



## SCHOOL NOTES

More complete accounts of happenings within the School since the publication of the last Chronicle will be given in the next large Chronicle to be published in May.

The teaching staff in the secondary school will be unchanged when school resumes for 1965.

In the Preparatory School, Mr. J. Wolstenholme left at the end of 1964 to become Headmaster of St. Andrew's Day School, Walkerville. Mr. R. L. Smith, an Old Boy, will replace him.

The Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, Mr. J. S. Irwin, O.B.E., E.D., F.R.A.I.A., distributed the prizes on Speech Day. R. G. Jarrett was Dux of the School, and G. J. Houston of the Preparatory School.

The intercollegiate cricket was evenly contested and ended in a draw. S.P.S.C. had rather the better of the game in the early stages with P.A.C. showing much better form on the last two days. With four wickets in hand we required about 40 runs to win when stumps were drawn.

In December, the College purchased 18 and 20 Pirie Street.

During the long vacation, the roof of both wings of the main building is being replaced, and the exterior of the main building and kitchen block painted.

We had one of our best years in the Leaving Honours examination. Five boys were placed on the General

Honours list—R. G. Jarrett (3rd), A. F. Wilson (11th), R. L. Payne (14th), R. S. Freeman (20th), G. C. Hopkirk (22nd). Woodville High School gained four places and no other school had more than two. Payne, Freeman and Hopkirk were granted three of the twelve Leaving Honours Bursaries awarded. Six of our Leaving Honours boys had won Leaving Bursaries and were not eligible to enter for the Honours Bursaries.

Payne and Wilson each had five A passes, and Freeman, Hopkirk, Jarrett and C. W. Slee four A passes. M. P. Hardy had three A passes, and ten boys two A passes. In all we had 57 A passes.

R. G. Jarrett won the B.H.P. Prize, which is awarded to the candidate with the highest aggregate in mathematics I and II, physics and chemistry, and the Shell Scholarship awarded at the Leaving Honours stage.

G. J. Searle gained first place in Latin, A. A. Burdett second in economics, and Hopkirk second in mathematics I and equal first in mathematics II.

At the time of going to print, only results in individual Leaving subjects were available. J. H. Loxton has seven A passes. D. F. Cooper six (and a B), P. N. Gerrard, W. F. Heddle and R. L. Noble five. One hundred and twenty-three of our candidates were eligible for the Leaving Certificate. Ninety of these have qualified for it and sixteen who passed in three or more subjects will be able to sit for supplementary examinations to endeavour to complete the necessary qualifications. This is the best general result at least for many years.

## New Year Honours

Fifty years ago the Headmaster of Prince Alfred College, Mr. Frederic Chapple, was included in the New Year Honours, and in more recent times Mr. J. F. Ward was likewise honoured.

It is very fitting that Her Majesty should this year deem our present Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning, worthy of similar recognition. All old and present scholars are unanimous in their appreciation of this recognition of a great educationist, an outstanding man, and a beloved Headmaster.

Our very warm congratulations and appreciation are extended to Mr. Dunning.



## OUR NEW PRESIDENT

Elder son of the late Justice F. E. Piper. Attended School 1938-1947. His great grandfather and great uncle were both Presidents of the

School Council, and he is the sixth member of the family to be a member of that Council.

Studied Law at Adelaide University.

Admitted to the Bar 1953, and now a member of the firm of Piper, Bakewell and Piper.

Very interested in all School activities, and played football and cricket while there.

Member of Council of S.A.L.T.A. since 1957, and now a member of the Grounds Committee.

Member of Adelaide Squash Club, Commonwealth Club, Stock Exchange Club, Y.M.C.A., and Public Schools' Club.

He is a member of Stow Congregational Church and a Freemason.

### CALENDAR OF PRINCIPAL EVENTS FOR 1965

- February 3  
Bowls v. Saints, South Park  
(Dr. Evans, Convener)
- February 19  
New Old Boys "Get Together", P.A.C.  
(Geoff Hall, Convener)
- March 6  
Broken Hill visit
- March 10  
Close Bowls, Toorak  
(Jack Gerard, Convener)
- March 20  
South-East Dinner, Kalangadoo  
(Fred Basheer, Convener)
- \*March  
Tennis v. Saints
- \*April  
Head of the River, Old Scholars' Eights
- May 7  
Upper Murray Dinner, Loxton  
(George Clark, Convener)
- May 15  
Mid-North Dinner, Appila  
(Syd. Catford, Convener)
- June 4  
Yorke Peninsula Dinner, Maitland  
(Don Gunning, Convener)
- \*June  
Close Golf, Grange
- July 26 - Aug. 1  
Old Boys' Week
- \*August  
Ashbourne Picnic Golf Day
- \*September  
Combined Squash Match and Smoke Social  
with Saints at Public Schools' Club.
- October 29  
Eyre Peninsula Dinner, Port Lincoln  
(Glen Walkom, Convener)
- \*November  
Committee visit School
- \*November  
Annual General Meeting of the Association  
\* Date to be arranged or advised.

## President's Message

The Association's activities are many and varied, and it may be well said that nearly every Old Boy can engage in at least one activity of the Association during the year. Many Old Boys, of course, take part in a large number of our activities, and the Committee greatly appreciates the success that comes to its functions by the support that is given by so many Old Boys. I hope you will all find pleasure in participating in some of the activities during the year.

You will see by the list of events of the Association in this Chronicle that there is again plenty of opportunity for all Old Reds to meet one another. The Country Dinners particularly are occasions not to be lightly missed by anyone seeking enlightenment as to the workings of "the rural mind" and are an excellent get-together for young and old, country and city alike.

Our sporting clubs—cricket, football, athletics, squash and basketball—are all in good heart with larger numbers than ever participating in the teams. It is worth reflecting on the great impact which these clubs really make on the sporting life of this State by bringing before the public the worth of men playing sport for the sake of the game. All of the sporting clubs merit the utmost support, for not only do they give many Old Boys friendship and good fellowship but they provide a ready place for lads leaving school to find their feet amongst Old Boys already well settled in the life of the community.

The Association owes a great deal to the work of the Secretaries and Committees of Branches, Country Dinners and Sporting Clubs alike.

Many will remember the last two excellent Old Boys' Dinners which have been held at the Wills and Helen Mayo Refectories at the University of Adelaide, and also last year's Ball. The same arrangements are being made for Old Boys' Week 1965, and with the Ball again on a Friday night the Committee looks forward to an even greater gathering at these two important functions. The greatly increased number who attended the Old Scholars' Service last year will remember that fine occasion in the New Assembly Hall, and above all others, for a School such as ours, it is fitting that the Service is the one gathering which can be attended by nearly every Old Red living near Adelaide. We hope to see the New Assembly Hall overflowing this year.

It is a great honour to me to be your President for the ensuing year. I shall do my best to see that the confidence that you have placed in me will be fully justified, and I look forward to meeting as many Old Scholars as possible during the year.

To those abroad, interstate, in the country, and in the city, I wish a happy and prosperous 1965.

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## ANNUAL GET-TOGETHER

The Annual Get-Together for young Old Scholars who have just left School will be held at the College on Friday, 19th February. The purpose of this function is to introduce new Old Scholars to the Association. Supper and entertainment will be provided, and once the form of this entertainment has been decided upon, members will be notified of the final arrangements for this function.

All recent students are urged and advised to attend to make this Get-Together the success that it has been in the past.

## SPORTING CLUBS

**Cricket**—With the 1964-65 season half completed, our teams have met with varying success. The A1 team is fifth, and with luck will reach the final four. The A5 team has registered its first win after several close finishes, while in A7, after winning its first match, the team has had no further successes.

Centuries have been notched by Craig McIntosh and Robert Smith, and Robert Shaughnessy secured a hat trick in the first match.

The Club wishes to thank Myles Fuller and Bob Shaughnessy for arranging social functions. The next one is on the Port River Showboat in January.

New members are still required, and practice is held on the back oval on Tuesday and Thursday.

**Squash Club**—The summer season is progressing well with four teams in action, and at the end of the first round they are well represented in the top fours. The winter season was a busy one and the results in the various grades were as follows: B Grade, 5th; D Grade, 10th; E Grade, 2nd; I Grade, 7th; and L Grade 5th.

The Club membership is increasing and the new arrangements with the Public Schools' Club make the game less expensive. Fees are £7/7/- per annum; Juniors (under 21) £5, and full-time students £3/10/-. These fees are all inclusive. Matches are played at 7.30 p.m., and the Secretary, Mal Barton, can be contacted at 71 8058 or P. Dalwood at 31 2497.

**Basketball Club**—A team has been entered in B Grade for the summer season. Two new players, Bob Frazer and C. Angus have added much needed height to the team and our performance has greatly improved. So far we have won four of the seven matches played, and are in the four, equal with several other teams on points but above them on percentage.

With an increasing membership we are expecting to enter two teams for the winter season. New members can contact Geoff Woollard (71 8376) or Ian Shaw (49 0889).

**Athletics Club**—Through the efforts of everybody associated with the Club, it is gradually regaining its much needed balance. The junior team is in top position, while the senior team, after a bad start, is slowly making its way up the premiership table. Two P.A.O.C.A.C. athletes have broken State records this year: Mark Skinner took his high jump record to 6 feet 6 inches, while Bryan Dyke threw the hammer 160 feet 10½ inches. There are still vacancies in the teams, so if you are

interested in athletics, please contact Graham Evans, now at 141 Second Avenue, Royston Park, or 'phone home 63 3165; business 51 0301.

## INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES

It is not often that any school can lay claim to representation of an old scholar in an Australian representative side at Test Match level. This year Princes is proud to have two of its old boys so placed. In cricket, Ian Chappell was selected to play against the Pakistani team on the M.C.G. in December. He comes of a strong cricketer family, and a younger brother excelled himself in the recent Intercol. Match with best batting and bowling figures in both innings. Although Ian did not cover himself with glory in the Test Match, we hope that before long he will be chosen again and will occupy the International field for many years to come. We wish him all the best.

In the Bowling arena, Mr. Ern Dawkins was selected in an Australian team of seven to tour South Africa and play matches at Test level. In recent years he has been runner-up in the State singles, twice won the State pairs, and twice the rinks. Last season he won the S.A. Masters' Tournament.

## COMMITTEE'S VISIT TO THE SCHOOL

At the invitation of the Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning, the President, Mr. Jack Gerard, and members of the Committee, attended School Assembly on Tuesday, 10th November, 1964. The School Chaplain, the Rev. Kyle Waters, read the responsive verses, which were followed by the Collect, Lord's Prayer, and a hymn. The Scripture reading was given by the School Captain, Garry Searle, and the service concluded with a special prayer for Old Scholars, and the Benediction.

The Headmaster first welcomed the President and Committee members, and in asking Mr. Gerard to address the boys, took the opportunity of congratulating him on his very successful year of office. Mr. Gerard then addressed the School, and his words contained ideal advice to all boys transferring from School to more permanent pursuits. Space unfortunately will not allow a full report here, but it is hoped to publish this address in detail in the April issue. Mr. Gerard was warmly applauded when he concluded.

Mr. Dalwood then presented his trophy to the best player in the match against Melbourne Wesley, which was won by Barry Le Cornu.

## EYRE PENINSULA DINNER

This annual function was held at the Hotel Boston on Friday, 30th October, 1964. It was chaired by Lloyd Clarkson in the absence of Glen Walkom, who was ill. The Headmaster and President, with some Committee members were present; the Toast to the School was given by Dr. David Wibberley, and to the Association by Ralph Farrant.

As usual, excellent hospitality was extended by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clarkson and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Walkom. A more detailed report of this Dinner will be recorded in our next issue.

**INTERCOLLEGIATE BOWLS**—On Wednesday, 3rd February, the match against St. Peter's will be played at South Park. This contest was first held in 1928, and except for the war years, and the cancelled match in 1952 when news of the death of King George VI was received shortly after the commencement of play, and last year's cancellation owing to rain, the contest has been held annually.

The match consists of forty-eight players on each side divided into teams of four. The standard is particularly good, often half our side being regular "A" Grade Pennant bowlers, and many in the opposition ranks as well.

Although the majority of these games have been closely contested, Princes have won 27 and Saints 4 (in 1946, '52, '56, and '59). In 1963 Princes won by the narrowest of margins (229—221), whilst the scores in the previous year were 278—204.

## Purely Personal

C. J. Glover, a former Lord Mayor of Adelaide, has been appointed Chairman of the Adelaide Festival of Arts.

Angus Read, formerly Assistant Manager (staff) of the Reserve Bank of Australia's establishment department, Sydney, has been appointed Manager of the Bank for South Australia.

Mr. Ray Smith, second master at P.A.C., has been made a member of the advisory committee in standards for scientific faculties in independent secondary schools. This was set up in April 1964 under the Minister in Charge of Commonwealth Activities in Education and Research.

Geoff. Cooper is President of the State Branch of the L.C.L.

John Bloomfield has been elected to the Executive of the Federal Council of the Australian Dental Association for 1964-66. Geoff. Hall is Secretary of the South Australian Branch.

The following names of Old Collegians have been observed in this year's A grade District competitions: John Causby, John Ducker (Captain Prospect), Tom Watt, Ray Lyon, John Lill, Ian Chappell, David Oaten (Captain University), Brenton Paul, Brian Hurn, Brian Pittman, Tony Corbett, Peter Whittam, Lyn Walker.

Fergie Ballantyne is President of the Unley Rotary Club.

Don Finch has been appointed a Justice of the Peace for South Australia. He is also a member of the Royal Association of Justices. Recently he was elected for a further two years to the Committee of the Poliomyelitis Welfare Association of S.A.

Peter Darley, South Adelaide and State ruckman, was presented with "The Advertiser" Trophy for the outstanding player in the 1964 League Football minor round.

Bill Johnson is captain of the State Tennis team.

Dr. Bruce Ellis will be spending 1965 in Paris on study leave from the University of Adelaide.

The reference in the October issue to Mr. K. W. R. Quin was not quite correct. The facts are that he was Q.M.S. of the 10th Company A.G.A. (militia unit) which was mobilized at Fort Largs on 4th August, 1914, to assist in manning coastal defences with R.A.G.A. (regular army). He served later with the 5th Division Artillery (A.I.F.) in France.

W. S. (Stan) Kelly, now aged 82 and living at "Aldersgate", has recently published two books, one on rural development in the State and the other entitled "Remembered Days", which is a short autobiography. In addition he has written an authoritative essay on the life of William Goyder (of Goyder's Line fame).

Blair Cowan is overseer on a property north of Bordertown on the South Australia-Victorian border. He completed his R.D.A. course at Roseworthy College in 1962. His address is Hawick Pty. Ltd., Box 159, Keith.

David Ellis is at present in New York doing a diploma course of Interior Art, Design and Decoration.

Brenton Wise qualified as a chartered accountant last year and is now in the office of Mr. F. J. Work.

Arthur Bradshaw is manager of the T. & G. at Albury.

Malcolm Elliott, who has been in London doing an Executive Training Course, returned home last December. During his time away he and Peter Whitham, who is still in London, spent holidays staying with Colin Fryer and his wife at Stockton, and while in Holland spent some time with Ron McKittrick and family at The Hague.

## COMBINED OLD SCHOLARS ASSOCIATIONS' SUNDOWNER

Two years ago Saints and Princes Old Scholars Associations acted as hosts to the other eight founder Associations of the Public Schools' Club. It has been suggested and generally agreed that it is a very worthwhile occasion which provides opportunity for the various Headmasters to meet Committee members of other Associations, and likewise for the Committee members themselves to meet their opposite number. This year Saints' Association acted as hosts on Wednesday, 21st October, 1964, and due to an unfortunate misunderstanding with several Associations the attendance was not as good as expected.

Your Association was represented by the Headmaster, Mr. J. A. Dunning, the President, Mr. Jack Gerard, and Senior and Junior Vice-Presidents, Messrs. R. W. Piper and R. B. Craven, and the Secretary. Also present was Dr. Alan Clarkson, the President of the Club and a former President of this Association.

It was a very pleasant and informal gathering. Mr. Keith Sims, Chairman of Saints, welcomed those present and gave details of why it had been agreed that subsequent functions in future years should be held. All Associations felt that nothing but good could come from such meetings, which provided an opportunity to discuss common problems, to renew acquaintances from school days and later years, and to get to know one another.

## P.A.O.C. MONTHLY LUNCHEONS Roster of Chairmen

19th January	Mr. G. C. Hall
16th February	Mr. D. L. Davies
16th March	Mr. A. W. Crompton
20th April	Dr. A. J. Clarkson
18th May	Mr. A. Jeffery
15th June	Mr. N. S. Angel
20th July	Mr. J. T. Lang
17th August	Mr. N. A. Harris
21st September	Dr. D. S. Riceman
19th October	Dr. M. W. Evans
23rd November	Mr. P. A. Dalwood

**THE CLOSE BOWLS EVENT**, which is held at Toorak, is for bowlers—good and bad. This also is a very pleasant occasion and the best attended Old Scholars' sporting event of the year. An application form is attached to the last page of this Chronicle.

If you are interested in any of the following events, please indicate as shown:

Tear off and post to: SECRETARY, P.A.O.C.A., 185 Melbourne Street, North Adelaide.

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| 1. Close Bowls, Toorak, 10th March                     | YES | NO |
| 2. Bowls v. St. Peter's Old Boys, South Park, 3rd Feb. | YES | NO |
| 3. Tennis v. St. Peter's Old Boys, March               | YES | NO |

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