. The number in the Big School was 559, and the Preparatory School 249, a decrease of one in the former and an increase of one in the latter.

At the beginning of the year, Mr. J. M. Mills joined the staff of the Big School, and Mr. Keeves returned after a year on leave abroad. In the second term, Mr. Turnbull resigned, and his place was taken by Mr. M. A. Sexton. Last month, we welcomed back Mr. D. H. Prest who was Captain of the School in 1949. As the holder of a Rotary Scholarship he studied at the Universities of Southampton and Birmingham. Mr. Mills left earlier this month to take up a Colombo Plan appointment in Cambodia, and Mr. Secombe leaves to take up work in our Church.

We say farewell today and this for the second time to Mr. W. L. Davies who joined the staff in 1919. P.A.C. has perhaps been more fortunate than most schools in the number of what I advisedly call great Schoolmasters, who have given thirty and more years of

devoted service to it, and Mr. Davies is by no means the least of these. He retired at the end of 1954 and spent the next year abroad. On his return, I persuaded him to be a part-time master. He now feels that he must leave us, and I know that you all join with me in wishing him many years of health and good happiness in his retirement.

Public examination results in 1957 were very much as I predicted in my last report. The number passing Leaving and Intermediate was rather more than usual, but there were few really good passes, although 28 boys gained Commonwealth Scholarships. We had some excellent passes at Leaving Honours with five boys gaining first, third, sixth, tenth and twentieth places on the General Honours List and another a Leaving Honours Bursary.

This year a good standard of work has been maintained in the examination forms and we expect the usual proportion of passes with some very good passes in Intermediate and two or three good ones in Leaving Honours.

I should like to say a few words on the subject of coaching. Some parents seem to me to think that it is almost a sure cure for any weakness. This, of course is not so, but coaching by competent persons can be of great assistance in certain cases. Care must be taken to see that it does not upset the balance of work in other subjects. Very often just as much good could be achieved by paying more attention in class, and by spending the time devoted to coaching in private study. I think that our long-established coaching colleges in Adelaide do a good job, but I deplore the methods employed this year by one new to this state, which, in its approach to parents engendered in many of them fear that they were letting their children down and depriving them of their chances of success in life by not having them coached. These seeds of fear unfortunately found very fertile ground in South Australia because such unwarranted and ridiculous importance is attached to examination results and particularly

Intermediate results in this State. The fault does not lie in the examinations but in the attitude people adopt towards them. Let us all realize that it is no disgrace to fail, let us banish the idea that there is no hope for a child who fails and let us take a more sane and balanced view of examinations. Then perhaps the first two weeks in December will become a more pleasant period not only for the candidates, but also for their parents and even their sisters and their cousins and their aunts.

The Captain of the School, Oaten, has read the report on games and I would add my appreciation of all that the masters have done in the various branches of sport. Oaten naturally did not tell you of his fine record in P.A.C. sport right from the time he was quite a diminutive Prep. School boy until he became captain of cricket in 1957 and of cricket and football this year.

It is with regret that I have to announce the cancellation of the traditional intercollegiate athletics. Earlier in the year, the Headmaster of St. Peter's College informed me that he and his council considered that the second half of first term was now so overcrowded that something should be eliminated. He requested me to place before my council the idea of cancelling the athletics. This was done and the council was unanimous in its opinion that P.A.C. wished to retain the fixture. On receipt of our reply, St. Peter's reconsidered the matter, and the headmaster recently advised that they still desired to withdraw, and so the meeting has to be abandoned.

I personally regret the decision very much, as I considered the meeting most desirable from the point of view of this school. Three representatives in each event meant that a large number of boys had the opportunity of representing their school. This added greatly to the general interest in athletics and this was the view I expressed three years ago when S.P.S.C. and P.A.C. received the invitation to take part in the Combined School Sports. I accepted the invitation on the clear understanding that the additional fixture would not interfere with the intercollegiate athletics. It was also suggested that the competition for the Blackmore Shield should be discontinued and we agreed to this proposal. Both schools have found it most inconvenient (when our crews have not met in the Head-of-the-River regatta) to have to row the race in the following week.

At this time last year the work of enlarging and improving the Back Oval had begun. It is now nearly completed, and next term we shall be using the six tennis courts—three grass and three hard—and the enlarged oval. We are particularly indebted to Mr. F. T. Thomson and to Mr. Colin Hassell for their help. The response to the appeal sponsored by the Old Collegians Association assisted by the Parents and Friends Association has been most generous. More than £6,500 has been received. Of this, about £4,000 came from individual donations and £2,500 from

various functions within and without the school.

Further good news is that the City Council about two months ago granted the College permission to improve the parklands oval that we have used for many years during the football season. It is proposed to level, grass, reticulate and fence the area. A start has already been made with the levelling. When this work is complete, we shall have three large ovals and shall be in a much happier position than ever before as far as ovals are concerned.

You will notice that the main oval has recovered well from the drastic treatment given to it last year in our attempts to eradicate paspalum. Great credit for the improvement is due to our groundsman. Outside the class-room masters have devoted much of their time to, and many boys derived benefit from, the usual full programme of school activities besides sport. Cadets, scouts, debating, school play, concerts, carols by the preparatory boys, the Chronicles, the Science Journal, hobbies numerous and varied, have all prospered. In addition the boarders have taken part in many extra activities arranged by the housemaster and the house staff.

You may have noticed that I have hardly mentioned that most important part of the school—the Preparatory School. Mr. Close and his staff, which remained unchanged from 1957, continue to do excellent work and display unbelievable patience with the boys both in their lessons and their play. The fine work done in the Prep. shows up in all branches of the life of the Big School. Mr. D. C. Kitney who has associated himself with so much of the musical and dramatic work in the last two years has been granted leave of absence for one term to return to England to see his father. We do hope that the cold days of February, March and April in England will drive him back to us to enjoy the warmth of Adelaide.

Our Chaplain, Rev. R. K. Waters, with his remarkable store of vitality and vigour has been unsparing in his efforts to help and guide the boys. The mid-year service held for the second time was again an inspiring one, and it and the end-of-year service must be regarded as two of the most important events in the life of our school. The chaplain has conducted two communion services a term at 8.15 a.m. on a Tuesday. These have been well attended, and will be continued next year.

The Old Collegians Association has had a most successful year, with the highlight the presence of the Prime Minister as guest of honour at the annual dinner. Old boys continue to play important parts in all branches of the life of the community, and I can mention but a few. Sir Philip McBride has retired from political life after having given most distinguished service to Australia, and his place as member of the House of Representatives for Wakefield has been taken by Mr. C. R. Kelly, another Old Boy. In another sphere, Mr. J. G. Jenkin, Captain of the School in 1956 has been elected President of the Students Representative Coun-

cil at the University. He succeeds Mr M. E. B. Smyth, Captain in 1954, and is the fourth Old Boy to be president in 5 years. Two members of the College Council, both former presidents of the Old Collegians Association, must be mentioned. We congratulate His Honour Mr. Justice Piper, who presented the prizes last year, on his appointment, and Mr. David Clarkson on his election as District Governor of Rotary.

We acknowledge with gratitude a bequest to the College of approximately £4,000 by the late Mr. George Shierlaw to found scholarships. Mr. Shierlaw attended P.A.C. in 1884 and 1885 and had lived in New Zealand for many years.

No headmaster's report is complete without an expression of thanks to all—and they are many—who have helped the school in any way during the year. The list is so long and time is so short that I can do no more than say "Thank you" to them. Neither would it be complete without the headmaster expressing thanks to all who have helped him personally. To all these—parents, Old Boys, members of teaching, domestic and ground staff and boys I also say "Thank you" but I know others will forgive me if I thank especially Mr. R. T. Smith who, in his first year as second master has done so much for me and the school. I am sorry that I threw extra work on his shoulders by being absent for quite a time in the second term.

In closing, I should like to extend the good wishes of all to the boys who are leaving and, as my last words to them to quote something that was said by a former British Prime Minister, Mr. Asquith, when speaking to students of the University of Aberdeen.

"Keep always with you, wherever your course may lie, the company of great thoughts, the inspiration of great ideals, the example of great achievements, the consolation of great failures. So equipped you can face without perturbation the buffets of circumstances, the caprice of fortune, or the inscrutable vicissitude of life."

### GAMES REPORT

Mr. President, Your Excellency and Lady George, Mr. Headmaster, Ladies and Gentlemen.

It is my privilege to present to you the Games Report for 1958.

This year has been a most successful one for P.A.C. Of the five Intercollegiate contests against St. Peter's College we won four—the tennis, athletics, football and cricket, and lost one—the rowing.

Our first encounter with Saints was the tennis, played at the Memorial Drive on Saturday, 29th March. We were successful for the first time since 1952. The morning session of play proved an even struggle and the players went to lunch with the scores:—

P.A.C. . . . . 3 rubbers 7 sets  
S.P.S.C. . . . . 3 rubbers 6 sets

Princes, however, established their superiority in the afternoon, winning five of the six doubles,

and finally ran out winning by nine rubbers twenty sets to Saints six rubbers thirteen sets.

Phillips played brilliantly in his single against Roder to win 6-2, 6-4 and then paired with Davies to win all three doubles.

Woollacott also played well to win his singles and with Moyses won two of their three doubles.

Congratulations to Mr. Turnbull, Phillips and the team on a fine win.

The "Head of the River" Regatta was held on Saturday, 19th April. The main event was won by Adelaide High School from St. Peter's in a thrilling race. Our rapidly improving crew was beaten by Adelaide High in the first heat. As we did not meet Saints on the Saturday, a re-row was necessary on the following Tuesday to decide the winner of the Blackmore Shield. Saints, leading all the way, managed to throw off a determined challenge by our boys near the Morphett Street Bridge and won by half a length. Our crew was not discredited, however, as both crews completed the course in record time.

The second eight and open four are also to be congratulated on fine wins in the "Head of the River" Regatta.

The annual Athletics Sports Day was held on the Front Oval on Saturday, 12th April. Mr. Kurtz again did a grand job in organizing a very successful meeting. The athletes performed creditably, breaking three records and equalling another three. Berkin is to be congratulated on winning the Senior Cup while Hopkins, Phillips and Tonkin each won two senior events.

In the Under 16 section Hannaford and Causby each won three events but Hannaford was awarded the cup on minor placings.

Morton, Stain and Heaslip won the Under 15, Under 14 and Under 13 Cups respectively and School House won the cup for the highest aggregate of points for the day.

Once more the fine coaching of Mr. Connell and the prowess of our boys gave our Athletics team fine wins in the Intercollegiate Athletics meeting and the Combined Schools Sports. It was the fourth time in succession that we had beaten Saints and the third time in three years of competition that we had won the Combined Sports.

Hopkins led the team brilliantly by winning the 100 yards and 220 yards in both contests, breaking the 100 yards record in the Combined Sports and the 220 yards record in the Intercollegiate contest. Causby, Hannaford, Daebeler, Morton, Kobelt and Stain were also successful in the Intercollegiate contest to give Princes a convincing win by 93 points to 75.

In the Combined School Sports, in which 7 schools competed, we won 11 of the 28 events and won the competition very comfortably from Rostrevor College by 44 points, with Adelaide High third.

We extend our thanks and congratulations to Mr. Connell whose untiring efforts have contributed greatly to the success and fitness of the team.

The Adelaide Oval was flooded on 26th July for the Intercollegiate football match following heavy overnight rain. Both teams were confident of victory—each having done well in previous games. We were first into attack and at quarter time held a handy lead of 3 goals. Playing intelligent wet-weather football. Princes increased their lead to 5 goals at half time. The scores were:—

P.A.C. . . . . . 6 goals 3 behinds  
S.P.S.C. . . . . . 1 goal 3 behinds

Saints, however, retaliated in the third quarter and reduced our lead to 13 points. Excitement was mounting as Saints scored a goal at the beginning of the last quarter and Princes led by only 7 points. Princes regained the initiative from there, however, and with three quick goals made the game safe. We finally ran out winners by 19 points. Final scores:—

P.A.C. . . . . . 9 goals 8 behinds  
S.P.S.C. . . . . . 6 goals 7 behinds

Tonkin is to be congratulated on winning the Norman Dowie Cup for the best player on our side, having given a magnificent display at centre half-back. Morton, too, must be mentioned for scoring 5 well-earned goals.

Having topped the Students grade for the fifth time in succession, our team travelled to Melbourne with high hopes. We defeated both Melbourne Grammar School and Wesley College on their home grounds for the first time on record and thus concluded another very successful football season for P.A.C.

We extend our very sincere thanks to Mr. Bennett for his fine work as coach. He has coached the First XVIII for the last four years and in that time P.A.C. has not lost an Intercollegiate football match.

The annual cross-country events were again held early in August. Phillips ran brilliantly to win the senior event in 15 minutes 44 seconds, clipping 36 seconds off his own record set the previous year. Hilbig, leading from start to finish, won the Under 16 event, and Jeffery ran well in the Under 15 section to create a new record.

The First XI has again performed well in the District B Grade competition, winning 8 out of

11 matches throughout the year. At present we are fourth on the Premiership table—the highest position that a P.A.C. team has held since we won the premiership in the 1955/56 season.

The Intercollegiate match, which was completed only yesterday, resulted in a triumphant victory to Princes by 8 wickets. Saints won the toss and elected to bat under ideal conditions. They reached the very good score of 242 before being dismissed. Opening bowlers Hurn, with 4 wickets, and Hopkins, with 3 wickets, were the main destroyers.

Trowse and Chappell opened for Princes and gave us a fine start, adding 42 runs for the first wicket. A very even line up of batsmen totalled 292 with Paul top scoring with 42 and Princes led by 50 runs on the first innings. Fine fast bowling by Hurn, who took 5/47 backed up by brilliant fielding, saw Saints out for 108 in their second innings, leaving Princes 59 runs to score for outright victory. The required runs were scored in even time for the loss of only 2 wickets, and thus concluded a very entertaining match.

We should like to thank Mr. Leak for coaching the side. He has again done a fine job and his efforts have very largely contributed to the success of the team.

The House Cup for the most successful House in all phases of school activities has again been won by Cotton House, who narrowly defeated Waterhouse and Bayly.

Merit badges, which are awarded to boys who represent the school in 3 major sports, have this year been won by Hopkins, who gained colours in athletics, tennis and cricket, and Hurn who gained colours in athletics, football and cricket. This increased the number held in the school to four—Causby and Phillips having gained the award last year.

In conclusion I should like to thank the many masters and Old Scholars who, during the year have coached teams throughout the school and also the groundstaff who have maintained the playing fields of the college in excellent condition.

Thank you.

## Prize List

### PREPARATORY SCHOOL

- Form I C—Dux, G. J. Houston; 2, R. J. Ferris; 3, M. Dolling.  
Form I B—Dux, J. H. Pryzibilla; 2, I. H. McQueen; 3, A. F. Close.  
Form I A—Dux, D. G. Provis; 2, I. E. Tregoning; 3, M. J. Gerrard.  
Form II B—Dux, C. A. Wagner; 2, H. G. P. Chapman; 3, R. H. Tillett, General Proficiency:—J. R. Freeman, R. F. Brinsley.

- Form II A—Dux (presented by Messrs. Gillingham & Co. Ltd.)—W. F. Heddle; 2, P. N. Gerrard; 3, J. F. Wilson. General Proficiency: I. G. Hone.  
Form III LB—Dux, B. F. Craven; 2, J. M. R. L. Castelli; 3, G. W. Bayly.  
Form III LA—Dux ("Jack Glover" Prize)—A. F. Wilson; 2, C. J. C. Bennett; 3, P. E. Runge. General Proficiency: W. S. Baynes, R. S. Freeman, M. J. Talbot, P. J. Tambllyn, B. L. Beauchamp, R. J. Hunwick, A. R. A. Dibden, D. J. Finnegan, A. J. Woodcock.

Form III UB—Dux, A. A. Burdett; 2, I. R. Pitt; 3, N. R. Nottle.

Form III UA—Dux (George C. Davies Memorial Prize), D. M. Close; 2, R. W. Carmichael; 3, R. J. Heddle. General Proficiency: J. L. Crompton, J. A. Trott, G. D. Martin, P. M. Jackson, J. E. Rowe, A. F. Binns, R. L. Francis, R. E. Hunwick.

### Special Prizes

The Donald D. Magarey Cup—B. D. Dickson.  
Tennis Cup (presented by J. E. C. Stephens, Esq.)—B. D. Dickson; Runner-up, P. A. Bonfield.

Cricket Cup (presented by L. O. Fuller, Esq.)—B. D. Dickson; Runner-up, I. M. Rudd.

Scripture—II B, C. A. Wagner; II A, P. R. Brebner; III LB, R. D. Brown; III LA, R. S. Freeman; III UB, M. V. Hairfield; III UA, R. E. Hunwick.

Speech Training (Mrs. Jas. Anderson Memorial Prize)—A. J. Leak.

Mrs. J. R. Robertson Prizes—III L, B. L. Beauchamp; III U, R. W. Carmichael.

Spelling Prizes (presented by the Parents and Friends' Association)—IA, J. P. Boucaut; II B, R. J. Lower.

Project Prizes (presented by the Parents and Friends' Association)—II A, J. K. Waters; III LB, M. D. Martin; III LA, J. A. Bedford; III UB, J. G. McDonald; III UA, D. T. R. Watkins.

Music Prize (presented by R. G. May, Esq.)—M. C. Schlank.

Art Prize (presented by M. N. Gray, Esq.)—J. A. Trott.

The G. S. Cotton Scholarship—A. F. Wilson.

The James Ashton Scholarship—R. W. Carmichael.

The J. R. Robertson Scholarship—D. M. Close.

The A. W. Welch Cup won by Robertson House—Captain, B. D. Dickson.

Captain of the Preparatory School (Norman Mitchell Memorial Prize)—J. A. Trott.

### BIG SCHOOL

#### Form Prizes

Fourth Form (D)—Dux, B. L. Daniel; 2, A. D. Ashby, 3, G. A. Roberts.

Fourth Form (C)—Dux, I. K. Trengove; 2, P. E. Longstaff; 3, E. P. Ashby.

Fourth Form (B)—Dux (John W. Blacket Memorial Prize), R. H. Heaslip; 2, A. P. Dunstone; 3, M. R. Susans.

Fourth Form (A)—Dux (F. B. Holland Memorial Prize), P. J. Freeman; 2, D. A. Gilmore; 3, R. B. Marlow. General Proficiency: A. J. Blake, K. Gehan, P. R. Gillespie, D. C. Hassell, G. W. Reeves, A. J. Woodroffe, D. A. Trim, A. G. Baghurst.

Fifth Lower Form (D)—Dux, A. H. Davey;

2, B. D. Reichstein; 3, P. G. Saint.

Fifth Lower Form (C)—Dux, J. S. Collins; 2, D. I. Buttery; 3, J. M. Matthews.

Fifth Lower Form (B)—Dux, M. F. Peard; 2, C. M. Philpott; 3, J. C. Kelly.

Fifth Lower Form (A)—Dux (H. W. A. Miller Memorial Prize)—G. H. Searle; 2, N. A. M. Paterson; 3, D. R. Compton. General Proficiency: R. H. Cowham, G. W. Trott, J. H. Clapp, D. M. Tamblyn, D. J. Noble.

Fifth Upper Form (E)—Dux, S. M. Adamson; 2, I. L. Clarkson; 3, D. J. Davidson.

Fifth Upper Form (D)—Dux, D. R. Lyle; 2, I. J. Daebeler; 3, A. O. Barratt.

Fifth Upper Form (C)—Dux (Keith Swann Memorial Prize), G. H. Craig; 2, P. D. G. Clarke; 3, D. R. Yelland. General Proficiency—G. A. Hackett-Jones.

Fifth Upper Form (B)—Dux, M. C. Stock; 2, O. P. Hilbig; 3, R. J. Worthington.

Fifth Upper Form (A)—Dux (Alan Johnson Memorial Prize), C. R. Marlow; 2, D. Charlton; 3, A. J. Mack. General Proficiency: 1, A. B. Smith; 2, R. J. Maerschel; 3, R. H. Gibbs; 4, J. O. Willoughby; 5, A. J. Catt; 6, A. M. Angus; 7, R. S. Blake; 8, J. R. G. Walkley; 9, M. D. Linn; 10, B. A. Gooden; 11, D. J. Tucker; 12, P. C. Morris; 13, C. D. V. Lloyd; 14, J. J. Clark; 15, W. G. Holdich.

Sixth Form (C)—Dux (Rex Gersch Memorial Prize), R. J. Kitto; 2, L. F. Farrant; 3, R. W. Papworth.

Sixth Form (B)—Dux (P. E. Johnstone Memorial Prize), J. W. Staker; 2, R. J. Ashby; 3, W. V. Michelmore.

Sixth Form (A)—Dux (Jas. and Geo. Robin Memorial Prize)—G. L. Brown; 2, R. A. Geddes; 3, A. D. Morphett.

Sixth Upper Form (B)—Dux, B. J. Fotheringham; 2, L. R. Davis.

Sixth Upper Form (A)—Dux of College (Holder Memorial Prize), C. G. Luke; 2, M. J. Story; 3, K. W. Mills; 4, I. C. Heron; 5, M. G. Golley. General Proficiency: D. R. Oaten, M. S. Elliott.

### Special Prizes

#### Football—

Best and Fairest Player for Season (presented by Old Collegians' Association)—D. R. Oaten.

Best and Fairest Player in Oval Match (Norman Dowie Cup), W. F. Tonkin.

Dick Pinch Memorial Cup for under 14—R. V. Shaughnessy.

#### Cricket—

Highest Score for Intercollegiate Match—D. B. Paul.

First Eleven Batting (Norman Dowie Cup) D. R. Oaten.

- First Eleven Bowling—D. B. Paul.  
 Fielding in Intercollegiate Match (presented by Old Collegians' Association)—D. B. Paul.
- Tennis—  
 School Championships (presented by Gordon Taylor, Esq.)—W. D. Phillips.  
 Runner-up (presented by Ross Gryst, Esq.)—D. C. Davies.
- Rowing—  
 H. E. Freburg Trophy for Coxswain—L. R. Davis.  
 P. B. Piper Memorial Rowing Trophy—R. F. Bartholomaeus.
- Scouts—  
 Abotomey Cup for Best Patrol—Magpie Patrol; Leader, J. O. Willoughby, and Kookaburra Patrol, Leader, M. D. Linn (equal), Parker Hike Cup—R. M. Adamson and P. G. Chapman.
- Morley Bath Memorial Prize for best contribution to Chronicle—Literary, A. C. W. Mitchell. Art, R. N. Wait.
- Debating (Prizes presented by W. D. Taylor, Esq.)—Best Speaker, H. D. M. Combe; Most Improved, R. W. Evans.
- Kenneth Harley Memorial Prize for Original Story or Short Play—H. D. M. Combe.
- Music—  
 Allan Odgers Memorial Prize—R. L. Farrow  
 Jack Furness Memorial Prize—D. J. Motteram.
- Dramatic Prize (presented by Rigby Ltd.)—M. S. Elliott.
- Special Dramatic Prize (presented by the Adelaide Repertory Theatre)—R. J. Slatter.
- Scripture Prizes—  
 IV D, K. G. Davies; IV C (Geoffrey Burdett Memorial Prize), P. E. Longstaff; IV B, J. E. Potter; IV A, R. B. Marlow; V LD, A. H. Davey; V LC, P. J. Royal; V LB, P. D. Bastian; V LA (W. H. McKirdy Memorial Prize), R. P. Barrie; V UE, I. L. Clarkson; V UD, R. D. Chapple; V UC, E. C. Patterson; V UB, D. J. Hunwick; V UA (W. A. Dunn Memorial Prize), C. R. Marlow; VI C (Barrie Brown Memorial Prize), I. D. Delaporte; VI B, J. W. Staker; VI A, R. A. Panter; VI UB, G. L. Shepherd; VI UA, I. H. Gray
- Arithmetic—  
 Sixth Forms (presented by S.A. Cricket Association)—K. W. Mills.
- Drawing Prize—R. McE. Carroll.
- Rowley Prize for Woodwork—P. J. Goudie, A. J. Prentice (equal).
- Prizes for English and Essays—  
 Form VU (Alan L. Johnson Prize)—D. Charlton; Form VI C (Bruce Hamilton Prize), R. K. Bagshaw; Form VI B (Bruce Hamilton Prize), W. V. Michelmore; Form VI A (R. L. Cotton Prize)—K. H. Badenoch; P. W. Mellor Prize, R. A. Panter; Form VIU (Harold Fisher Prize for English Literature), A. C. W. Mitchell; George Thorburn Melrose Prize for Shakespeare, A. C. W. Mitchell; Gifford Essay Prize: Long Essay, R. J. Fotheringham, L. R. Davis; Short Essay, M. S. Elliott, A. C. W. Mitchell.
- Special Essay Prizes (presented by Parents and Friends' Association)—IV Forms: 1, S. W. Inglis; 2, D. A. Trim. V L Forms: 1, G. H. Searle; 2, M. F. Peard; V U Forms: D. G. Cant. VI C; I. D. Perrin. VI B: J. C. Walter; VI A: M. L. Hart.
- Prizes for Languages—  
 French (presented by l'Alliance Francaise); R. A. Geddes. James Clarkson Sunter Memorial Prize for Languages: A. C. W. Mitchell.
- Smith Prize for History—  
 Junior: D. J. Tucker; Senior: D. G. McArthur.
- Prizes for Science and Mathematics—  
 K. W. A. Smith Memorial Prize for Mathematics: G. L. Brown; H. J. Priest Memorial Prize for Mathematics: C. G. Luke.  
 J. D. Iliffe Memorial Prize for Science: Upper Fifth Forms: A. J. Mack; Sixth Forms: G. L. Brown; Upper Sixth Forms (Physics): C. G. Luke.  
 Cotton Medal for Chemistry: C. G. Luke.
- Editor of the Science Journal (Malcolm Chase Memorial Prize)—C. G. Luke.
- L. J. Branson Prizes (for outstanding contributions in Science Journal)—1, R. W. Taylor; 2, A. C. W. Mitchell.
- Best All-round Boy—  
 Fourth Forms (Wesley Lathlean Prize), D. C. Hassell; Lower Fifth Forms (Lewis de Garis Prize), G. W. Trott; Upper Fifth Forms (Milton Trengove Prize), I. J. Simmons; Sixth Forms (Bill Jeffries Prize), R. W. Hurn; Upper Sixth Forms (Frank Hunter Prize), W. D. Phillips; Keith Swann Memorial Medal, D. R. Oaten.
- Max Wilson Memorial Prize—R. M. Moyse.
- House Competition for Work and Games—  
 The D. H. McDougall Cup—Cotton House (P. M. Hopkins, Captain).
- Scholarships—  
 IV Forms: The F. I. Gray, D. C. Hassell; The Junior Elder, P. J. Freeman. Upper V Forms: The Clarkson, A. J. Mack; The Senior Elder, C. R. Marlow; The George Wills, D. J. Tucker; The Alfred Muecke Prize—D. Charlton. Sixth Forms: The Samuel Churchward, R. A. Geddes; The John Craven, H. D. M. Combe; The Robb, J. W. Staker; Arnold Davey, R. J. Humphris.
- Head of the Boarding House (Kingsley Sampson Memorial Prize, R. F. Bartholomaeus.
- CAPTAIN OF THE SCHOOL (Bill Bunday Memorial Prize), D. R. Oaten.



## Library Notes

### WARD LIBRARY

This term has been one of change in the Ward Library. Mrs. J. Garrard, the Librarian during 1958, left at the beginning of the term and, until the arrival of her successor a few weeks later, the task of running the library was taken over most efficiently by a special committee, under the supervision of Mr. Duff.

About fifty new titles have been added since February, bringing the total book stock to approximately 3,250. In an effort to encourage the circulation of these new books it is hoped to increase the amount of display space available, so that there will be more room for "advertising" the books and boys will be able to keep track of what is being bought for their library. If it proves worthwhile, a reservation system may be introduced, and boys will be able to order books which are out on loan. It is good to see so many library users during the lunch hour. In March the borrowing figures rose slightly and a high percentage of non-fiction is being read, use of dustjackets attracting attention to some of the lesser-known books. Perhaps the most outstandingly popular book at the moment is "A Century of Punch" which is rushed every day. Cricket books also appear to be firm favourites, recent additions being written by Peter May, Jim Laker, Denis Compton and Sir Donald Bradman. Other new titles which should be popular include "The World of Science", "Motor racing circuits of Europe", "The complete Molesworth", "The crossing of Antarctica" and "The Silver Brumby".

It is planned to increase the number of magazine subscriptions. New ones already are "Time", the weekly news magazine and "Rydge's Business Journal", an Australian periodical which should interest senior boys studying economics. A subscription to "Science World" was donated, and also many copies of "The Saturday Evening Post".

Much valuable assistance has been given by the boys, particularly during the busy lunch period when routine work is entirely taken over by the Library Committee—and very successfully. A high standard of poster work and lettering is maintained. The accessioning of magazines, control of loans and overdue books, all these and other jobs are managed by the boys and their help is greatly appreciated. Boys who come to the library during the hobbies period are being trained to bind and repair worn and damaged books, under the direction of Mr. Peard.

Too often books in the library do not get the use they deserve. Perhaps many do not realize just what is available, or that the library is open for an hour after school as well as during the latter half of the lunch hour. Even those who do not greatly care for reading might be surprised at what they will find if they have a really good look along the library shelves. After all, the Ward Library has been provided for the use of P.A.C. boys, and it should be supported by each one of them.

### MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Although not many books have been added this term, the library is constantly used for study and reference work by senior boys. A new committee has been formed for 1959, and it is hoped that, with the help of this committee, boys will realize that the library is a place for quiet personal study. Learning the proper use of a library will assist those boys who intend to do University courses, and a good beginning at P.A.C. should make the use of Public and University libraries an easy matter.

Books on physics, Shakespearian criticism and the Australian wool market have been added. Senior boys may also find the periodicals and pamphlets in the Ward Library useful, as they often contain current information not yet published in book form. J.M.

## Student Christian Movement

This year, we are optimistic about good attendances at our meetings because of the fine list of speakers that the committee members have forwarded.

Our first speaker was the Rev. E. C. A. Nicholls, from Tusmore, and I am sure that the boys that were present will remember his inspiring address for a very long time. Mr. Nicholls said so much in such a short time that the boys' heads were crammed with numerous anecdotes.

The Rev. A. M. Jackson, from Malvern Methodist Church, addressed our second meeting. His subject was "Dealing with our doubts".

A good gathering listened very attentively to what this talented speaker had to say.

We are hoping for a good year, and we should like to thank Mr. Potts for his efforts to get us away to a successful start.

## Public Examinations 1958

**INTERMEDIATE****Intermediate Exhibitions**

Charlton, D.; Mack, A. J.; Marlow, C. R.

**Continuation Exhibitions**

Angus, A. M.; Blake, R. S.; Clark, J. J.; Gibbs, R. H.; Gooden, B.A.; Hackett-Jones, G. A.; Linn, M. D.; Lloyd, C. D. V.; Maerschel, R. J.; Smith, A. B.; Vimpani, G. V.; Walkley, J. R. G.; Willoughby, J. O.

**Pass List**

(Ma denotes two subjects;  
an \* denotes a credit)

Abbott, L. G.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Adamson, S. M.—Eg, A, Pc, H, Gg\* Es, D.  
 Angus, A. M.—Eg, F\*, Ma\*, Pc, C\*, Gg.  
 Blake, R. S.—Eg, F, Ma\*, Pc\*, C\*, Gg\*.  
 Bowen, D. F.—Eg, Ma, Pc, Gg.  
 Cant, D. G.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, H, Gg\*.  
 Catt, A. J.—Eg, L\*, Ma, Pc, C\*, H\*.  
 Chapple, R. D.—Eg, Pc, C, H, Gg.  
 Charlton, D.—Eg, L\*, F\*, Ma\*, Pc\*, G\*.  
 Clark, J. J.—Eg, L, Ma, Pc, C, H.  
 Charlton, D.—Eg, L\*, F\*, Ma\*, Pc\*, C\*.  
 Craig, G. H.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Dakin, J. R.—Eg, Mal, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Driver, R. H.—Eg, Ma, C, Gg, Bk.  
 Dube, A. J.—Eg, F, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Edelman, D. A.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, H, Gg.  
 Fleming, B. G.—Eg, L, F, Ma, Pc, C\*.  
 French, D. N.—Eg, Ma, Pc, H, Gg.  
 Gibbs, R. H.—Eg, F, Ma\*, Pc\*, C\*, Gg\*.  
 Goldsmith, D. J.—Eg, Ma, C, Gg.  
 Gooden, B.A.—Eg, L, F, Ma\*, Pc\*, C.  
 Hall, W. D.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C.  
 Hancock, D. G.—Eg, F, Ma, Pc, C\*, Gg.  
 Hilbig, O. P.—Eg, F, Ma, Pc, Gg, D.  
 Hogben, I. W.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Holdich, W. G.—Eg, L, Ma\*, Pc, C.  
 Holding, R. A.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Hunwick, D. J.—Eg, Ma, H, M.  
 Jacobs, D. L.—Eg, L, F, Ma, Pc\*, C\*.  
 Jeffery, R. J.—Eg, F, Ma, Pc, C, Gg\*, M.  
 Jolly, M. A. B.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, H.  
 Jones, G. A. Hackett—Eg, L, Ma, Pc\*, C\*, H, M.  
 Kallin, J. L.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Kirk, J. M.—Eg, Ma, Pc, Gg, Bk.  
 Laidlaw, G. T.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, H, Gg.  
 Linn, M. D.—Eg, L, F, Ma\*, Pc\*, C\*, M.  
 Lloyd, C. D. V.—Eg, L, F, Ma, Pc\*, C\*.  
 Lokan, R. J.—Eg, F, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 McInnes, D. B.—Eg, Ma\*, Pc, C, H, Gg.  
 Mack, A. J.—Eg, L\*, F\*, Ma\*, Pc\*, C.  
 McShane, D. A. G.—Eg, L, Pc, C, H.  
 Maerschel, R. J.—Eg, L, F, Ma\*, Pc, C\*, M.  
 Marlow, C. R.—Eg, L\*, F\*, Ma\*, Pc\*, C\*.  
 Morris, P. C.—Eg, L, Ma, Pc, C, H.  
 Nelson, P. J.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Patterson, E. C.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Perry, F. T. C.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Pill, C. F.—Eg, Mal, Pc, C, H.  
 Pinchbeck, L. J.—Eg, Ma, Pc\*, C\*, H.  
 Rowe, J. R.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Simmons, I. J.—Eg, L, F, Ma, Pc, C\*.  
 Slatter, P. S.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C\*, H, Gg.  
 Smith, A. B.—Eg, L\*, F, Ma, Pc\*, C\*.  
 Smith, R. J.—Eg, Ma, Pc\*, C, Cg\*.  
 Smith, R. N. E.—Eg, L, F, Ma\*, Pc, C\*, M.  
 Stewart, R. S.—Eg, L, Ma\*, Pc, C\*.  
 Stock, M. C.—Eg, L, Ma, Pc, C, H.  
 Susans, G. R.—Eg, F, Ma\*, Pc, C\*, Gg.  
 Tiver, R. G.—Eg, Ma, Gg, Bk, W.  
 Tucker, D. J.—Eg, Ma, Pc, C\*, H, Gg\*.  
 Vimpani, G. V.—Eg, L, F\*, Ma\*, Pc, C\*, M.  
 Walkley, J. R. G.—Eg, L\*, F, Ma, Pc\*, C.  
 Watkins, D. G.—Eg, F, Ma, Pc, C\*, Gg\*.  
 Watkins, T. J.—Eg, L, F\*, Ma, Pc, C.  
 Willoughby, J. O.—Eg, L, F, Ma\*, Pc\*, C\*.  
 Woollard, G. J.—Eg, Ma, C, D.  
 Worthington, R. J.—Eg, Ma, Pc\*, C\*, Gg.

**Completed Certificate by Passing in  
One Subject**

Johnston, R. J. C.; Pontifex, B. R.; Reeves, R. W.; Shearer, D. C.; Weymouth, R. M.

**Passed in Four or More Subjects**

Bastian, I. J.—Ma\*, Pc, Bk.  
 Blackman, G. E.—Ma\*, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Brown, K. I.—Eg, H, Gg, Es.  
 Burge, D. M.—Eg, Ma, C.  
 Clarke, P. D. G.—Ma, C, Gg.  
 Craven, J. A.—Ma, Pc, C, Gg, W.  
 Dadds, L. T.—F, Ma, C, Gg.  
 Davidson, D. J.—A, Es, Bk, W.  
 Drew, C. V.—Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Dunstone, S. J.—Ma, Pc, C, Gg.

Hill, P. F.—Eg, Ma, C.  
 Holding, L. J.—Ma1, Pc, C, H, Gg\*.  
 Kealy, F. E.—Eg, A, Es, W.  
 Lovell, D. J.—Eg, L, Ma.  
 MacNab, M. A.—Eg, Ma, Gg.  
 Moxham, K. E.—Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Paterson, N. T.—Ma, C, Gg.  
 Ridley, R. E.—Eg, Ma1, Pc, Gg.  
 Steers, W. D.—Ma, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Thompson, R. J.—Pc, C, H, Gg.  
 Vandepier, S. S.—Ma, Pc, Gg, Bk.  
 Wait, R. N.—Eg, Ma, Gg.  
 Watts, D. R.—A, Gg, Bk, D.  
 White, W. W.—Eg, Ma, Gg.  
 Wiadrowski, P. V.—Ma, C, Gg, M.  
 Williamson, M.—Eg, Ma, C.  
 Wilmshurst, J. M.—Ma, Pc, C, H, Gg.  
 Yelland, D. R.—L, Ma, Pc, C.

### LEAVING

[(S) indicates a subject passed at the  
 Supplementary Examination]

Angel, R. J.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Ashby, R. J.—Eg, Mh\*, Eh, Ec, Gg\*, Gl\*.  
 Badenoch, K. H.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, Gg\*, Bk.  
 Bagshaw, R. K.—Eg(S), Eh, Ec, Gg.  
 Balfour, T. G.—Eg, M1 M2, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Barker, D. E.—Eg(S), L, M1, M2\*, Pc, C.  
 Blanks, B.—Eg, M1(S), M2, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Brandwood, R. G.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, Gg.  
 Brown, G. L.—Eg, F, M1\*, M2\*, Pc\*, C.  
 Buttery, P. O.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Candy, R. G.—Eg, M1, M2, Gg.  
 Catford, D. G.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, Gg.  
 Chappell, A. C.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Cleland, R. G.—Eg, L, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Colliver, M. J.—Eg(S), M1, M2, Mh, Gg.  
 Combe, H. D. M.—Eg, L\*, F, M1\*, M2\*, Pc.  
 Cooper, D. M.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C, Mh.  
 Cowan, B. A.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C, Gg\*.  
 Dibden, C. F. A.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Diener, C.—Eg, L, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Dunn, P. M.—Eg, C, Eh, Ec, Gg, Gl.  
 Farrant, L. R.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Freburg, P. C.—Eg, M1, M2(S), Pc, Gg.  
 Geddes, R. A.—Eg, F, M1\*, M2\*, Pc, C\*.  
 Giles, W. R.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, Gg\*.  
 Hagley, S. R.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Hains, J. D.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C, Mh.  
 Hart, M. L.—Eg, M1, M2, C, Ec, Gg.  
 Haslam, J. A.—Eg, L, F, M1, M2, C.  
 Humphris, R. J.—Eg, Eh, Ec, Gl\*, Bk.  
 Hurn, R. W.—Eg(S), M1, M2, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Jarman, D. J.—Eg, Pc\*, Mh, Eh, Gg\*, Gl, M.

Jarman, R. J.—Eg, Pc, Mh, Eh, Gg\*, Gl, M.  
 Jenkin, W. W.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc.  
 Jones, P. J. Hackett—Eg, L, M1, M2, Pc, C\*.  
 Kelly, W. R.—EgQ, F, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Kitto, R. J.—Eg, Gg, Gl, Bk.  
 Lang, R. J.—Eg, M1, C, Gg\*.  
 Little, K. E. T.—Eg, M1, M2\*, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Michelmore, C. J.—Eg, F, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Michelmore, W. V.—Eg\*, L, C\*, Eh, Ec, Gl\*.  
 Milne, A. S.—Eg, L, F, M1, M2.  
 Mooney, G. J.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc\*, C\*, Mh.  
 Moore, G. J.—Eg, M1\*, M2, Pc, C, Gg\*.  
 Morphett A. D.—Eg, L, M1, M2, Pc, C\*.  
 Morton, P. G.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C, Mh.  
 Motteram, D. J.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, Bk.  
 Panter, R. A.—Eg, F, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Papworth, R. W.—Eg, Eh, Mh, Ec, Gg, Gl.  
 Pearlman, J. K.—Eg, F, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Perrin, I. D.—Eg, Mh, Eh(S), Ec(S), Gg.  
 Reddin, J. P.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Reeves, R. W.—Eg, Pc, C, Gl.  
 Rehn, P. J.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Saddler, M. L. S.—Eg, L(S), M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Saint, B. E.—Eg(S), M1, M2, Mh, Ec, Gg(S).  
 Shearer, D. C.—Eg, Pc, Eh, Gg, Gl.  
 Slatter, R. J.—Eg, Mh, Ec, Gg.  
 Smith, R. B.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc\*, C, Gg.  
 Southby, R. J.—Eg(S), M1, M2, Pc, Bk.  
 Staker, J. W.—Eg, M1\*, M2\*, Pc\*, C\*, Gg.  
 Thomson, R. W.—Eg, L, M1, M2, Pc, C\*.  
 Tonkin, R. E.—Eg(S), M1, M2, Pc.  
 Trowse, D. D.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc\*, C, Gg.  
 Urquhart, P. N. W.—Eg, F, M1, M2, Pc\*, C\*.  
 Vardon, J. M.—Eg(S), M1, M2, Pc, Gg(S).  
 Walter, J. C.—Eg, Mh, Ec, Gg, Gl.  
 Watson, G. G.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, Mh.  
 Weymouth, R. M.—Eg, M1, M2, Ec, Bk.  
 Whitworth, N. R.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
 Wilson, R. F.—Eg(S), M1, M2, Mh, Bk.  
 Woollacott, H. M.—Eg, F(S), M1, M2, Pc, C.

### Completed Certificate by Passing in One or More Subjects

Binns, R. T.; Brinkworth, G. M.; Parkinson, G. J.

### Passed in Three or More Subjects

Brown, A.—M1, M2, Pc, C, Gg.  
 Causby, J. P.—Eg, Mh, Gg.  
 Davies, D. C. (Certificate gained in 1957)—  
 Eg, L, Ec.  
 Inglis, G. B.—Eg, Mh, Gg.  
 McKay, I. R.—Eg, M1, M2.  
 Pontifex, B. R.—Mh, Eh, Gg, Gl.  
 Smith, R. W.—Eg, L, C.

**Commonwealth Scholarships**

Angel, R. J.; Badenoch, K. H.; Barker, D. E.; Brown, G. L.; Chappell, A. C.; Combe, H. D. M.; Cooper, D. M.; Geddes, R. A.; Hains, J. D.; Hurn, R. W.; Jarman, D. J.; Jones, P. J. Hackett-; Little, K. E. T.; Michelmores, W. V.; Mooney, G. J.; Moore, G. J.; Morphet, A. D.; Smith, R. B.; Staker, J. W.; Thomson, R. W.; Trowse, D. D.; Urquhart, P. N. W.

**LEAVING HONOURS****General Honours List**

Luke, C. G. (2); Story, M. J. (4); Mills, K. W. (12); Golley, M. G. (27); Heron, I. C. (33).

**Leaving Honours Bursaries**

Story, M. J.; Mills, K. W.

**Special Honours List**

Modern History—Fotheringham, B. J. (7).  
Economics—Story, M. J. (2).  
Mathematics I—Mills, K. W. (3); Story, M. J. (9); Heron, I. C. (14); Luke, C. G. (22).  
Mathematics II—Mills, K. W. (1); Luke, C. G. (23); Story, M. J. (25).  
Physics—Golley, M. G. (2); Luke, C. G. (4); Mills, K. W. (15).  
Chemistry—Luke, C. G. (1); Story, M. J. (23).  
Biology—Luke, C. G. (2).

**Pass List**

(The Certificate is awarded to those who Pass in One or More Subjects)

Adamson, R. M.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Bartholomaeus, R. F.—Ec, Bl.  
Binns, R. T.—M1.

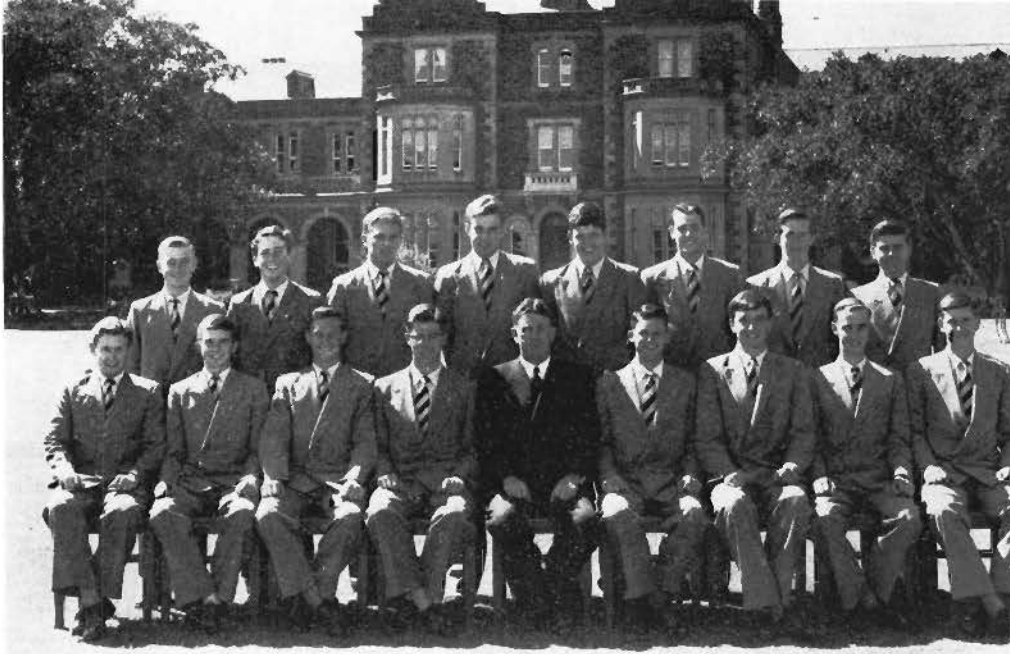
Brinkworth, G. M.—Ec.  
Chapman, P. G.—Ec, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Chapman, T. L.—Gg.  
Cole, L. J. R.—Pc.  
Craig, I. H.—Ec, M1.  
Davis, L. R.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Denton, T. R.—M1, M2.  
Duffield, D. M.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Elliott, M. S.—Eg, Ec.  
Evans, G. R.—Ec, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Evans, R. W.—Ec, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Farrow, R. L.—Ec.  
Fotheringham, B. J.—Eg, Mh\*, C, Bl.  
Fowler, T. J.—Ec, Gg, M1, C.  
Golley, M. G.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc\*, C.  
Gray, I. H.—Eg, L, Mh, Ec.  
Henderson, W. R.—M1.  
Heron, I. C.—L, M1\*, M2, Pc, C.  
Hopkins, P. M.—Ec, Gg.  
James, G. M.—Ec, M1.  
Kolowrocki, W.—M1, M2.  
Krantz, P. P.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Langdon, R. J.—M1, Pc, C.  
Luke, C. G.—M1\*, M2\*, Pc\*, C\*, Bl\*.  
McArthur, D. G.—Eg, L, Mh, C.  
MacDonald, N. G. A.—C.  
McNeil, R.—Ec, M1.  
Mills, K. W.—F, M1\*, M2\*, Pc\*, C.  
Mitchell, A. C. W.—Eg, F, M1, M2, Pc.  
Moyse, R. M.—M1.  
Oaten, D. R.—Ec, Pc, C.  
Parkinson, G. J.—M1, M2, C.  
Paul, D. B.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Phillips, W. D.—Eg, M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Shaughnessy, P. D.—M1, M2, Pc, C.  
Shepherd, G. L.—Eg, C.  
Story, M. J.—Ec\*, M1\*, M2\*, Pc, C\*.  
Taylor, R. W.—M1, M2, Pc.  
Yates, N. G.—L, Pc.

**FORM CAPTAINS**

VIUA	-	-	Phillips, W. D.
VIUB	-	-	Hurn, R. W.
VIA	-	-	Woollacott, H. M.
VIB	-	-	Laidlaw, G. T.
VIC	-	-	Abbott, L. G.
VUA	-	-	Cowham, R. H.
VUB	-	-	Shaughnessy, R. V.
VUC	-	-	Gove, D. W.
VUD	-	-	Henderson, P.
VUE	-	-	Bindek, T. R.
VLA	-	-	Woodroffe, A. J.
VLB	-	-	Giles, W. A.
VLC	-	-	Lock, D. B.
VLD	-	-	Woollard, D. G.
IVA	-	-	Trott, J. A.
IVB	-	-	Haslam, R. N.
IVC	-	-	Evans, J. W. A.
IVD	-	-	Lodge, W. D.
IVE	-	-	Caire, I. L.



R. N. W., VIC



SCHOOL PREFECTS, 1959

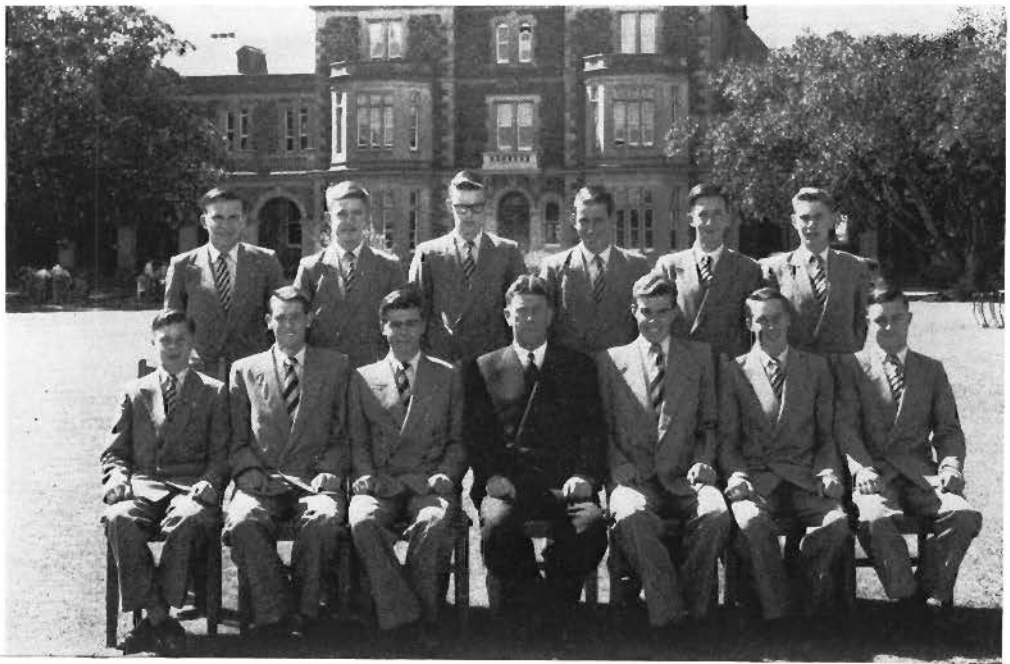
Back Row—D. D. Trowse, R. A. Geddes, J. D. Hains, R. J. Ashby, H. D. M. Combe,  
R. W. Hurn, G. J. Mooney, J. W. Staker

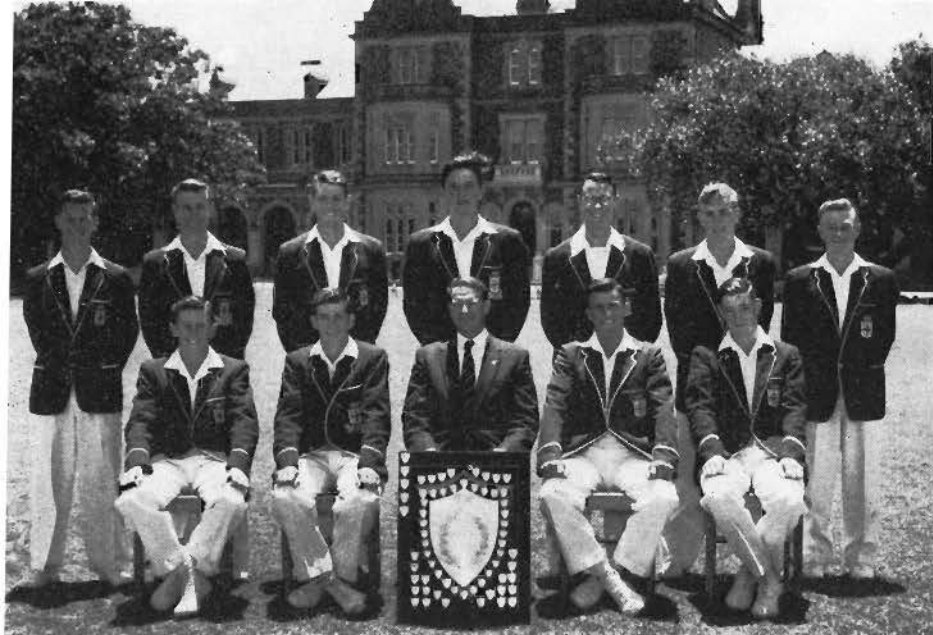
Front Row—J. L. Brown, N. G. A. McDonald, R. J. Angel, W. D. Phillips (Captain of  
the School), The Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning, M.A., M.Sc., R. M. Moyse,  
P. W. H. Woodruff, G. L. Brown, D. C. Davies

HOUSE PREFECTS, 1959

Back Row—R. G. Tiver, W. R. Kelly, J. R. Rowe, R. G. Brandwood, A. Brown,  
S. R. Hagley

Front Row—D. N. French, R. W. Hurn, J. W. Staker (Head of the House), The  
Head Master, Mr. J. A. Dunning, M.A., M.Sc., R. J. Ashby, R. J. Humphris, D. M. Cooper





INTERCOLLEGIATE CRICKET, 1959

P.A.C. - - 292 S.P.S.C. - - 242  
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Back Row—R. I. Angel, P. M. Hopkins, R. W. Hurn,  
P. W. H. Woodruff, D. M. Duffield, G. J. Moore,  
D. D. Trowse

Front Row—I. M. Chappell, D. R. Oaten (Captain),  
Mr. B. H. Leak, J. P. Causby, D. B. Paul.

INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS, 1959

P.A.C. - 11 rubbers S.P.S.C. - 4 rubbers

Back Row—D. R. Lyle, G. L. Brown, H. M. Woollacott,  
R. M. Moyses

Front Row—W. D. Phillips (Captain), Mr. G. M. Gabb,  
D. C. Davies



(Above)  
Under-Officer R. W. Evans receiving the General Rowell Proficiency Prize from Major-General L. J. Bruton, C.B.E., General Officer Commanding Central Command.  
(By courtesy "The Advertiser")



## Parents and Friends Association

There was a record attendance at the annual meeting of the Association, held in the Assembly Hall on 20th March. The retiring President, Mr. F. B. Lock, in his report thanked parents who had assisted the committee during the year. The meetings, one each term, had been most successful and very well attended. In addition to the help given each year to the Prep. School Mothers' Club and to the scouts, and to the provision of prizes in both the Big and the Preparatory Schools, the Association had assisted the School by providing a new electric-bell system which, it is reported, enables all forms to know just when periods commence and end. The Association also played its part in raising funds for the Back Oval.

The election of officers for 1959 resulted as follows:—President, Mr. V. A. Edgeloe; Im-

mediate Past President, Mr. F. B. Lock; Vice-Presidents, Dr. P. S. Woodruff and Mr. C. F. Compton; Hon. Secretary, Mr. R. B. Cant; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. R. S. Howland; Members of Committee, Mrs. G. M. Gray, Mrs. R. J. Shaughnessy, Mrs. J. Tregoning, Messrs. I. A. Angus, N. W. Bayly, R. L. Hains, H. W. Phillips and J. W. Stain.

After the election of officers, the Headmaster addressed the meeting.

The speaker at the third term meeting was Mr. Rohan D. Rivett, whose wide knowledge of the problems confronting Australia in its dealings with her Asian neighbours made his address a most instructive one that was greatly appreciated by the large number of parents present.

## The Back Oval

The scheme for alterations to the Back Oval has now been largely realized. Three new grass tennis courts, four hard courts and the knock-up wall are in full use, but the turf cricket-practice area will not be available until third term. Six of the courts are enclosed by high Cyclone fencing which also provides a safe backing for the turf practice wickets. The remaining fences in the new area have been painted a soft green colour and this has greatly improved its appearance. Couch grass on the newly-added part of the oval itself is growing well and in many parts the turf is now well established.

Further contributions to the War Memorial Appeal are listed below. 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. We thank those who have thus helped and also the Parents and Friends' Association for their assistance. The Association organized a garden party at Mitcham at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Williams. We are greatly indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Williams for their kindness in making their beautiful garden available.

Up to the present, the cost of the work has been £5,250. This amount would have been much larger but for the generous assistance given by Mr. F. I. Thomson in the levelling and demolition work.

It is regretted that there were two errors in initials in the list of contributions in the October issue of the Chronicle. The corrected names are:—

Mrs. W. R. Bayly £50 0 0.  
S. A. Catford £5 0 0.

### CONTRIBUTIONS

Previously acknowledged	5,506	8	4
E. S. Robinson	5	0	0
Rev. E. H. Woollacott	2	2	0
Dr. D. G. McKay	10	10	0
M. A. Crouch	5	0	0
Miss P. G. Crapp	5	0	0
D. H. Prest	2	2	0
3 Pledge Boys	3	3	0
W. W. Ellis	20	0	0
K. E. Nicholls	15	15	0
Mrs. R. James	10	10	0
Dr. G. H. Kendrew	20	0	0
A. S. Crooks	3	0	0
A. E. Catford	10	10	0
W. E. Gray	25	0	0
Dr. B. W. Ellis	1	1	0
Dr. D. K. McKenzie	5	5	0
S. A. Tucker	2	2	0
L. H. B. Paterson	10	10	0
J. A. Green	1	1	0
H. M. Searle	5	5	0
Proceeds of School Play	185	2	0
P. & F. Association—sale of sweets at play	48	12	6
P. & F. Association—garden party at home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Williams	653	10	0
P.A.O.C. Broken Hill Branch	38	0	0
Collections from boys	21	14	2
Miscellaneous	3	8	1
	<b>£6,619</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>

## Valete

Year in brackets indicates year of entry. I.C. Intermediate Certificate. L.C. Leaving Certificate. L.H.C. Leaving Honours Certificate. Member of Intercollegiate teams: XI, Cricket; XVIII, Football; VI, Tennis; VIII, First Crew; Ath., Athletics.

### Upper Sixth Forms

- Oaten, D. R. (1949): Captain of School 1958, Prefect 57-8, Captain of School House 57, House Prefect 56-7, Sports Cte 57-8, Keith Swann Medal 58, I.C. and Cont. Exh. 55, L.C. 56, L.H.C. 57-8, Ath. 56-7-8, Half-colours 57, XI 56-7-8, Captain 57-8, Colours 56-7-8, XVIII 56-7-8, Colours 56-7-8, Captain 58, Tennis Half-colours 58.
- Bartholomaeus, R. F. (1951): Prefect 58, Captain of School House 58, House Prefect 57-8, Sports Cte 58, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, VIII 57-8, Colours 57-8, Captain 58, Queen's Scout 57, Cadet Scouter 58.
- Craig, I. H. (1954): Prefect 58, Sports Cte 58, George Wills Schol. 56, I.C. 57, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, Ath. 56-7-8, Colours 56-7, Half-colours 58, XVIII 58, Colours 58, Half-colours 57.
- Elliott, M. S. (1948): Prefect 58, I.C. 55, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, Ath. 55, 58, Queen's Scout 58.
- Evans, R. W. (1946): Prefect 58, I.C. 55, L.C. 56, L.H.C. 57-8, Under Off. 58, General Rowell Prize 58.
- Hopkins, P. M. (1949): Prefect 58, Sports Cte 58, I.C. 55, L.C. 56, L.H.C. 58, Ath. 55-6-8, Colours 56-8, Half-Colours 55, Capt. 58, XI 57-8, Colours 57-8, VI 58, Colours 58, Merit Badge 58, Under Off. 58.
- Luke, C. G. (1946): Prefect 58, Dux of School 58, I.C. and Cont. Exh. 1955, L.C. and Bursary 56, Robb Schol. 56, L.H.C. 57-8, 2nd Gen. Hon. List 58, Thomas Elder Schol. 58, Editor Science Journal 58, Queen's Scout 58.
- McArthur, D. G. (1954): Prefect 58, I.C. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, XVIII 58, Colours 58.
- Shaughnessy, P. D. (1952): Prefect 58, I.C. and Cont. Exh. 56, L.C. 57, Craven Schol. 57, L.H.C. 58, XVIII 57-8, Colours 58, Half-colours 57, Rowing Half-colours 58, Queen's Scout 57.
- Story, M. J. (1950): Prefect 58, I.C. 55, L.C. 56, L.H.C. 57-8, L.H. Burs., 4th Gen. Hon. List, E. B. Colton Schol. 58, Rowing Half-colours 58.
- Whitham, P. J. (1950): Prefect 58, I.C. 55, L.C. 56, VIII 58, Colours 58, Half-colours 57, Queen's Scout 57, Cadet Scouter 58.
- Adamson, R.M. (1954): I.C. and Exh. 56, Gowrie Schol. 56, L.C. 57, Robb. Schol. 57, L.H.C. 58, Rowing Half-colours 57-8, Queen's Scout 58.
- Binns, R. T. (1946): I.C. 55, L.C. 58, L.H.C. 58.
- Brinkworth, G. M. (1952): I.C. 56, L.C. 58, L.H.C. 58.
- Chapman, P. G. (1952): I.C. and Cont. Exh. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, Queen's Scout 58.
- Chapman, T. L. (1948): L.H.C. 58, Rowing Half-colours 58, Queen's Scout 57.
- Cole, L. J. R. (1948): L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58.
- Davis, L. R. (1954): Adelaide Mary Bowman Entrance Schol. I.C. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, Rowing Half-colours 58.
- Denton, T. R. (1947): I.C. 55, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, VIII 58, Colours 58, Queen's Scout 57.
- Duffield, D. M. (1958): L.H.C. 58, XVIII 58, Colours 58, XI 58, Colours 58.
- Evans, G. R. (1952): I.C. and Cont. Exh. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, Warrant Off. 58.
- Farrow, R. L. (1955): House Prefect 58, I.C. 57, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58.
- Fotheringham, B. J. (1947): James Ashton Schol. 52, G. S. Cotton Schol. 53, I.C. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58.
- Fowler, T. J. (1951): Robertson Schol. 53, Junior Elder Schol. 54, I.C. 56, L.C. 57, Arnold Davey Schol. 57, L.H.C. 58.
- Golley, M. G. (1957): Grasby Entrance Schol. L.C. and Burs. 57, L.H.C. 58, 27th on Gen. Hon. List 58, Malpas Schol. 58.
- Gray, I. H. (1954): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58.
- Henderson, W. R. (1956): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58.
- Heron, I. C. (1954): Samuel Fiddian Entrance Schol., I.C. and Cont. Exh. 56, Clarkson Schol. 56, L.C. and Burs. 57, L.H.C. 58, 33rd on Gen. Hon. List 58, Longbottom Schol. 58, Tennis Half-colours 58.
- Jackson, J. H. (1958): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, VIII 58, Colours 58, Under Off. 58.
- James, G. M. (1953): I.C. 55, L.C. 56-7, L.H.C. 58.
- Kerr, D. A. (1955): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, Tennis Half-colours 58, Football Half-colours 58.
- Kolowrocki, W. T. (1958): L.H.C. 58, Ath. 58.
- Krantz, P. P. (1950): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58.
- Laidlaw, A. P. (1954): I.C. 56, L.C. 57.
- Langdon, R. J. (1954): I.C. and Cont. Exh. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58.
- McNeil, R. (1952): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58.
- Mills, K. W. (1954): Sir Thomas Elder Entrance Schol., I.C. and Cont. Exh. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, L.H. Burs., 12th on Gen. Hon. List 58, Old Collegians Schol. 58.
- Mitchell, A. C. W. (1954): I.C. and Cont. Exh. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, Colton Schol. 58, Editor of Chronicle 58, Queen's Scout 57.



Parkinson, G. J. (1955): I.C. 56, L.C. 58, L.H.C. 58.  
 Paul, D. B. (1954): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, XI 56-7-8, Colours 57-8, Half-colours 56.  
 Pickering, I. H. (1955): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, Ath. 58, XVIII 58, Colours 58, Warrant Off. 58.  
 Shepherd, G. L. (1948): I.C. 55, L.C. 56-7, L.H.C. 58, Rowing Half-colours 58.  
 Smith, H. K. (1950): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, Rowing Half-colours 58.  
 Taylor, R. W. (1954): I.C. 56, L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58.  
 Turner, G. R. (1946): I.C. 56, L.C. 57.  
 Whitworth, W. G. (1957): L.C. 57, Ath. 58.  
 Yates, N. G. (1957): L.C. 57, L.H.C. 58, XVIII 57-8, Colours 57-8.

#### Sixth Forms

Barrows, R. W. (1954): House Prefect 58, I.C. 57, L.C. 58, Rowing Half-colours 58.  
 Buttery, P. O. (1955): I.C. 57, L.C. 58, Ath. 56-7, Half-colours 57.  
 Candy, R. G. (1957): L.C. 58, Ath. 57-8, Half-colours 57-8, Football Half-colours 58.  
 Catford, D. G. (1955): House Prefect 58, I.C. 57, L.C. 58.  
 Causby, J. P. (1955): Spts Cte 58, XI 56-7-8, Colours 56-7-8, XVIII 57-8, Colours 57-8, Ath. 56-7-8, Colours 57-8, Half-colours 56.  
 Colliver, M. J. (1955): I.C. 57, L.C. 58.  
 Combe, G. L. M. (1955): House Prefect 58, XVIII 57-8, Colours 57-8, Ath. 58.  
 Cowan, B. A. (1955): I.C. 57, L.C. 58.  
 Delaporte, I. D. (1957): I.C. 57.  
 Dunn, P. M. (1955): I.C. 57, L.C. 58, XVIII 58, Colours 58, Ath. 58, Cricket Half-colours 58.  
 Gogler, K. D. (1949): Under Off. 58.  
 Hannaford, D. M. (1958): Ath. 58, Colours 58, XVIII 58, Colours 58.  
 Hart, M. L. (1955): I.C. 57, L.C. 58.  
 Inglis, G. B. (1953): I.C. 57.  
 Jeffries, R. S. (1946).  
 Johnston, R. J. C. (1954): I.C. 58.  
 Kitto, R. J. (1956): I.C. 57, L.C. 58.  
 McKay, I. R. (1948): I.C. 56.  
 Martin, P. D. (1955): I.C. 57.  
 Michelmores, W. V. (1954): I.C. 57, L.C. 58.  
 Motteram, D. J. (1949): I.C. 57.  
 Perrin, I. D. (1958): L.C. 58.  
 Pontifex, B. R. (1955): I.C. 58, VIII 58, Colours 58.  
 Reddin, J. P. (1954): I.C. 57, L.C. 58.  
 Reeves, R. W. (1955): I.C. 58, L.C. 58, VIII 58, Colours 58.  
 Rehn, P. J. (1958): L.C. 58.  
 Shearer, D. C. (1954): I.C. 58, L.C. 58.  
 Shiell, M. D. (1957): I.C. 57.  
 Slatter, R. J. (1952): I.C. 57, L.C. 58, Ath. 56-7, Warrant Off. 58.

Southby, R. J. (1954): L.C. 58.  
 Tonkin, R. E. (1957): L.C. 58.  
 Walter, J. C. (1948): I.C. 56, L.C. 58.  
 Watson, G. G. (1955): I.C. 57, L.C. 58.  
 Weymouth, R. M. (1952): I.C. 58, L.C. 58.  
 Wicks, C. J. (1948): I.C. 57.

#### Upper Fifth Forms

Brown, K. I. (1949).  
 Carlier, B. (1956): VI 58, Colours 58.  
 Catford, R. G. (1956).  
 Catt, A. J. (1956): I.C. 58.  
 Charles, J. F. (1954).  
 Coombe, C. C. (1956).  
 Davidson, D. J. (1956).  
 Driver, R. H. (1954): I.C. 58.  
 Dunsmore, D. F. (1947).  
 Hall, M. A. (1957).  
 Hall, M. N. (1955).  
 Keal, R. I. (1953).  
 MacNab, M. A. (1949).  
 Pill, C. F. (1956): I.C. 58.  
 Pridmore, W. B. (1956).  
 Prime, W. B. (1954).  
 Rowe, J. M. D. (1955).  
 Sarre, J. P. (1956).  
 Steers, W. D. (1955).  
 Stewart, R. S. (1956): I.C. 58.  
 Voysey, I. M. (1955).  
 Watts, D. R. (1956): Ath. 56-7-8, Colours 56-7-8, XVIII 58, Colours 58, Tennis Half-colours 58.  
 White, W. W. (1955).  
 Williams, G. B. (1956).  
 Williamson, M. (1949).  
 Wotton, D. C. (1955).

#### Lower Fifth Forms

Grasby, L. J. (1957).  
 Leader, B. H. (1954).  
 Pitt, B. J. (1957).  
 Young, R. C. (1957).

#### Fourth Forms

Brooks, A. F. (1958).  
 Dixon, P. R. (1951).  
 Dolling, N. F. (1958).  
 Merity, J. L. (1958).  
 Smith, J. C. S. (1957).

#### Preparatory School

Dixon, D. J. (1951).  
 Singleton, G. (1951).  
 Williamson, B. (1952).

## Prefects' Palaver

### Third Term, 1958

Congratulations to Col. Luke and Mick Story on their "solid" efforts in the Leaving Honours Examination. Other Prefects did well, while the rest—alas, that is another story.

Dave Oaten is to be congratulated on leading the first XI to a fine victory over Saints in the Intercoll. Cricket. Peter Woodruff, the only other prefect in the team, did a very fine job behind the stumps.

### First Term, 1959

Once again, the Prefects have taken leading roles in many of the school activities.

In the classroom the back row of VIUA is taken up entirely by prefects; so rivalry for "the laurels" will be strictly prefectorial.

In cadets and scouts we hold our own, with three or four under-officers controlling military matters, Combe keeping the scouts on their toes.

"Freshy" Moyse, "Darby" Davies, Garry Brown and "Woof" Phillips form a solid backbone for the Intercoll. Tennis. Congratulations!

Peter Woodruff is our sole representative in the Head-of-the-River crew. "Press on regardless, Moses!"

Many of the Prefects are striving for positions in the Combined Sports Team. Rob Geddes is learning the more subtle points of cricket. In this regard Don Trowse and Bob Angel are our representatives in the First XI, with Don as captain. Congratulations!

To follow tradition, a small poem will point out the qualities of the "defects" this year.

The Prefects this year—oh woe—what a crew,

From sport to scholastics we leave it to you!  
Of this merry band "Woof" Phillips is head,  
He's proud of the talented lustre they shed.  
Taking the rest as they come from the hat,  
Rob Angel is clever with a willow bat.

"Chook" Ashby, alas, throws his weight far  
and near,

While Jeff goes to sleep when reading "King  
Lear".

For smartness and manners Rob Moyse takes  
the bun,

While Don as the captain of cricket has fun.  
At P.T. Dean Davies is always flat out,

While Garry keeps heaving his "body" about.  
Graham Mooney will end up in an orbit soon  
When the "rocket" he's riding explodes—O  
kerbloom!!

Danny had some trouble with a wayward  
nitrate,

The result to his face has made him irate.

"Moses" is our most outstanding cadet,  
While Staker's the most studious that you've  
ever met!

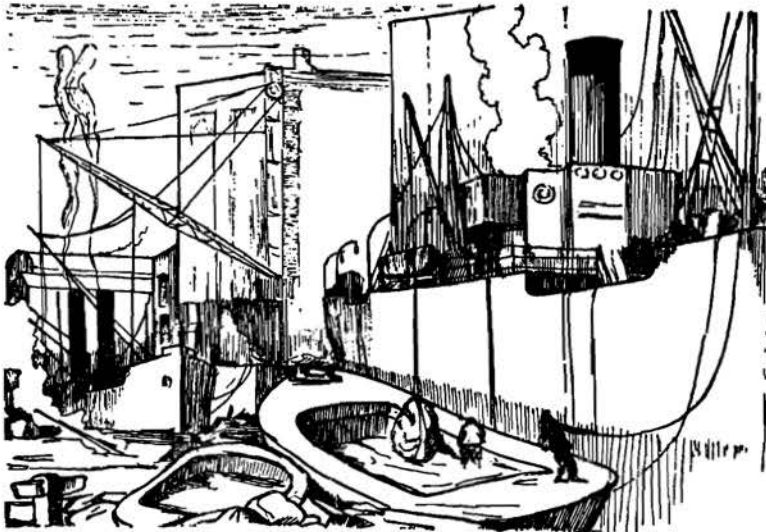
Combe is the backbone of our school's debat-  
ing,

While "Doogall" investigates horse-stingers  
mating.

Dick Hurn, I'm afraid, is renowned for his  
bumpers

And Geddes would argue that flies should  
wear jumpers.

By means of this verse I have tried to select  
The main features—if any—of every prefect.



R. N. W., VIC

# Salvete

- \* Denotes Boarder
- † Denotes Son of Old Boy
- ‡ Denotes Grandson of Old Boy
- ¶ Denotes Great-Grandson of Old Boy

## IC

Barnes, P. D.  
 Brewster Jones, A.  
 Camp, D. A.  
 Cooper, J. M. † ‡ ¶  
 Fox, C. D. †  
 Gerrard, P. S.  
 Gryst, M. E. I. †  
 Hallett, D. G. †  
 Harris, R. R.  
 Hunter, A. C. S. ‡  
 Murdy, M. F.  
 Neil, R. H.  
 Rennie, A. C.  
 Rivett, K. R.  
 Waters, P. R.  
 Watson, S. M.

## IB

Claver, S. N.  
 Crompton, R. P. † ‡ ¶  
 (1958)  
 Western, J. †

## IA

Brearley, R. G. (1958)  
 Cooper, G. A. † ‡ ¶  
 Freeman, R. R.  
 Martin, A. S. † ¶  
 Hetzel, J. R. S. ‡  
 Lasscock, K. J.  
 Southcott, R. E. †

## II B

Dubin, R. \* (1958)  
 Ingram, K. D. \*  
 Lovell, J. H. S. ‡  
 Radford, R. M. \* †  
 Reid, M. W. J. †

## II A

Baynes, J. S. † ‡  
 Chalmers, B. A. \*  
 Nicholls, R. B. †  
 Peake, A. G.  
 Uppill, A. R. \*  
 Western, P. †

## III LB

Burge, P. D.  
 Chalmers, A. M. \*  
 Dickson, M. W. \* †  
 Jack, A. S.  
 Jamieson, W. R.  
 LeCornu, B. L.  
 Purcell, V. R.

Richardson, B. J. †  
 Sloan, C. B.  
 White, P. A.  
 Woods, J. A. † (1958)

## III LA

Dennis, P. J.  
 Frith, D. N.  
 Gray, M. L.  
 Green, B. J.  
 Howe, G. D.  
 King, S. R. † ‡  
 McEwin, A. K. ‡  
 McShane, N. C.  
 Martin, E. H.  
 Martin, G. S. † ¶  
 Monckton, R. P.  
 Rhodes, S. H. †  
 Taplin, G. E. † ‡  
 Underwood, P. E.  
 Warhurst, P. R. I.  
 Webber, J.  
 Conlan, D. M.

## III UB

Bowman, R. S. \*  
 Chung, Y. S. \*  
 Harris, P. N. †  
 Norman, J. C. \* †  
 O'Neill, G. R. \*  
 Smart, G. C. \*  
 Smart, R. B. \*  
 Snell, R. A.

## III UA

Lowe, R. M. †  
 Queale, J. W. †

## IVE

Brookman, A. H. R.  
 Brooks, D. C. † ‡  
 Burford, J. W.  
 Buttery, P. D. †  
 Caire, I. L.  
 Cliff, S. B. \*  
 Dolling, D. C. \*  
 Gill, B. B.  
 Gramp, A. R. †  
 McGill, M. H.  
 Sangster, P. S.  
 Tillbrook, J. M. † ‡  
 Venning, I. H. \* †  
 Vinall, J. H.  
 Walkley, B. W.

Williamson, D. L. †  
 Wilckens, D. E.  
 Winter, D. J.

## IV D

Glasson, L. S. †  
 Gray, D. B.  
 Hocking, R. L. †  
 Jefferson, T. R. \*  
 Jenkinson, W. L.  
 Kelly, C. R. \* † ‡ ¶  
 Koch, P. F. \*  
 McKay, J. D. \* † ‡  
 Major, R. W. \*  
 Paterson, D. L. \* †  
 Penna, I. J. \* †  
 Pomery, R. D.  
 Roennfeldt, R. G. \*  
 Schulze, R. L. \*  
 Sneyd, W. R. \* †

## IV C

Bassham, G. B.  
 Byrne, R. J.  
 Craig, A. G. H. †  
 Hackett-Jones, R. Q.  
 Hannemann, C. R.  
 Hart, R. R. \*  
 Huxtable, R. G. †  
 Kahl, C. M.  
 Kelly, J. L. \* †  
 Lawrie, I. W. \*  
 Leal, J. K. †  
 Manders, D. J. ‡  
 McCallum, R. T.  
 Millard, G. W. \*  
 Richardson, W. B. \*  
 Roberts, M. B. \* †  
 Wicks, P. R. \*  
 Wicks, R. N.  
 Yelland, T. E. †

## IV B

Barton, J. L. †  
 Catt, J. F. † ‡ ¶  
 Fuller, P. G.  
 Gill, T. D.  
 Homburg, M. H. † ‡  
 Humphris, P. D. \* † ‡  
 Inglis, A. R. \* †  
 James, R. A. †  
 Johnston, P. C. †  
 McKenzie, G. M. \*  
 Miller, D. I.  
 Mitchell, K. M.  
 Overton, I. \* †  
 Trengove, G. C. \* †

## IV A

Angel, R. J. †  
 Beare, J. F.  
 Butler, J. C. †  
 Corbet, M. E.  
 Hand, K. R.  
 Hannaford, G. W.  
 Hill, I. D. \* † ‡  
 Hunter, J. M.  
 Jackson, G. R. †  
 Lacey, A. H.  
 MacCormac, K. L. †  
 Manuel, G. K. ‡  
 Miles, J. R.  
 Pitcher, R. A. C.  
 Searle, G. J.  
 Tonkin, G. O. †

## V LD

Lillie, I. E.  
 Staker, R. W. \* †  
 Young, B. D. \*

## V LC

Skeer, C. E. \*  
 Smart, R. E. \* †  
 Watson, M. J.

## V LB

Barnet, J. L.  
 Willcox, J. B.

## V UC

Beiler, A. D.  
 Doley, J. L.

## V UA

Golley, B. W.  
 Spence, G. C.

## VI C

Perrin, R.

## VI B

Farrant, B. S. †  
 Perks, B. L.  
 Ramsey, J. A. B. \*  
 Woolford, W. T.

## VI A

Hall, I. S.

## VI UA

Smith, J. L.  
 (Re-enrolment)

## House Notes

### BAYLY

#### Third Term, 1958

Our congratulations go to Cotton on winning the 1958 House Competition. Having made a poor start, Bayly finished third after a keen and enthusiastic finish.

This term proved quite successful in most aspects of school life. In the inter-house cricket we finished first in the senior division and third in the junior division. Bayly gained first places in both rowing and cadets, but the results of school work prevented us from winning the House Competition.

The intercoll, cricket team contained three members from our house. Congratulations to Oaten (captain), Chappell and Trowse. We congratulate Luke on being Dux of the School. He and Story came second and fourth in the Leaving Honours Examinations while others to do well were Heron and Golley.

#### First Term 1959

To Combe, Mooney, Moyse and Trowse, who were made prefects, we extend our congratulations. Early in the year house activities commenced with the appointment of a House Committee, consisting of Moyse (House Captain), Cleland, Freburg, Giles, Mooney and Trowse.

Our congratulations go to Trowse on being elected Captain of Cricket. Giles is also to be congratulated on his election as Captain of Boats for 1959. Others to represent us in rowing are the Jarman twins, Kallin, Binder, and a few boys in the junior crews. This year we will again be represented in tennis by Moyse.

We are looking forward to a good year as far as the cadets are concerned, with Under-Officers Giles, Michelmore and Thomson representing Bayly.

Generally we are confident of having a very successful year, providing every boy does his best. Although we lost the House Cup last year, we are to show that this was only a temporary lapse. So watch out other houses!

### COTTON

#### Third Term 1958

This term Cotton increased their lead of points in the competition for the House Cup. On the sports field especially, Cotton did very well, the juniors winning their house cricket with a decisive victory over Waterhouse.

Cotton came second in school work, an aspect of the competition in which we always seem to do well.

In the inter-collegiate cricket team which defeated St. Peter's at the end of the year, We had four representatives. Congratulations to Hopkins, Barratt, Moore and especially to Brenton Paul who won the intercollegiate

batting and fielding trophies, and the First XI bowling trophy. A splendid effort Brent!

The year finished with Cotton winning the House Cup, twenty-seven points ahead of our nearest rival, Waterhouse.

#### First Term, 1959

Congratulations, boys of Cotton House upon the splendid effort of winning, yet again, the House Cup for 1958. Our victory was the third consecutive and hopes for a fourth in 1959 are high, and chances favourable.

Early in the year, a meeting of Cotton House boys elected Jeff. Brown, Grahame Moore, Garry Brown, and Dean Davies as members of the committee, and Dan Hains was made House Captain.

This year we have four school prefects in our midst—congratulations to Davies, J. Brown, G. Brown and Hains.

In the summer camp at Warradale, Garry Brown did very well in the Under-Officers' course to finish second to another P.A.C. boy—Nelson. With Oliver as another U.O., Cotton are well represented in the cadet unit.

Chances this year of losing the house tennis seem negligible, as in the intercoll, tennis team which beat St. Peter's on 21st March, we had three out of the six team members. Well done Davies, Woollacott, and G. Brown.

With athletics season upon us, Cotton will need continual effort from each of its members at heats, on sports day, and at standards; we must remain top house and athletics is not our strongest department.

We look forward to a victorious year.

### SCHOOL

Committee: Mr. N. E. Peard (Housemaster), Messrs. P. H. B. Phillips, G. C. Kelly, and G. A. Lockyer (resident masters). J. W. Staker (Captain of the House), R. J. Ashby, R. W. Hurn (School Prefects), R. G. Brandwood, A. Brown, D. M. Cooper, D. N. French, S. R. Hagley, R. J. Humphris, W. R. Kelly, J. R. Rowe and R. G. Tiver (House Prefects).

#### Third Term 1958

In the House Competition we finished a disappointing last and were once again last in school work, being in a groove from which it is hard to extricate ourselves. At the Speech Day our showing was a little better as we obtained quite a few places in the class position order and did exceptionally well in taking a large number of the Scripture prizes.

We came second in the rowing, although none of our rowers were in either of the "eight" crews. This was a commendable effort made by those who rowed for us.

In cricket our showing was not as good and we filled last position. In the senior contest, the game we had with Bayly was close, however, and we were beaten only by a narrow margin. Congratulations go to R. W. Hurn and D. Duffield who both played in the intercollegiate cricket match.

The boarders' picnic was again held at Port Noarlunga. We were lucky enough to have the sky overcast for most of the day and so no one was sunburnt to anywhere near the extent that some were last year. The diving and swimming championships and crab hunt added interest to the day.

The Boarders' Concert was held on the last Wednesday evening of the term and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

At the end of the year we were sorry to lose Mr. Mills and Mr. Jenkin who were resident masters here. Mr. Mills left us about a week before school finished to take up a teaching position in Cambodia, and Mr. Jenkin, who had been most helpful in the house, especially in the organizing of parties, for three years, was farewelled at the Boarders' Concert.

#### First Term 1959

We started the year with forty-three new boys and ninety-five returned from last year. We now have the large number of 138 in the house, this number, however, being about twenty-five less than the number of boys in the day-boy houses. This fact does not lower our hopes for any of the competition results.

We also welcomed two new resident masters, Mr. Kelly and Mr. Phillips.

We have all settled in well and are looking forward to a good year in all aspects of school life, including school work.

### WATERHOUSE

**Third Term, 1958.** After a fine tussle Cotton eventually proved superior and we had to be content with second place in the House Competition. This was not through lack of trying, and the boys are to be complimented on their fine house spirit.

Congratulations to those boys who by their sterling efforts in the classroom gained for us top points for school work! The Cadet House Competition in contrast was at the other extreme and in this we came a dismal last.

The cricket proved to be more successful as far as we were concerned. The juniors, although they lost their first match against Cotton, who finished first, challenged Bayly, winning this match to gain second place. The comparatively weak senior team did well in the first match, narrowly defeating a very strong Cotton side, containing no less than seven First XI players. In the final they were beaten by a powerful Bayly side.

In the rowing we came third. Enthusiasm in training was low amongst the crew and this was reflected in the results.

Overall the year was a most satisfactory one. We hope to pull up one position and win the House Competition for 1959.

**First Term, 1959.** Waterhouse began the year well, W. D. Phillips being appointed Captain of the School. Our congratulations go to Wayne, and to Angel, Geddes, MacDonald and Woodruff who were chosen as School Prefects. As usual at this time of the year the House Committee was chosen. They are Phillips (Captain of the School), Woodruff (Captain of the House), Angel, Daebler, Geddes, Haslam, MacDonald, Perry and Skinner.

We can expect good results in both the academic and sporting fields, being soundly represented in the examination forms.

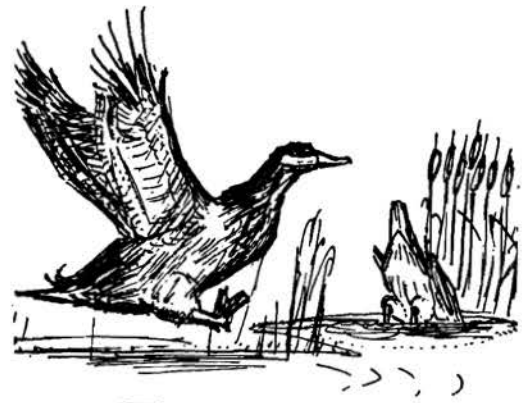
In the realm of sport our congratulations go to Phillips for the fine way in which he captained the Intercollegiate Tennis team in their magnificent victory and also to Lyle upon his inclusion.

Although we lost many of our senior athletes last year, we have several promising juniors and with the necessary keenness on the part of the house in general we can expect to do well.

We can hope for an improved showing in the House Rowing and should do well in both senior and junior crews.

An improvement in our Cadet House Competition points can also be expected with the driving force of Under-Officers Geddes, Nelson and Woodruff and the senior N.C.O.s.

The house shows abundant potential and it remains to be seen if the boys can maintain sufficient effort and interest to win the House Cup for 1959.



W. R. K., VIUB

## Club Activities

### CHOIR NOTES

The choir finished 1958 very successfully by singing two anthems "Blessed art Thou, O Lord of our fathers" by Martin Shaw, and "Mighty Lord, and King all glorious" from Bach's "Christmas Oratorio" together with the introit "Alleluia" by Thalben-Ball, at the end-of-year service in the Kent Town Church. The aria "Mighty Lord" was enhanced by a trumpet obligato performed by Mr. Len Taylor of the South Australian Symphony Orchestra. We say "Thank you" to Mr. Taylor, and also to Mr. Mark Symons, the Kent Town organist, who accompanied the choir.

We should also like to congratulate Ian Gray, one of our members, for his fine organ recital before the service.

The choir has begun very well this year with an enthusiastic band of singers. We are already practising some anthems for the mid-year service, and, on the lighter side, we are giving some time to items which we might present at the School Concert in August.

Under the capable guidance of Mr. May, we are looking forward to a very successful year.

### SENIOR DEBATING GROUP

As usual, part of the first meeting for the year was used to elect the committee. The following were successful: President, R. G. Cleland; Vice-President, H. D. M. Combe; Organizing Secretary, J. D. Hains; Minute Secretary, G. J. Moore; Committeeman, R. G. Brandwood.

This year we have conducted one debate on "Is Australia the right shape?", impromptu speeches and prepared speeches. The average age of the lads this year is younger than usual, but this does not seem to lower the standard of speaking. The older lads who debated last year have inspired the younger boys. The impromptu speeches were on very surprising subjects which proved quite amusing to the society. The prepared speeches this year have not been up to the standard of last year. On general indication, however, we anticipate that this year will be very successful.

### JUNIOR DEBATING GROUP

We are twenty in all, eight from the Lower Fifts, and twelve from the Fourths. Some of us are so shy when we get up to speak that words stick in our throats, and there is no alternative but to sit down. But we have been assured that time works wonders, and that one day we shall surprise even ourselves with our eloquence.

And so we look forward to a happy and successful year in our efforts to master the art of public speaking. There will be debates, prepared and impromptu speeches, and discussions; in fact we have already completed one round of these activities. The standard of our work is only fair at the moment, but we are determined to make good progress.

The members of the committee are: A. J. Bennett, K. W. Hand, J. E. Potter, and O. Crompton (Minute Secretary).

### CHESS CLUB

In this club there are twenty-seven members. For the first few weeks, Mr. Kurtz carefully explained the main points of this game. Every Friday afternoon we have steadily progressed towards a better understanding of the game. The help of Mr. Kurtz is much appreciated by all members.

### ENGINEERING CLUB

This year the number of boys wishing to do engineering has once again warranted the formation of two groups under Mr. Bennett and Mr. Perkins. Many interesting discussions have been held about various car engines, and much valuable information has been given to us by the instructors.

Several practical demonstrations have been carried out on masters' cars.

This year, we have also been very fortunate to have an excellent library of magazines from which much interesting information has been obtained.

### WOODWORK CLUB

This year the Woodwork Club has eighteen keen and enthusiastic members under the supervision of Mr. Wellby. We are indebted to him for the interest he shows in the boys and the assistance given, if any difficulties arise. The boys are actively engaged in making models of various descriptions. We are looking forward to putting some excellent models in the School Exhibition. Altogether the Woodwork Club should have a most successful and interesting year.

### RIFLE CLUB

Last year was a very enjoyable one. Under Mr. Luke's careful supervision the Rifle Club progressed steadily, and many of the shooters gained good scores. Weymouth and Bowen both gained good scores at the Dean Range last year and are to be congratulated.

This year has all the appearances of being an extremely successful one. There are quite a few new members in the club and these have already given signs of good progress. All the members show a keen competitive spirit and good scores have already been tallied.

The Princes club has withdrawn from the inter-schools shoot at Keswick because of the small number of shooters available on Saturday mornings.

The club toured the Sporting Arms factory at Edwardstown in 1957 and a return trip is being considered for the second term of this year.

Mr. Luke's helpful guidance and interest are very much appreciated, and we thank him for the generous assistance which he has given us.

### SCIENCE AND RADIO CLUBS

This year there was an even larger number than usual anxious to join the Science Hobby Group. Many applicants had to be disappointed, for the size of our workshop limits the number that can be accepted.

Much good work has already been done. The workshop group has completed a number of projects including the construction of an ozonizer, a number of electroscopes, two freely running trolleys on rails, a Fortin barometer, a number of cases for galvanometers and ammeters, as well as repairs to various pieces of equipment, including the Wimshurst machine.

The physics group has been busy on the classification and maintenance of apparatus in the physics laboratory, and the chemistry group has rendered good service in making up the solutions required for analysis.

The radio enthusiasts have now erected their aerial once again, and are looking forward to some interesting projects during the year.

### DRAMATICS CLUB

Once more this year, as always, the problem in the Dramatics Club has been to find a play suitable to the boys in the club and the taste of the School. But again, under the supervision of Mr. Coombes this has been done, and the majority of the casting done. For this year's play he has chosen the well-known comedy by Ben Travers, "Wild Horses". This, as the script points out, is a farce; in fact that but poorly describes it, as the plot is such a crazy jumble that calling it a farce hardly does justice to its madcap humour.

### PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

This club has made a flying start with the activities for this year, having a membership of thirty-six boys. These boys are showing very great interest in the series of illustrated talks being given by Mr. Colin G. West of the Kodak Lecture Service.

Some work has already been done by members in cleaning up the dark-room, where it is hoped we shall be able to develop, print, and enlarge our own work.

The first two showings of a series of colourful transparencies has been successfully held. An enthusiastic audience was pleased to see photographs of a trip to Alice Springs by J. Mack and K. Little, and of the voyage of the S.S. "Orion" from England to Australia, by Mr. E. S. Whitworth, who is a new member of the staff and in charge of this club.

D. Boyce has been appointed Honorary Secretary, and the committee will be pleased to give information about the club to interested enquirers.

### LIFE-SAVING GROUP

At the beginning of this year the size of the Life-saving Group was increased considerably. With the additional help of Mr. Sexton and Mr. Phillips and with the experienced aid of Mr. Woollard, the club is running very smoothly.

Each Friday afternoon the club visits the Norwood Pool to train for their individual medals. With new boys aiming for their Intermediate Stars, and the more experienced boys doing their Bronze Cross, the club is in continuous training.

When the Norwood Pool closes at the end of this term, the group will concentrate on land drill in the gymnasium. Keen interest is still being shown by all, and the second term should prove even more interesting than the first.

### MODEL AIRCRAFT CLUB

This term the club started its activities with a very large enrolment of members. This called for the formation of three groups. A large percentage of the members are active and are flying their machines quite successfully. There has been a wide variety in designs this term. Later in the year we hope to see freeflight designs taking to the air. The rule concerning the construction and flying of aircraft by members will once again be strongly enforced, owing to the large number of boys.

**ART CLUB**

1958 was memorable because the first art camp was held at Nairne. Ten boys attended the camp and slowly improved both their camping standard (e.g. cooking) and their drawing.

The camp was a success from all points of view and others are being planned for 1959.

1958 was a milestone in the Art Club also because of the record number of boys doing oil painting.

1959 has seen the club swell to a total membership of thirty-seven.

It is planned to have a balanced series of guest speakers through the year, combined with practical work.

**STAMP CLUB**

The club opened this year with an enrolment of nineteen members. C. R. Angel was elected secretary and treasurer. The committee members were also elected; these were D. C. Rick-

etts and R. J. Anderson. Approvals were sent to New South Wales. Our members are all very enthusiastic, and so we can say we are all looking forward to an interesting year.

**GEOLOGY CLUB**

The Geology Club, under the supervision of Mr. D. F. Provis, has so far had a very successful year. There has been an increase in the membership this year. Several members are engaged in classifying reference books on geology, whilst others are completing maps which were not finished last year. An active interest is being taken in classifying and sorting rock specimens.

**LEATHERWORK CLUB**

The club began well this year with models including wallets, pencil cases and bicycle bags. With the help of Mr. Steele and Mr. Duff each boy was able to start on his first model during the second hobby period of the year. Two committees were elected, consisting of Urquhart, Holding, Royal, Goldsmith, Buttery, Hannaford and Houston.



G. H. S.



## Scout Notes

Scoutmaster: Mr. J. P. Keeves  
Assistant G.S.M.: Mr. E. Whitworth

- 1st P.A.C.: S.M., Mr. G. A. Lockyer; A.S.M.s, Mr. G. C. Kelly, P. J. Whitham, W. R. Anthony; P.L.s., O. Chapman, O. Crompton, P. J. Freeman, D. C. Hassell, J. N. Morris, D. A. Trim; Scribe, M. Peard.
- 2nd P.A.C.: S.M., Mr. M. N. Gray; T.L., S. S. Vandeppeer; P.L.s., D. G. Cant, J. M. Kirk, R. J. Lang, R. G. Tiver; Quartermaster, J. M. Kirk.
- 3rd P.A.C.: T.L., H. D. M. Combe; P.L.s., C. F. A. Dibden, I. R. Hall, J. L. Kallin, P. N. W. Urquhar., J. M. Vardon; Quartermaster, O. P. Hilbig.
- Scouters, General Services: Messrs. G. L. Bridge, G. J. Peters, R. J. Hoepner, I. M. Watson.
- Cadet Scouters: R. M. Adamson, P. G. Chapman, P. D. Shaughnessy, C. G. Luke, G. P. Bowen, M. S. Elliott, S. D. Clark, M. J. McNeil.

The third term of 1958 completed a most enjoyable and successful year of scouting; and at the beginning of the new year we welcomed Mr. E. Whitworth, who arrived from scouting in England early in February, after forming a Scout Troop aboard ship. Soon after arrival he was in uniform at our meetings and by his interest, enthusiasm and experience has already contributed much to the work of the group.

We congratulate R. M. Adamson and G. P. Bowen on winning their Queen's Scout Badge and regret that in our last issue an error was made in reporting this. E. C. Paterson and J. Kelly did well to win their Scout Cord. We also congratulate M. D. Linn and A. Mack on winning the junior section of the Parker Hike, and R. M. Adamson and P. G. Chapman on winning the senior section. We should like to thank Mr. E. E. H. Parker for giving medallion trophies to the winners of each section.

The Scouts Parents Association has continued to give very valuable help to the group. Water has been laid on at the Bill Taylor Memorial Camp Site, and the site can be used for camping. We are very grateful to the mothers for their help in fund-raising efforts towards the camp-site appeal, particularly to Mrs. Adamson and Mrs. Chapman for a most successful jumble sale, which raised £214/6/9; and to Mrs. Trezona and Mrs. Slatter for organizing a morning tea which raised over a hundred pounds.

The Scout Party was once again a great success and we thank all those who helped with it, particularly the mothers for providing such a splendid supper.

The establishment of an International Cadet Class at the Royal S.A. Yacht Squadron, has led to regular racing right throughout the

summer, and we congratulate P. G. Chapman and others on their success in "Little Sport". The opportunity to take part in regular sailing competitions has resulted in work on a second boat, which, we hope, will be finished shortly. The Sea Scouts are very fortunate indeed, to be able to sail each week in races that are well organized and made safe by the presence of a rescue boat.

We are grateful to many for their help, but above all to those many old scouts, who have themselves received much from scouting, and who are wonderfully willing, whenever asked, to devote time and thought to helping those who are following them. The group would not be able to exist without their help over week-ends, at camps, and in badge passing.

### 1st P.A.C.

At the end of last year we held the annual field day which took the form of an Inter-Patrol Cycle Trial and was won by the Kangaroo Patrol. The Abotomey Cup competition resulted in a tie between the Kookaburras (P.L. M. D. Linn) and the Magpies (P.L. J. O. Willoughby).

After end of term a very enjoyable hike lasting over four days was held. Nights were spent at Rowallan Camp Site, Woodhouse and the Shack. Half the troop took part in the hike, which was organized by four of the seniors. It is hoped that a Christmas hike camp will continue as a regular feature in the troop's programme.

At the beginning of this year we welcomed Mr. E. Whitworth who arrived from London, and P. J. Whitham as an A.S.M.

An instructive week-end was spent by the Patrol Leaders at Woodhouse early in the term at an Eastern Districts Patrol Leaders Conference.

The troop has expanded to form six patrols and the Owl Patrol has come to life again. This year the Troop Camp will be held over Easter at Mount Crawford Forest and we hope that everyone will be able to come. First P.A.C. looks forward to another successful and enjoyable year.

M. F. P.

### 2nd P.A.C. Sea Scouts

The new year has begun well, with the troop expanding to make four patrols again. Early on a Saturday morning at the beginning of the term, an investiture ceremony was held aboard "Southern Myth", where according to tradition, after the formal proceedings, the P.L.s. climbed to the top of the mast and the recruits walked the plank.

With "Little Sport" and "Sea Prince" both in commission after extensive overhauling, we enjoy a comprehensive sailing and seamanship

training programme on Saturday afternoons. This is supplemented by talks and activities in troop meetings, which are leading to a camp at Goolwa during the May holidays. Care is being taken to ensure that other scouting activities are not forgotten and that the patrol system is the keynote of Senior Sea Scouting.  
S. S. V.

### 3rd P.A.C. Senior Scout Troop

For the final meeting of last year, 3rd P.A.C. boys were highly honoured by a visit from Dr. R. L. Willing who acted as the M.O. during the recent Australian expedition into Antarctica, our contribution to the International Geophysical Year. Our thanks go to Dr. Willing for an extremely interesting talk on "Life in Antarctica".

At the commencement of 1959, Mr. Keeves confined his abilities almost entirely to our troop, and at his instigation a fifth patrol was formed in 3rd P.A.C. Troop—prior to 1959, there had been only four patrols. This enabled a further six boys to be admitted to the troop. Plans for 1959 were considered and what resulted promises well for this year.

As tradition would have it, on the second week-end of term, we held our annual Investiture Hike to Woodhouse. It is well to mention here that if the attendance of boys on this hike is any indication of the keenness with which this year's activities will be approached, then we can certainly say that 1959 will be the

greatest year yet for 3rd P.A.C. Scout Troop, for ALL boys in the troop were present.

Since we have not one Queen's Scout within the troop, troop meetings have been planned with the idea of assisting those who are sufficiently keen to fulfil the requirements for the Bushman's Thong, and thence to the ultimate aim of all scouts.

The Court of Honour of the troop has decided to institute about three evening meetings each term to be rather more informal than normal troop meetings in an endeavour to facilitate such necessities as film evenings, wide games and the like. It is hoped that these will be approached eagerly by the boys of the troop, and if such is the case, they will doubtless become a major part of the troop's programme in future years.

At the time that these notes are being written, all the officers of the troop are busy in preparations for Easter Camp which is to be the first standing camp which 3rd P.A.C. have held for many years. It is hoped that all boys will camp in patrols at Mount Crawford, but the theme of the camp, although known to the troop's officers, remains, as yet, undisclosed.

With long-range plans under consideration for a hike in the Flinders Ranges in the Wilpena Pound area during the September holidays, it is with confidence that I say 1959 will be as successful a year for the 3rds, as they have ever known in the past.

H. D. M. C.

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## OUR CONTEMPORARIES

We acknowledge with thanks the following exchanges and apologize for any inadvertent omissions

**South Australia:** Adelaide Boys' High School Magazine, Adelaide Technical High School Magazine, Brighton High School Magazine, Girton Magazine, King's College Magazine, The Lion, Methodist Ladies' College Magazine, Pulteney Grammar School Magazine, Purple and White, Rostrevor College Annual, Sacred Heart College Magazine, Saint Peter's Collegiate Girls' School Magazine, Saint Peter's College Magazine, The Student, Thebarton Boys' Technical School Magazine, Unley High School Magazine, Walford C.E.G.G.S. Magazine, Wilderness School Magazine, Woodville High School Magazine, The Scotch College Magazine.

**Victoria:** The Carey Chronicle, The Caulfield Grammarian, The Mitre, The Scotch Collegian, The Pegasus, The R.A.N. College Magazine, Wesley College Chronicle.

**New South Wales:** The Armidalian, Box Hill High School Magazine, Hawkesbury Agricultural College Journal, King's School Magazine, The Merlin, The Newingtonian, R.A.N. College Magazine, St. Joseph's College Magazine.

**Western Australia:** The Swan, The Mitre, The Reporter.

**Queensland:** The Blackthorn, Brisbane Grammar School Magazine, The Phoenix, The Portal, The Vicking.

**Tasmania:** The Compass, Hutchin's School Magazine, School Echoes, The Launcestonian.

**New Zealand:** The Waitakian.

**Colombo:** St. Thomas's College Magazine.

**Canada:** The College Times.

## Cricket

### NOTES

The School has enjoyed quite a successful year in cricket, and there are encouraging signs of an increasing interest in the game in all age groups. Practices have been much better attended this year, and, especially in the junior teams, competition for places has been keen.

The growth of grass on the new practice area at the back of the School has been slower than we had hoped and it is now doubtful whether a full-scale move to this area will be possible during 1959. In the meantime, the area on the front oval is standing up remarkably well, and practice wickets generally have been quite good this year.

During the Christmas vacation, Mr. Bennett took over the coaching of the First Eleven, and the School wishes him every success in this sphere. We are fortunate this year in having several new masters who are interesting themselves in cricket here, and we are very grateful to Mr. Phillips and Mr. Claver for the help they are giving.

These notes would be incomplete without a reference to the sterling work of the grounds staff, especially the head groundsman. The tremendous improvement in the standard of wickets and playing surfaces generally is a tribute to the hours of careful and thoughtful work that have been done, and everyone connected with the School has been delighted with the appearance of the grounds and the excellent wicket provided for the Intercollegiate cricket.

### INTERCOLLEGIATE CRICKET, 1958

This year's Intercollegiate cricket match was played at P.A.C. and we enjoyed fine and cool conditions throughout. McKee, S.P.S.C. captain, won the toss and elected to bat, the wicket being fast, but true.

Hurn opened the bowling in a lively fashion, but lack of support in the field proved costly. The runs came quickly with Oaten's attacking field, until about half an hour before lunch, when McKee was dismissed for a well-compiled 50. Walker was batting quite well, and Saints were in a good position at lunch with 1 wicket down for 90.

After lunch, Walker was brilliantly caught by Paul at first slip from the bowling of Hurn, after which the wickets of Meyer, Watson and Sangster fell in quick succession, followed by that of Seppelt after a minor stand. At tea the Saint's position was quite different—6 for 184.

Princes further consolidated their position after tea, with the wickets of Hill and Connors falling quickly, followed by Smith, who had batted for a long time for 92. Saints were finally dismissed for 242, when Lloyd was well caught by Angel. Trowse and Chappell, opening for Princes, put on 32 runs in even time before stumps. On Wednesday the score continued to advance in even time, although Trowse and Chappell went after half an hour, both having batted extremely well and both being caught off McKee, for 24 and 29 respectively. The next batsman dismissed was Duffield, unfortunately run out when batting very well, for a brilliant 35. Oaten joined Casby who looked in fine form, revelling in the leg-spin bowling of Meyer, sweeping him for several glorious boundaries in one over. However, he was clean bowled by Sangster when he moved inside a ball on the leg-stump. At lunch, P.A.C. were 4 for 115.

After lunch, Oaten was dismissed by McKee, and Angel joined Paul, the scoring rate decreasing. This partnership was not broken until Angel was bowled by Sangster for a neat 32, showing great promise. After Moore had been dismissed, Paul was caught off the bowling of McKee for a sound, confident 42. Hopkins and Hurn pushed the score along till tea, when it was 8 for 241—1 behind Saint's score.

Grand batting by Hopkins and Hurn after tea carried their partnership to 63 runs before Hurn was dismissed for 32, and when Woodruff, after two quick boundaries, went, Princes were all out for 292, giving them a handy lead of 50. Hopkins remained 31 not out.

Saint's second innings began sensationally, Hurn and Hopkins bowling with a lot of fire. McKee and Smith were dismissed cheaply and Saints were in trouble at stumps at 2 for 22.

In Hurn's second over on Thursday morning, Hill was well caught by Paul at first slip. Meyer went in the following over from Hopkins, pushing a sharp catch to Trowse at backward square leg. A stand between Watson and Walker was ended by Moore taking a neat catch to dismiss Watson, making Saints 5 for 53. Sangster soon followed, another victim to Hurn. Another stand produced 20 before the patient Walker was clean-bowled by Paul. Connors and Lloyd were both dismissed cheaply.

After lunch, Seppelt was given out l.b.w. to Hurn, who thus finished with excellent figures of 5 for 47. Hopkins also bowled well to take 2 for 15. This set Princes 59 to win, the runs being gathered in even time for the loss of Chappell and Duffield, the latter giving a most entertaining, if not technically perfect display.



**Hurn, R. W.**—A really good fast bowler with plenty of life and a great heart. Has never been known to give up, and has made some wonderful efforts for the team. Has developed by sheer determination into a more than useful middle of the list batsman. Good field.

**Angel, R. J.**—A most promising right-hand bat who needs only to quicken his foot-work to become really good. Was in excellent form at the end of the school year, and if he can re-capture this next year he should have a wonderful season. Rather slow in the field.

**Duffield, D. M.**—A free right-hand batsman who plays principally off the front foot, he accepted his chance of representing the School with several very good innings. Would only need to polish up his defence to be a brilliant player. Good close-in fieldsman. Useful change bowler.

**Moore, G. J.**—A steady right-hand bat and useful slow-medium left arm bowler, who should benefit considerably from this year's experience and develop into a most useful player next year.

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#### October 13 (Public Holiday)—P.A.C. v. Woodville "B"

Oaten won the toss and sent Woodville in to bat in a one-day match. Hopkins opened the bowling and got an immediate break-through to have Woodville 1 for 0. After a maiden from Hurn, Hopkins claimed another wicket and Woodville had lost their second wicket without scoring. From then on luck went against us and at the compulsory declaration Woodville were 6 for 208.

Our batting left much to be desired and after a fine innings of 35 by Oaten we were dismissed for 122. Stumps saw Woodville 0 for 52 in their second innings after a fine hard-hitting display by their captain, Darling, giving Woodville a win on the first innings.

P.A.C. 122 (Oaten 34) were defeated on the first innings by Woodville 6 for 208 dec. (Hopkins 3 for 46, Oaten 2 for 40) and 0 for 52.

#### October '8 and 25—P.A.C. v. Salisbury "B"

We batted first and after a poor start Paul and Angel came together and took the score along to 50, but we were dismissed for 91. Not to be discouraged by our poor total, we took the field, and, due to a fine combined effort by our pace bowlers, Hopkins and Hurn, we managed to dismiss our opponents for 57. Hopkins had the excellent figures of 4 for 6 and Hurn with a fine display of pace bowling finished with 4 for 30.

Our second innings found us in better form and with hope of an outright we declared with the score at 7 for 151. Salisbury also found better form but due to a fine bowling effort by Paul we dismissed them for 146, thus winning outright.

Paul took 8 for 32 in his first spell of bowling after a back injury.

P.A.C. 91 (Angel 35, Paul 20) and 7 for 151 dec. (Paul 41 n.o., Hurn 32 n.o., Causby 31, Oaten 23), defeated Salisbury outright 57 (Hurn 4 for 30, Hopkins 4 for 6) and 146 (Paul 8 for 32, Hurn 2 for 62).

#### November 8 and 14—P.A.C. v. Glenelg "B"

Glenelg batted first in this match played in perfect conditions on our ground. With Hurn and Paul in fine form we dismissed our opponents for 164.

Our innings was dominated by fine displays of batting by Causby and Angel, who both reached 50. Their partnership for the fourth wicket was 82 which was ended when Angel was dismissed for 55. Causby went soon after, having made 58. Our innings realized 174 in a very tight battle. With only a short time left for play, Glenelg were sent in and at the close of the game were 3 for 95.

P.A.C. 174 (Causby 58, Angel 55), defeated Glenelg on the first innings 164 (Paul 5 for 45, Hurn 4 for 50) and 3 for 95 (Moore 2 for 29).

#### November 22 and 29—P.A.C. v. Port Adelaide "B"

Port Adelaide won the toss and elected to bat, the match being played at Alberton. Hopkins with a fine exhibition of swing bowling and Hurn with plenty of pace paved the way for us to have our opponents out at the tea break with only 109 runs to their credit. At stumps we appeared to be in an ideal position with our score at 5 for 105, only four behind and five wickets in hand. The following Saturday saw us in a different position, hampered by three injuries obtained at practice. Due to this Angel had to retire hurt immediately with his score at 13 and our last three batsmen were dismissed in a matter of overs with our score reaching only 112.

Port batted again and with Hopkins also on the injured list Oaten opened the bowling with Hurn. Port were dismissed with ten minutes to stumps, having scored 176.

Chappell was our main wicket-taker, and he finished with 4 for 37.

P.A.C. 112 (Oaten 21, Chappell 19), defeated Port on the first innings 109 (Hurn 3 for 35, Hopkins 3 for 39) and 176 (Chappell 4 for 37, Hurn 2 for 51).

#### December 6 and 13—P.A.C. v. Adelaide "B"

Oaten won the toss and we batted on a very hot day. After losing two wickets quickly, Causby and Duffield came together and added 107 before Duffield was dismissed for 56. Causby batting beautifully scored 111 before being well caught off a full-blooded hook. Congratulations John on a fine century. Our innings closed at 9 for 229 with the compulsory declaration. Adelaide began their innings the following Saturday and due to a fine effort by Hopkins were dismissed for 220 in a very exciting finish.

Hopkins finished with 5 for 58. Our victory over this very experienced side gave us much confidence for our coming encounter with Saints.

P.A.C. 9 for 229 (Causby 111, Duffield 56, Oaten 26 n.o.), defeated Adelaide on the first innings 220 (Hopkins 5 for 58, Chappell 2 for 36).

#### December 16-19—Intercollegiate Match.

This is reported elsewhere.

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**January 24 and February 7—P.A.C. v. Junior Colts**

We went into this match with many young players and after winning the toss elected to bat.

With our experienced players failing we were bundled out for the very poor total of 69. Junior colts began their innings and after some good bowling by Hurn, Barratt and Chappell we had our opponents 7 for 51. However, due to some fine hard hitting by their remaining batsmen they managed to score 148 before being dismissed. Hurn, Barratt and Chappell all claimed three wickets. Our second innings again found us in poor form and Trowse 38 and Paul 20 were the main scorers in our total of 126. Stumps were drawn giving Colts a victory on the first innings.

P.A.C. 69 (Chappell 16) and 126 (Trowse 38, Paul 20), defeated by Junior Colts on the first innings 148 (Hurn 3 for 47, Barratt 3 for 46, Chappell 3 for 32).

**January 26 (Public Holiday)—P.A.C. v. University "B"**

Paul, who was captaining the side during the school vacation, lost the toss and we were sent in to bat on a soft wicket in a one-day match. Trowse and Chappell opened and Trowse was soon out after being hit by a rising ball in the opening over. Chappell batted extremely well and was the only batsman to punish the bowling. He played a beautiful knock to make 75 not out and carry his bat in an innings that realized only 113.

University, with a more experienced team, declared with their score at 5 for 169 and put us in, hoping for an outright. Morton opened with Chappell, and with some very forceful batting he made 24 in an opening partnership of 28. Trowse joined Chappell who was continuing his fine form. Wanting to play out time they plodded along adding 45 in 110 minutes, when Chappell was dismissed having made 28. Trowse was out soon afterwards for 20 and at stumps in an exciting finish we were 8 for 90, thus narrowly saving outright defeat.

P.A.C. 113 (Chappell 75 n.o., Smith 15) and 8 for 90 (Morton 24, Chappell 28, Trowse 20), defeated on first innings by University 5 for 169 (Paul 2 for 19).

**February 14 and 21—P.A.C. v. Sturt "B"**

The first Saturday was a complete washout, rain preventing any play. The following Saturday was more favourable and Trowse after winning the toss put Sturt in, the match having been reduced to one afternoon. We began well, hoping for a victory that would have put us in the final four on the premiership table. Hurn and Barratt provided plenty of pace but some very hard hitting by their batsmen saw them with 6 for 152 at the compulsory declaration.

Our innings began well with Morton looking very safe, but Chappell was out with the score at fifteen. Trowse joined Morton, who was out soon after. With time too much against us we settled down to play out time. At stumps we were 6 for 86 having been pinned down by accurate bowling and keen fielding by our opponents. We were very disappointed at our form but more so at having been forced into fifth position.

P.A.C. 6 for 86 (Smith 27 Trowse 22), defeated by Sturt 6 for 152 (Hurn 2 for 55, Barratt 2 for 51).

**February 28 and March 7—P.A.C. v. University "B"**

We won the toss and batted on a very green wicket at P.A.C. With many new faces in the side we managed only 87, Chappell batting very well for 35. Our collapse was mainly due to a display of very accurate fast bowling by Gibbs, an old boy of the College. University batted and at stumps were 8 for 126. Chappell bowling leg-spinners for the first time this season finished with the excellent figures of 4 for 32 and he was given fine support by Hurn who took 3 for 45. The following Saturday University declared immediately.

Trowse and Morton opened and took 14 off the first over from Gibbs. They continued to punish the bowling and added 41 before Morton was dismissed for 17. Trowse who batted very well was out with the score at 98 after making 48. We were dismissed soon after for 138. University needing 99 to win went in with only fifty-five minutes left for play. Their batsmen gave an excellent display of hard hitting and managed to score the winning run in the last over in a very exciting finish.

P.A.C. 87 (Chappell 35, Hurn 15) and 138 (Trowse 48, Morton 17), defeated outright by University 8 for 126 dec. (Hurn 3 for 45, Chappell 4 for 32) and 5 for 100 (Hurn 2 for 39).

**SECOND XI**

The Second XI started off this term without much success, caused perhaps by the absence of several of our good players who were absorbed by various functions. However, the results of the last game point to our improvement during the term.

The bowling and the batting this year was dominated by promising all-rounder Pearlman, who completed a most successful term by taking eleven wickets in three matches and making ninety-one in the last game. Others who returned good bowling results were Ashby, Mooney, Farrant and Hains, who provided a variety of swing and spin bowling. The best batting averages were returned by Humphris, R. Day, Thomson and Freburg.

The task of wicket-keeper was in Combe's hands, who handled it well.

The scores were:

- P.A.C. Second XI 78 and 5 for 85 defeated by P.A.C. U 16 8 for 126 (Pearlman 4 wickets, Mooney 2 wickets).
- P.A.C. Second XI 58 (Day 20, Humphris 20) and 130 (Freburg 28) defeated by A.B.H.S. Second XI 175 (Barratt 4 wickets, Ashby 2 wickets).
- P.A.C. Second XI 8 for 335 (Pearlman 91, Thomson 56, Smith 41, and Freburg 36 n.o.) defeated S.C. Second XI 120 (Patterson 4 wickets Blake 3 wickets).

**THIRD XI**

The season ended successfully, with the team winning both of the matches played. During the first match which was played against Immanuel College second XI on the Back Oval, P.A.C. made 399 in their first innings, the top scorers being Goudie 102 retired, Kobelt 61 and Bagshaw 60. In reply Immanuel made 126 and 7 for 53. The second match was played against King's College second XI on their grounds. We won by 30 runs in a very even game, in which N. T. Paterson top-scored with 77 runs.

**Under 16 A**

The U 16 A had a rather disappointing first term. After a successful practice match against the seconds, only two matches were played, both against A.B.H.S. teams, and we were defeated in both. After a bad start in the first match, we were all out for 56. Our bowlers managed to get the opposition out for 104. In the second innings we managed a better score of 102 and were left to get A.B.H.S. out for 53 for an outright win. After a good start when we had 2 for 6, we slumped and were beaten by 4 wickets.

The second match was only a one-day game and we collapsed in our batting again to score only 80 to the opposition's 127.

We must congratulate Drew, who performed consistently in both batting and bowling. Our sincere thanks are extended to Mr. Coombes for his valuable coaching at practices, and we hope that his efforts will be better rewarded in the third term.

**Under 15**

This year the School has again fielded two under 15 teams, the Reds and the Whites, of approximately equal strength. Both teams have won all their matches and appear to be appreciably stronger than the other teams in their group.

Shearer and R. Day were appointed captains of the two teams and both have enjoyed success. R. Day has done particularly well with the bat, his best score being 102 retired. Other promising players in this group include P. Day, Webb, Clapp, Ellis, McIntosh and Darley.

The teams have been coached by Messrs R. T. Smith and Claver.

**RED**

- Feb. 21 and 28 v. A.B.H.S.—  
A.B.H.S. 55 (P. Day 5 wkts), and 105 (R. Day 5 wkts.).
- P.A.C. 3 for 175 (R. Day 58, McIntosh 48).
- Mar. 7 and 14, v. S.P.S.C.—  
S.P.S.C. 49 (R. Day 6 for 16 and 77 (R. Day 8 for 32)).
- P.A.C. 4 for 178 (R. Day 104 retired).
- Mar. 21, v. S.I.C.—  
S.I.C. 36 (Kerr 4 for 12).
- P.A.C. 87 (Darley 28).

**WHITE**

- Feb. 21 and 28, v. K.C.—  
P.A.C. 180 (Jory 44).
- K.C. 20 and 30 (Clapp 5 wickets).
- Mar. 7 and 14, v. A.B.H.S.—  
A.B.H.S. 110.
- P.A.C. 120 (Ellis 40).
- Mar. 21, v. S.P.S.C.—  
P.A.C. 8 for 78 (Webb 35).
- S.P.S.C. 8 for 70 (Lower 3 for 3).

**Under 14 A**

The U 14 A team was successful in only one of the three matches played, and that was a comfortable win against C.B.C. on the front oval. Rostrevor defeated us by a narrow margin on the first innings, and in the last one-day match we lost to Pulteney Grammar.

The team is very grateful for the help given to them by Mr. Provis, who has shown such keen interest in the team throughout the term.

- P.A.C. v. C.B.C.—  
P.A.C. 116 (Hassell 30, Gillespie 24), defeated C.B.C. 63 (Gillespie 5 for 24, Yard 3 for 9).
- P.A.C. v. Rostrevor—  
P.A.C. 72 (Hassell 27) and 47 defeated by Rostrevor 79 (Windebank 3 for 6, Gillespie 5 for 40) and 2 for 32.
- P.A.C. v. P.G.S.—  
P.G.S. 5 for 79 (Gillespie 2 for 17, Windebank 2 for 18) defeated P.A.C. 57 (Gillespie 23),

**Under 14 B**

The Under 14 B team this year has had a very successful term, winning all five matches played.

The first match was played on the 21st February on our grounds. A.B.H.S. put us in to bat and we started very badly, but a 47 partnership by Bennett and Morris put us in a good position at 5 for 77. A.B.H.S. collapsed, with Morris getting 6 for 6.

The second match was played on the 28th February at C.B.C. C.B.C. went in to bat but collapsed with Morris getting 6 for 8. Barrey making 28, and Smith, Potter and Hocking scoring well, won the match.

The third match was played on the 7th March at P.G.S. We batted first making 9 for 116, (Barrey 26, Huntley 32). Pike 5 for 15 won the match for us when P.G.S. made only 8 for 77.

The fourth match was played against S.I.C. on the 14th March on the Back Oval. Fielding first we got 5 of them out for 146, Yard taking 2 for 34. A quick 20 by Wagner, 39 by Smith and 25 by Chapman helped us along to 5 for 150.

The last match against King's College was a forfeit.

## Under 13

This group has had a most enjoyable season this term, showing a keenness and enthusiasm which should lead to great improvement in the standard of play in the near future. Attendance at practices has been quite good, and it has been rather difficult to follow the School policy of giving every boy who attends practice regularly a chance to play for the School.

At the beginning of the term, Barrett was selected as Captain of the "A" team, and Speakman Captain of the "B"s. Both have done their jobs very well, and this has done much to ensure that the cricket was enjoyed. Results of matches have been quite good, the "A"s losing only one match, a very keenly-fought game against our traditional rivals, S.P.S.C.

We should like to thank Mr. Leak and Don Trowse for their help during this term.

## "A"

February 20 and 27—

P.A.C. 8 for 191 (Catt 56 n.o., Corbet 36, Searle 22, Hocking 21).  
S.P.S.C. 9 for 202 (Corbet 4 for 51, Hocking 2 for 68, McLachlan 1 for 25).

March 7 (bye match)—

P.A.C. 129 (Catt 21, Barrett 19, Leak 16, Hunwick 16).  
S.H.C. (Prep.) 62 (Catt 2 for 6, Jackson 2 for 4).

March 14 (bye match)—

P.A.C. 8 for 120 (Watkins 22, Hunwick 19, Catt 18, Leak 16).  
W.H.S. 14 and 3 for 37.

March 21—

P.A.C. 8 for 83 (Corbet 32, Catt 25).  
Rostrevor 72 (Searle 5 for 17, Barrett 3 for 20).

## "B"

February 21—

P.A.C. 56 (Watkins 19).  
C.B.C. 7 for 129 (Denton 3 for 43).

February 28—

P.A.C. 6 for 88 (Watkins 31, Jackson 19).  
S.C. 8 for 86 (Jackson 6 for 21).

March 7—

P.A.C. 5 for 121 (Haslam 33, Johnston 24, Speakman 23).  
P.G.S. 17 (Speakman 3 for 0, Johnston 3 for 3) and 4 for 22 (Speakman 4 for 7).

March 14—

P.A.C. 25.  
K.C. 112 (Goode 5 for 28).

March 21—

P.A.C. 6 for 99 (Wicks 39).  
S.P.S.C. 92 (Wicks 5 for 24).

## COLOURS, 1958

## Merit Badges:

Causby, J. P. (already held), Phillips, W. D. (already held); Hopkins, P. M. (athletics, cricket, tennis); Hurn, R. W. (cricket, football, athletics).

## Full Colours:

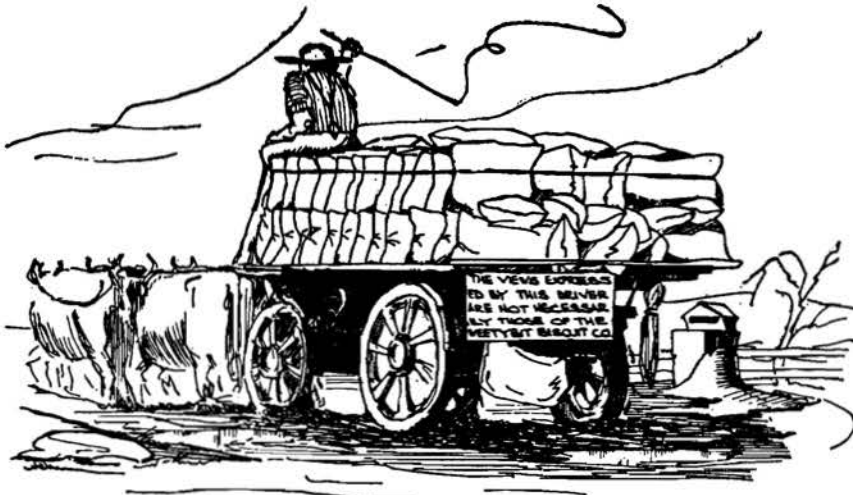
Cricket—Oaten, Causby, Paul, Hopkins, Woodruff, Angel, Chappell, Duffield, Hurn, Trowse.

Football—Oaten, Tonkin, Causby, Combe, Phillips, Shaughnessy, Yates, Ashby, Craig, Duffield, Hannaford, Hurn, McArthur, Moore, Morton, Pickering, Trowse, Watts, Dunn, Freburg.

Athletics—Hopkins, Causby, Hannaford, Daebeler, Morton, Kobelt, Hurn, Stain, Berkin, Phillips, Watts.

Tennis—Phillips, Davies, Moyse, Woollacott, Carlier, Hopkins.

Rowing—Bartholomaeus, Giles, Reeves, Jackson, Woodruff, Denton, Pontifex, Whitham, Bowen.





## Rowing

### Third Term, 1958

This term quite a few members of the club took part in several invitation regattas. Some members managed to reach the finals and a few even won trophies.

Our most important regatta was the House Regatta. After a postponement due to the low river level, the regatta was rowed on Thursday, 23rd October, after school. Each house entered a senior and a junior crew. The senior races were rowed from the city bridge to our landing, and the junior races were rowed from the University landing to our landing. Every race was closely contested and the results were as follows:—

Senior	Junior
(1) Bayly	(1) Bayly
(2) School	(2) School
(3) Waterhouse	(3) Waterhouse
(4) Cotton	(4) Cotton

### Rowing Camp, 1959

Twenty rowers and coxswains attended the annual rowing camp held during the last week of the Christmas holidays at our boatshed. The five days of rowing soon had us back to standard after the holidays and great improvement was made. We should like to thank Mr. Mattingley for giving up his time to help us.

### First Term, 1959

Once again there was a well attended rowing meeting, especially by juniors and beginners. Rowing nights are well attended, but seniors are sadly lacking.

We are fortunate this year to have a new master, Mr. D. H. Prest, also showing enthus-

iasm in our club. An old boy who rowed in the eight in 1949, his experience and help is greatly appreciated.

The first regatta this term was the Henley on Torrens Regatta. We had a record number of entries and we were able to enter an eight, a clinker, and four tub slides in events. This was a true indication of the keenness in our club. (The presence of Sabrina at this regatta may also have added incentive to the rowers entering.)

The eight, rowing from Morphett Street Bridge to the Henley landing, did reasonably well. They defeated Port Adelaide "A" crew by a canvass in the first heat, but were defeated by Torrens by one and a quarter lengths in their second race. The clinker, last year's open crew, upheld their record by winning their heat, but lost to senior men's crews in the final. One of our tub slides, rowing in the schoolboy's fours, won the event in a series of three races quite comfortably.

Everyone has been training hard since the holidays for the Head-of-the-River. The eight was chosen as follows:—

W. B. Clarke (stroke), T. R. Binder, W. R. Giles, P. H. Woodruff, R. J. Jarman, D. J. Jarman, J. L. Kallin, A. J. Fleming (bow), A. J. Prentice (coxswain).

Due to an injured hand, however, W. R. Giles is unable to row and he has been replaced by S. S. Vandeppeer.

The last few weeks to the Head-of-the-River are being spent in hard training. Crews are rowing four nights a week and Saturdays, and are having P.E. on the fifth night of the week. We are hoping that our new racing eight, which is still under construction, will reach us in time for this important event.

## Basketball

The 1958-59 summer basketball season has been very successful for P.A.C. A team was fielded in the Saturday morning competition at Forestville. Although we won several matches, our best effort was when a team consisting of Brown, Gibson, Smith, Morris, Elvish, Hall and Hocking pushed a West Adelaide side to within eight points of victory.

The house basketball competitions for 1958 proved an interesting contest. In the first round, Waterhouse and Cotton easily beat Bayly and School respectively. In the second round, Cotton defeated Waterhouse whilst Bayly defeated School in a close and hard-fought game.

P.A.C. players are now wearing the new school uniform which is at last available. This uniform looks very striking on the court, and we consider it the best in the competition.

The new basketball court by the gymnasium is almost complete, and soon we hope to play Saints on this court.

We now look forward to a successful winter season and on behalf of the team I again wish to thank Mr. Woollard for the fine job he has done for basketball at P.A.C. Our enthusiasm and success is due in no small measure to his coaching.

## Tennis

### INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS

The intercollegiate tennis was played at the Memorial Drive on Saturday, 21st March. Conditions were good, but gusty winds made good stroking hard at times.

The first round of doubles finished with P.A.C. holding a 2 rubbers to 1 lead. Phillips and Davies defeated Saint's third pair, Hill and Twelftree after a slow start. Moyse and Woollacott played well to defeat Hawkes and Sangster in straight sets, but Brown and Lyle went down to Saint's first pair, Roder and Bills.

In the first round of singles Woollacott played brilliantly to defeat Saint's fourth player, M. J. Hawkes 6-0, 6-1. Hawkes fought all the way, but Woollacott served strongly and hit his shots crisply to run out winner. Lyle used his swinging service and forehand to advantage to win in straight sets from Twelftree. Hill (S.P.S.C.) won Saint's only rubber in this round by defeating Brown, who started badly, but played better in the second set. Thus the players went to lunch with the score:

P.A.C. --- 4 rubbers 8 sets  
S.P.S.C. --- 2 rubbers 4 sets

After lunch, P.A.C. again showed their doubles superiority by winning two of the three rubbers. Phillips and Davies played sound, purposeful tennis to defeat Roder and Bills in straight sets. Moyse and Woollacott had too much experience for Hill and Twelftree, and ran out winners 6-5, 6-3. Lyle and Brown also played well against Hawkes and Sangster, but the Saint's pair won vital games to win in two close sets.

In the second round of singles, Phillips defeated Roder at first single. The match was even throughout, with each player gaining breaks in the first two sets. Phillips led 4-2 in the third, but Roder retaliated, Phillips eventually winning a great struggle, 3-6, 6-3, 9-7.

Davies had an easy win over Bills at second single. He served and volleyed strongly throughout, and hit his ground shots with speed and accuracy to create many opportunities for his net play.

Moyse won the first set against Sangster, but lost concentration in the second set which he lost to love. In the third, however, he recovered and ran out winner 6-3, 0-6, 6-3.

These three wins gave P.A.C. the required number of rubbers to win the contest, the scores being:

P.A.C. --- 9 rubbers 17 sets  
S.P.S.C. --- 3 rubbers 8 sets

The final round of doubles again proved successful for P.A.C., as we won two of the three played.

Moyse and Woollacott finished a good day by playing brilliant attacking tennis to defeat Roder and Bills in straight sets, 6-5, 6-4.

Phillips and Davies defeated Sangster and

Hawkes also in straight sets, but Lyle and Brown were defeated by a more steady combination in Hill and Twelftree.

Thus the final scores were:

P.A.C. --- 11 rubbers 21 sets  
S.P.S.C. --- 4 rubbers 10 sets

Phillips, Davies, Moyse and Woollacott are to be congratulated on winning four rubbers each.

Much of the success of the team was due to the fine enthusiastic coaching of Mr. Gabb, who in his first year as coach, exerted a powerful influence on the team.

We should also like to thank Mr. Woollard for the vast amount of time he gave up to developing and maintaining our physical fitness.

### TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

There were seventy-six entries for the Under Thirteen Championships. After some spirited play the semi-finalists were W. G. Tasker, R. T. McCallum, G. R. Jackson, and R. W. Carmichael. In the final, Tasker defeated Carmichael 13-11.

For the Under Fourteen Championship there were sixty-six entries, R. K. Edgeloe, M. A. Shearer, B. D. Dickson and B. C. Williams reached the semi-finals, but Edgeloe proved too strong for Dickson in the final, winning 6-0, 6-1.

Phillips, Woollacott, Davies and Brown reached the semi-finals of the School Championship, and W. D. Phillips played D. C. Davies in the final. Davies won 6-1, 2-6, 6-1.

### HOUSE TENNIS

In the seniors, Cotton finished first, while Waterhouse, Bayly, and School finished in that order.

In the juniors, the order of the houses was the same: Cotton, Waterhouse, Bayly and School.

### Tennis Critique

**Phillips, W. D.:** Captain of this year's Intercol. side. His game is based on sound ground strokes, which enable his volley and smash to be used to full advantage. A reliable service, which would be improved with more penetration. Has an ideal temperament when in a tight spot.

**Davies, D. C.:** An improved player this year through an improvement in concentration. Possesses a fine all-court game which he used well in his Intercol. single. He has a fine service and very reliable ground strokes and volleys.

**Moyse, R. M.:** Began the season well below form, but through hard work he improved rapidly, finishing the season with a fine Intercol. performance. Possesses an excellent service, with good, but sometimes erratic ground strokes. An ideal temperament suits his all-court game.

**Woollacott, H. M.:** A reliable, often brilliant player. Possesses good shots on both sides, but his volley needs some improvement. Possesses an admirable temperament, and he never gives in, no matter what the score.

**Lyle, R.:** An improved left-hander this season. A useful doubles player, and a very steady singles player. Possesses a good service and forehand, and with experience should be a useful player next year.

**Brown, G. L.:** A player with good strokes, but his game is spoilt by too many errors. Possesses a fast service, but at the moment serves too many doubles. Has a reliable volley, but his smash could be improved.

**Jackson, W.:** A young player with obvious ability, who, with experience, should improve very much next year. Possesses a good array of strokes, coupled with a reliable service.

**Drive Team**

The Drive Team has had a very successful term. We won all our matches, including the Intercollegiate match against S.P.S.C.

The first match of the term was against U.H.S., but this was abandoned because of rain.

In successive weeks we defeated Scotch College, King's College and Pulteney Grammar School. Our final match before the Intercoll. was against Norwood High School which we won 8 sets to 1 after some very close matches.

In conclusion we should like to thank Mr. Gabb for his fine coaching and encouragement.

Feb. 21	P.A.C. d. S.C.	—	—	8 sets to 1
Feb. 28	P.A.C. d. K.C.	—	—	8 sets to 1
Mar. 7	P.A.C. d. P.G.S.	—	—	7 sets to 2
Mar. 14	P.A.C. d. N.H.S.	—	—	8 sets to 1
Mar. 21	P.A.C. d. S.P.S.C.	11 rubbers	21 sets	to 4 rubbers 10 sets

**Seconds Team**

As usual this team won the majority of their matches. Among the teams which we defeated were S.P.S.C., 8 sets to 4; Unley High School, 7 sets to 5; Woodville High School, Urrbrae and Pulteney Grammar School, but were defeated by the strong teams of Adelaide High School (twice) and Norwood High School.

Among the best players were Laidlaw, Wait, who was undefeated, Simmons and Daebeler.

We should like to thank Mr. Gabb, whose coaching and encouragement helped us a great deal.

**Under 15**

This year the team has done extremely well as only six sets have been lost in the five matches played. In our first match we defeated Pulteney Grammar School's hardcourt B2 team, 12 sets to nil, and the following week against their hardcourt B1 team we again won by 12 sets. During the next three weeks we played Brighton High, Adelaide High and Findon High Schools in succession. We won each of these 10 sets to 2 sets. Trott and Tamblyn went through the season undefeated, while Cowham, Dennis, Cranston and Wainwright played well.

The team would like to thank Mr. Woollard for his helpful coaching and the keen interest he has taken in us throughout the season.

**Under 14 A**

This term the team is as follows: Tasker (captain), Edgeloe, Woodroffe, Lock, Rutherford and Pascoe.

Our first match was played on our courts against Scotch College Bs and we defeated them 12 sets to nil. We played our second match at Woodville High against their B team and defeated them by 11 sets to 1. The third match was the best for the season; we were defeated by Scotch College A, 7 sets to 5. We won three of our doubles and two of our singles. Our fourth match was played on our hard courts against Woodville High A and we defeated them 8 sets to 4. We played our last match of the term against Unley High School C. We won this 12 sets to nil.

The best players for the season were Tasker, Edgeloe, Woodroffe and Lock. Special thanks go to Mr. Dennis and Mr. Gabb for coaching us throughout the season.

**Under 14 B**

We had a fairly successful season this term. Our first match was played against S.P.S.C. "A"s and we were defeated 10 sets to 2. In the second match we played Adelaide High School whom we defeated 8 sets to 4. The third match was against Brighton High School and we had another good win. The final match was against Unley High School and we won convincingly by 12 sets to nil.

Best players for the term were Holding, Lloyd and Harry. The team give their thanks to Mr. Dennis for coaching us throughout the season.

**Under 13 A**

The team has had a successful season, winning four of the five matches played. Our first match was against Scotch whom we defeated 7 sets to 2. Next match we again met Scotch, defeating them 5 sets to 4. After this we played Unley High School, whom we defeated 12 sets to nil, without the loss of a game. Next came the game against Pulteney Grammar School, whom we defeated 12 sets to nil. Our final match was against our rivals S.P.S.C. who, after a very good match, defeated us 7 sets to 5. The best players for the season were Carmichael and Jackson, who won four of their five singles, and Trott and McKenzie who each won three of their five singles.

The team would like to thank heartily Mr. Glancey for coaching us and also Mr. Gabb, who coached us once a fortnight.

**Under 13 B**

The team did quite well in winning three matches of the five played. In the first match we defeated Pulteney Grammar School 12 sets to nil. The second match resulted in us defeating St. Ignatius 8 sets to 4. In the third match we were defeated by Brighton High School on games after the sets were drawn. We then defeated U.H.S. 8 sets to 4 in our fourth match. In the final match we were defeated by Scotch College, 8 sets to 4.

The team would like to thank Mr. Glancey for his help in coaching them.

## Original Contributions

### NERVES

The night was still; not a sound could be heard. The young country boy lay in a bed of that strange hotel. He thought of the past, and wondered about the future. What good times he had had with his friends by the stream, and in the old mill. But he knew they were gone. What was the future going to be like in the city? He was not sure. It worried him to think that he was not sure. His thoughts continually ran to the past, and he became more and still more homesick. He was longing for the open spaces. He wanted to leave his little room and breathe some fresh air, but he was too scared to venture from his bed. He was alone, with no one to go to, and no one with whom to share his troubles. He did not like the busy city with its unfriendly people. He was homesick; he was scared!

As he lay in bed on that cold and rainy evening, the only comfort given him was the clear light of the bright moon as it pierced the clouds every now and again. But eventually even that comfort passed on, and the boy was left alone again.

Then he saw it; he froze in his bed. It appeared on the outside of his window, at the top; how far outside, he did not know. It was shining, and gradually growing bigger, as if it were coming nearer. It must be in the sky, and coming towards him! His imagination worked overtime, and he thought it could be the most incredible things. Still it grew larger; still it shone! What on earth could it be? He did not know. Maybe it was not from earth. But that's silly, or is it? He must be imagining it, or was he? He did not know, and he was scared.

Then, all in an instant, it shot down the window, as if falling from the sky. But it had left a clean mark where it had fallen, and then he kicked himself, for he realized what it was; a raindrop!

W. E. H., VI A

### THE WANDERING ALBATROSS

"God save thee, ancient mariner,  
From the fiends, that plague thee thus!—  
Why look'st thou so?—"With my crossbow  
I shot the albatross."

"The Rime of the Ancient Mariner"  
by S. T. Coleridge

Most of you have read or have had (much to your dislike) to learn portions of the above poem. You all know that the albatross is a seabird. But how many of you know where it goes after being at sea, what is the name of the young albatross, how big they are, how they spread their wings in flight, where they

breed, how fast they fly, what they eat and what was the type that the ill-fated mariner shot? I should say that not many of you would be able to answer many more than two of the questions.

The type that the "Ancient Mariner" shot would have been the Wandering Albatross, the biggest of all the albatross family except for the Royal, which is about the same size. Both the Royal and Wanderer have black backs, and the only place that an albatross, not the Royal or Wanderer, can be seen in Australia is in the South-Eastern portion.

The Wanderer's breeding grounds are scattered, but the main breeding grounds are at the edges of Antarctic, or in the sub-Antarctic zone. The nest is shaped like a cone, with a shallow bowl hollowed out at the top, in which a single egg is laid. The bottom of these circular nests always measures about three feet across, but the height varies from one to three feet, and is designed to keep out the winter snows. Laying of eggs begins in late November and finishes in early January. The eggs are elongated and are covered with red spots, which are most numerous at the pointed end. The eggs hold about as much as six hen's eggs, and the period of brooding is about seventy-two days—the male and female taking it in turns for three to ten days.

After about a month the babies (goneys) acquire a luxuriant down which keeps them warm after their parents have left. The goneys begin to fly at the start of winter, and go to sea and may not return to land for five, six or even seven years. If they do it is only to breed at the place where they were hatched.

At the highest point of climbing, the albatross has an air speed of thirty miles per hour. An albatross using air currents at thirty feet has an air speed of about seventy-five miles per hour. From this can be seen the great speeds at which they fly.

Albatrosses lead a lonely life and the only time they come together is when a ship or a dead whale offers some dainty morsel, and only then for a short while. In twenty-seven years at sea a Captain Dixon only twice saw Wandering Albatrosses congregating together, and then it was at breeding time near an island. In twenty-five years his ship attracted only little groups of up to four birds and only twenty-five times did he see ten together.

At the end of their sojourns at sea, the birds return to their old nest and do a dance, at the end of which they mate and build their nest. And so another generation is born to carry on the tradition of the greatest wandering bird in the world—the Wandering Albatross.

G. D. W., V U A

### THE PERILS OF ROLLER SKATING

A cement floor would not be my choice if I wished to fall softly. However, the hall of horrors, and of roller skating, away from which all good and sensible people (or bad roller skaters) stay, has a cement floor. I had the misfortune to test its solidity on innumerable occasions, and generally, after an hour of skating, I retired, bruised and beaten, to lick my wounds.

After putting on the skates and meticulously adjusting them with the air of a professional, I gracefully glided on to the floor. Soon I found myself the centre of attraction, a doubtful honour. This could hardly have been caused by the delicate grace and beauty of my finer moments, as they, unfortunately, were far too rare, but presumably by the almost monotonous regularity of my falls.

I did not surrender to the temptation to retreat from the line of battle, but persevered. In time, with the physical assistance of two experienced campaigners on each side, I partially conquered the art of skating, and I learnt to remain on my feet for some space of time. All the while, I retained a delicate balance, and a tense rigidity unequalled amongst the other beginners. Perhaps this rigidity was, rather than a good point, almost a hindrance, for occasionally it caused me to collapse into an undignified heap on the floor and to add yet another bruise to my records.

Eventually, this and other minor defects encountered in my chrysalis stage were overcome; so I quickened my pace and began to glide around the floor with the air of one who has suddenly realized that his skates are meant to help and not to hinder. Now new perils arose which were not so easily dismissed or dealt with.

One in particular of the more frequent mishaps occurred as I was about to straighten out near the end of the turn at each end of the hall. Several times I failed to turn my skates sufficiently, consequently careering into the side wall at top speed, with disastrous results. The floor was, in addition, the classical obstacle course, the main and only obstacles being the large number of skaters moving at half my speed. To avoid collisions with these slow skaters, it was necessary to dodge through or manoeuvre around them, and, where this was impossible or impracticable, one collided either with them or the side wall. This then, literally brought about my downfall unpleasantly frequently.

These, together with the viciously swinging arms of beginners losing their balance and the piles of skaters on the floor as a result of other accidents, all added to my long list of bruises and grazes and finally, as I could take no more of it, I crept miserably out of the hall like a defeated dog.

N. A. M. P., VUA

### ON THE FOOTPLATE

Inside the roaring monster  
Plunging through the night,  
Two men worked on the footplate  
To keep their charge in flight.

Before them was the roaring fire,  
On either side, pitch black;  
Behind them stood a wall of coal  
Which never seemed to lack.

The engineer leaned forward,  
His eyes awake and bright,  
Peering through the night ahead  
Out of the range of light.

The fireman, like one possessed,  
Worked hard to fill the fiend,  
But as he loaded in more coal  
It disappeared, it seemed.

Their hands were black and grimy,  
Their foreheads specked with sweat,  
And the steam and smoke wisped round  
Their faces, hard and set.

But sleeping through these hours,  
The travellers lay un'ware  
That two men manfully working  
Had not of sleep their share.

B. A. G., VIA

### OUR SCHOOL PAST

We can all remember the year 1950 quite well for some reason or other; some of the school's present pupils, about seventeen, began during that year.

It was in that year that the School first saw as a master, Mr. D. F. Provis, whom today we know by the "Sherlock Holmes" pipe and the broad grin. Mr. G. M. Bowen, who was organist at Kent Town Church at the time, began that year and has since rendered valuable service to the School in the sciences. The producer of our school plays, Mr. H. E. Coombes, joined the staff, and Mr. Kesting joined the Prep.

The School Chronicle announced that, as our music master, Mr. R. G. May, had returned from a year of absence in Great Britain and on the continent, "the Fourth Forms now have classes each week in Musical Appreciation."

One of the newer members of the present staff, Mr. D. H. Prest, was resident in the House while doing his Science degree at the University (he was Captain of the School in the previous year).

During this year both Mr. Potts and Mr. Mutton complete forty years of service and Mr. Luke starts his thirty-ninth consecutive year with the School. In 1950, Mr. Luke coached the Inter-collegiate tennis team to its twenty-first success in twenty-three years. Also Mr. Mutton returned to school after an enforced term in hospital, but he was allowed this break, for he had missed only two days in his thirty-one years of service—"a fine record".

Today the bookings for boys coming to the School are years ahead, and in 1950 it was reported that bookings as far ahead as 1962 had been received.

Boy Scouts might note that it was decided at this time to form a Sea Scout Troop which today is very active. Mr. Dennis watched over the Senior Debating Group at which Samuel Figg Wiltshire was accused of the murder of his wife and family, was tried and found not guilty. The Stamp Club, the Rifle Club and the Radio Club, amongst others, were also formed.

This certainly was an eventful year and many more like it will come, but only if the boys of the School play their part, for they are the School itself.

"Fac fortia et patere." M. D. L., VIA

### MEDITATIONS ON MURDER

Drip! Drip! With monotonous regularity, the crystal clear drops of water form on the barnacle-covered pylons; they then swell, elongate, then drop. Drip! Drip! This happens every day, every night, all the year round after every ebb tide.

But if a person had been lying drifting between the pylons in a dinghy at five o'clock on the fourth day of September last, he might have heard a deeper, more solid noise, resembling—the dripping of viscous slowly coagulating blood. Upon investigation that person would have discovered a limp, black-covered sack-like object, hanging from a cross-beam. It would have been slowly dripping a red, viscous liquid.

Suddenly he would have seen the blurred but distinguishable shadow of a cross move slowly and steadily across the body and along underneath the extensive dock.

That person would at first be chilled, but then, after the inexplicable phenomenon of the shadow, he would become petrified and would give way to panic. Horror stricken he would row furiously towards the open water. Doing so he would unexpectedly receive a blow on his cranium. Screaming with panic and despair, he would have raised the alarm and brought police to the horrifying scene.

Yet only you would know that the sack contained only empty red water-paint tins, surrendering their last pigment to the sea, and brought to that place by the whims of the sea, that the shadow of the cross which moved along the waterfront was only the shadow of cross-trees on a mast from a passing yacht, and that the blow the rower received was a direct result of his head contacting a protruding cross-beam.

J. W., VIA

### SNAKES ALIVE

"Why yes, thanks Mrs. Carter, I think I will have another cup of tea. Yes, both milk and sugar; good, thank you. Now you were saying professor. Oh yes, this African trip must have been most rewarding. What was the name of that queer snake you brought back? You

know, the one that is supposed to be terribly deadly . . ."

John Raben could never stand those tea parties. He would always be expected to sit and listen to the professor talking on and on about his marvellous expeditions into Africa. Actually the professor wasn't so bad; it was that wretched Mrs. Thompson who seemed to be continually talking. Accordingly he had excused himself from the table and had gone to his room to do a little reading before going to bed.

My! Some of the ideas in those old books from the professor's library were really comical. For instance, here was an article about an African snake that was supposed to be able to hypnotize its victims. Ha! How absurd! Oh well! It made interesting reading.

The bedroom was quite well furnished really, proving that the professor must make some money out of these expeditions he was constantly conducting. Only one fault was obvious, and that was that there was no light over the bed, and he had to read his book while sitting in the chair near the cupboards. Even there the light wasn't very good, and it was a constant strain on the eyes to make out the fine print.

"Goodness, Professor, you don't mean to say that? Yes, thanks Mrs. Carter, I will have another. The natives actually believe that that snake hypnotizes its victims! Well, fancy, it only goes to show . . ."

"Good heavens, what's that under the bed? It looks like—Oh no, it couldn't be. It couldn't get out of its cage! Anyway it's in the other end of the building. No! It is actually there! Two little pin-points of greenish light just beneath the bed. Well, all that has to be done now is to get a weapon of some sort and break its back. You read all about it in the papers; it's quite easy. Yes, there's a poker over there near the fireplace. No need to panic. Now get up quietly so as not to disturb it, and move slowly over towards the fireplace like that . . . That's funny! That other leg went a pace forward, not sideways, toward the fireplace. It must be cramp in that leg."

Is it his imagination or are those two green eyes getting brighter and larger?

"Go on. Get the poker now!"

Everything's brown! What are those? Oh, it's the floorboards. Floorboards! I must have fallen. Now concentrate, don't look under the bed. But if I fell it must be only a couple of feet away! Just one look. Ahh, those eyes . . ."

"What wonderful tea you make Mrs. Carter! Yes, if it isn't too much trouble I will have another . . . Good gracious, was that a scream? Quick! It must have come from Mr. Raben's room."

Oh professor, is he, is he . . .? You think a heart attack? Look out, under the bed, two green eyes! Don't touch it! Why, it's only a stuffed lizard. My, those green shirt buttons do make realistic eyes!" R. G. B., VIUB

### PORT AUGUSTA FROM HORROCKS PASS

Looking west from the western end of Horrocks Pass across the arid, saltbush-covered plain, we see a sprawling town of crowded houses. This is Port Augusta. A little south of the town itself is the power station surmounted by two high silver chimneys which continually belch thick clouds of white smoke into the atmosphere.

In what seems the centre of the town we see the dull brownness of the turbid water, surmounted by match-stick cranes and miniature ships, of all the shades of rust there are.

Further west, and seemingly crowning the view, are the plateaux of Eyre Peninsula. In the blue distance and shrouded by smoke from the power station, these plateaux rise like some giant's teeth which had been dropped there hundreds of years ago.

In all, the scene is one of shrouded majesty and mystery. The stillness of the spectacle seems to give it some awesome beauty which has the ability to make one stare open-mouthed at its majesty and the changes in vegetation and colour. The colours change from the yellow-brown of the saltbush to the blue-grey of the distant shrouded hills.

P. C. M., VIA

### AN ODE TO CIGARETTES

O! bless the man who had the brain  
To make the cigarette,  
He set men smoking like a train  
Much to their wives' regret.

He may have caused a lung disease,  
No one can be sure.  
He's made some people cough and sneeze,  
And others, he's made poor.

Smoking is meant to stunt one's growth.  
(It's never stunted mine)  
'Twas only after I gave up,  
That I began to pine.

So, when you begin to smoke,  
(That's if you haven't yet)  
Just stop awhile, and praise the man  
That made the cigarette.

P. E. D., VU A

### MY FIRST SCOUT HIKE

One bright moonlight night earlier this month, I, with the other members of my patrol, was to be seen plodding up Long Ridge towards "Woodhouse," where we were to camp overnight.

We had left the Burnside bus terminus at 7.30, and by half-past eight were to be found half-way up Long Ridge. Amid cheers from the other patrols, who had left ahead of us, we arrived at the "Water Tank" and unloaded our packs to quench our thirst. To cries of "Come on, you slackers," we got to our feet and struggled on to the Mount Lofty Summit, where we bought drinks and sweets and had another well-earned rest.

Shortly after half-past nine, we set off on our way on the last stage to "Woodhouse." After leaving the Bonython residence, we seemed to plunge down the side of a hill which must have had a gradient of one in two. Our ankles aching and our shoulders raw, we covered the last couple of miles with comparative ease and arrived at "Woodhouse" at about a quarter past ten. About a dozen boys of the troop decided to make use of the swimming pool. Soon ghostly white forms were to be seen in and around the pool, illuminated by the full moon.

After "Lights out!" at two o'clock next morning we settled down to a good night's (or rather morning's) sleep. Awaking at five, quite a few of us found ourselves with wet sleeping bags, but nobody minded.

The Investiture Ceremony was to start at six o'clock; there were two of us to be invested, but unfortunately my friend had to drop out. Having been invested officially, we were now to be invested in the scouting manner. It consists of . . . well, I had better not spoil it for those who will be joining next year.

We hiked back to Burnside, and, after my first scout hike, I have decided that scouting is jolly good fun.

G. V. V., VIA

### CAPE SPENCER

During a recent holiday I visited the southernmost point of Yorke Peninsula, Cape Spencer, and the scenery made it well worth the trip. The Cape proper is a narrow neck of land about two hundred yards long and twenty yards wide, and at the very end of this is a neat little white lighthouse. This neck of land falls away in an almost sheer drop to the surging, sparkling blue sea some hundred feet below, and, as one can imagine, it offers some excellent opportunities for photography.

Looking straight out from the end, one can see, quite close, the Althorpe Island Group, consisting of a comparatively large island and several smaller ones. Beyond these, it is quite easy to distinguish Kangaroo Island, some forty-five miles away on the horizon.

Stretching for miles on each side are high cliffs, the sea sending up columns of white spray from the rocks at the bottom of them. The sun was shining in a cloudless sky when I visited the cape, and the colouring of the scene was brilliant. The sky was a very pale blue, the restless sea slightly darker, in strong contrast to the dazzling white breakers. The cliffs held a hundred hues of brown, while the rocks, glistening wet and surrounded by boiling, turbulent water, were stark black or grey.

There is some green vegetation on the cape itself, lending relief to the ultramarine blue, and as we lunched we watched a pair of brown hawks, which obviously had a nest quite near, searching for prey. On noiseless, swift wings, they soared about, catching small mice, and they became so tame that they hovered ten feet from the car, and even landed near it. With a suitable camera, some excellent shots could have been taken.

It was with great regret that I left Cape Spencer.

D. R. C., VUA

### A STRANGE VISITOR

One summer morning I discovered a small, frightened wallaby huddled on our lawn in a vain effort to keep warm.

As I crept cautiously towards it, I noticed that there was a long, shallow gash running down its left hind-leg. From time to time the poor creature carefully licked its wound. Eventually I managed to coax it to drink some milk, and as a reward for my efforts it playfully burrowed its head into my stomach.

I made a rough shelter for the wallaby and gave it some bread. Several days passed and its wound began to heal. During these days the wallaby had become quite energetic. Frequently it would hop madly round and round the lawn, and then flop into an exhausted heap on the ground.

This particular wallaby seemed to have a very queer taste. Its menu included grass, carrots, apples, bread and weeds, and it appeared to enjoy sampling the different kinds of flowers in the garden.

During these few days we seemed to be unusually popular. Neighbours, friends and people that we had not seen for years all arrived to see the wallaby.

About a week after its arrival the wallaby disappeared, but this was not the last we were to hear of our peculiar visitor. Three days after its sudden departure, an article appeared in the morning paper stating that a small wallaby with a gash down its left hind-leg had been arrested on the banks of the Torrens and had been taken to the Zoo for questioning.

A. J. W., VLA

### SPEEDWAY

A feeling of great excitement is present everywhere as we enter the speedway in the middle of a bustling crowd of racing enthusiasts. The monotonous cries of programme-sellers come to our ears while we attempt to find a suitable position on the outside of the white safety-fence. As we take up our positions we are conscious of the glaring spotlights above us.

Our pulses begin to quicken as soon as we hear the throaty snarl of the speed-cars warming up in their pits beyond the grandstand, while their drivers are given last-minute instructions from the anxious mechanics. After what seems like an hour or so a murmur of excitement comes from the crowd as the brightly-painted racing cars are pushed out on to the track. There is an expectant hush throughout the ground as the cars take up their positions and the starter raises his flag. Suddenly, with a roar from the crowd, the cars accelerate, tails wagging, up the strait amidst an ear-splitting crackle of exhausts and a shower of hard cinders.

With skidding tyres and shrieking engines, they hurtle around the corners which loom up before them. The roar of the crowd reaches fever pitch as the race rises to a thrilling climax in the last eventful lap. The drivers strain their tortured engines in an effort to gain every ounce of power from the machines. Suddenly it is over, but the excitement has just started and it continues until the chequered flag falls on the last race.

This is a signal for us to wend our way patiently through the multitude of weary people towards the exit. Soon we are in the quiet comfort of our car, eagerly discussing the events. The smell of the exhaust fumes and the thunderous snarl of the cars remain with us long after we leave the fast-emptying track.

I. H., VIA

### MARLOW'S GHOST

From out of the grave  
On a cold, cheerless night,  
Comes the ghost of old Marlow  
In a shroud of grey white;  
He returns once a year  
To the place where he  
Was brutally murdered  
One morning at three.  
He returns every year  
To the broken old wattle,  
Where he was hit  
With a cracked beer-bottle.  
He curses the world  
And all mankind,  
And returns to the grave  
With great peace of mind.

R. J. M., VUA



**CREATION**

Where shall I start—they say I must,  
My agile mind is almost bust,  
Creative urge, where are you hid?  
No urge? Well, I must make some bid.

Maybe an epic—many pages,  
To bore schoolboys of coming ages.  
Oh no! it would be much too cruelling;  
It also would be much too gruelling.

I think instead a Petrarch sonnet,  
But now I find my heart's not on it;  
For what to do I'm at a loss,  
Perhaps the best way is to toss.

I've lost the coin, oh! there it is!  
I've flipped it! Now to take a squizz.  
Darn! heads, that means that now I'm  
bound  
To write some verse of fluent sound.

But what about! what style? Oh horror!  
Maybe the thing to do is borra.  
I'll borra from my poetry book.  
Would Milton 'mind a little look?

Though copyright is very strict,  
I will not let myself be licked.  
Now, calm down son, best thought of all,  
I just won't write a poem this Fall.

D. H., VIUA

**THE SNAKE**

As I rode down the track, I was far from thinking about snakes and the like, although I had found a snake-skin only two days ago. When I came to the bend, I swerved to avoid a big brown "stick," which hissed and slithered into the cover of the grass.

Dropping my bicycle, I jumped to the ground and hurled the nearest rock after the disappearing reptile. The snake, a venomous and deadly brown, had been slowly crossing the road, and soaking in the sun's warmth, when disturbed by my bicycle, skidding down the track. Immediately its docile coils had become a writhing mass, as raising its head and with beady, black eyes flashing, it swiftly slipped into the protecting grass.

My first rock bounced off a tuft of dry grass in front of it, but my second and third shots struck home, breaking its back. Although badly injured, it came towards me at a fair pace, and I quickly hopped away from its path. Although not as ferocious as a tiger snake, a brown will attack when attacked, and it is wise to stay out of its reach.

Fortunately, a six-foot stake was on the other side of the road, and quickly I ran to fetch it. By the time I had returned, however, the snake had disappeared into a pile of nearby grass. Quickly, I pushed it over with my

stake, and there, under the grass, the snake lay, its head lifted and tongue spitting.

Now, maimed and unprotected as it was, I was able to finish it off quickly, and then take my prize and show my parents.

T. P., VUA

**THE BIRD SANCTUARY**

While staying at Surfers' Paradise on the Queensland Gold Coast, my father and I heard about a bird sanctuary at Currumbin, about ten miles south of Surfer's. We decided to go and see it. It was situated on the banks of Currumbin Creek. When we arrived we entered and walked on to a lawn surrounded by a low picket fence. On the lawn were several guinea fowls, hundreds of brown and white ducklings, four kangaroos, peacocks and peahens and plenty of pigeons.

We went around the lawn and passed through an arch in a bamboo hedge. On the other side was another lawn with more kangaroos. One kangaroo would sit up and eat out of one's hand, while another would stand up and box. Besides kangaroos there were pheasants, gold and green, and gold and black. They were the most graceful and beautiful birds I had ever seen. A guinea fowl came as close as it dared to me while I was looking at the pheasants. I suddenly turned round and it jumped up into the air with a peculiar-sounding screech and fled from me as fast as its two shiny legs could carry it.

As we left the pheasants we saw a sign, "Rainbow Lorikeets, fed at four-thirty." It was nearly four-thirty then, but we had just enough time to see the talking magpie. We went back through the arch and stood by the low fence around the lawn. The owner of the sanctuary and some helpers gave each of the spectators an aluminium dish full of honey, bread and water and told them to hold their dishes out and the birds would come down and eat out of them. We could see hundreds of birds in the trees, but they showed no signs of coming down. At last one settled on a dish held by a man in a pink shirt. Then another came, until suddenly they all descended. There were screams of delight from young women as their dishes were crowded with beautiful birds. Three birds perched on my dish, two on my arm and one on my head. Excited people dropped their dishes. One bird landed on my dish the wrong way, so that its tail was in the honey mixture, and it tried to eat my hand. It could not have liked the taste for it gave me a look of disgust and flew away.

Soon all the food was eaten and the Lorikeets flew away. Never have I had such a thrilling experience as seeing these beautiful

creatures close at hand. After the excitement had died down, we left, hoping that the colour pictures my father took of the birds would come out well and be a permanent reminder of the Currumbin Bird Sanctuary.

D. M. T., VUA

#### THE CAVES

The sun was hot, and so bright it hurt the eyes.

Below was cool, and dim, and tranquil,  
The irregular ceiling was grey; a contrast to the skies,

A shallow pool looked black and still.

The exquisite stalactites from the ceiling hung  
In hues of blue and red and green,  
They looked so cool to my parched tongue,  
And the stalagmites like cones of cream.

We saw the Cathedral and the Devil's Font,  
And seemed to climb an endless stair.  
The eager guide with the torch in front;  
Then out, exposed to the cruel sun's glare.

K. B. T., VUA

#### NIGHT SOUNDS

When I retire at night to sleep  
Nocturnal creatures begin to creep,  
And many a sound that we hear at work  
Seems different at night when shadows lurk.  
With the air quite still and the moon up high,  
In Spring I hear a young lamb cry,

Or the bark of a fox from a distant hill  
As he sallies forth to make his kill.  
Way down in a swamp near a grassy soak,  
Unnumbered frogs do leap and croak.

The crickets call from under the ground,  
Creating a swell of continuous sound.  
Sometimes the sound of a mopoke's call  
Blends with that of a dead leaf's fall.

When a westerly breeze disturbs the trees,  
Our feline friends scuffle and tease.  
All these sounds become one, it seems,  
As I drift off to midnight dreams.

C. M. P., VUA



D. C., VIA



## Preparatory School

**Staff.** In the September holidays, seven members of the Prep. School staff attended a Refresher School arranged by the Junior Schools' Association of Australia at St. Ives, the new Sydney Grammar School Preparatory School. A great deal of benefit was gained from the lectures, displays and discussions, and particularly from the friendly relations developed between men and women from Prep. School staffs from all over Australia.

Mr. Kitney left in January for a brief visit to England. We expect him back at the commencement of second term. We were very fortunate in persuading Mrs. David Prest, M.A., to take charge of IIA in his absence. She had had experience teaching in girls' schools in England but, despite initial qualms about handling a class of small lively boys, she has found it quite a pleasant experience. We shall be very sorry to lose her at the end of the term.

**Painting of Classrooms.** During the Christmas holidays the Kindergarten Room, IIIUA, IIIUB, III LB, the Reference Library and the Boarders' Common Room were all attractively painted in pastel shades. It is planned to re-decorate the remaining classrooms and the boarding house in one of the term holidays.

**Mothers' Club.** The Mothers' Club began its eleventh year of service when it held its first meeting of the year on 12th March. The President, Mrs. Close, was presented with a pair of marcasite dress clips by the club to mark the completion of the first ten years of her presidency.

A meeting of the club was held in October of last year. To it were invited the mothers of boys starting in 1959 and quite a number of them attended. A film, "Shy", was shown.

We are very grateful to the Mothers' Club for their keen interest in the Preparatory School and for their generous support of any project put to them by the School. This year, in addition to their usual contributions to the Library and Record Funds, they plan to provide classroom aids and playground equipment.

On the last Saturday of last term the club organized a very successful Christmas Party for the boys of IB and IC and their little brothers and sisters. Father Christmas was welcomed by the singing of the boys of IB and IC. At its conclusion, the club served afternoon tea at the rear of Senior School, where the Sons narrowly defeated their Fathers

in their annual cricket match, 163 to 159. The most successful batsmen were Mr. Compton 37, Mr. Dickson 33, Mr. Johnston 22, Yard 29, Leak 28 and Dickson 25.

On the same day a display of art and project work was held in the classrooms.

The Mothers' Club organized the cake stall at the Parents and Friends' Garden Fete at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Williams on 31st October. Mountains of cakes were baked and the very pleasing sum of just over £100 was raised.

**Carol Evening.** Early in December a most successful Carol Evening was held on the playground of the Preparatory School. The four choirs sang special carols and led the assembly in community carols. The evening was highlighted by a Nativity Play, written and produced by Mr. Kitney. Most of the costumes were planned, cut out and dyed by Miss Scarfe and Mr. Kitney and sewn by the mothers of boys in the cast. A most attractive stage setting with a very beautiful and effective back drop painted by Mr. Gray and his band of enthusiastic helpers, added to the brilliance of the spectacle.

**Cricket.** In the third term last year, the Prep. first team won six of its eight matches. Dickson with 505 runs and Rudd with 305 runs were the most successful batsmen for the year. Dickson is to be congratulated on winning the Cricket Cup presented by Mr. L. O. Fuller.

The second team won convincingly its three matches.

During the first term this year the first team has won two of the four games it has played, the second team all four of its games, and a third team has won one and lost one.

In the House Cricket, Robertson has won two senior games and two junior games, Mitchell one senior and Chapple one junior.

**Cricket Afternoon.** St. Peters were our hosts at a Cricket Afternoon held on 9th December. Seven cricket matches were played and we were successful in four of them. For the first time for many years we were defeated in the tennis match that was also played.

**Tennis.** The Preparatory School Singles Championship was won by Brian Dickson, who defeated the 1957 runner-up to win the trophy given by J. E. C. Stephens, Esq. Peter Bonfield, the runner-up for two years also received a trophy.

**House Competition.** The A. W. Welch Cup was won in 1958 by Robertson House, who narrowly defeated Chapple.

Points			
	R.	C.	M.
1st and 2nd Terms	42	36	3
3rd Term Exams.	3	6	—
School	3	6	—
Cricket	6	2	1
Total	54	50	4

**Leaders, 1959.** We should like to congratulate these boys who have been appointed leaders; B. L. Beauchamp (Captain), G. W. Bayly, C. J. C. Bennett, A. B. Compton, D. J. Finnegan, J. B. Hassell, M. J. Talbot, S. L. Tregoning, A. F. Wilson and A. J. Woodcock.

**Collections.** £127 was collected during 1958 for distribution to the various charities the School supports.

**Visits.** The boys of I B and I C visited Coca-Cola Factory. We should like to thank Mr. G. H. Mitchell for arranging the visit.

IIB and IA have been invited by Mr. E. E. H. Parker to inspect Parker's Colonel Light Gardens Bakery after Easter and we know that they will thoroughly enjoy their visit.

**Natural History Club.** The South East Tour was in the nature of an experiment which proved most successful.

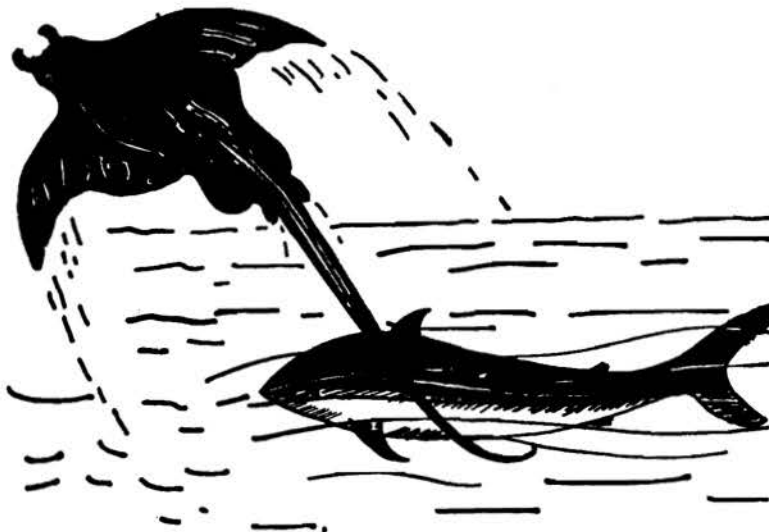
A chartered bus made a round trip of 900 miles, visiting many towns including Naracoorte, Mount Gambier, Portland, Millicent and Kingston.

We stayed two nights in boarding houses at Naracoorte and Portland. But the best part of the tour was the overnight bivouacs at Mount Gambier, Millicent and Kingston together with the picnic luncheons.

Visits were made to the following places of interest; Naracoorte Caves, a cheese factory, a pine forest and saw mill, Mount Gambier Lakes, Mount Schank and the "Pool of Siloam".

The tour proved popular and another tour, this time of the Murray towns, is contemplated.

**May Camp at Toc H Hut, Victor Harbor.** The stage is set for another camp at this delightful spot. Mrs. Gray has again kindly consented to do the catering for us and will be helped by Mrs. Robinson, Miss Wollaston and Mrs. Tunbridge.



M. J. T., III UA

## ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS

## THE AVALANCHE

Among the snowy valleys, on the high and  
windy mounts,

Where the danger of an avalanche is big,  
Lived a man, his wife and children in a tiny  
village hut

With their stock (three goats, two cows, a  
dog, a pig).

One warmish winter morning when the glaciers  
moved and creaked,

And the snow was melting quickly on the  
hills,

Then the alpenhorn gave warning to the towns  
among the snows,

Of the coming of the avalanche that kills.

It was very near to midday when the snow  
came tumbling down,

Bringing tons of earth and stones and trees  
and rock,

Destroying all the village; only sticks and  
stones were left,

But the people all were safe, and with their  
stock.

R. S. F., III UA

While sitting at my desk all day,  
I sometimes have the urge to play;  
I dream of tennis now and then,  
But Latin words await my pen.

B. F. C., III UA

## P.A.C.

Prince Alfred College proudly links  
Its name with royalty,  
The crest is made of cross and crown  
To these we pledge our loyalty.

M. J. T., III UA

## FOOTBALL

Football is a thrilling game,  
Compared with it the rest are tame:  
Spectators flock to see the fun,  
Father, mother, daughter, son.

At last the teams come running out  
To a terrific roar and shout;  
But when the game is under way,  
That's when the fans all have their say.

They tell the umpire what to do,  
They stamp, they clap, they hoot, they boo,  
The teams encouraged by this din  
Do all they can to earn a win.

R. M. L., III UA

There was a young fellow named Drew,  
Who went for a trip to the Zoo,  
While feeding the lions  
On succulent vines  
He vanished and left no clue.

An eager young keeper called Lew,  
To the rescue courageously flew,  
But sad to relate  
He met the same fate,  
For the lioness was hungry too.

A. B. C., III UA

## THE FOOTBALL SEASON

The football season's drawing near,  
The barrackers are full of cheer,  
The teams are training hard and fast  
Gone are the losses of the past.

S. J. D., III UA



# OLD BOYS' SECTION



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Dr. M. W. Evans is also a member of the School Council.

### PAST PRESIDENTS

1879-1891	J. A. Hartley	1919-20	W. S. Kelly	1939	W. J. Hiatt
1892-3	E. B. Colton	1921	R. Owen Fox	1940	Frank T. Cooper
1894	G. M. Evan	1922	S. Gilbert Lawrence	1941	L. S. Walsh
1895	G. S. Cotton	1923	Hubert H. Cowell	1942	F. E. Piper
1896	A. W. Piper	1924	M. Erichsen	1943	H. N. Shepley
1897	F. A. Chapman	1925	David Waterhouse	1944	C. J. Glover
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1899	J. H. Chinner	1927	H. B. Piper	1946	M. W. Evans
1900	G. W. Cooper	1928	J. M. Bath	1947	John F. W. Dunn
1901	J. W. Grasby	1929	W. R. Bayly	1948	G. T. Clarke
1902	A. E. Davey	1930	Ralph Vardon	1949	D. A. Clarkson
1903	G. W. R. Lee	1931	A. L. Bertram	1950	Rex W. Pearson
1904	P. E. Johnstone	1932	A. G. Collison	1951	L. P. A. Lawrence
1905-09	W. R. Bayly	1933	S. W. Jeffries	1952	R. W. M. Johnson
1910-11	A. C. Catt	1934	P. R. Claridge	1953	F. H. Chapman
1912	J. R. Robertson	1935	L. S. Clarkson	1954	N. A. Walsh
1913-14	N. A. Webb	1936	F. L. Collison	1955	Norman Todd
1915-16	W. D. Taylor	1937	A. G. Trott	1956	F. C. Hassell
1917-18	A. A. L. Rowley	1938	Joseph Crompton	1957	P. E. Clark

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

"Old Boys' Week" is observed annually towards the end of July, during which a dinner and other social functions as well as sports contests are held. 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.

H. W. A. Miller (Old Collegians') Scholarship  
J. A. Hartley Scholarship  
Fredk. Chapple Scholarship  
W. R. Bayly Scholarship  
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## Leaving Honours Successes 1958



C. G. LUKE



M. J. STORY



K. W. MILLS

M. G. GOLLEY

I. C. HERON



In the General Honours List for the Leaving Honours Examination in 1958, C. G. Luke was placed second, M. J. Story fourth, K. W. Mills twelfth, M. G. Golley twenty-seventh, and I. C. Heron thirty-third.





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MR. N. S. ANGEL  
President, 'Old Scholars' Association



## Sir Philip McBride, P.C.

Sir Philip McBride is believed to be only the third South Australian to be made a Privy Councillor. The only others known were Sir Samuel Way, a former Chief Justice and C. C. Kingston, a former Premier. A Privy Councillorship, which confers the title of "Right Honourable" is the highest honour that can be bestowed on an Australian.

At the time of his retirement from Parlia-

mentary life he was Minister of Defence which portfolio he had held since 1950. First elected to the House of Representatives in 1931, he subsequently served as a Senator for seven years and then rejoined the House of Representatives in 1946 as member for Wakefield. Sir Philip is a former president of the Stock-owners' Association and S.A. representative on the Australian Woolgrowers' Council.

## Sir Russell Dumas

Sir Russell John Dumas, of Dalkeith, W.A., knighted for public services is a former South Australian.

A son of the late Mr. C. M. R. Dumas, of Mount Barker, he is a brother of the chairman and managing director of "The Advertiser" (Sir Lloyd Dumas).

Sir Russell Dumas was educated at Prince Alfred College and the University of Adelaide, graduating in 1913 as a Bachelor of Engineering and later receiving the degree of Master of Engineering.

He was responsible for the design and construction of Canning Dam, 218 ft. high, which supplies the Perth metropolitan area.

Sir Russell in 1941 led an exploration party to the East Kimberley area to examine the Ord River Valley.

One of the original three who planned and carried out the Glenroy air beef project in the West Kimberleys Sir Russell initiated the policy and directed the investigations leading to the provision of a deep-sea port near Derby to develop the West Kimberleys.

## Mr. C. R. Kelly, M.H.R.

It is very pleasing to report that another Old Boy has been elected to the Federal Parliament for the seat of Wakefield. This seat was formerly held by Sir Philip McBride, who has just retired. Bert Kelly is a son of Mr. W. S. Kelly, one of the best known authorities on agriculture in the State. Like his father he has always taken a keen and practical interest in all matters concerning the man on the land. He has been for many years a member of the Soil Conservation Committee, is a former chairman of the Advisory Board of Agriculture, and a member of the Council of the Royal Agricultural and

Horticultural Society of South Australia. In 1951 he was awarded a Nuffield Foundation Scholarship to study farming in the United Kingdom.

The Kelly family has a wonderful record at P.A.C. both in relation to numbers and in their support of the School. Bert attended the School 1925-29 and played in the intercollegiate cricket and football teams. He is a life member of this Association, and we hope he will go on to even greater heights and emulate his illustrious predecessor in Wakefield.

## Purely Personal

Mr. Launcelot Crompton has been appointed President of the Council of British Commonwealth Societies in South Australia.

Brigadier Malcolm Joyner has been appointed Australian Army Director of Dental Services. He recently presided at the 15th Australian Dental Congress held in Adelaide. He is also President of the Dental Board of South Australia. After serving in the Middle East with the 2/7 and 2/2 A.G.H. he was in charge of Dental Services in New Guinea from 1942 to 1943. Malcolm gained his first commission in 1921 in the P.A.C. Cadets.

Dr. Malcolm Miller has been appointed to the Advisory Committee of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital.

Dr. Arthur Trott has been elected a life member of the S.A. Branch of the Australian Dental Association.

Mr. E. Anthony, at one time a master at the School, has recently retired after thirty-five years continuous service as a State Parliamentarian. He has been re-elected President of the Institutes Association of South Australia.

Mr. H. E. Fuller, one of our 'old' Old Boys, is still President of the Parkside Institute and is the only living member of the original committee formed fifty-nine years ago. He is a former secretary of our Old Boys Association.

Mr. Wilfred Rosengarten was recently over here from Sydney. In 1905 he topped the Higher Public Examination in German. He is a close friend of Colonel Harold Woodman; the latter was formerly a District Officer in New Guinea and had a distinguished record in World War I.

Mr. Geoffrey T. Clarke has been appointed Chairman of the Council of British Commonwealth Societies in South Australia. He is also a member of the Council of the University.

Max Lemon, who was in the color party on the occasion of the visit of Her Majesty the Queen Mother to Duntroon, is now in his final year. He has represented the College in tennis and Australian Rules Football.

John Whiteford is now manager of the Uganda Bank at Fort Portal near the Belgian Congo border. He recently represented Uganda as an umpire in the Inter-Territorial Hockey Carnival.

Dr. Russell Ward, son of the former Headmaster, has recently published a book entitled "The Australian Legend".

Dr. Malcolm Cockburn has been appointed medical superintendent of the Adelaide Children's Hospital.

Drs. Douglas McKay and Ivan Magarey and Messrs. Alan Crompton and Norman Todd have been appointed to the Board of Management of the Children's Hospital.

R. W. R. Hunt tied for the State Champion Wheat Crop with a crop of Pinnacle.

A. M. West has been appointed manager of Franklin Motors Ltd.

Dr. S. L. Dawkins, now residing in Western Australia, is still hale and hearty. He was a member of the School rowing crew in 1892.

David Luke recently completed his B.Ec. course and was awarded the Joseph Fisher Medal. He gained a distinction or credit in each of his subjects.

Dr. R. Francis Matters has been re-elected President of the Naval Officers' Club of South Australia. He holds the rank of Surgeon Commander. He has also been promoted to Vice-President of the St. John Council.

Dr. Peter Martin, formerly lecturer in biology at the Adelaide University, has been awarded a Nuffield Travelling fellowship.

Mr. Frank Beauchamp has been appointed to the Board of Adelaide Milk Supply Co-op. Ltd. He is also President of the Apex Club.

H. J. Kemp is the donor of the Herbert Kemp Memorial trophy for the most successful exhibitor at the National Rose Society.

Captain Trevor Olsson of Central Command, South Australia, was one of a party who recently visited Hawaii as guests of the United States Army.

Mr. Russell Harris who has lived at Boston, U.S.A., for many years was recently holidaying in Adelaide.

Norman Chinner conducted the Adelaide Philharmonic Choir at the Carols by Candlelight. He has been conductor for 17 years.

Lewis Dawe conducted the Adelaide Harmony Choir on the same occasion.

Tom Cotton has been elected President of the Adelaide Junior Chamber of Commerce. Ron Sutton is the honorary secretary.

Haynes Leader has recently been appointed Master and Registrar General of the Darwin Supreme Court.

Murray Barrett, Reader in Prosthetic Dentistry, has been awarded a grant from the Scandinavian Cultural funds, which are administered by the National University.

Robert Helpmann was recently in Australia with the Royal Ballet. Amongst other roles he played the title role in Hamlet.

John Batchelor has been appointed chief engineer of the News Television Station.

Eric F. Smart of Erregulla Spring Station, Western Australia, recently established a new grain production record for the Southern Hemisphere. Some parts of the property returned up to seventeen bags to the acre.

Mr. W. W. White, late of Underdale, S.A., has left for Queensland, where his address is "Arno Station", Isisford, Queensland.

Mr. C. Boyle is now resident in Queensland, his address c/o Caris Pharmacy, Bundaberg.

Mr. B. J. Holding has been awarded the degree of Bachelor of Economics.

Dudley Coombe of "Moonhills", Myponga, has been elected to the Willunga Council.

Edwin Robinson of Crystal Brook has been elected to the Crystal Brook Council.

Professor Henry Brose sends greetings from England. His son John is at present lecturing in English, Science and Engineering in West Berlin.

Dr. W. A. Dibden is Executive Chairman of the S.A. Association of Mental Health.

Major Alwyn Shepherd spent three weeks in Malaya recently as an observer with the Australian Army.

Richard Corbet has been appointed editor of the University students newspaper "On Dit".

Norman Knabe has been elected President of the Australian Funeral Directors Association.

Sir Philip McBride recently rejoined the Board of Elder Smith & Co. Ltd., and is also a Federal Vice-President of the Liberal Party.

Colin Jacka is now works accountant of Unilever Aust. Prop. Ltd. at Port Melbourne.

R. J. S. Muir of Queensland was recently in London for the Commonwealth Sugar Talks.

Mr. Paull Fiddian was appointed director of Melbourne's successful Moomba Festival.

Mr. Maxwell Cooper is treasurer of St. Mark's Collegians' Association.

Ross Pfeiffer was president of the organizing committee for the Norwood Spring Display.

Paul Stewart, who was director in 1957 of the Varsity Procession, is also on the committee of the Dental Students' Society of which he is secretary. He is also a member of the Varsity Footlights Club.

Alan Hannam was director last year of the Varsity procession and is also on the committee of the Dental Students Association and treasurer. The current president is Brenton Burfield and Don Cameron is also on the committee.

Vernon Smith, auditor, V. L. Hawke, G. W. Harris and L. F. J. Johnston are committee members of the Port Adelaide Institute.

Ivor Hele painted the portrait of Sir Douglas Mawson which is to be hung in the Hall of the Royal Geographical Society, London.

Mr. D. L. Richards, S.M., has been promoted to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Mr. Zeising, S.M.

Central Command have recently formed a staff group under Brigadier J. G. McKinna, Commissioner of Police.

Morgan Hawkes, Stock Department Manager of Goldsbrough Mort & Co. Ltd., recently attended the fourth session of the Australian Administrative Staff College.

Dr. F. R. Hone and Sir Frank Perry are members of the Council of the University.

Don Selth formerly on the staff of St. Peter's College, has been appointed Headmaster of Launceston Grammar School. John Mills for-

merly on the staff of the School, left for Cambodia towards the end of 1958. Sponsored by the Department of External Affairs, he will be teaching English.

Frank Parsons has been elected President of the South Australian Branch of the Thirty-Niners' Association.

Alderman Jack Glover is on the Federal Executive of the National Council for the Blind.

Rev. C. J. Perry, E.D., read the requiem and recited the Ode at the Remembrance Day Service last year at the War Memorial.

Mr. C. R. Sutton was appointed Deputy Chairman of the Divisional Council of the Red Cross Society.

Colin Hassell is Advisers' Chairman of Legacy.

Russell Mattison has been re-appointed to the committee of the Commercial Travellers' Association.

Rev. R. Kyle Waters, School Chaplain, has been appointed President of the Y.M.C.A.

Jack Martin has been appointed manager in Victoria of B-P Australia. Ltd.

Gordon Abbott is managing director of Abbott Industries and Davison Paints Ltd.

Phil Clark has been appointed chairman of the Electrical Manufacturers' Association of South Australia.

Dr. Graham Bennett is the B.M.A. nominee to the Dental Board of South Australia.

Bill Staker and Brian Williams are members of the Jamestown Council.

Leslie T. Cowan has been re-elected a member of the Royal Show Dairy Cattle and Swine Committee.

The Headmaster, Mr. Dunning, has been appointed president of the Royal Commonwealth Society thus succeeding Sir Lavington Bonython who has retired after fourteen years as president. Mr. Geoffrey Clarke is chairman.

Syd Makin, one of the very early settlers at Keith, has been a member of the Tatiara Council for 22 years, including four years as chairman.

Dr. David Riceman was recently awarded the degree of Doctor of Science. The A.M.P. Society land development scheme in the upper South East was based on his work.

Dr. Ray Southwood delivered the Milroy Lectures for 1959 at the Royal College of Surgeons, London. He is the first Australian to be thus honoured.

Dr. Donald B. Cheek has been appointed to a senior consulting and research post at the Royal Children's Hospital, Melbourne. He has spent seven years in the U.S. and Canada.

In the latter part of 1958, Dr. A. T. James was appointed visiting lecturer in statistical mathematics at Yale University, U.S.A.

Frank Anderson, F.A.S.A., has been appointed South Australian manager for the Mutual Acceptance Coy. Ltd.

## Obituary

**BENNETT**—On 26th January, 1959, at hospital, Claude Ernest, beloved husband of the late Daisy Sizette Bennett. Aged 80 years. He attended the School 1895-1898. School Reg. No. 2735 and was a Life Member, No. 2261, of this Association.

**BROWN**—On 4th June, 1958, suddenly, at his residence, Echunga, Lindsay Edward, dearly loved husband of Muriel Flossie Brown. Aged 58 years. He attended the School 1914-1915. School Reg. No. 4853 and was a Life Member, No. 508, of this Association.

**CHARLICK**—On 8th February, 1959, at hospital, Herbert Frederick. Aged 74 years. He attended the School 1898-1899. School Reg. No. 3133.

**CHAPMAN**—On 1st March, 1959, at a private hospital, Howard Pearson, dearly loved husband of the late Elizabeth Chapman. Aged 82 years. He attended the School 1891-1892. School Reg. No. 2352.

**CHURCHWARD**—On 3rd January, 1959, at Chelsea, Victoria, Rev. Spencer, beloved husband of Caroline Gilbert Churchward. Aged 74 years. He attended the School 1888-1897. School Reg. No. 1976.

**DEEBLE**—On 24th October, 1958, (suddenly) Maxwell Ernest, loved husband of Hazel Deeble of 4 Fortrose Street, Dunleath. Aged 70 years. He attended the School 1898-1903. School Reg. No. 3159.

**GODDARD**—On 14th January, 1959, at hospital, John Stephen, dearly beloved husband of Aquilla Goddard of 94 Kensington Road, Toorak Gardens. Aged 69 years. He attended the School 1906-1909. School Reg. No. 4007 and was a Member of this Association.

**HASLAM**—On 4th January, 1959, at his residence, 10 William Street, Hawthorn, William Osborne, beloved husband of Gertrude Haslam. Aged 76 years. He attended the School 1896-1899. School Reg. No. 2865.

**HAGUE**—On — at Vancouver, Canada, Reece Hague. Aged 61 years. He attended the School 1911-1913. School Reg. No. 4511.

**LEVER**—On 6th December, 1958, in a New York hospital, Richard Hayley. Aged 82 years. He attended the School 1883-1891. School Reg. No. 1333 and was a Member of this Association.

**MARTIN**—On 14th January, 1959, (result of accident) Charles Robert Sandland. Aged 18 years. He attended the School 1950-1957. School Reg. No. 9487.

**MOORE**—On 23rd January, 1959, (suddenly) Arthur Charles Kelso, dearly loved husband of Jean Moore. Aged 63 years. He attended the School 1910-1911. School Reg. No. 4390.

**MC EWEN**—On 5th December, 1958, at Zurich, Switzerland, James Guthrie. Aged 80 years. He attended the School 1892-1893. School Reg. No. 2488 and was a Member of this Association.

**PETERS**—On 8th January, 1959, (suddenly) William Gordon, beloved husband of Dorothy Gertrude Peters. Aged 61 years. He attended the School 1909-1911. School Reg. No. 4349.

**SOLLY**—On 26th January, 1959, at a private hospital, Hubert A., beloved husband of Stella Solly. Aged 76 years. He attended the School 1897-1899. School Reg. No. 2936 and was a Member of this Association.

**TASSIE**—On 3rd March, 1959, at a private hospital, Dr. Leslie Gemmell, beloved husband of Doris Tassie. Aged 68 years. He attended the School 1904-1907. School Reg. No. 3756.

**WADEY**—On 28th December, 1958, at a private hospital, Alfred Ernest, dearly beloved husband of Elsa Wadey. Aged 81 years. He attended the school 1892-1893. School Reg. No. 2521 and was a Member of this Association.

**WALL**—On 25th September, 1958, at his residence, Dr. Frederick Lawrence, loved husband of Winifred Wall. Aged 65 years. He attended the School 1906-1909. School Reg. No. 3993 and was a Member of this Association.

**WILLIAMSON**—On 27th October, 1958, Roy C. of 20 Greengate Road, Killard, Sydney, N.S.W. Aged 65 years. He attended the School 1906-1909. School Reg. No. 3993 and was a Life Member, No. 3301, of this Association.

**VERCO**—On 29th March, 1956, in New South Wales, Clement Amour. Aged 80 years. He attended the School in 1892-1893. School Reg. No. 2433.

**CLINDENING**—On 23rd March, 1959, in London, Dr. Frederick Talbot Driffield, loved husband of the late Clara Clindening. Aged 99 years 9 months. He attended the School 1874-1875, School Reg. No. 373.

## Dr. F. T. D. Clindening

(No. 373 on the School Register)

Dr. Clindening who had been acclaimed our oldest living Old Scholar died in London on 23rd March at the age of 99 years 9 months. Born at Middleton in 1859 he attended the North Adelaide Grammar School and then P.A.C. for two years before beginning the study of medicine at the Adelaide Hospital in 1876.

For financial reasons Dr. Clindening temporarily abandoned medicine and entered the Telegraph Survey as a cadet chainman. He transferred to the Survey Office and later to the Lands Office as a draughtsman. He was appointed Warden of Goldfields and served at Teetulpa, South Australia's richest alluvial field. He retired from the Civil Service in 1888.

Dr. Clindening was interested in soldiering. He was gazetted Lieutenant in the S.A. Militia in 1882, promoted Captain in 1885 and then transferred to the Field Artillery with the same rank.

He was married in 1889 to Clara Brook of Tapio Station on the Darling. With his wife's encouragement and financial help he returned to the study of medicine.

He left for London in 1890 and while in Java his ship's complement was stricken with malaria. Frederick on the strength of his brief attendance at the Adelaide Hospital was made ship's medical officer and brought his patients safely back to health again.

He entered St. Bartholomew's Hospital, qualified M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (London) and was registered as a fully qualified practitioner in August, 1894.

In the following year he returned to Australia as M.O. on the "Glamorganshire" sailing via China ports, Japan and Hong Kong. He set up practice at Ryde in N.S.W. but very

soon decided to return to England. He returned via Japan but the vessel in which he and his wife were sailing was shipwrecked and they had to cover sixty miles in open boats to reach Saigon.

On arrival in England in 1897 Dr. Clindening purchased a practice at Kiukiang, 400 miles up the Yangtse Kiang. He spent eleven happy years in China, marred only by the Boxer Rebellion in 1900 and the great flood of 1901. He returned to England in 1910. Until the outbreak of World War I Dr. Clindening worked in England except for one solo trip to the far east as a ship's doctor.

When war began he offered his services but since he was then 55 years old he was considered too old. He busied himself doing locum tenens work for Territorial surgeons who had been posted. He was appointed Medical Superintendent of the Constance Road Institution, East Dulwich, a hospital with 900 patients.

In 1915 he was accepted by the Army and was gazetted Lieutenant R.A.M.C. He was seconded for duty to the Royal Victoria Hospital Netley. He later served at one of the Embarkation Ports before being appointed O.C. of an Ambulance Train. His train travelled 120,000 miles and carried over 60,000 disabled.

Dr. Clindening chose to be demobilized in China where he remained until the early 1920s. He visited Australia before returning to England.

Dr. Clindening, right up to his death, although almost a complete invalid, was still mentally active and took a delight in hearing of the doings of his old School.

(We are indebted to Mr. Maynard Close of the Prep. for this biographical sketch. —Ed.)

## Fifty Years Ago

### The Governor General visits P.A.C.

On February 16, 1909, His Excellency the Earl of Dudley and his gracious lady visited the School. A guard of honour of cadets under Captain John Blacket gave the Royal Salute. After inspecting the classrooms His Excellency was formally welcomed in the big schoolroom by the Headmaster (Mr. Chapple) and the President of the Conference (Rev. Isaac Rooney). The Speaker of the House of Representatives (Sir Frederick Holder) was also present.

K. N. Steele (cricket captain) read an address of welcome from the boys of the School, this address being signed by P. E. Correll (head of the School), W. R. Snow (head of the house), K. N. Steele (captain of cricket) and G. S. Reed (lieutenant of cadets).

After this function Lord Dudley then donned flannels in the dormitory and joined the first

eleven at the nets. His love of cricket delighted the boys and he was bold enough to suggest he would request a half holiday for the School for every time he was bowled out, though every "chainer" he smote would count against the fall of a wicket. It appears that the contest of bat versus ball was unequal, the bowling of Ken Steele proved unexpectedly devastating and His Excellency was finally glad to compound for one whole holiday, which was granted on the following Friday.

Before leaving His Excellency signified his intention of presenting the second eleven with a turf pitch and this promise was, of course, duly honoured.

Higher Public Exam Honours List (December 1908) in order of merit— A. E. Dawkins, B. W. Wibberley, R. A. Haste, W. A. Potts, A. E. Howard—all P.A.C.

## Successes of Old Boys

The following degrees and diplomas have been conferred at the Adelaide University since our last record. We offer hearty congratulations.

B.A.—K. J. Bridge.  
 B.Ec (Honours)—J. N. Lithgow, B.Ec.  
 B.Ec—B. J. Holding, D. R. Johns, B. V. Mickan.  
 D.Sc.—D. S. Riceman, B.Sc.  
 B.Sc (Honours)—D. R. Fielder, B.Sc.  
 B.Sc.—G. J. Crawford, R. J. Francis, R. L. Jory, G. D. Symons, J. L. Waddy, M.B., B.S.  
 M.Ag.Sc.—C. H. S. Dolling, B.Ag.Sc.  
 B.Ag.Sc.—R. C. Shearer.  
 M.E.—J. W. Crompton, B.E.  
 B.E. (Honours)—R. W. Hercus, R. J. Hoepner, G. H. Slee.  
 B.E.—R. B. Smith, M. G. Symons, G. G. Walsh, D. M. Waugh.  
 LL.B.—G. E. Parker.  
 M.D.—C. J. Schwartz, M.B., B.S., J. B. West, M.B., B.S.  
 M.B., B.S.—J. W. Burchmore, D. L. Clarnette, D. S. Humble, R. G. Johnson, A. N. Limmer.

B.D.S.—G. C. Hall.  
 B.Tech.—H. G. Oliphant, H. G. Pearson.  
 Diploma in Pharmacy—D. E. P. Bishop, M. C. Conigrave, G. J. Nunn, I. B. Roark, W. C. Rush.  
 Diploma in Public Administration—R. J. Good, B.E.

### UNIVERSITY PRIZES FOR 1958

The Violet de Mole Memorial Prize for French—C. W. Nettelbeck.  
 The E.T.S.A. Prize for Electrical Engineering (Seminar Work)—F. J. W. Symons.  
 The Philips Electrical Industries Prize in Electronics—F. J. W. Symons.  
 R. W. Bennett Prize (Law)—S. D. Clark.  
 The Elder Prize (First Examination Medicine)—J. V. Lloyd.  
 The Dental Board of S.A. Prize—B. G. Burfield.  
 The Joseph Fisher Medal (Economics)—D. A. T. Luke.  
 The Junior Roche Products Prize for Pharmacology—R. J. Kimber.

## Old Boys' Week—1959 Programme

MONDAY, 20th JULY—Bridge, Chess and Squash.

TUESDAY, 21st JULY—Lacrosse, Hockey, Baseball, Table Tennis in the evening.

WEDNESDAY, 22nd JULY—Football and Rugby. Badminton in the evening.

Old Collegians' Royal Arch Chapter.

THURSDAY, 23rd JULY—Morning Assembly. Football (Town v. Country).

Re-union Dinner.

FRIDAY, 24th JULY—Annual Ball. Basketball.

SATURDAY, 25th JULY—Intercollegiate Football Match at Adelaide Oval. Masonic Temple: Prince Alfred Collegians' Lodge.

SUNDAY, 26th JULY—11 a.m. Old Scholars' Service.

GOLF—To be held on a date and place to be advised.

N.B.—Members will be given full details regarding time and place of each function by circular in due course.

## 80th Annual Meeting

The eightieth Annual General Meeting was held at the School on Thursday, 20th November, when forty-five members were present.

Mr. N. S. Angel was unanimously elected President for the ensuing year. Messrs. C. L. McKay, Dr. Alan Clarkson and Mr. P. E. Clark (the retiring President) were elected Vice-Presidents.

Mr. E. F. Hunwick was re-elected Hon. Treasurer and Messrs. Harold Shuttleworth and Ross Johnston Joint Hon. Secretaries. Messrs. Geoffrey T. Clarke and C. W. L.

Muecke were elected Hon. Auditors. The following were re-elected to the Committee:—Messrs. A. W. Crompton, D. L. Davies, J. Gerard, F. C. Hassell, R. W. Piper, and two new members Dr. H. R. N. Oaten and Mr. R. Craven were elected.

After the business of the meeting had concluded supper was served. Mr. G. M. Potts then gave a most interesting illustrated talk on his visit to New Zealand, when he accompanied a party of scholars from the School. He was heartily thanked.

## 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

3019 Pearson, D. J. W.	3037 Catford, R. G.	3055 Whitham, P. J.
3020 Southwood, J. T.	3038 Hall, M. A.	3056 Storey, M. J.
3021 Kelly, C. R.	3039 Craig, I. H.	3057 Chapman, T. L.
3022 Woolcock, R. J.	3040 Luke, C. G.	3058 Brinkworth, G. M.
3023 Martin, G. J.	3041 Kitto, R. J.	3059 Farrow, R. L.
3024 Hookham, J. G.	3042 Williams, G. B.	3060 Gray, I. H.
3025 James, G. M.	3043 Henderson, W. R.	3061 Shiell, M. D.
3026 Tonkin, R. E.	3044 Catford, D. G.	3062 Adamson, R. McF.
3027 Gogler, K. D.	3045 Delaporte, I. D.	3063 Oaten, D. R.
3028 Kessall, H. F.	3046 Shaughnessy, P. D.	3064 Davidson, D. J.
3029 Worrall, E. J.	3047 Bartholomaeus, R. F.	3065 Cowan, B. A.
3030 Rowland, J. H.	3048 Walter, J. C.	3066 Pontifex, B. R.
3031 McInnes, M. G.	3049 Whitworth, W. G.	3067 Fotheringham, B. J.
3032 Davies, F. S.	3050 Hopkins, P. M.	3068 Mills, K. W.
3033 May, J. C.	3051 Drew, C. V.	3069 Jackson, J. H.
3034 Parkinson, K. J.	3052 Hart, M. L.	3070 McKay, I. R.
3035 Harbison, W. A.	3053 Denton, T. R.	3071 Paul, D. B.
3036 Luke, D. A. T.	3054 Jeffries, R. S.	

### ORDINARY MEMBERS

Binns, R. T.	Jenkinson, B. R.	Slatter, R. J.
Barrows, R. W.	Johnston, R. J. C.	Smith, H. K.
Candy, R. G.	Matters, G. S.	Smith, R. A.
Causby, J. P.	Motteram, D. J.	Steers, W. D.
Charles, J. F.	McNab, M. A.	Taylor, R. W.
Duffield, D. M.	McNiel, R.	Tonkin, M. P.
Dunn, P. M.	Parkinson, G. J.	Trestrail, J. N.
Dunsmore, D. F.	Perrin, I. D.	Turner, G. E.
Evans, G. R.	Prime, W. B.	Voysey, I. M.
Evans, R. W.	Reeves, R. W.	Watts, D. R.
Fowler, T. J.	Rehn, P. J.	White, W. W.
Hall, M. N.	Ricketts, K. S.	Williams, J. L.
Heron, I. C.	Rowe, J. M. D.	Yates, N. G.
Inglis, G. B.		

### CHANGES OF ADDRESSES

Members will greatly assist the Joint Secretaries if they will notify them promptly of any change of address. This request, of course, is vitally bound up with the smooth running of the Association.

### THE MID-NORTH DINNER

This will be held at Appila on Saturday, 9th May. The Secretary is Mr. A. E. Catford, Box 27, Appila, and a large attendance is expected. The President of the Association (Mr. N. S. Angel) and several members of the Committee accompanied by a representative from the School will attend. Those intending to be present should contact Mr. Catford as soon as possible.

### EYRE PENINSULA DINNER

This is to be held at Port Lincoln on Saturday, 10th October. Mr. Glen Walkom, c/o Guinea Airways Ltd., Tasman Terrace, Port Lincoln, is Secretary and he would be pleased if those wishing to attend would communicate with him. A party from the Association Committee and a representative of the School will be present.

### YORKE PENINSULA DINNER

This will be held later in the year—on a date to be fixed—at Minlaton. Mr. Bob Mumford, Box 51, Minlaton, will be organizing the function, and he would appreciate an intimation from those wishing to attend.

## Yorke Peninsula Dinner

The annual re-union dinner was held at the Minlaton Hotel on Saturday evening the 25th October with a very good attendance. The Adelaide party included Mr. J. S. Steele, representing the School, Mr. Phil Clark, President of the Association and a number of the members of the committee.

The chairman, Mr. Lindsay Crozer, submitted the Loyal Toast and then each diner in turn stood and announced the year he had left P.A.C. Mr. Fred Greenslade proposed the toast of "The School". In a very able speech he referred to Mr. Ward's History of the School, traced the development of the School over the years, stressed the prominent part which Old Boys had taken and were taking in the affairs of state and praised the inculcation of Christian principles in succeeding generations of students. He said we should ever be grateful to the founders of the School and asked Mr. Steele to convey to the Headmaster an assurance of the continuing loyalty of old scholars in their district.

Mr. Steele was given a fine ovation when he rose to respond. After thanking the proposer and assuring the meeting that he would pass on to the Head their expressions of loyalty, he gave details of recent developments at the old school. It was always a great thrill, he said, to meet Old Boys again—those whom he had taught and those whom he had tried to teach.

The gathering then listened to a recording of the Prime Minister's speech at the Annual Dinner in Adelaide and all expressed their keen appreciation.

The toast of "The Association" was proposed by Mr. Max Saint who referred to the splendid work the Association was doing for the School and for Old Scholars—both were going from strength to strength. In congratulating the President on his fine year of office he said: "It will be an experience that you will look back on with lasting pleasure." Mr. Phil Clark in responding referred to the recent successes won by the Old Boys Football and Athletics Clubs. He then presented Association ties to Dean Walkington of Jamestown (who had travelled the greatest distance to the re-union), Clive Kelly of Urania (youngest member present) and Jim Newbold of Urania (oldest member present). After an interval of school songs and war cries, Mr. Colin McKay (vice-president) and Mr. Colin Hassell (past president) also addressed the gathering and then Auld Lang Syne concluded the evening.

The thanks of all are due to Bob Mumford and John Scholz who made such an excellent job of organizing the re-union and to the licensees of the Minlaton Hotel for their hospitality and the excellent meal. Finally—and later—the famous "egg-trick" at Bob's home helped to swell the funds of the Back Oval Appeal.

## Our President

Mr. Norman Sidney Angel of Church Road, Mitcham, was elected President at the annual meeting held in November last. He is one of the Angel twins who attended the school from 1920 to 1924, commencing in the Lower Third under Mr. Norman Lade, then a junior master.

On leaving school Mr. Angel obtained his Diploma in Commerce at the Adelaide University, taking an active part in student affairs and acting as secretary and committee member of the Commerce Students' Association. He played lacrosse for some years at the University and cricket, up to the commencement of the second world war, with the Old Collegians' Cricket Club.

In the A.I.F. he had four years of tropical

service at Darwin, New Guinea and Bougainville.

On returning to civilian life he was elected treasurer of the Association in which capacity he served for ten years. He was one of three trustees appointed some years ago to administer the Education Fund, a fund set up during the war to provide for the education of the children of Old Boys killed on active service. This fund has provided the means for educating five boys and five girls at colleges.

Mr. Angel is a Trust Officer at the Executor Trustee & Agency Co. of S.A. Ltd.

He is a life member of the Association and has a son David at school at the Intermediate stage.



## South Eastern Dinner

This year the dinner was held at the Keith Institute with Mr. Cyril Cook in the chair. The party from Adelaide included Mr. Ray Smith, second master at the School, Norman Angel (President of the Association), Colin McKay (Senior Vice-president), several members of the committee, and Bert Kelly, M.H.R., from Tarlee. The President welcomed all those attending and said it was a great pleasure for Keith to hold this dinner. He took occasion to congratulate David Riceman on having gained his D.Sc. degree and said he had done a wonderful job for the people of Keith and surrounding districts. Mr. Bert Kelly in a very thoughtful speech proposed "The Old School". He said that in view of the numerous members of the Kelly family who had attended the School he felt he had some right to propose the toast. The theme of his remarks was "What brings us here?" and this was traced through Headmaster, masters, buildings, sporting and academic achievements. The School claims our support, he said, in return for the service she renders to the succeeding generations of students and to the community at large. After the singing of "Our School Colours" Mr. Ray Smith responded. He apologized for the non-attendance of the Headmaster who in the afternoon was at the Intercollegiate tennis match and thanked Mr. Kelly for proposing the toast. He then gave a comprehensive review of affairs at the School, and said everyone was in good heart.

Don Moseley then led some community singing.

Ken De Garis proposed the toast of "The Association" which was responded to by Norm

Angel. "Like the School" he said, "we have grown from small beginnings and are in good heart". The President then presented three ties—firstly to Syd Makin, the oldest Old Boy present, who entered the School in 1904; secondly to Max Lawrie, the youngest Old Boy present; and thirdly to Colin Davis, who had travelled the furthest distance.

Doug Chapple moved a vote of thanks to the ladies which was carried with acclamation. They had done a wonderful job in providing a lovely meal and waiting on the tables. We, from Adelaide, and those from other parts of the South-East wish to endorse these sentiments heartily. It was decided that the dinner next year would be held at Naracoorte on Saturday, 26th March. An attempt will be made to organize a cricket match on the same day between S.E. Old Scholars and members of the O.S. Cricket Club. Enquiries until further notice should be directed to Mr. Ken De Garis, Box 2, Naracoorte.

Members and ladies then moved from the supper room to the hall to listen to a recording of the Prime Minister's speech at the annual dinner last year.

On Sunday morning a number of the visitors were taken to several places of interest and were then entertained at Syd Makin's home. Later Cyril Cook and his wife welcomed a large gathering for the mid-day meal. To Cyril and his wife for their continued hospitality over the years we offer our sincere thanks, and also to Don and Ron Moseley and Syd Makin, all of whom helped to make our trip a very enjoyable one.

## New and Retiring Committeemen

Dr. H. R. Oaten attended the school from 1917 to 1925, representing the school in athletics in 1924-25 and also playing football and cricket. On leaving school, he did four years of Pharmacy before commencing Medicine in which he graduated in 1935. After twenty-one years in practice in the South-East where he was very actively associated with our Old Boys' Re-unions he, last year, returned to practice in the city. He is a former president of the S.E. Medical Association and a former member of the Council of the British Medical Association (S.A. Branch). At present he is Vice-Chairman of the Board of the College of General Practitioners (S.A. Faculty).

He has long been interested in the welfare of schools and pupils and was chairman of both the Penola Area and Mount Gambier School Committees. His two sons Robin and David were scholars at the School.

Mr. R. B. Craven attended the School from 1927 to 1937. His war service with the R.A.A.F.

lasted from 1941 to 1945. He is a director of J. Craven & Co. Ltd. and Vice-President of the Retail Traders' Association.

An outstanding athlete at school—his record of 22.9 seconds for the 220 in 1937 still stands. He is now a member of the Old Boys' sub-committee for athletics.

He is a son of the late T. C. Craven, a former President of our Association.

Messrs. Norman A. Walsh and John Gilbert did not seek re-election. Mr. Walsh has given long and valuable service to the Association in all its activities for many years. He was our President in 1954. The interests of the Association were always close to his heart and his untiring efforts have been much appreciated. Mr. Gilbert decided not to seek re-election for business reasons. He has been an active member of the Committee and, in particular, his support of the Old Boys' Football Club is remembered with appreciation.

## Committee Visits the School

At the invitation of the Headmaster, committee members attended morning assembly on Wednesday, 12th November, 1958. The School Chaplain, Rev. R. Kyle Waters, conducted morning assembly with special reference in prayer for all old boys. The Headmaster then welcomed the President, Mr. Phil Clark, and those accompanying him. After referring to the help which the Association was always willing

to give to the School he invited Mr. Clark to speak to the boys. The President detailed the objects of the Association, its many activities and the various sporting bodies connected with it. After thanking the Headmaster for the opportunity of speaking to the boys, Mr. Clark was privileged to present three football trophies: to Laidlaw (best and fairest second XVIII), Skinner (best under 15), and Lock (best under 13).

## Social Evening

The annual "get together" for new Old Boys was held at the School on Friday evening, 20th February, and as usual was well attended. The President, Mr. Norman Angel, was in the chair, and a number of other committee members were present. In a comprehensive address, the President outlined the objects of the Association, its early beginnings and its close links with the School. He spoke of its numerous activities, its interstate branches, Old Boys' Week, and hoped all new members would derive pleasure and benefit from the Association. Dr. Alan Clarkson then addressed those present on the various sporting clubs. In a very thoughtful address he outlined details of the affiliated clubs, gave considerable informa-

tion relating to each of them and urged those present to support them and play their part.

This was followed by a film "The Olympic Games", kindly lent by the Olympic Tyre & Rubber Coy. To this company and Mr. Chester Bennett for operating the projector we express our thanks. Members then had the opportunity of meeting various representatives from the clubs and a very happy evening concluded with supper.

In conclusion we would express our thanks to the Headmaster for the use of the School Assembly Hall, and to the sub-committee, Messrs. Michael Penny, Don Davies and Alan Crompton, who arranged the function.

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### EDUCATION FUND

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

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

Several children are now receiving the benefits of this fund and making satisfactory progress.

All enquiries should be addressed to the Association Secretaries, 77 Grenfell Street.

### PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGIANS' LODGE OFFICERS

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.

### MONTHLY LUNCHEONS

The monthly luncheons are held at Balfour's Cafe, King William Street, on the third Tuesday in each month at 1 p.m., and country members are especially invited to attend when visiting the city.

Interesting addresses have been given by following guest speakers:

Mr. W. A. Bayly "Some observations of a recent overseas trip", Dr. Derek Van Abbe "Education", Mr. H. F. Gaetjens "Overseas Oddities", Mr. Geoffrey T. Clarke "Round the World in Seventy-three days", Mr. D. A. Clarkson "Brussels Fair", Mr. C. R. Churchward "Decimal Coinage", Mr. P. F. Pollnitz "Value of Tourist Trade", Mr. D. Prest "Overseas on a Rotary Foundation Scholarship", Professor F. V. Bull "Worse things happen at sea", Dr. R. L. Willing "Antarctic Journey", Mr. F. Glenn, "Rubber in Industry".

## Sports

### PERSONAL

John Lill and Brian Hurn were selected to play for S.A. v. M.C.C. The former was top scorer with eighty-six, whilst the latter took the bowling honours with 4/35. Brian also had some good bowling performances during the season including 7/24 against Adelaide.

John Lill finished fourth in the first class averages for South Australia with 750 runs for the season including a century against Victoria. Brian Hurn finished second in the bowling averages.

John Ducker, captain of Prospect this year, also appeared for the State in several matches.

Tony Corbet and Bob Pearlman were selected in the All-Australian University side which played against the New Zealand Universities team at Melbourne.

In addition to the above-mentioned two players, "Shorty" Rogers (captain), Rod Wicks, Murray Ducker (brother of John), Bruce Walker, David Oaten and Tony Clarkson have been playing with the University side.

Peter Dalwood, who twice top-scored, Don Bartlett (captain) and Ted Norman (vice-captain) were members of the Adelaide Turf Association team which played the Victorian Junior Cricket Association in Melbourne.

Malcolm Doley was selected in the Combined Turf side which played against Senior Colts.

In the famous Test at Old Trafford in 1902, Clem Hill, 65 and Joe Darling with 51 were two of Australia's four batsmen who reached double figures. Australia won this match by three runs.

Len Clarkson who played district cricket for Kensington, was a big hitter in his day. Thirty-one years ago, he broke a window of a house across the road from Unley Oval. He says it cost their firm a new window.

Amongst others playing district cricket this season were Ray Lyon, East Torrens; Chester Bennett (captain), Senior Colts; Brian Pittman, Kensington; Colin Webb, Sturt; Colin Grant, Port Adelaide; and Bob Sharland, Sturt.

Old Scholars noticed playing in the Country Cricket Carnival included Ron Faehse (vice-captain) of the Combined Side, Graeme Chapman, Myles Fuller, Graham Fuller, Colin Hockney, Lou Curtis, and representatives from the Heaslip and Ashby families.

Bill Johnson has been playing for East Torrens in district tennis and David Rowe for Unley. Both have had a successful season.

Gavin Battye and Ken Berriman are both State selectors.

Don Candy, who has been hampered by an injury this season, reached the final of the Australian and New South Wales Doubles Championships.

Doug Young from Wilkawatt became perm-

anent holder of the Men's Singles Cup when he won the Country Teams title for the third successive time. His opponent in the final was another Old Scholar, Les Martin from Balhannah. Doug Young was also successful in the Doubles and Mixed Doubles Championship.

We regret that the name of Angus Woolcock incorrectly appeared in the last issue as playing in the Edward Leaver Veteran Golf Cup event. The name should have been John M. Woolcock, his uncle.

Ian Day won the P.G.A. Open day bogey from a record field of 242 at Royal Adelaide.

Bill Shephard and Laurie Johnston won the four ball Stableford at Kooyonga in January. Fergie Ballantyne and partner were also successful last year in a similar event.

Gordon Prest and his wife won the mixed Canadian foursomes at Royal Adelaide in November of last year.

Names of other Old Scholars who apparently are keen enough to play golf during the summer included E. W. Padfield, Keith Chapple, Paul Dalwood, Ken Gerard, Ernie Rowe, Keith Trott, Keith Johnson, Max Raggatt, Brian Faehse, John Waddy, Noel Taplin, Robert Clarkson, Bob Sharland and Ken Babidge.

Trevor Siegle is now treasurer of the South Australian Amateur Athletic Association. Congratulations to the Old Scholars team on their appearance and marching at the State Championships. The thanks of the Association are extended to Mr. Gordon Connell for successfully coaching the team to another premiership. Congratulations likewise to the club and for also winning the Senior Championship Shield at the State Championships.

Further congratulations to Brian Dyke, Barry Koch and Malcolm McLachlan in being selected in the South Australian team for the Australian Championships held in Tasmania. A full report of club activities appears elsewhere.

P. Deland last year was one of those who completed the first advanced course in gliding held at Gawler.

Ron Cooper is captain of the Port Lincoln Rifle Club.

Gordan Abbott and Colin Runge (formerly chairman for nine years) have been appointed to the committee of the S.A. Rugby Union.

David Fricker has been racing at Snowden's Beach in his boat "Chryslin II".

Tom Cooper and Bill Coombs were members of the South Australian Game Fishing team which went to New Zealand to compete in an Australia versus New Zealand contest.

Ian Markey has been appointed to the committee of the Central Districts Football Club.

Graham Nicholls won the trophy for the fairest and most brilliant Norwood league footballer last season.

Don Brebner was recently appointed to the Management Committee of the same club.

Ken Forrest has been elected to the committee of the South Australian Lacrosse Association.

Graham Crawford (athletics), D. S. (Sam) Humble (boats), Bill Rogers (cricket), and John Lill (football) were awarded University Blues last year.

Don Roach is still playing baseball this season with Redsox in the Night Baseball League.

Hugh Frost takes a keen interest in the Grange Sailing Club and is also the donor of a trophy.

Herman Menz, Patron of the Adelaide Rowing Club, first became a member of that club in 1913. Another Old Scholar, Rod Leaver, is secretary.

Ray Trenorden won the trophy last year for the best forward in the North Adelaide League side.

The Editor can hardly believe that the names of Norman Todd, Lloyd Clarkson, Laurie Lawrence, Phil Clark, Colin Hassell, Norman Angel and Ray Smith appeared in the fishing notes.

However, reference to the Advertiser of the 17th October last year confirmed his worst fears.

About mid-October distinguished Old Scholars were busy declaring open for play various metropolitan bowling clubs: Sir Frank Perry (at Adelaide Oval), Senator Rex Pearson (Brighton), Mr. J. H. Parkinson (Beaumont), Mr. Phil Claridge (Glenunga), Mr. Justice Frank Piper (Kensington Gardens), Mr. L. S. Walsh (Parkside), Senator C. Hannaford (Payneham).

Norm Royal of Caltowie has been made an executive of the South Australian Bowling Association.

Several Old Boys participated in the Pennant Bowls final matches. In Division I, Ron Fewings and Len Northey played for Grange, their side being beaten by the narrow margin of one. In Division II, Kensington Gardens, the winners, included Dr. Harry Kendrew, Keith Angel, Howard Mutton and Laurie Davies. This club has won the right of promotion to Division I next season.

Chester Wilkinson appeared for Mount Barker in Division III final.



John Hill (left) and Brian Hurn (right), who were members of the S.A. Eleven against the M.C.C. Team

**BOWLS MATCH v. SAINTS**

This match was played at South Park Bowling Club on Wednesday evening 11th February. Once again the weather was very pleasant and the greens were in excellent condition. A number of visitors attended and the ladies were entertained at supper in the club house. Saints won very convincingly, the final scores being 209 to 161, while they also won on seven of the ten rinks. The two committee rinks, which do not count in the final scores, also resulted in good wins for Saints. During the evening we were pleased to see Mr. O'Donnell, the president of South Park Club. At the conclusion of the match supper was served on the verandah and then President Norman Angel presented the Lucy Shield to Mr. Lance Pellew, President of Saints, and offered congratulations. After thanking South Park Club he called for three cheers for Saints. Mr. Pellew in responding said it would be good to see 'a little more blue on the shield—it could do with it'. He called for three cheers for Princes. Our thanks are extended to the conveners from both Associations for the excellent arrangements.

The committee would be pleased to hear from any regular bowlers who would be interested in playing in this match on future occasions.

**CLOSE BOWLS MATCH**

This popular function was as usual held at the Toorak Club rinks on Wednesday evening, 4th February. The weather was very mild and there was an excellent attendance. At the conclusion of the match players took part in the usual 'spider' and supper was then served in the club house. Mr. Norman Angel, the President, spoke to the gathering and thanked Toorak Club for the use of their green and club house, the ladies committee convened by Mrs. Gaetjens for the excellent supper arrangements, and the sub-committee for arranging the match. Dr. Esmond West, President of Toorak Club, who had been playing in Mr. Angel's rink, said he would convey our thanks to the committee and they hoped to see us again next year. He said he had learnt a lot during the game—having seen some 'shots' he had never thought possible!

The President then presented Association ties to the members of the winning rink—the Piper family—who defeated their opponents (unnamed in this report) 25 to 8, and also to Keith Trott who won the 'spider'. The winners were then ordered to the kitchen to attend to the washing up.

Altogether over 100 players took part and it was very pleasing to see a number of ladies present. The committee would be pleased to hear from any old scholars who would like to play in this match.

**RUGBY**

Once again the rugby season is nearly with us. We commence training towards the latter half of March, in preparation for the first game in April.

We have erected flood-lights for night training at our home ground at Linden Park. We anticipate training on Tuesday and Thursday nights from 7.30 onwards.

A cordial invitation is extended to any one interested in joining the club, whether as a player or non-playing member.

All enquiries should be addressed to the Secretary, H. Bradford, 13 Cudmore Avenue, Toorak Gardens.

**SQUASH RACQUETS**

The inaugural meeting of the P.A.O.C. Squash Club was held at Max Newcombe's Squash Courts, Parade, Norwood, on 16th March, at 8 p.m.

Those present were Messrs. N. Angel (President) in the chair, P. Dalwood (Secretary), G. Woollard, I. Wallace, L. Williams, T. Owen and these six with W. Lathlean (Treasurer) were elected to the committee. Also present were K. Rook, B. Harbard, G. Marshall, R. Catchpole, S. Shepherd, P. Lewis, I. Roarke, B. Isaacs, P. Phillips, W. Johnson, B. Horley and Max Newcombe.

The Headmaster, Mr. Dunning, was elected Patron of the club.

Practices have been held at Newcombe's Courts, our home courts, on Monday nights and have been very well attended. The club has nominated five teams in Pennant matches this season; one in "B" Grade, two in "C" Grade and two in "E" Grade, and with the interest shown already it is hoped to field an "A" Grade team next year.

All players whether good or "expert" are invited to come to practice with a view to working their way into one of our teams.

Further information may be obtained from Peter Dalwood, LU 6281 (Bus.), or F 2497; Bill Lathlean LA 0361 (Bus.) or U 2306; or from any other member of the committee.

**FOOTBALL**

The football season is once again with us and after our most successful season last year when our A team ran out premiers of A2 we look forward to having an even better year in 1959.

The club has been able to enter three teams in the Amateur League and they will be playing in Grades A1, A4 and A5. We extend an invitation to all those who are young enough to still play to come and join the club, and as

for all those whose playing days are over we look forward to seeing you following the teams.

This season the club once again is being coached by Ted Norman and we wish him every success and hope his reward will be another premiership.

One of our most urgent needs each year is to obtain assistance to meet our obligations. We would be pleased to hear from anyone who is prepared to help us in this manner.

Our Social Committee has again drawn up a programme and has included some functions for the purpose of raising funds in view of the heavy demands which will be placed on the club with the fielding of the third side. Your support in this way would be appreciated. Information may be obtained by contacting the secretary, Alan Statton, at W 6644 or FU 1587.

### CRICKET

Prince Alfred Old Collegians Cricket Club played again in Turf Association in a season which proved to be relatively short, for one match was completely washed out by rain and on another Saturday, rain prevented play. In addition, owing to the shortage of grounds, two one-day matches were played.

Our team finished in seventh position on the premiership table.

An excellent attendance at practices and a keenness which has not been in evidence for many years was maintained right up to the end of the season and we hope, with thoughts centering on a second team next year, that this keenness will continue and that we can improve the standard of play. Ted Norman was a most enthusiastic and capable captain.

As indicated in the averages, Peter Dalwood won both aggregate and average for batting, while Murray Wellington took most wickets and John Mitchell, who recommenced with us after Christmas, took the bowling average.

More players are needed and it is hoped that any Old Boy who wishes to play cricket will come out next season and give his support to the club.

We would like to thank the Headmaster, the Matron and all Old Scholars who have assisted with donations and support in helping to make the season an enjoyable one.

### BOWLING

	O.	W.	R.	Avge.
J. Mitchell -	52	12	142	11.8
M. Wellington -	104	29	426	14.7
C. Forrest -	99	17	337	19.8
P. Butcher -	36	8	159	19.9

### TENNIS MATCH v. SAINTS

The annual match against Saints Old Scholars was played on the excellent Unley Oval courts on Wednesday, 18th March. Princes were represented by W. Johnson (captain), G. Battye, G. Schwartz, D. Rowe, A. Morris, K. Baker, H. Welch, and D. Williamson. At the end of the first round Princes were leading 3 rubbers to 1. A further 3 rubbers to 1 in the second round gave us a good win of 6 to 2. Bill Johnson, right on form, was the outstanding player. Afternoon tea was served in the club-house—a successful innovation—and we offer our thanks to Mesdames Bob Harwell and John Carne (strong Saint's supporters) for attending to the arrangements this year.

In the evening the dinner was held at the Southern Cross Hotel, Mr. Lance Pellew (President S.P.O.C.) being in the chair where he did a splendid job. Also present were Mr. Norman Angel (President P.A.O.C.), His Honour Mr. Justice Piper (President South Australian Lawn Tennis Association), Mr. J. A. Dunning (Headmaster P.A.C.), Mr. Dick Potter (representing Headmaster of S.P.S.C.) and members of the respective committees.

After the Loyal Toast had been honoured, the chairman proposed the toast of the S.A.L.T.A. and referred to the wonderful success it had achieved with the Davis Cup challenge round in 1952. In responding Mr. Justice Piper said the Tennis Association valued the support it had had from the players of the two schools over the years. Mr. Angel then proposed the toast of the two schools. He said we each think our school is the best school of all but we also cherish the association, friendship and rivalry we have one with the other. Mr. Dunning and Mr. Potter responded on behalf of their respective schools.

Mr. Pellew then presented the E. T. Rowe Cup to the P.A.O.C. President and offered his congratulations. The two captains, Bill Johnson and John Mehaffey also spoke about the match and hoped it would long continue. Mr. Ernie Rowe, on being invited to speak, said the match was always a very happy occasion and many notable players had taken part in it.

### ATHLETICS

The Athletics Club has just completed its most successful season, gaining the A Grade premiership for the second time and winning the Challenge Cup for the best club in the State Championships for the third time running.

### BATTING

	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Agg.	Avge.
P. Dalwood -	11	2	88	345	39.44
M. Doley -	9	1	68	169	21.13
D. Perrott -	9	1	37	147	18.4
E. Norman -	11	—	42	190	17.3

Individual efforts have included two State senior records and the inclusion of three members out of ten in the State Team which went to Hobart.

### Interclub Minor Round

P.A.O.C. finished third in the minor round, having lost several of the matches by very small margins.

Brian Dyke was our outstanding competitor, amassing 307 points for the 12 matches, an all time record for S.A. athletics and over 100 points more than any other athlete. The other leading point earners were: Barry Koch, Malc. McLachlan, Graham Taylor, Murray Aitken, Andrew Jeffery, Klynton Kitto, Trev. Siegele and Barry Payne.

### Finals

On Saturday, 7th February, we defeated a small but strong Saints team by 132 points to 110. The team was our strongest ever. Wins were recorded by Dyke (discus), McLachlan (220 yards hurdles), Ridgway (walk), Koch (shot), Jeffery (3 miles), Aitken (high jump), and the relay team.

The result of the grand final on 7th March was beyond expectations. We expected to win by 6 points, not 20. With wins to Dyke (hammer and javelin), Page (440 yards hurdles), Hopkins (100 yards), Taylor (hop, step and jump), Koch (shot), Aitken (high jump) and McLachlan (hurdles) we beat Westerns 137 to 117 to become A Grade premiers for the second time in only eight years of competition.

### State Championships

In the senior section club members took out five titles, viz. broad jump and discus (both Dyke), hop, step and jump (Taylor), shot (Koch) and high jump (Aitken), and eleven minor places. We won the Challenge Cup with 34½ points, 10½ points clear of Western Districts who were second.

### RESULTS

- 100 Yds.—2nd, Kitto, 10.4.
- 6 Miles—3rd, Jeffery, 33 min. 25.5 (C.).
- 120 Yds. Hurdles—2nd, McLachlan, 15.2 (C.).
- 220 Yds. Hurdles—3rd, McLachlan, 25.6.
- 440 Yds. Hurdles—2nd, Page, 55.8.
- High Jump—1st, Aitken, 5 ft. 10 in;
- 2nd, McLachlan, 5 ft. 10 in.

- Broad Jump—1st, Dyke, 22 ft. 0 in.
- Hop, Step and Jump—1st, Taylor, 45 ft. 3½ in.;
- 2nd, Dyke, 45 ft. 2 in.
- Shot—1st Koch, 48 ft. 1 in. (S.) (C.);
- 2nd, Dyke, 43 ft. 1½ in.
- Discus—1st, Dyke, 138 ft. 6 in.
- Hammer—2nd, Dyke, 139 ft. 0 in.
- Javelin—2nd, Dyke, 156 ft. 7 in.
- 4 x 110 Relay—2nd (Hopkins, Taylor, Siegele, Kitto), 43.8.

In the junior section a title went to Ian Hannaford who won the 120 yds. hurdles in 15.8 secs. He was also second in the high jump (5 ft. 8 ins.). Hopkins was second in the 100 yds. (10.3) and third in the 220, whilst Ridgway and Whitham were first and third respectively in the walk, both exceeding the club record. Craig was third in the hop, step and jump with 40 ft. ¼ in.

Our sub-junior gained the following places: Watts second in both high jump (5 ft. 5 ins.) and long jump (19 ft. 2¼ ins.); D. Hannaford and R. Ashby second and third respectively in the shot with 41 ft. 7 ins., 37 ft. 9½ ins. (8 lb. shot).

### State Team

South Australia's best team ever had three Prince's men in it, Dyke, Koch and McLachlan.

Barry Koch in coming fourth in the shot recorded the best throw ever for a South Australian, 48 ft. 7 ins. He was unlucky not to be placed. "Mac" had a very successful trip. He was a finalist in the 120 yds. hurdles, cleared 5 ft. 11 ins. in the high jump, and was unplaced in his 220 yds. hurdles heat with a time of 24.9 secs. This latter time has only ever been exceeded once by a S.A. athlete (Perrott 24.7 secs).

Brian's best performance was fourth in the discus with 129 ft., below his best.

### Records

It is not surprising that, in such a season, many records were broken.

Koch has raised the State shot record from 46 ft. 10½ ins. to 48 ft. 2 ins. in three stages. His 48 ft. 7 ins. in Hobart was even better. Dyke broke the discus record twice, his current record being 141 ft. 6½ ins. He also went close to the hammer record.

Club records have been broken with monotonous regularity, the season's tally being fifteen broken and three equalled. The "offenders" have been Koch (shot five times); Dyke (discus two, javelin and hammer); Ridgway (one mile and

two mile walks each once); Jeffery (two mile and six miles each once); Taylor (broad jump once) and McLachlan who has equalled the 120 yds hurdles record twice and the high jump once.

#### Thanks

Once again we would sincerely like to thank Mr. Connell for the great amount of time he has devoted to coaching us. His individual coaching has greatly improved several club athletes, and this has helped a great deal in bringing about our successes.

To Mr. Dunning and the college we offer our thanks for accommodating us in our training. Also to the President of the Old Scholars' Association and Messrs. Craven, Hassell and Lawrence (the representatives from the Association committee) for their help and interest during the year.

The end of season dinner was held at the Oriental Hotel on Friday, 3rd April. This was a well attended and successful function when toasts were given to S.A.A.A., the School and the Association.

## Interstate Branches

### 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.

### VICTORIA

The Branch President is Mr. Paull Fiddian. The Branch Secretary is Mr. Neil Effick, 90 Beach Road, Sandringham S.8, Victoria.

### WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Branch President is Mr. Keith Wiltshire, c/o Prudential Assurance Coy., 189 St. George's Terrace, Perth. The Secretary is Mr. W. A. Rogers of 25 Hobbs Avenue, Nedlands. Dr. J. L. Rossiter is patron, other officers being: Immediate Past President, John Livingstone; Vice-President, Geoff Playford; Committee, Frank Jones, Dr. Frank Gallasch, Doug Guppy; Treasurer, Ray Buttery; Auditors, Vernon Dawe and Stan Dimond.

Forthcoming fixtures include—

Friday 1st May—Sundowner, Palace Hotel at 5 p.m.

Thursday, 23rd July—Annual Old Boys' Dinner.

Friday, 2nd October—(Show Week) Joint Sundowner with St. Peter's at Palace Hotel, Perth, at 5 p.m.

October—Annual Golf Match v. St. Peter's at Cottesloe Golf Club.

Friday, 27th November—Sundowner and Annual General Meeting at the Palace Hotel at 5 p.m.

Old Boys from public schools of all States of Australia held their first annual golf day on 11th November at Cottesloe Golf Course. More

than eighty Old Boys representing twenty-three schools competed in an eighteen hole bogey event. Princes won the Old Boys' Shield which had been presented by James Hill, an old scholar of Geelong College. The P.A.C. winning team was: Frank Gallasch (captain) 2 up, Frank Jones, all square, Keith Hewitt, 1 down, the total score being 1 up. Runners-up were Scotch (W.A.) 6 down and St. Peters (S.A.) 7 down.

### 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., 'phone 446441.

**Ern Kesting.** At the 1958 Sydney dinner, Ernest Kesting regrettably stepped down from his post as Secretary.

For over twenty years he has held the branch together, but a severe bout of hepatitis and the characteristic long period of full recovery made it difficult for him to carry on.

The Sydney boys were not slow to express their appreciation and decided to present Ern with a silver tray on which were to be engraved the personal signatures of every member in contact with the N.S.W. Branch. A total of eighty-two signatures was obtained and the presentation made during a special evening at the Greenwich home of Colonel and Mrs. Harold Woodman.

This was a very delightful occasion against a background of harbour lights and George Brown's piano music.

Two "old campaigners" who have ably helped Ernest over the years in Jack Hiatt and Les Cowan proposed and supported the toast to



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Ern and Beryl. Ernest paid tribute to his "other" secretaries, namely Enid Beazley and, of course, Beryl, and acknowledged the splendid support of Brian Monfries who has done a tremendous amount of work for the branch.

### Personal

**J. (Les) Cowan** has been appointed Resident Officer for Qantas at Mauritius and was farewelled at an afternoon tea arranged at the home of Colonel and Mrs. Harold Woodman. He specially requested that any Old Reds passing through Mauritius should "look him up".

He is President of the Australian Institute of Navigation and as a result of the conferring of Vice-regal patronage on the Institute, he was accorded the honour of having afternoon tea with the Governor-General, Sir William Slim, prior to his departure.

Les has been a tower of strength in the Sydney Branch and we were delighted to hear of his appointment which carries a good deal of administrative responsibility to the Commonwealth.

**Frank Hunter** has been transferred from Sydney to Melbourne by Australian Paper Manufacturers Ltd. to be Executive Assistant to the Managing Director. He is a former Branch President and was also farewelled at afternoon tea by a representative gathering of Old Reds and their wives.

**Dr. Russel Ward** had a book reviewed by the "Sydney Morning Herald" on 3rd January, 1959. He is a son of our former Headmaster and is resident at New England University College, Armidale, N.S.W.

**Ern and Beryl Kesting** left by the S.S. "Oronsay" on 9th January for Colombo and returned by the S.S. "Arcadia", leaving the latter ship at Adelaide for a visit to their home State.

**Mr. T. Godlee** was recently transferred to Sydney by the Repatriation Department.

All Old Reds who knew **Roy Williamson** were very sad at his passing on 27th October. He

will long be remembered as a stalwart friend and supporter of the Sydney Branch. At the time of his passing he was General Manager and Director of James Stedman Henderson's Sweets Ltd. and was a foundation member of the Australian Association of National Advertisers.

We also expressed our sympathy to **Will Ashton** at the passing of his wife, May, who was well known to the senior members of the branch.

**Matt Tiddy** is Industrial Officer for Stewart & Lloyds, Newcastle, N.S.W., and is keen to contact any Old Reds who transfer to Newcastle, particularly boys leaving school for cadetships and training with the B.H.P. group.

**Don Turner** is a Research Officer at the Australian Atomic Energy Commission Laboratories, Lucas Heights, N.S.W.

**Peter Lister** is a Sales Executive with Knox Schlapp Ltd., N.S.W.

We greeted **Leo Buring** on his eighty-second birthday and he conveyed warm regards to Sydney friends whom he is unable to meet so often these days.

**Carl Stange** is Assistant Sales Manager of Lamson Paragon Ltd.

**V. R. (Hoot) Gibson** is Sales Manager of Kimberly-Clark of Aust. Pty. Ltd.

### QUEENSLAND

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

Monthly luncheons are held on the last Thursday of each month at the Commercial Travellers' Association Club, Elizabeth Street, Brisbane.

### London Branch

Dr. Stanford Howard, of 49 Wimpole Street, London, W.1., is desirous of meeting all Old Boys who may be visiting London.



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### LIFE MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATES

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

### LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Subscription for life membership is £15/15/-.

### ASSOCIATION BLAZERS

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

### TOKENS AND TIES

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.

### 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.

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