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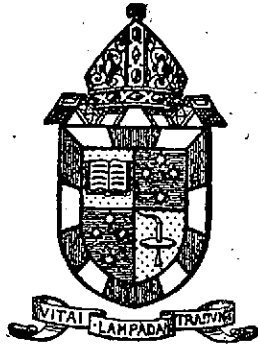
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SCHOOL NOTES.

The following boys entered this term:—C. W. R. Arnott, 3239; W. Barnes, 3240; J. G. Barnett, 3241; R. S. Bennett, 3242; D. H. Bertie, 3243; H. R. Blacklow, 3244; S. B. Blundell, 3245; A. B. Boazman, 3246; H. N. E. Bradfield, 3247; S. C. Bradley, 3248; H. Braham, 3249; T. L. Bray, 3250; H. G. Brown, 3251; F. N. Brownhill, 3252; S. H. Bull, 3253; A. H. Bull, 3254; R. D. Campbell, 3255; J. S. Carson, 3256; F. R. Casserley, 3257; K. M. Chambers, 3258; G. J. Cliff, 3259; W. R. Coates, 3260; J. S. Cockle, 3261; S. T. Cooke-Russell, 3262; M. W. Dalway, 3263; F. C. Davis, 3264; J. T. Dillon, 3265; H. J. Dwyer, 3266; T. L. Eaton, 3267; J. S. Elliott, 3268; G. P. Evans, 3269; H. D. Evans, 3270; J. C. Fletcher, 3271; G. A. Ferguson, 3272; E. K. Fowler, 3273; E. F. Fowler, 3274; D. S. Fuller, 3275; M. S. B. Gaul, 3276; A. H. Gibson, 3277; D. F. Gilfillan, 3278; R. C. Gowing, 3279; E. C. Haigh, 3280; N. Hardy, 3281; J. B. Harkness, 3282; B. A. Harkness, 3283; K. N. M. Hillier,

3284; H. S. Holt, 3285; H. V. Howard, 3286; G. S. Hunter, 3287; W. J. Jardine, 3288; C. A. Johnstone, 3289; O. A. S. Jones, 3290; C. B. Keene, 3291; P. U. A. Kelso, 3292; H. R. Kemp, 3293; J. K. Kerr, 3294; R. J. Kierath, 3295; K. R. Lane, 3296; B. H. Langley, 3297; A. R. Litchfield, 3298; D. R. Litchfield, 3299; L. M. Long, 3300; T. A. Lovedee, 3301; J. K. Lydiard, 3302; B. S. MacDermott, 3303; A. H. Mack, 3304; W. R. Mann, 3305; J. C. Marten, 3306; R. I. Martin, 3307; D. T. M. Mattes, 3308; E. A. Major, 3309; C. S. Millington, 3310; J. W. Moffatt, 3311; F. E. G. Moon, 3312; G. G. H. Moor, 3313; R. H. Morgan, 3314; G. T. M. B. Morris, 3315; E. G. Mossman, 3316; U. R. Myers, 3317; D. M. Myers, 3318; J. L. S. Muir, 3319; A. R. Mutton, 3320; A. M. Napier, 3321; K. E. R. Newell, 3322; J. C. Nield, 3323; H. R. Nott, 3324; C. E. A. Nott, 3325; D. A. K. Perkins, 3326; R. O. Phillips, 3327; G. A. Pratten, 3328; G. E. Reid, 3329; H. W. Rice, 3330; J. M. Robertson, 3331; C. R. Sargent, 3332; E. D. Scott, 3333; J. G. Scott, 3334; R. A. G. Shepherd, 3335; G. K. Simpson, 3336; W. W. Sharratt, 3337; F. H. Smith, 3338; G. S. M. Smith, 3339; G. C. Smith, 3340; G. Small, 3341; A. C. Smidmore, 3342; C. S. Stuart, 3343; J. B. Swire, 3344; G. L. Thomas, 3345; A. B. Throsby, 3346; G. Tompsit, 3347; J. C. Valder, 3348; W. A. Venables, 3349; G. B. Vonwiller, 3350; H. M. Warren, 3351; H. E. White, 3352; C. W.

Whiting, 3353; H. G. Whitty, 3354; R. Wilmott, 3355; R. B. Wilson, 3356; T. G. E. Wilson, 3357; L. E. Wilson, 3358; G. J. Wilkinson, 3359; D. E. Woods, 3360.

Re-entered Term 1, 1922.

J. Bell, 3073; A. D. Harland, 2939; W. L. Simpson, 2998; G. A. Phillips, 3173; K. Barnes, 2830.

The following boys left term 3, 1921:—A. F. Baldock, 2717 (2nd A, 1921, L.C. 1921); F. A. Bellingham, 2347 (Int. 1919, Sub-prefect 1921, L.C. 1921); A. H. Berekleman, 2571 (2nd XI 1920, 1st XV, Colours 1921); G. M. Blackwood, 2400 (Int. 1919, Sub-prefect 1921); A. H. Bligh, 2722; H. T. Boazman, 2073 (2nd XI 1917, 1st XI 1918-19-20-21, Colours 1919-20-21, C.P.S.: 1st XI 1919-20-21, 1st XV 1919-20-21, Colours 1920-21, Cadets, Captain Football 1921, Int. 1919, Prefect 1920, Lieut. in Cadets, Captain Football 1921, Th. 1918, Senior Prefect 1921, Brian Pockley Memorial Prize 1921, L.C. 1921); A. J. Bradfield, 2224 (Int. 1919, L.C. 1921); J. E. Breden, 2723; W. J. Brown, 2905; W. G. Bull, 2727; W. N. Cadwallader, 2564 (2nd XV 1920, 1st XV 1921, Colours 1921, 2nd XI 1921); R. H. Cambridge, 3086; S. E. Campbell, 2512 (Int. 1919, L.C. 1921, 2nd R. 1920, R.C. 1921); R. E. Capper, 2732 (Int. 1919); R. B. Carlile, 3090 (Int. 1921); M. P. Champion, 2836 (Int. 1919, 2nd R. 1921); P. C. Chauvell 3093; E. G. Cowdroy, 2740; E. M.

Crabbe, 2915; W. E. Cragg, 2741; S. H. Crawford, 2743 (Int. 1920); B. W. Cullen, 2745; B. G. Davis, 2573; D. M. Dixon, 2493 (Int. 1919, Sub-prefect 1921, Prefect 1921, 1st R. 1920, R.C. 1921, C.P.S. R.T. 1921); R. K. Dixon, 3105; A. G. Dodd, 2921; F. H. Doyle, 2238 (Int. 1918, L.C. 1920-21, Sub-prefect 1921, Prefect 1921, 2nd XI 1921, 1st XV 1921, Colours); C. R. Dryhurst, 3110 (Int. 1921); J. D. Dunstan, 2239 (Int. 1921); E. L. Gabbott, 3047; G. R. Giblett, 3120; A. R. Gibson, 2674 (Int. 1919, L.C. 1921, Sub-prefect 1921); R. A. Gillfillan, (Int. 1919, L.C. 1921); C. P. Gordon, 2060 (Int. 1919, L.C. 1921, 2nd crew 1921, Sub-prefect 1921); R. C. Govett, 2675; A. L. A. Griffiths, 2935 (L.C. 1921); J. S. Halliday, 2677; K. G. Halliday, 2875; M. Halloran, 3123; W. J. Hardinge, 2588 (Int. 1919, 1st R.T. 1920-21 Colours, C.P.S., 1st R.T. 1920, Captain Shooting 1921, 2nd XI 1921); W. L. Harbutt, 2518; L. H. Hassall, 2550 (Int. 1920); V. C. Hemery, 2758; W. J. Henderson, 2947; R. R. Hickson, 2249 (Int. 1919, L.C. 1921, Lieut in Cadets, 2nd XI 1920, Sub-prefect 1920); F. D'a. Hixson, 2166 (Sub-prefect 1919, Prefect 1920, 2nd XV 1919-20, 1st XV 1921 Colours, 1st A 1919, Junior Athletic Shield 1918, A.C. 1920-21, 1st crew 1920-21 Colours, Captain of Boats 1921, Senior Athletic Shield 1921, Captain of Athletic 1921, Lieut. in Cadets); R. R. Holcombe, 2429; M. Howard, 2762 (2nd XV 1921, Int. 1920, L.C. 1921); J. E. Humphries, 1885; R. L. Houston, 3129 (Int. 1921); J. Jameson, 2433 (2nd A 1920-21); F. G. Jeans, 2764; R. H. Julius, 2767; J. Kelso, 2850; G. E. Kennedy, 2961; G. L. King, 2770 (Int. 1919); R. W. Lang, 2964; J. R. Leigh-Jones, 2681; F. A. Ludowici, 2114 (Int. 1919, L.C. 1921); J. E. McColl, 2851; C. R. Mac-lauren, 3157; S. F. Moore, 2653; J. A. Muston, 2452 (Sgt. in Cadets); A. R. Newell, 2613 (Int. 1921); H. R. Nicholls, 3166 (1st XV Colours, 1921); F. J. Oatley, 3168; T. D. Old, 3035; J. W. Osborne, 2881 (Sub-prefect 1920, Prefect 1921, 2nd crew 1921); D. G. Perrot, 2618 (L.C. 1921); G. A. Pile, 2617 (2nd XI 1920, 1st XI 1921); W. B. Purser, 2534; R. A. Rawling, 2656 (1st XI 1920-21, Colours 1921, 2nd XV 1921, Int. 1921); G. R. Rayner, 3235; G. T. Reid, 3051; F. J. Richards, 2799; E. B. Richardson, 3177; H. Ross, 3181; G. V. Scammell, 2466 (L.C. 1921); R. B. Scott, 2467 (L.C. 1921); A. R. Shaw, 3056 (L.C. 1921); R. C. Shields, 2993 (2nd crew 1921); R. Sinclair, 1872 (1st crew 1920-21 Colours, Sub-prefect 1920, Prefect 1921, 2nd XV 1921); D. K. Smith, 2626 (Int. 1921); G. V. Smith, 3001; B. Stevens, 3187; M. S. Stobo, 2551 (L.C. 1921); T. Thomson, 1382; G. F. Throsby, 3191 (2nd XV 1921, L.C. 1921); J. H. Todhunter, 2632 (2nd XV 1920, 1st XV 1921, Colours, Sub-prefect 1920, Prefect 1921, L.C. 1921, Bourke Prize 1921, Int. 1919, 1st A. 1921); J. E. Turton, 3193; H. G. Urquhart, 3009 (2nd XV 1921);

F. B. Uther, 2659 (Int. 1919, L.C. 1921, 2nd R. 1921); M. E. Verbrughen, 2314 (1st XI 1921 Colours); K. E. Ward, 3195 (L.C. 1921); C. M. Walker, 2504; J. Watson, 3225; L. G. Wier, 2819 (Int. 1921); R. O. Weynton, 3015; J. H. White, 2506; R. A. Whitten, 2505 (2nd A. 1920-21); W. J. S. Wilson, 2483 (2nd R. 1920, R.C. 1921, L.C. 1921); G. N. Wikner, 3226; B. W. Windeyer (Int. 1918, L.C. 1919-20, Sixth Form Prize 1921, Sub-prefect 1921, Prefect 1921, Captain of Boxing 1921, 1st XV 1921 Colours, C.P.S. 2nd XV 1921); B. J. Wright, 2547 (Int. 1918, L.C. 1920-21, 1st R. 1920, R. Colours 1921, C.P.S. R Team 1921, Sub-prefect 1921, Prefect 1921); J. H. Yeldham, 2485 (Int. 1919, L.C. 1921, 2nd XI 1921, Sub-prefect 1921).

The prizes for the General Knowledge Paper for December, 1921, are awarded to: F. A. Ludowici, J. C. J. Johnstone, and G. B. Bertram i.

The following appointments have been made, February 27:—

O.B.U. Scholar: A. P. Blake.
 Council Senior Scholars: T. A. Langley, D. Wilson.
 Senior Prefect: R. O. Harris.
 Sub-prefects (appointed February 20, 1921): H. W. Baker, A. P. Blake, D. K. Braddock, G. J. Busby, E. F. Cuninghame, B. P. Dawson, A. I. Fuller, C. M. Gosling, V. D. Heggaton, W. D. Henderson, G. Lane, G.

O'Kane, G. M. Pennefather, and N. C. Reading. (Appointed May 3, 1922.)

May 3, 1922.—Cadwallader, N. R.; Gaden, J. D.; Laurie, E.; Lloyd, H.; Thomson, G. M.; Walker, N. A.; Ward, C. D.; White, R. J.

Congratulations to R. O. Harris on winning the N.S.W. Surf Championship Life-saving Competition at Manly on February 25th.

As the result of the examinations recently held, the following appointments have been made by the Council:—

Council's Open Entrance Scholarship Shield: Nield, J. C. (C.E. Preparatory School, Manly).

Council's Junior Scholarships:

No. 1, Morgan, R. B. (S.C.E. G.S.)

No. 2, Phillips, R. O. (C.E.P.S., Mosman).

Church Primary Schools Scholarship: Johnston, C. J. (St. John's, Darlinghurst).

Archbishop's Exhibition: Hudson, C. P. (S.C.E.G.S.).

Walter and Eliza Hall Exhibitions: Coates, W. R. (Armidale High School), and Long, L. M. (Bathurst Public School).

Before leaving for England in the "Ormonde" on February 18, Mrs. C. H. Hodges handed over to the

school as memorials of "the old chief" the magnificent telescope which was so well known to boys at the school between 1901 and 1910; and the unique collection of University medals won by Mr. Hodges, the details of which are as follows:—

Oxford and Cambridge Athletic Sports, 1875: Putting the weight.

Oxford University Sports, 1874 and 1876: Throwing the cricket ball (best throw, 120 yards).

Oxford University Athletic Club: Putting the weight, 1875 and 1876 (best put, 36ft. 6in.).

Oxford University Eight-oar Trial Race, 1876.

The medals, suitably framed, have been placed in the library under the portrait of Mr. Hodges.

It is impossible to exaggerate the benefit which the school received from having over it so many years a scholar of the highest distinction, an athlete of unique prowess, and the truest friend that boys or men could ever have.

The large Union Jack which was placed in the chancel by the school's most generous friend, Mrs. A. L. Blythe, in memory of her nephew, Captain J. S. Wilson, and which was made of the best silk available at the time, having showed signs of wear, has now been replaced by Mrs. Blythe by a flag of corded silk, of a texture which is practically indestructible. The flag is extremely beautiful, and the school is deeply indebted to the donor for this second splendid gift.

Congratulations to L. G. Melville for winning first-class honours at the University in Economics, and also Professor Irvine's prize in that subject.

The Archbishop will give confirmation in the school chapel on Wednesday, October 25, at 2.15 p.m. Classes will commence at the start of next term. Names of those who wish to join must be given in as soon as possible.

LETTER FROM OUR FIRST HEADMASTER.

The following is an extract from a letter received by a Sydney friend from Mr. E. J. Robson, our first Headmaster:—

"You see, when I came home just before the war, I said to myself: 'I'm never going to do another stroke of work, but I'm going to study languages for all

they are worth.'" Well I began in Holland and picked up Dutch, so far as reading was concerned, quite quickly, and then the war came, and I went and taught or tried to teach the British boys for two years and failed miserably, except with the VI Form, where I did some good. In the middle of this I spent a summer holiday at an Australian Hospital, looking

after the men's amusements, and that killed me entirely—it was hard work! So after wrestling with British boys for another year, I promised myself fourteen weeks holiday, after that I would get some work to do with agriculture or afforestation; and I did, and flatter myself that I filled a worthy (but ill-paid) place in the agricultural campaign against the U. boats. Not that I knew, or even now know any agriculture, really. I was only the pen that interpreted the words of the wise to the enquiring public. But the wise, the experts I had about me, were delightful people and I mopped up the paper work of agriculture like a sponge. A good deal of my work was what I call "devilling"—getting up a subject or knocking a lot of information collected from various sources (farmers, books, scientists and so forth) into shape. That meant a good deal of diving into foreign tongues, among other things, which I naturally enjoyed. Indeed I shall always look back on those strenuous years with the greatest pleasure. But they were strenuous. And just when you had a nice piece of work that you wanted to finish, and had brought it home accordingly, the confounded Huns would arrange an air-raid and keep you awake the whole night. Well, I'm still at the Ministry of Agriculture, they still don't load me with material benefits in the shape of salary, but with the great economy cry you can't expect that, but they still give me a good deal of nice work to do, so I am quite content. My young chief comes in and looks at my table and says: "I do like this, it looks so imposingly scholarly." There are probably a few fat German tomes lying about, a French periodical or so, a

dash of Norwegian or Swedish, and a few learned journals on the vernacular. That's why the Icelandic testament is attracting me at present. I was just beginning to get a bit of a hold of the wretched Scandinavian languages when the hardy Norseman elected to popularise a Norwegian folk-dialect as against the literary language, and I got a bit of stuff about ploughing in this new dialect the other day, which cost me and the official translator much searching of spirit, and of grammars and dictionaries, so I'm trying to find out whether Icelandic will throw any light upon it.

"I ought to have got the 'sack' from the Ministry long ago. I was only a temporary 'clerk,' but they sent round a notice over a year ago to say that if temporary clerks wanted permanent billets they must pass an examination. I gave them every show of telling me that I needn't go in for the exam., or of sacking me or doing what they pleased, but they seemed so determined that I should go in for it, that in for it I went, and at the immature age of 59½ passed 69th out of 18,000 (three noughts) candidates. Got full marks for arithmetic! So now I'm not a permanent official after all, but neither fish, fowl nor good red herring, except that I understand that I may now be ill for a year and get full pay for the first six months and half pay for the rest. That would be a blessed privilege if I could only get ill, but I'm robustly healthy. Of course the lords of the Treasury took advantage to improve the occasion by reducing my salary—that's part of the great economy stunt, it's great fun to watch it all."

THE FIRST HALF-HOUR IN THE LIBRARY.

These are the adventures of a new boy (let us call him Smith), who has come to school for his first whole day, and who, after ten minutes

cogitation, decides to ascend the steps and enter the library. He is not quite sure as to the proper way to ascend, but after closely observ-

ing the motions of many other boys, himself mounts hesitatingly and stands in the middle of the porch outside the door. He notices with some dismay that all other boys are lined up against the wall and down the steps; thinking that he has committed a great breach of etiquette, he immediately strives to push his way in between two other boys. But these hard-hearted youths, to Smith's consternation, resent his intrusion and give proof of it by pushing him over to the other side. Of course the people on the other side push him back again, and so he staggers around and around until he has the happy inspiration of pulling someone else out and taking his place. Selecting some insignificant-looking youth, he pulls him from his place and fills the vacant space himself. Here he finds temporary safety and even watches with some amusement the rotations and gyrations of the small child he had ejected. After a minute an important person in spectacles is seen to be ascending the steps. Smith is informed that this person is a librarian. A break is soon made and the librarian searches his pockets systematically yet frantically, but finds he has forgotten the key and goes down again and gets it, and then opens the door. Smith is then swept off his feet for a few seconds, and when his feet again touch earth, he is still unable to move on account of two rather stout boys on each side of him. He is swept through the door and, omitting to remove his hat gazes around

awe-stricken. Here he sees war trophies, and thrills with pride at the thought of the deeds of the Old Boys. Then the shields, oars and cups catch his eye and he thinks of the great feats performed by the boys in athletics. He now sees that most boys are putting their hats on a form, so he removes his also, and sits down casually on a chair which he notices is turned against the table, and selecting a magazine which no one seems to require, becomes deeply interested in "The World's Works." He feels a firm grip on his shoulder and a voice, stern and forbidding, requests him to relinquish his seat, as it is engaged. Thinking this the height of injustice he replies with, "Why should I?" He is again requested to evacuate, and seeing that the boy was twice his size, he decides that after all it would be best to leave; so he moves on to a seat which he notices is not leaning on the table. To his great relief, he is allowed to remain unmolested until he hears "Time, please!" He has no idea what this might mean, but thinks that doubtless it is someone inquiring the time of his neighbour. He rises with the rest, and after putting on five hats discovers his own minus the band. After finding his band he descends, and is just going into school when he discovers a book, with "Not to be taken away" printed legibly on the cover. He colours with shame, runs up again and puts the book back and arrives in school—late.

R. C. SLESSOR.

CHAPEL NOTES.

On Sexagesima Sunday the address was given by the Rev. H. N. Baker, Rector of St. Thomas' Church, and on Humane Sunday, March 19 by Mr. J. L. Pulling. Open Sunday was on March 26th, the preacher being the Rev. Canon Archdall, T.A.S. During the service he dedicated tablets in memory of Capt. J. G. Tyson, M.C. and of his brother, Signaller R. H. Tyson.

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On Anzac Sunday, April 23rd, there was a celebration of the Holy Communion and commemoration of the departed instead of Mattins. The address was given by the Rev. R. E. Freeth.

On Anzac Day there was a Church Parade at 9.40 a.m., and the Chapel was crowded at the 10 a.m. service, which consisted of Mattins with special collects and a commemora-

tion of the fallen. The special lessons were read by Lieut. J. F. Fraser and Major J. R. O. Harris. The address, which gave a very vivid account of the training and landing was given by Gen. I. G. Mackay, C.M.G., D.S.O., an old master. There was a very fair attendance of old boys in uniform.

The Anniversary Service took place on May 7; there was a very large congregation. At 8 a.m. there was a Celebration taken by the Archbishop, assisted by the Rev. D. Davies. At 10.45 a.m., the service consisted of Mattins and Commemoration of the Fallen, taken by the Acting-Chaplain, the Archbishop giving the address. The lessons were read by A. A. Heath (the Hon. Secretary of the Old Boys' Union) and L. L. S. Barr (the Senior Prefect). During the services the Archbishop dedicated a new flag in memory of the late Capt. J. S. Wilson, presented by his aunt, Mrs. Blythe, to replace the former flag, which has become torn. After the service, Mr. Davies christened _____, daughter of Ivo Clarke.

IRRIGATION.

Over a large part of Australia the area which can be cultivated is determined by the amount of water ob-

tained rather than by the quantity or quality of the land. There are, for instance, vast stretches of land in

the Murray Valley which could be made intensely productive if there were enough water. The average rainfall is so low and the evaporation so high that without irrigation cultivation is at best a somewhat doubtful speculation.

The total area drained by the Murray and its tributaries is about 500,000 square miles. Of this, part consists of the mountain and hill country stretching round from Victoria to Southern Queensland, from which the river draws its main supply of water. Then there is a considerable area which has enough rain in normal seasons for farming to be carried on without irrigation. There still remains a vast area in the lower part of the Murray Basin, which needs irrigation before it can be made productive.

The most notable success has been obtained at Mildura and Merebin, in N.W. Victoria. Some 30,000 acres, which formerly carried about one sheep to ten acres, now supports over 10,000 people, and produces dried fruits, grapes, oranges and other products to the value of £1,000,000 a year. There is much land of equal quality on the New South Wales side of the river, opposite Mildura, but only small areas at Culwaa and Wentworth are under irrigation. Renmark, Cobdogla and other irrigation settlements in South Australia have prospered like Muldura, but on a smaller scale. In New South

Wales, the Burrenjack dam on the Murrumbidgee supplies water for 1,300 irrigation farms, and no doubt in the future this settlement will be greatly extended. In Northern Victoria, at Shepparton, Rochester, Cohuna, Kerang, and elsewhere, are prosperous irrigation settlements. Near Kerang is the largest orange orchard in Australia, with an area of over 600 acres.

The Commonwealth and the States of New South Wales, Victoria, and South Australia, are now spending about £6,000,000 in building a great storage dam which will be the fourth largest in the world, near the junction of the Murray and the Mitta Mitta, on storage works at Lake Victoria, S.A., and on blocking the Murray. The locks will serve navigation as well as (if not more than) irrigation. When all these works are completed the area under irrigation will be greatly increased, but it will be almost negligible when compared with the total arid area.

No doubt in the future a large area in N.S.W., outside the main Murray-Murrumbidgee-Darling area and in Queensland, will be brought under irrigation. There will still remain, however, a vast area in the centre and west of Australia where, with our present knowledge and resources, irrigation seems out of the question.

T. DUNBABIN III. A.

CHRISTMAS ROWING CAMP.

Camp started at the Sinclair Shed on February 4th, only twenty boys attending instead of the original twenty-eight selected; this being due in some cases to boys unexpectedly leaving, in others to illness. A provisional selection of crews took place, "dubbing" was the chief order of each day. The value of the fixed seat work done before Christmas was quickly made evident by the rapid mastery of the slide work which most of the budding oarsmen exhibited, there being, of course, some few who found the slide extremely difficult to manage.

An eight was boated, consisting of Ward, Cunninghame, Whatmore, Lloyd, Bruddock, Beer, Robertson, Owen, in that order from bow to stroke, and work proceeded in the practice boat. The balance of the camp was divided into two divisions of six each, and it was intended to select each four from one of the divisions, and, later on, to form the balance into a third four. However,

these little schemes were upset later on by circumstances which necessitated three men being dropped from the crews, and Lane, Thomson, and Brayc were brought to the shed to fill the vacancies. Stevens was one of the embryo second four, when his father died suddenly, and we lost a promising young oarsman. The Boat Club offer their sympathy to Stevens and his family through these columns.

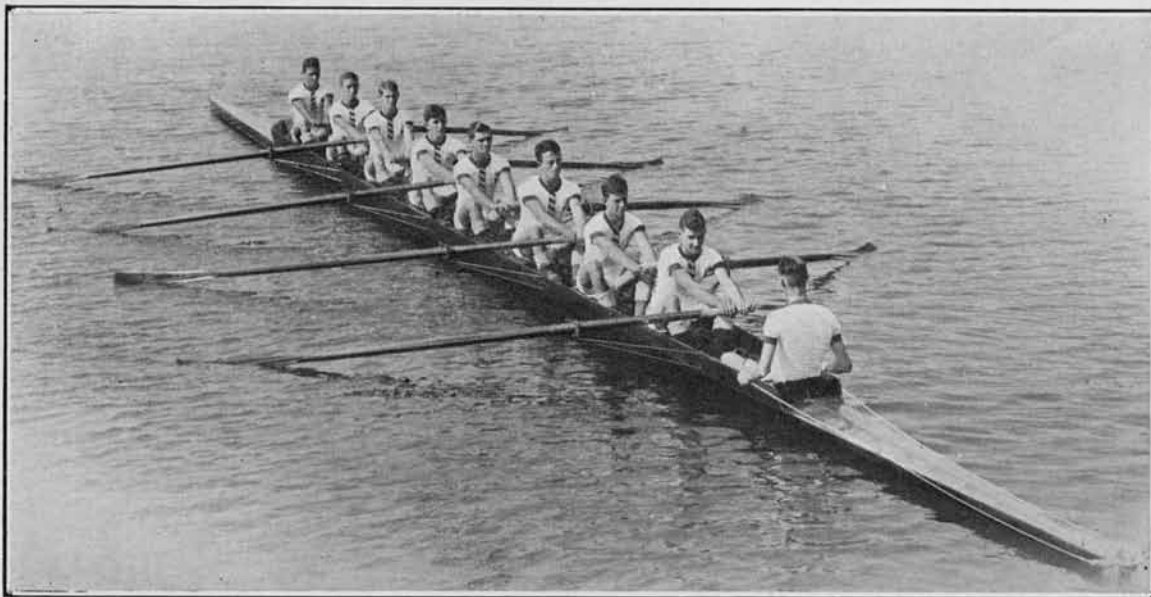
Beer, who was the senior member of last year's crews, was in charge of the camp as acting-captain of boats, and under his direction the camp was organised and run very efficiently, his attention to details of ordinary camp routine, outside the care of boats and oars, stamping him as the right man for the position. Camp broke up on February 10, and we had to return to the mountainous seas of Berry's Bay, and the toil and moil of school, after a very pleasant fortnight at Looking Glass Bay.

ROWING.

On April 29 we concluded the most successful season's work which we have had since 1914, when we scored a double win with eight and four. April 26 saw the school colours first past the alignment posts at Gladesville in all three heats, and hopes beat high for a possible repetition of

such a glorious sight on the Saturday; but Sydney Grammar School and the King's School were not to be denied in the contest for the Championship and the Yaralla Cup respectively, and we had to be content with the win of the second four, and second place in the above events.

THE EIGHT.



C. D. Ward (bow), G. M. Pennefather (2), H. S. Lloyd (3), E. H. Cuninghame (4)
D. K. Braddock (5), A. H. Beer (6), J. G. Hill (7), N. W. Owen (str.),
T. S. Mackenzie (cox.)

However, to come out of the two days' ordeal with four firsts and two seconds out of six events contested, is a record for the year that we can look on with satisfaction, which is heightened by the reflection that we have been taking a very modest back seat for some years past. We received many telegrams and congratulations from Old Boys and friends, and we thank them through these columns for their kind thoughts, with a promise to try and do even better next time. We were delighted to receive visits in camp from Len Hudson, R. R. Sinclair, and a number of other Old Boys. Cases of apples were kindly sent by the Headmaster and Mr. Dixon. We have also to thank Mr. Ouvrier for his interest in the crews, and Mr. and Mrs. Duggan, of Wharf Road, Gladesville, for their kind hospitality in entertaining the crews on April 28, and in inviting the coaches to view the races from their verandah, whence an excellent view of the whole course was obtained. We greatly appreciate and heartily thank them for their kindly interest and generosity. We must also bear in mind Mrs. Towns and Mrs. McKenzic, under whose care the culinary department attained, as before, the highest pitch of excellence from the point of view of training.

Once established in camp, on April 10, we settled down to a routine, which was followed every day, and which recalled W. S. Gilbert's account of the "troubles of a king,"

in the "Gondoliers," particularly those portions referring to "rising early in the morning" and "polish the regalia and the coronation plate," in this latter case represented by the camp's crockery and cutlery.

6.30 a.m. saw the crews doing light footwork on the road. 7.15 a.m. breakfast. 8 a.m. on the boat to town. Arriving back at camp at various times in the afternoon, the fours got to work at about 3.30 p.m., while the eight was seldom earlier than 5.30 p.m. The weather throughout was most satisfactory, considering the season of the year, and the crews did not miss an outing during the camp.

In conclusion, we have to tender our hearty thanks to Allan Ramsay for his untiring efforts and unflagging interest in the eight, and to Messrs. Burrell and Ouvrier, who spent their Easter vacations in taking charge of the shed, thus giving the regular coaches a much-needed and much-appreciated spell.

The following are the accounts from "Sydney Morning Herald" and "Sunday Times" of the six events which we contested (Wednesday, April 26):—

THIRD CREWS (FOURS).

Course: Putney to Gladesville. One mile.
First Heat.

Church of England Grammar School.—
W. L. Vivers, 9.10 (bow); A. S. Braye, 9.12 (2); J. J. Ralph, 11.9 (3); E. T. Robinson, 9.10 (str.); A. R. Litchfield, 5.13 (cox). Coach: C. S. Tiley 1

THE TORCH-BEARER.

- St. Ignatius' College.—G. Blackall, 10 (bow); J. E. Hayes, 10.6 (2); B. Dalton, 10.1 (3); T. McLaughlin, 9.9 (str.); K. Kelly, 6.3 (cox). Coach: R. A. Dunstan 2
- St. Joseph's College.—W. E. Fraser, 10.8 (bow); L. J. Condon, 10.6 (2); J. B. Quirk, 11 (3); E. P. Connolly, 9.8 (str.); R. D. Driscoll, 6.4 (cox) 3

Scots' College did not start. When the crews faced the starter the breeze was fresh from the north-east, and this, with the tide running in, made the task of getting the crews away a difficult one. However, the crews got away evenly, and Church of England immediately settled down, and took the lead. At the Gasworks they were three-quarters of a length ahead of the St. Ignatius' College crew, which was slightly ahead of St. Joseph's College. Passing Tennyson, Church of England Grammar School had opened out further, and were now rowing a steady stroke. The leaders increased their advantage, and at Cabarita were three lengths ahead of the St. Ignatius' College crew, which was a couple of lengths ahead of St. Joseph's College. Although they had a substantial lead, Church of England Grammar School kept the weight on, and went further ahead every stroke, eventually winning by six lengths. St. Joseph's College made a vain attempt to gain second place (which would have given them a start in the final), but without avail, and they were three-quarters of a length behind St. Ignatius' College at the finish. Time, 7min. 7sec.

In the second heat, The King's School and Newington College qualified for the final.

SCHOOLS' CHAMPIONSHIP (EIGHTS):
Second Heat.

- Course: From Blaxland's to Gladesville.
- Sydney Church of England Grammar School.—C. D. Ward, 10 (bow); G. M. Pennefather, 10 (2); H. S. Lloyd, 10.12 (3); E. H. Cunninghame, 10.6 (4); D. K. Braddock, 11.12 (5); A. H. Beer, 12.8 (6); J. G. Hill, 10 (7); N. W. Owen, 9.4 (str.); T. S. McKenzie, 8.5 (cox). Coach: Allen Ramsay 1
- Sydney Grammar School.—O. G. James, 10.13 (bow); C. E. Joyce, 10.3 (2); D. C. Semmler, 11.9 (3); G. C. Cureton, 11.2 (4); F. E. Jennings, 13.11 (5); A. N. Finlay, 12.2 (6); C. M. Moore, 10.10 (7); O. J. Peters, 11.2 (str.); L. Bode (cox). Coach: W. H. Savigny 2
- The King's School.—W. R. White, 9.10 (bow); R. W. Pryor, 9.8 (2); A. S. Manchee, 11.4 (3); J. A. Marks, 11 (4); R. M. Millard, 11.4 (5); T. H. Bell, 12 (6); J. O. Martin, 10.2 (7); H. S. Manchee, 10.9 (str.); S. J. Nolan, 8.8 (cox). Coach: Rev. H. Sanger 3

Only three crews started, and they got away nicely together. All three were hitting up a big rate, and at Bottle Point were level; but round- ing Putney Sydney Church of Eng- land Grammar School had a quarter of a length advantage from Sydney Grammar School, who had the same advantage from The King's School. The latter were rowing more of the English style, but the blades were skied too high, with the result that the boat flopped badly throughout

FIRST FOUR.



G. M. Thomson (bow), J. Lane (2), W. E. Whatmore (3), A. L. Fuller (str.),
J. H. Harding (cox.)

the race, more particularly in the broken water. The crews were in the same positions passing the Gasworks, but Sydney Church of England Grammar School were making the most of the broken water, and had settled down to good, steady work. At Tennyson they were a length clear of Sydney Grammar School, and The King's School were a length further back. Sydney Grammar School made a great effort to overhaul Sydney Church of England Grammar School, and by a great sprint brought them back considerably, while The King's School also closed up a little. From Cabarita on the race was an excellent one, and when the crews approached Gladesville a length separated all three, and although all fought desperately for supremacy, they crossed over the line with Sydney Church of England Grammar School half a length ahead of Sydney Grammar School, and The King's School half a length behind the second boat. Time, 9min. 48½ secs.

In the final heat, St. Joseph's College and the Scots' College qualified for the final.

SECOND CREWS (FOURS).

Second Heat.

Course: From Putney to Gladesville.

Church of England Grammar School.—
G. M. Thomson, 9.6 (bow); G. Lane, 10.11 (2); W. E. Whatmore, 11.11 (3); A. L. Fuller, 9.10 (str.); J. S. Harding, 5.12 (cox). Coach: Rev. R. E. Freeth 1

St. Joseph's College.—L. J. Ryan, 11.5 (bow); N. J. Quinn, 11.13 (2); J. P. Connair, 11.8 (3); J. J. Gardiner, 11.2 (str.); W. P. Murphy, 5.5 (cox). Coach: Rev. Bro. Richard . . 2
St. Joseph's College.—B. Hoare, 10 (bow); H. Duff, 9.8 (2); J. Quilter, 9.4 (3); R. Murray, 10.6 (str.); J. G. Hayes, 6 (cox). Coach: W. Williams 3

From an even start Church of England Grammar School took the lead, and passing Tennyson were half a length ahead of St. Joseph's College, with St. Ignatius' College a couple of lengths further back. On the run to Cabarita Church of England Grammar School had further increased their lead, and had almost two lengths from St. Joseph's College, while St. Ignatius' College had fallen back. Sydney Church of England Grammar School opened out further crossing to Gladesville, but, although St. Joseph's College came with a great sprint, they had left it too late, and could not get within a length of Sydney Church of England Grammar School. Time, 7min. 18½ secs.

In the first heat, The King's School and Sydney Grammar School qualified for the final.

The finals, rowed on Saturday, April 29, resulted as follows:—

SECOND CREWS (FOURS).

Yaralla Cup.

From Putney to Gladesville.

The King's School.—C. E. Solomon, 10.2 (bow); G. A. Lloyd, 11.8; R. C. Kirby, 10.6; S. O. Martin, 11.0 (str.); D. C. Johnson, 8.4 (Cox). Coach: E. G. Dorsch 1

Church of England Grammar School.—
G. M. Thomson, 9.6 (bow); G. Lane,
10.11; W. E. Whatmore, 11.11; A. L.
Fuller, 9.10 (str.); J. S. Harding,
5.12 (cox). Coach: Rev. R. E.
Freeth 2

Sydney Grammar School.—A. Wheatley,
10.5 (bow); D. H. McCathie, 11.5;
W. J. McSweeney, 11.3; L. Caswell,
10.6 (str.); B. Baker, 6.7 (cox).
Coach: F. H. Ludowici 3

St. Joseph's College.—L. J. Ryan, 11.5
(bow); N. J. Quinn, 11.13; J. P.
Connaire, 11.8; J. J. Gardiner, 11.2
(str.); W. P. Murphy, 5.5 (cox).
Coach: Rev. Bro. Richard 4

Won by three lengths, half a length be-
tween second and third. Time, 6min. 15
2-5secs.

King's went off at a great rate, but almost immediately Grammar were challenging them, with Shore and St. Joseph's very handy. As the boats went from Putney to Tennyson there was little to choose, and at the latter wharf those following in the official launch could not separate them. The crowd gathered down the river had now sighted the close positions, and from a murmur the noise increased—till flying past the well-divided partisans on Cabarita Wharf—to an unintelligible babel made up of "Kings!" "Shore!" "Joey's!" and "Grammar!" Here King's were about a length ahead of Shore and Grammar, with the Hunter's Hill crew only half a length in arrears.

The mass of boats was now encountered, and anyone within miles of Gladesville knew that something big was happening on the Parramatta. The whistle, added to the

yells, made a deafening noise. King's, though rowing splendidly, were not secure, for Shore and Grammar came at them, and St. Joseph's were but half a length behind. On the run to Gladesville, King's shook off their opponents, but these three were having a great battle for second place.

King's won by three lengths from Shore, with Grammar half a length away, and St. Joseph's very close. The Yaralla Cup was retained by King's, whose stroke was in the eights two years ago, but had been in the winning fours on the last two occasions.

THIRD CREWS (FOURS).

Course: Putney to Gladesville. One mile.

Church of England Grammar School.—
W. L. Vivers, 9.10 (bow); A. S.
Braye, 9.12; J. J. Ralph, 11.9; E. T.
Robinson, 9.10 (str.); A. R. Litch-
field, 5.13 (cox). Coach: C. S. Tiley 1

The King's School.—W. H. Bowman,
8.5, (bow); W. F. Moses, 10.5; N. F.
Glennie, 9.9; C. Coggins, 9.2 (str.);
G. P. Todd, 7.6 (cox). Coach, G.
Long 2

St. Ignatius' College.—G. Blackall,
10.0 (bow); J. E. Hayes, 10.6; B.
Dalton, 10.1; T. McLaughlin, 9.9
(str.); K. Kelly, 6.3 (cox). Coach:
R. A. Dunstan 3

Newington College.—C. T. Whiteman,
10.0 (bow); J. A. Gemmill, 10.2; H.
E. Bryant, 13.0; E. Glass, 9.8 (str.);
G. S. Matchett, 5.8 (cox). Coach:
R. Barker.

Won by four lengths, with a length
between second and third. Time, 6min.
58 4-5secs.

"The southern shore is the one to-day," said an official as the *Lady Hopetoun* sped up to Putney, where Newington, Shore, Riverview, and King's were ready, the first-named having the northern position, and the others in the order stated. Again there was no trouble, King's going away well. After a stroke or two, J. E. Hayes (No. 2), in the St. Ignatius' College crew, broke his oar, and Shore, seeing the starter prepare to fire the gun again, also stopped. All pulled up on hearing the report, and in a twinkling Umpire N. J. McDonald had passed across another oar. Off again, King's were soon in front, but at Mortlake Shore had drawn up. The two hung together, and abreast of Tennyson Shore had the slightest lead over King's, with Riverview and Newington practically level, and not far behind the others. By the time the roaring thousands at Cabarita were reached Shore led by two lengths from King's, who were a length from Riverview. Rowing splendidly, Church of England Grammar School won by four lengths from King's, with St. Ignatius' College a length away third.

Shore's work impressed everyone. They used a boat intended for practice, and much heavier than the racing craft. The four are boy sof promise, all prospective head of the river winners.

The Race That Thrilled.

So smoothly had the officials worked matters that the big event—the eights—was started punctually. Grammar had the northern position, with St. Joseph's and Scots' next, and Shore on the south. Another great start, and Grammar showed out. St. Joseph's went away rather quietly, apparently having a lot in reserve. As they passed Bottle Point, Grammar and Shore had little between them, and each of the four was being picked as a certain winner by those on the official launch. Shore led at Putney Point, Grammar and Scots' being on even terms. The four crews were rowing in great heart, and though Shore led when Tennyson was reached, the margin was small. Scots, in third position, though the lightest, were giving a great account of themselves. Here St. Joseph's worked up, and the supporters of Grammar School on the launch believed that the exposed northern position would find them out. They went well away towards the Gladesville shore, but at this stage the work of their stroke was being commended. When the Cabarita wharf was reached Shore still held pride of place, but before Gladesville wharf, Grammar and St. Joseph's had drawn almost level.

Here the Grammar stroke called on his crew, and in one of the finest finishes seen on the Parramatta, the Black and Gold shot ahead. The judge's flag was lowered, but no one

knew the winner. Boats came to the official launch to ascertain the result, whilst the guests on board were still in ignorance. The excitement was great when Umpire N. J. McDonald, trying to come across in his speedy launch, megaphoned the result to an expectant band flying the Black and Gold. Their wild delight on hearing the news showed clearly that the mystic word was Grammar.

Reaching the Lady Hopetoun, the official announced: "Grammar by three feet from Shore, with St. Joseph's a quarter of a length away."

SCHOOLS' CHAMPIONSHIP (EIGHTS).

Major Rennie Trophy.

Course: From Blaxlands to Gladesville.

- Sydney Grammar School.—O. G. James, 10.13 (bow); C. E. Joyce, 10.3; D. C. Semmler, 11.9; G. C. Cureton, 11.2; F. E. Jennings, 13.11; A. N. Finlay, 12.2; C. M. Moore, 10.10; O. J. Peters, 11.2 (str.); L. Bode, 8.0 (cox). Coach: W. H. Savigny . . . 1
- Sydney Church of England Grammar School.—C. D. Ward, 10.0 (bow); G. M. Pennefather, 10.0; H. S. Lloyd, 10.12; E. H. Cunninghame, 10.6; D. K. Braddock, 11.12; A. H. Beer, 12.8; J. G. Hill, 10.0; N. W. Owen, 9.4 (str.); T. S. McKenzie, 8.5 (cox). Coach: Allan Ramsay . . . 2
- St. Joseph's College.—C. B. Bennett, 10.13 (bow); G. C. Carter, 10.11; C. F. Rankin, 11.8; E. P. Dillon, 10.10; J. C. Heffernan, 10.13; J. D. Cawood, 10.13; F. J. Keane, 11.2; J. J. Robinson, 9.9 (str.); J. T. Moran, 8.0 (cox). Coach: F. M. Cronin . . . 3
- The Scots' College.—D. R. Smith, 10.9 (bow); A. C. Norman, 10.6; L. H. Webb, 10.5; D. J. Drysdale, 10.2;

G. W. Renwick, 10.4; P. E. Andreas, 10.2; E. Paterson, 11.2; I. J. Jefferson, 11.2 (str.); A. H. Geikie, 8.1 (cox). Coach: J. C. Henderson . . 4

Won by three feet, with a quarter of a length between second and third, with Scots' a length away. Time, 9min. 42 1-5secs.

THE EIGHT.

From rather an unpromising beginning, and after passing through many vicissitudes, the eight, as the result of dogged determination and unflinching perseverance, developed into a really good crew, worthy to uphold the tradition of the C.E.G.S. Boat Club.

In some respects the form was not all that could be desired, but the hard, solid catch, quick drive through the water, sharp, clean finish, and generally steady recovery make up largely for one or two deficiencies, and commanded far more pace than the weight of the crew—actually under 10st. 7lb.—warranted one in expecting.

It affords me the greatest pleasure to be able to heartily congratulate the crew on what must be regarded as an excellent performance.

The following faults in individual work is mentioned so that each man may know in what particular improvement is most needed:—

Bow (C. D. Ward).—Requires to hold his slide every stroke, always to keep his hands fast, and to swing his body at once; also to steady his slide.

SECOND FOUR.



W. L. Vivers (bcw), A. S. Braye (2), J. J. Ralph (3),
E. T. Robinson (str.), A. R. Litchfield (cox.)

2. (G. M. Pennefather).—Should get legs and body working together, driving both knees down together. A little longer swing both ways would improve his work.

3 (H. S. Lloyd).—Should sit up a little more, keeping chest and head well up; must remember to press each stroke well through with the legs, and always keep the hands smart.

4 (E. H. Cuninghame).—Must hold slide, catch quicker with the shoulders; finish hands, body, and slide together; get hands away smartly, keeping button well pressed out, and steady forward swing.

5 (D. K. Braddock).—Must hold slide; finish hands, body, and slide together; avoid letting body fall away at finish, and putting button in. Hands must be swung away smartly, and body must be swung over with the knees held down; slide must be controlled on recovery, and body must be kept well up, without any tumble.

6 (A. H. Beer, capt.).—Must hold slide; swing body well back, with straight arms; drive stroke well home with legs holding out finish; avoid too flat a feather; come well out and cover blade fully at catch.

7 (J. G. Hill).—Must swing well every stroke; develop the feather; keep hands well up on recovery, and always get a firm, clean beginning.

8 (N. W. Owen).—Must keep head well up; avoid hurrying body too much on first part of recovery, and

swinging it down too low on latter part; must also keep hands well up.

ALLAN RAMSAY.

FIRST FOUR.

The Christmas camp gave us ample opportunity to try material for the crew. Those who originally occupied seats were Pennefather, Greville, Hill, and Griffith. Unfortunately, through illness, Greville lost his seat for some time, and could not catch up to the work of the crew on his return. At the beginning of March Fuller came in as stroke, Griffith moving to bow, and Pennefather to two. With this seating the crew improved rapidly, and showed great promise, but in the middle of March Griffith contracted a bad chill, and on medical advice decided not to row this year. He has our sincere sympathy, and we should like to place it on record here that the crew suffered by his loss. During the same week we parted with Hill, the father of the crew, and Pennefather. In their case we were glad to let them go, as they fully deserved their positions of seven and two respectively in the eight. Hence, in the third week of March we started on a new crew, the only man of the previous crew being Fuller. In order to avoid upsetting other crews as far as possible, it was decided to bring in Lane and Thomson, who had so far only had a fortnight in tub pairs, and if the crew could not hold

its own against the so-called second four to allow the two crews to change places. Whatmore came in as three, and speedily showed that his strength would be of great value to the crew.

After many close and exciting contests with the second four, it was decided that Fuller's crew were certainly not inferior, and so they remained the first four. They all deserve the greatest credit for the keen way in which they tackled a difficult situation, and for the rapid improvement they all made. Lane and Thomson deserve special praise. It is almost inconceivable that boys on six weeks' rowing could show such good form in a gruelling race as both these boys displayed in the G.P.S. Regatta.

The success of the crew as a whole was due mainly to the dogged perseverance of the boys, and to the fact that once they learnt how to apply their work their only regrets were that they did not get enough. Their best friends could not call them pretty. They were seldom together, but they got pace out of their boat by clean, hard-driven blade-work.

G. M. Thomson (bow).—Very keen, hard worker. Suffered from inexperience. Could seldom find the right level for his hands or control his slide. His back has not yet learnt to take the strain at the catch. Impossibilities were expected from him, and almost obtained.

G. Lane (2).—A splendid oar. With more experience would have developed more ease and rhythm about the relative movements of his hands, body, and slide. His legs are quick at taking the strain, and carry it right through to the finish.

W. E. Whatmore (3).—A glutton for work. His faults are largely temperamental. His eagerness to get into the next stroke causing a rushed slide and his keenness to row at maximum strength making him "punt" his slide. When he has learnt to control his movements, and to work back and legs together at the beginning of the stroke, he should do well. His difficulties were, no doubt, increased by having become "set" in the eight before trying to adapt himself to the slightly different style of the four.

A. C. Fuller (stroke).—A good, solid stroke, prepared to drive his crew to the uttermost, not sparing himself in the attempt. His chief faults were dropped hands over the stretcher and lack of rhythm. He never succeeded in keeping a regular steady swing, which alone will make a crew work like clockwork.

J. H. Harding (cox).—Used excellent judgment in his steering and in his advice to his crew. Did not worry them unnecessarily with his voice, and by his coolness, especially at the start, helped to keep up the confidence of the men.

SECOND FOUR.

This crew, at the conclusion of Christmas camp, was seated: Vivers (bow), White (2), Ralph (3), Robinson (str.). White and Ralph speedily found difficulty in overcoming their faults, the former in recovery, the latter in recovery and swing. Ralph gave place to Greville, who, after a fortnight in the seat, went up to bow in the first four, while White was dropped to make place for Braye, Ralph resuming his seat in the boat considerably improved in style. These changes were finally effected about the end of March. Bow and stroke, apparently undismayed by the "changing scenes," worked away steadily, and made good progress. When finally seated, the crew began to come along rapidly, and developed a quick grip of the water, a solid drive, clean, easy recovery, and a steadiness forward which promised good results. There were a number of individual faults, which could not be worked out in the time available, but which did not hamper the crew in any material manner. The blade work, taken all through, was clean and even, in spite of three's square feather, which would have bothered him considerably if rowing against a head wind. The performances of the crew in heat and final are sufficient evidence of the thoroughness of their work as a crew, and they are to be heartily congratulated on their well-deserved success.

The following hints may be useful:

W. L. Vivers, 9st. 10lbs. (bow).—Must remember to get his shoulders up before the legs drive the slide away; to sweep the blade evenly past the poppet; to keep the wrists up as the hands come to the body.

A. S. Braye, 9st. 12lbs. (2).—Required considerably more experience to make a really good oar. Must carry the body drive further back; drop the blade out square, and release the legs a shade sooner on the swing forward. This should check the tendency to drag the slide up with a rush developed in later stage of training.

J. J. Ralph, 11st. 9lbs. (3).—Very awkward; must practice assiduously until he can get his shoulders quicker than his legs, to prevent punted slide. More body travel at finish, and keep shoulders square across boat during drive. Smarter recovery of body, and the drop of the wrists to feather must be acquired.

E. T. Robinson, 9st. 10lbs. (str.).—A good stroke; rowed good style. Set his crew length, swing, steadiness, and smart beginning and recovery; used his judgment well in racing. Requires to keep the body braced at finish; drop the blade out square, and to raise the hands gradually as the catch is approached.

A. R. Litchfield, 5st. 13lbs. (cox).—Very keen; picked up the work quickly, and handled his crew with confidence and judgment; with more practice should make an excellent cox.

AN OLD BOYS' LETTER.

The following is extracted from a letter by A. C. Mack (O.B.) to the Headmaster:—

"In May, 1909, I was at Day Dawn, a goldfield camp in W.A. The following year we returned to New South Wales, where after staying six months, I went to London, leaving my family in Sydney. From London I crossed to Canada, and on to a new goldfield called Porcupine, in Northern Ontario. After spending a year there I came back to London to meet my family. We spent about eight months in England, most of which time we were in Anglesea examining the old Mona copper mine, from which the Romans produced the main part of their copper. In October, 1912, we left London to go to the Troitzk gold mines, in Orenburg, Russia. Our mine was on the south-east slopes of the Urals, on the edge of the steppes, and was sixty miles south of Cheliabinsk, or thirty miles to Nishnivinsk, the nearest railway station. The population was composed chiefly of Tartars and Russians, with a sprinkling of Khirghiz, Bishkirs, and other nomads. The other foreigners besides ourselves consisted of four Englishmen, two women and two babies. In July 1916, the mine closed down, and after spending a few weeks in Moscow and Petrograd, we returned to London at the end of October. By the end of the year I had instructions to go back to the same district to take charge of a mine owned by French and Belgians, which was the biggest gold-quartz mine, but was producing very little at the time. The Russian Government was advancing a million rubles to hasten the development and increase the output, as it was begin-

ning to feel the need of more gold. We got back there on the 1st January (O.S.) 1917, but had not been there a month when I was laid up with typhoid. While I was still in bed the Revolution took place, and by the time I was able to get around again I found a very marked change in the workpeople. They did not take long to find out their strength, and with propaganda going round soon wanted to run things themselves, and of course had everything topsy-turvy in no time, and the mine at a standstill. Although we were threatened often enough, we had always been on good terms with them, so the better amongst them saw that no harm was done us, and allowed us to leave at the end of May. We drove to Cheliabinsk in a troika, while another brought our baggage. There we were fortunate enough to get a train across Siberia, and after eight days, packed like sardines, we landed at Vladivostock. There we could not get any accommodation, so went back to Niekolsk Ussurisk, about forty miles inland, where we found pleasant quarters with an old Russian lady and her daughter.

"From here we moved to Japan, and we had been settled in Kobe for five months, when we went to Korea, where we spent four months with the Seoul Mining Co. At the end of that time we returned to Japan, this time to the Taio Gold Mine, which is in the centre of Kiushiu, the lower of the Japan islands. Last year we left Kiushiu and settled in Kobe, where we still are, but I spend two thirds of my time going over Japan looking at various mines. Although we are all very fond of Japan we hope some day to return to Australia."

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The committee wishes to place on George Blackwood. He was always record its appreciation of the splen- at his post, and was always courteous did service of the late sub-librarian, and capable.

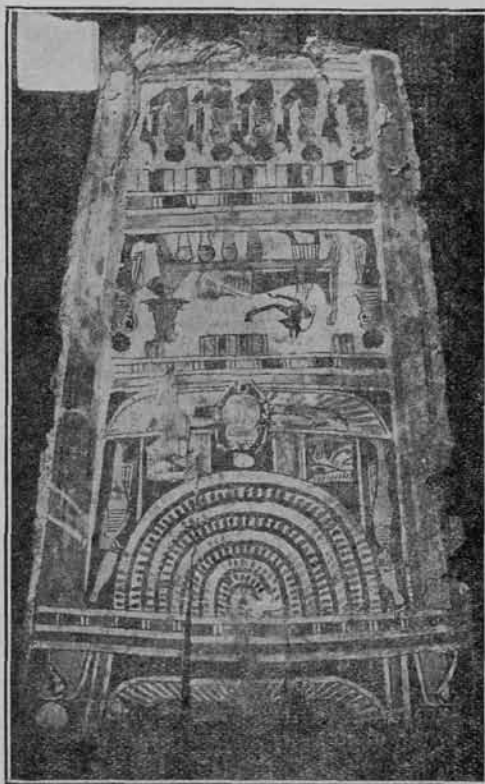
The new sub-librarian is Baker i, who has already given evidence of his efficiency and enthusiasm. In the control of the library he is ably backed by a hard-working committee, consisting of:—Arnot i, Barnes, Beer, Bellingham, Blake, Dixon i, Edwards i, Gaden, Goddard, Henderson, Hudson, Kerr i, McWilliam, O'Kane, Packer i, Reid, Roberts, Swire i, Walker i, Warburton, Wilson ii, Wolstenholme.

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Mrs. Tate presented an exceedingly valuable set of twenty books from the library of the late Mr. Hodges. Included in the gift are volumes 1 to 20 of *The Torch-Bearer*. Another set of *Torch-Bearers*, volumes 15 to 24, was presented by Dr. G. R. Hamilton (Old Boy). This handsomely bound set was donated with the condition that the books are for reference only, and are not to be taken out of the library, a condition which the librarian willingly acceded to. A most interesting gift was a German Encyclopædia in 19 volumes, given by Mr. H. Rhufus, the father of an Old Boy. The boys' fiction section has been greatly augmented by a set of 30 books, presented by S. L. Ab-sell of U.IV. Mod.

Gifts other than books include a magnificent Egyptian rug, presented by Mrs. Ronald Campbell, the mother of an Old Boy, killed in the war, and a mummy mask, presented by Mr.

Ronald Campbell. The mask is a most interesting relic, being part of the cartonnage or envelope enclosing a mummified body. It dates from the Ptolemaic period, about 300 B.C. A reproduction is shown below.



Mummy Mask, presented by Mr. Ronald Campbell.

We also have to thank Mr. W. Thorpe, of the Australian Museum,

for information as to the best method of mounting the mask, and for the interpretation of its sym-

bolic significance. This will be posted in the Library for the information of those interested in Egyptology.

SWIMMING CARNIVAL.

The carnival was held at Lavender Bay on Monday, 20th March, in perfect weather. The results were as follows:—

Event 1.—All Schools' Teams Race.—1, S.G.S.; 2, S.H.S.; 3, S.C.E.G.S. Time, 1min. 50sec.

Event 2.—100 Yards Championship, under 16.—1, Stuart; 2, Walton. Time 64 1-5 secs.

Event 3.—50 Yards Handicap, under 16.—1, Ainsworth; 2, Turner; 3, Warden. Time, 35secs.

Event 4.—50 Yards Championship, under 13.—1, Dickson; 2, Jeans; 3, Heath ii. Time, 37secs.

Event 5.—House Teams, under 14.—1, Hodges; 2, Barry; 3, Robson.

Event 6.—100 Yards School Championship.—1, Stuart; 2, Walton; 3, Shadforth. Time, 1min. 4 4-5secs.

Event 7.—50 Yards Handicap, under 14.—1, Bishop; 2, Kenny; 3, Manning. Time, 41secs.

Event 8.—Diving Championship, under 16.—1, Thompson; 2, Swire; 3, Walton.

Event 9.—50 Yards Championship, under 14.—1, Humfress; 2, Mann; 3, Manning. Time, 35secs.

Event 10.—Greasy Pole.—1, Wilson; 2, Bligh; 3, O'Kane.

Event 11.—50 Yards Championship, open.—1, Stuart; 2, Shadforth; 3, Beer. Time, 25secs.

Event 12.—50 Yards Championship, under 16.—1, Walton; 2, Harris; 3, Turner.

Event 13.—50 Yards Handicap, open.—1, Turner; 2, McDonald; 3, East. Time, 28 4-5secs.

Event 14.—100 Yards Back and Breast Championship.—1, Stuart; 2, Walton; 3, Sautelle.

Event 15.—220 Yards School Championship.—1, Stuart; 2, Walton; 3, Best. Time, 2min. 50 4-5secs.

Event 16.—Diving Championship, open.—1, Thompson; 2, Gaden; 3, Sautelle.

Event 17.—Senior House Teams.—1, School; 2, Barry; 3, Robson. Time, 1min. 56 1-5secs.

Event 18.—100 Yards Back and Breast Stroke Championship.—1, Stuart; 2, Walton.

Event 19.—50 Yards Handicap, open.—1, Wilkinson; 2, Mann; 3, Manning. Time, 33 1-5secs.

Event 20.—Old Boys' Race.—1, Wilshire; 2, Crabbe; 3, Hixson. Time, 29 3-5 secs.

Event 21.—House Teams, under 16.—1, School; 2, Barry; 3, Robson. Time, 1min. 57secs.

Event 22.—50 Yards Handicap, under 13.—1, Forsyth; 2, Roseby; 3, Wilmot. Time, 45secs.

The Headmaster's Cup was won by , and the Under 16 Championship by

The result of the House Swimming Competition was as follows:—

- 1, Barry, 48 points.
- 2, School, 37 points.
- 3, Hodges, 18 points.

McKenzie and his troupe provided a vastly appreciated interlude, which brought Texas (or is it Tennessee) right into "our harbour" head first.

TENNIS.

Tennis, the youngest of the school sports, is making rapid progress. Inter-school matches have been played this term. The first six were successful in upholding our banners against King's School after an exciting tussle.

The lower teams were unsuccessful, but many exciting contests were recorded.

Grammar School six proved too strong for our first six.

House matches were played, but were interfered with by cricket.

Form matches proved very interesting.

Vth C. has shown the most consistent form.

The school has many promising players, including Goddard, Walker i, Baker iii, Ferguson, and Reading amongst the seniors, and Chiplin, Evans i, Hattersley, and Shepherd among the younger players.

Next term we hope to be able to practice on the White City courts as well as at Northbridge.

CRICKET.

1st XI.

The team is a strong one, and with the exception of one match against Newington, has been very successful. In the four competition matches 1406 runs have been scored for the loss of 41 wickets at an average of slightly over 34 runs per man, against 560 runs made by our opponents for the loss of 50 wickets, at an average of slightly over 11 runs per man.

The batting has been brisk, and again with one exception, when the team was completely off form, the rate of scoring has averaged over 100 runs to the hour.

The fielding has been good, and the team well captained by both Harris and Barr. Mackellar has done very well behind the wickets, considering that early in the season he was a junior cadet.

Salmon is developing into a very fine batsman, and later should add one more name to our representatives in international cricket.

The team has felt the loss of Boazman keenly, but in spite of this, has done very well. We take this opportunity of thanking Mr. M. A. Noble for his visit to the nets and hope he will come again.

v. ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

Played at Northbridge on Saturday, March 4, and won by an innings and 96 runs.

The School won the toss and batted first. The batting before lunch was good when the score stood at 221 for 5 wickets. Several members of the team were playing their first competition match, and either from nerves or over care failed, and the innings closed for 244. White played carefully for 78, in fact too much so. He has rather lost a very powerful off-drive

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he was cultivating earlier in the season. Busby (42) played a very vigorous innings, as also did Harris (27); Salmon (37) showed considerable judgment in placing his shots, and was unfortunate in being bowled by a ball that scarcely rose at all. The bowling was never very dangerous, although Galli bowled well early in the game.

Rummery was the only one of the visitors who showed form. Barr bowled very well indeed for 10 wickets for 50—a very fine performance which unfortunately he has been unable to repeat.

S.C.E.G.S., 1st Innings.

Greive, b. Galli	11
Salmon, b. Johnson	37
White (not out)	78
Harris, c. Rummery, b. O'Brien	27
Byers (run out)	17
Busby, b. Wright	42
MacNamara (run out)	23
Reading, b. Galli	0
Cadwallader c. E. Jordan, b. Wright	0
McKellar, l.b.w., b. Wright	1
Barr, c. E. Jordan, b. Wright	0
Sundries	8
	244

Bowling for S.J.C.: Wright, 4 wickets for 44 runs; Galli, 2 for 52; O'Brien, 1 for 55; Johnson, 1 for 37.

S.J.C., 1st Innings.

Farrell, h.o.w., b. Busby	5
O'Brien, b. Busby	0
Flanagan, c. Reading, b. Barr	7
Rummery, c. and b. Barr	22
E. Jordan, b. Barr	1
Ford, c. White, b. Barr	4
F. Jordan, b. White	1
Hamilton, b. White	12
Johnson, b. White	1
Wright (not out)	3
Galli, b. Barr	0
Sundries	2
	58

Bowling for S.C.E.G.S.: Barr, 5 wickets for 16 runs; White, 3 for 10; Busby, 2 for 17.

S.J.C., 2nd Innings.

Farrell, c. Cadwallader, b. Barr	8
O'Brien, b. Barr	1
Wright, c. Greive, b. Barr	10
Hamilton, b. White	12
F. Jordan, l.b.w., b. Barr	2
Galli, b. MacNamara	14
Ford, l.b.w., b. White	6
Rummery, l.b.w., b. Busby	13
E. Jordan, b. Barr	5
Flanagan (not out)	0
Johnson, l.b.w., b. White	10
Sundries	9
	90

Bowling for S.C.E.G.S.: Barr, 5 wickets for 34 runs; White, 3 for 22; Busby, 1 for 9; MacNamara, 1 for 1.

v. SCOTS' COLLEGE.

Played at Northbridge on Saturday, March 11th and won by 340 runs on the first innings.

The School again won the toss and elected to bat. The batting was consistently good, while Byers and Cadwallader severely punished the bowling. Byers' innings of 145 was without a single chance and one of the finest innings played as yet on the oval. He scored 76 in boundary strokes, most of which were made on the leg side. Cadwallader's 84 not out was an excellent effort, including 12 fours. He showed judgment in placing his cover drive, which was hard and clean. The innings closed with 4 runs short of 500. The Scots' College was a very much improved team than when we played them last season; the fielding was good and Cameron (45 not out) showed promise as a batsman. Barr ii (37) and Robinson (39) also batted very well. They showed more speculation and dash than on previous occasions, and carried the game on to a second day. Harris and Busby both bowled well for the School, with 4 wickets each.

S.C.E.G.S., 1st Innings.

Salmon, h.o.w., b. Robinson	17
Greive, caught, b. Barr ii.	36
White (run out)	23
Harris, caught, b. Warton	29
Byers, caught, b. Barr ii	145
Busby, b. Jackson	43
MacNamara, l.b.w., b. Warton	13
Crossman h.o.w., b. Warton	4
Cadwallader (not out)	84
McKellar, b. Barr i.	25
Barr, caught, b. Barr i	25
Sundries	48

496

Bowling for T.S.C.: Warton, 3 wickets for 70 runs; Barr i, 2 for 60; Barr ii, 2 for 38; Robinson, 1 for 53; Jackson, 1 for 66.

T. S. C., 1st Innings.

Barr ii, b. Busby	37
Munro, b. Busby	11
Warton, b. Harris	1
Cameron (not out)	45
C. Smith ii, b. White	0
Barr i, b. Barr	3
Robinson, b. Busby	39
McGregor, b. Harris	6
C. Smith i, l.b.w., b. Harris	0
Jackson, b. Harris	0
Webster, caught, b. Busby	2
Sundries	12

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Bowling for S.C.E.G.S.: Harris, 4 wickets for 29 runs; Busby, 4 for 24; Barr, 1 for 38; White, 1 for 30.

v. NEWINGTON COLLEGE.

Played at Stanmore, on Saturday, March 18th, and lost by 94 runs on the first innings.

The School won the toss and batted first, which although technically correct, was unfortunate on a strange ground. With the exception of Harris and Salmon, the School's batting failed, due partly to the difference between the ground and our

own. The Newington wicket is always a little fiery in comparison to the one at Northbridge, which although very fast does not rise high. Again Bardsley bowled excellently, using his swing to the best possible advantage.

For Newington, Gemmell batted very well. For the School, Salmon and Busby were the most successful bowlers, with 4 wickets each.

The second innings was more promising, Salmon batted quite up to form for 60, making good use of his cover drive.

S.C.E.G.S., 1st Innings.

Salmon, c. Bardsley, b. Gemmell	27
Greive, b. Whiteman	8
White, c. Bardsley, b. Gemmell	1
Harris, c. Bardsley, b. McCoy	30
Byers, c. Becker, b. Bardsley	3
Busby, b. Bardsley	0
McNamara, b. Bardsley	0
Cadwallader, b. Bardsley	1
Crossman, c. Gemmell, b. McCoy	5
Mackellar, l.b.w., b. Bardsley	1
Barr (not out)	0
Sundries	4

Total, 80

Bowling: Bardsley, 5 for 21; Gemmell, 2 for 34; McCoy, 2 for 19; Whiteman, 1 for 2.

N.C. 1st Innings.

Asprey, c. Mackellar, b. Busby	14
Rofe, b. Barr	0
McCoy, c. Greive, b. Busby	21
Bardsley, b. Busby	30
Webster, b. Busby	4
Gemmell, b. Salmon	52
Mackay, b. Salmon	23
Maiden (run out)	0
Becker (not out)	20
Powter, b. Salmon	1
Whiteman, b. Salmon	0
Sundries	11

Total, 176

Bowling: Salmon, 4 for 31; Busby, 4 for 38; Barr, 1 for 32.

S.C.E.G.S., 2nd Innings.

Salmon, c. Maiden, b. Rofe	60
Greive, b. Gemmell	4
White (not out)	11
Crossman (not out)	5
Sundries	17

Total for 3 wickets, 101

Bowling: Rofe, 1 for 13; Gemmell, 1 for 13; Mackay, 1 for 18.

v. SYDNEY HIGH SCHOOL.

Played at Northbridge on Saturday, March 25th, and won by 405 runs on the 1st innings.

High School with the toss and elected to go in to the wickets. Dexter (20) and King (14) were the only batsmen to reach double figures. Their innings closed with 80 made in two hours. For the School, White (6 for 30) bowled well, and luck never unduly favoured him. The School commenced its innings shortly before lunch. McNamara was caught and bowled for 76. Salmon (125) played a chanceless innings in his best style. Cadwallader (83) and Greive (82) punished the bowling severely. White was again steady for 41. The School lost 8 wickets for 485, made in 4 and a quarter hours. For High School, King (5 for 111) was the most useful bowler, but all were punished freely after lunch.

In the first hour of the afternoon Salmon and McNamara added 135 to the total. Both batsmen scored freely, McNamara chiefly from on and straight drives, Salmon with shots all round the wicket.

Sydney High School, 1st Innings.

Dexter (run out)	20
Ryan, l.b.w., b. White	11
Virgoe, b. Busby	1
Newton, c. Barr, b. White	9
King, b. White	14
Hardy, b. White	0
Mortimer (not out)	3
Olive, b. White	2

Elliot, b. White	7
Swinburne (run out)	0
Lessing (absent)	0
Sundries	13

80

Bowling: White, 6 for 30; Busby, 1 for 13.

S.C.E.G.S., 1st Innings.

Salmon, b. King	125
McNamara, c. and b. Hardy	76
White, b. King	41
Byers, b. King	0
Cadwallader, b. Mortimer	83
Greive, b. Virgoe	82
Busby, b. King	9
Mackellar, b. King	25
Barr (not out)	10
Crossman (not out)	12
Sundries	22

Total for 8 wickets, 485

Bowling: King, 5 for 111; Virgoe, 1 for 61; Hardy, 1 for 55; Mortimer, 1 for 48.

The following are the averages for term:—

Batting.

	No. of Innings.	Not out.	Highest score.	Total	Av.
H. N. Cadwallader	4	1	84(n.o.)	178	59.3
B. M. Salmon	4	—	125	266	53.2
R. J. White	5	2	78(n.o.)	154	51.3
J. H. Byers	4	—	145	178	41.25
R. G. O. Harris	3	—	30	86	28.7
M. Greive	5	—	82	141	28.2
K. McNamara	4	—	76	112	28
G. J. Busby	5	1	43	99	24.7
L. L. S. Barr	3	1	29	39	19.5
G. Mackellar	4	—	25	52	13
C. Crossman	4	1	12(n.o.)	25	8.3

Bowling.

	Runs.	Wickets.	Overs.
R. J. White	111	13	8.7
G. J. Busby	112	12	9.3
L. L. S. Barr	141	12	10.2
M. Salmon	49	4	12.25

2nd XI.

This term only about six weeks' cricket was possible; even then rain stopped one match altogether, and another after two hours' play. The three competition games were won by us, that with St. Joseph's College by a margin of only seven runs, Laurie saved the side with some excellent bowling, when a win for S.J.C. seemed a foregone conclusion. Again, after leading on the 1st innings with the fairly comfortable margin of 74 in the T.S.C. match, we collapsed in the 2nd innings, and, at the call of time, T.S.C. needed 14 runs with 1 wicket to fall. The batting of the whole side was steadily improving, Joule, Carter, C. Cadwallader ii, and Gosling may be specially mentioned. In bowling, Laurie stood out—he mixes his deliveries well. H. M. Hardy, Joule and Gosling gave valuable help with the ball. The ground fielding was good, but the catching was very patchy.

Results of Competition matches were as follows:—

v. S.J.C.—S.C.E.G.S., 167 (Crossman 42, Joule 38, Hardy 43); S.J.C., 160 (Laurie 8 wickets for 74.)

v. T.S.C.—S.C.E.G.S., 173 (Eagles 57), and 63; T.S.C. 99 (Laurie, 7 for 58) and 123 for 9 wickets.

v. N.C.—N.C., 89 (Laurie, 4 for 41, Joule 3 for 19) and 124; S.C.E.G.S., 135 (Reading 25) and 91 for 1 wicket (Carter 33 not out, C. Cadwallader ii 30).

3rd XI.

v. T.K.S.—Won by 106. School, 198 (Shadforth 49, Chapman 26, Wormald 26,

Fry 26, Manchee 23); T.K.S., 92. Bowling: Harris 3 wickets, Hardy 2, Smith 2, Shadforth 2.

v. S.J.C.—Won by 91. School, 190 (Smith 48, Chapman 32, Goddard 23 not out, Carey 22, Fry 20); S.J.C., 90. Bowling: Hardy 4 for 27, Smith 2 for 21, Goddard 2 for 0, Harris 1 for 10.

v. N.C.—Won by 20. School 94 (Hyndes 44, Coote 14 not out); N.C., 74.

v. S.G.S.—Drawn. School, 169 (Baker 37, Chapman 28, Ralston 14, Harris 14 not out, Sheather 11, Ramsden 10); S.G.S., 8 for 94. Bowling: Harris 2 wickets, Baker 2, Shadforth, Ramsden, Ralston 1 each.

4th XI.

v. T.K.S.—Drawn. School 101 for 9 wickets (Warden 20, Williamson 18 n.o., Hickson 18, Braye 11 n.o.); T.K.S., 104. Bowling: Warden 2 for 16, Cobb 2 for 20, Goddard 2 for 24.

v. S.J.C.—Won by 124 runs. School, 146 (Coote 58, Warden 32, Hickson 24); S.J.C., 22. Bowling: Williamson 5 for 3, Henderson 3 for 2.

v. N.C.—Won by 14 runs. School, 132 (Smith ii. 31, Sheather 18, Henderson 18, Byrne 18 n.o., Allen 16 n.o., Williamson 12); N.C., 118. Bowling: Warden 4 for 28, Henderson 3 for 27.

v. S.G.S.—Won by 5 wickets and 17 runs. School 153 and 5 for 48 (Tyrrell 51 n.o., Scott 35 and 18, Walker 23, Merewether 16); S.G.S., 57 and 127. Bowling: Allen 10 for 28, Warden 6 for 37.

5th XI.

v. S.J.S.—Lost by 21. School, 7 for 87 (Merrett 19, Doyle 18); S.J.C., 108. Bowling: Humphress 1 for 4, Swire 2 for 16, Merrett 1 for 32.

v. N.C.—Won by 9.—School 198 (Douglas 60, Adam 49 not out, Ellis 25); N.C., 189. Bowling: Brownhill 3 for 29, Adam 2 for 29, Swire i. 2 for 28.

v. S.G.S.—Won by 103. School, 114 (Douglas 35, Alexander 16, Fowler ii. 15). S.G.S., 11. Bowling: Merrett 6 for 8, Adams 4 for 1.

6th XI.

v. T.K.S.—Won by 54 runs. School, 107 (Douglas 33); T.K.S., 86. Bowling: Swire i. 4 for 30, Paige 3 for 18.

v. S.J.C.—Lost by 44 runs. School, 75 (Hattersley 33, Davison 19); S.J.C., 119. Bowling: Hattersley 3 wickets, Ashe 3 wickets.

v. N.C.—Won by 54 runs. School, 85 (Waller i. 45 retired, Holmes iii. 12); N.C., 31. Bowling: Jones 4 for 15, Hattersley 4 for 14.

v. S.G.S.—Won by 30 runs. School, 99 (Holden 25, Ashford 22, Ashe 19, Davison 16); S.G.S., 69. Bowling: Hattersley 5 for 33; Jones ii. 3 for 20, Ashe 2 for 2.

7th XI.

v. St. Aloysius College.—Lost by 32. School, 68 (Bennett 16, Jones 12); S.A.C., 100. Bowling: Pitt 2 wickets, Lane 3, Eagles ii. 2.

v. St. Aloysius College. Won by 22. School, 76 (Hattersley 28, Ashford 13, Eagles ii. 12); S.A.C., 54. Bowling: Eagles ii. 4 wickets, Pitt 3, Ashford 2.

v. N.C.—Won by 28. School, 80 (Jones 15, Eagles ii. 13, England 12); N.C. 52. Bowling: Pitt 4 wickets, Ashford 3, Eagles ii. 2.

v. S.G.S.—Won by 52. School, 104 (Murdoch 44, Bennett 18); S.G.S., 25. Bowling: Murdoch 2 wickets, Eagles ii. 3, Waller ii. 2.

HOUSE CRICKET.

The results were as follows:—

- 1st, School, 38 points.
- 2nd, Barry, 32½ points.
- 3rd, Robson, 22½ points.
- 4th, Hodges, 6 points.

The boys responsible for the management of teams and practices are to be congratulated for the way in which their work was carried out.

1sts.

BARRY v. ROBSON.

Barry and Robson tied for first place; School was 3rd and Robson 4th.

Barry and Robson drew.

Barry, 1st Innings.

	runs.
Salmon	57
Cadwallader i.	11
Cadwallader ii.	1
Byers	60
Read	14
Goddard	2
Hyndes	0
Sundries	13

Six wickets for 158

Bowling for Robson: White, 3 for 54; Greive, 2 for 35; Harris, 0 for 24; Baker, 0 for 22.

Robson, 1st Innings.

Mackellar	42
Greive	15
White	0
Eagles	8
Ramsden	7
Baker	30
Arnott	1
O'Kane	7
Manchee	0
Sundries	21

Total 128

Bowling for Barry: Salmon, 5 for 77; Cadwallader, 0 for 20; Smith, 1 for 9; Goddard, 0 for 12; Ralston, 0 for 9; Byers, 1 for 18; Merrett, 1 for 10.

RESULT: Barry 6 for 158; Robson, 7 for 128. Drawn game.

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BARRY v. HODGES.

Barry beat Hodges by 5 wickets and 3 runs.

Hodges, 1st Innings.

Carter	8
Hardy	1
Joule	0
Alexander ii	1
Scott	12
Henderson	20
Allen	0
McWilliam	0
Shepherd	5
Craig	13
Gaden	1
Sundries	33

Total 94

Bowling for Hodges.—Carter, 2 wickets for 24 runs; Allen, 5 for 9.

Barry, 1st Innings.

Salmon	2
Cadwallader ii	0
Byers	43
Cadwallader i	36
Fowler, not out	3
Goddard, not out	3
Hyndes	2
Sundries	8

Total for 9 wickets 97

Bowling for Barry.—Salmon, 1 wicket for 22 runs; Read, 3 for 13; Cadwallader, 1 for 5; Byers, 3 for 24; Smith, 1 for 1.

SCHOOL v. HODGES.

Won by School, 130 to 72.

School, 1st Innings.

McNamara, b Joule	1
Barr, c off Alexander	6
Busby, b Joule	0
Hardy i, c off Hardy ii	51
Crossman, st. off Alexander	1
Reading, c off Alexander	11
Gosling, b. Allen	14

Laurie, c off Hardy ii	5
Chapman, b Joule	11
Shadforth, b Joule	14
Henderson, not out	7
Sundries	9

Total 130

Bowling for Hodges.—Joule, 4 wickets for 30 runs; Hardy ii, 2 for 28; Alexander, 2 for 50; Allen, 1 for 16.

Hodges, 1st Innings.

Carter, b Hardy i	6
Hardy ii, h.o.w., b. Barr	1
Alexander, b Busby	1
Joule, h.o.w., b. Hardy i	13
Scott, b Shadforth	21
Henderson, run out	4
Allen, c Barr, b Busby	9
McWilliam, b Shadforth	2
Shepherd, not out	4
Craig, b Shadforth	1
Gaden, b Busby	1
Sundries	9

Total 72

Bowling for School.—Busby, 3 wickets for 4 runs; Shadforth, 3 for 7; Hardy i, 2 for 12; Barr, 1 for 27.

SCHOOL v. ROBSON.

Robson beat School.

School, 1st Innings.

Macnarama, c and b Greive	13
Barr, c Greive, b White	1
Busby, c MacKellar, b Greive	21
Hardy, run out	24
Crossman, c. Greive, b. Baker	1
Reading, b Greive	13
Gosling, not out	0
Laurie, lbw, b Greive	0
Chapman, c Ramsden, b White	4
Shadforth, c O'Kane, b Greive	6
Carey, b Greive	6
Sundries	12

Total 126

Robson, 1st Innings.

Greive, b Busby	16
MacKellar, run out	2
White, lbw, b Busby	49
Egles, b Hardy	4
Manhee, run out	33
Arnott, c and b Shadforth	12
Ramsden, b Busby	25
Baker, not out	22
Sundries	13

Total, seven wickets for . . . 187

Barry beat School.
Robson beat Hodges.

2nds.

Barry won all its matches. School was second, and Robson third.

FIRST ROUND.

School beat Robson by 5 wickets for 72 to 51. For School: Tyrrell 16 (retired), Cobb 16, Smith ii 5 wickets. For Robson: Paige 19; Merewether, 2 wickets.

Barry beat Hodges by 9 runs. For Hodges (71): Coote 15, Melville 14, Gaden 3 wickets. For Barry (8 for 75): Read 33 and 6 wickets, Merrett ii. 14 and 2 wickets.

Hodges beat Robson by 50. For Hodges (1 for 126): Coote 76 (not out), Evans 34 (not out), Coote 4 for 34, and Gaden 2 for 19. For Robson (7 for 76): Walker i 35.

Barry defeated School by 21 runs. For Barry (6 for 83): Alexander i 34 (not out), Warren 25, Brownhill 4 wickets for 18 runs. For School: 7 for 62, Tyrrell 19, Cobb 13 (not out), Smith ii 14 and 4 wickets for 27 runs.

School beat Hodges by 4 wickets and 26 runs. For School: Tyrrell 21 (retired), Smith ii 6 wickets for 14 runs. For Hodges: Gaden 15, Coote and Langley 2 wickets each.

Barry beat Robson by 56 for 4 wickets to 51 for 6 wickets. For Barry: Read ii

27 (not out) and 3 wickets, Byrne ii 13 and 2 wickets. For Robson: Hickson 33, Walker ii 3 wickets.

SECOND ROUND.

Barry defeated School by 40 runs. Barry (9 for 89): Read 50 not out, Alexander 17; Read 4 wickets, Byrne ii 2 wickets. School (49): Adam 16, Jones 7, Cobb 6; Smith ii 3 wickets, Warden 2 wickets.

Robson beat School by 59 to 42. For Robson: Maclean 21, Hickson 6 wickets. Walker ii 3 wickets. For School: Tyrrell 22 and 4 wickets, Cobb 3 wickets.

School beat Hodges by 19 runs. For School: Smith ii 51 (retired), Tyrrell 34 (retired). For Hodges: Shepherd 23, Evans 27 (retired) and 2 wickets.

Barry beat Hodges by 126 for 3 wickets to 79 for 9 wickets. For Barry: Bannister 42 and 3 wickets, Fowler 25 (not out), Alexander 20, Merrett ii 3 wickets. For Hodges: Shepherd i 32, Black 15 (not out), Perks i 2 wickets.

Barry beat Robson by 122 for 7 wickets to 116. For Barry: Brownhill 50 (not out) and 4 wickets, Alexander i 26, Swire i 16 and 4 wickets for 17. For Robson: Merewether 19, Paige 18, and 2 wickets. Walker i 21 and 5 wickets for 30.

Robson beat Hodges by 140 to 82. For Robson: Walker i 34, Paige 29, Williamson 24, Walker ii 2 wickets. For Hodges: Douglas 35, Tress 20 and 2 wickets, for 54, Langley 5 for 43.

3rds.

School, winning all its matches, 1; Robson, 2; Barry, 3.

FIRST ROUND.

School beat Robson by 53. School (106): McNally 46, Brown 16, McNally 7, Denby 2, and Scarvell 1 secured the wickets. Robson (53): Wilson 14, Hurd 14, Holmes 4, Wilkinson 3, and Lane 3 secured the wickets.

Hodges (134) beat Barry (60). For Hodges: Melville 34, Douglas 38, Mason 18, Venables 16, Major 10; Shaw 5 for 18, Major 3 for 2, Venables 2 for 14. For Barry: Brennan i. 11, Ashford 16, Hattersley 4 for 50, Heath i 3 for 2, Ashford 2 for 7.

Robson beat Hodges. Robson made 84 for 3 wickets. McCausland 53 (not out), Fletcher 10 (not out); Scott 4 for 10, Lane 2 for 6. Hodges made 55 for 9 wickets. Patrick 16 runs and 3 wickets for 26.

Barry (88) defeated Robson (50) by 38 runs. For Barry: Hattersley 40 and 8 wickets, Holden 16, Brennan 11. For Robson: Booth 23, Scott 2 wickets.

School beat Barry by 116 to 96. For School: Hudson 31, Waller 19; Waller ii 2 wickets, Ashe 3 wickets. For Barry: Ashford 29, Hattersley 4 wickets, Taylor 3 wickets.

School defeated Hodges by 51 runs. School, 103 (Turner 22, Walker i 17, Shields 11; Denby 3 wickets, Hudson 2 wickets. Hodges, 52 (Hipsley 24, Mason 13; Patrick and Simpson 3 wickets each).

SECOND ROUND.

Robson beat Hodges by 114 for 7 wickets to 81. For Robson: Holmes 32 and 1 wicket, Scott 32 and 5 wickets for 27, Lane 17 (not out). For Hodges: Douglass 46 and 2 wickets for 34, Simpson 2 wickets.

Robson beat Barry by 175 to 118. For Robson: Booth 43 (not out), Lane 30, Holmes i 3 for 26, Scott 17 and 3 wickets for 32. For Barry: Heath 50 and 3 wickets for 58, Byrne 19 (not out).

School beat Hodges by 224 to 109. For School: Hudson 71 (retired), McNally 40, Turner 38, Denby 6 for 42, McNally 3 for 42, Waller ii 1 for 5. For Hodges: Melville 38, Simpson 31, Black 14, Patrick 4 for 32, Melville 2 for 20.

Barry beat Hodges by 72 to 64. For Barry: Hattersey 11, Ashford 10; Taylor 9 wickets (including 4 wickets with 4 consecutive balls). For Hodges: Melville

43, Simpson ii and Patrick 4 wickets each.

School beat Barry by 87 to 85. For School: Hudson 16, Turner 15, Waller ii 14 (not out) and 2 wickets, McNally 6 wickets. For Barry: Heath 33, Newell 19 (not out), Hattersley and Taylor 4 wickets each, Holden 2.

School beat Robson by 211 for 5 wickets to 74. For School: McNally 101 (retired) and 4 wickets, Turner 43, Hudson 28, Denby 2 wickets. For Robson: McCausland 32 (not out), Wilson i 17 and 1 wicket, Scott 2 wickets.

4ths.

School, 1; Barry, 2; Robson, 3.
School won the first round, Barry the second.

FIRST ROUND.

School beat Robson. School (60): Murdoch 21, Johnson 15, Slessor 4 wickets, Waller ii and Heane i 2 wickets each; Robson 41, Middleton 13 and 4 wickets, White iv 3 wickets.

Barry Defeated Hodges. For Barry: Graham 37 (not out), Edwards ii 33, Scott ii 8, Stuart 4 wickets, Edwards and Keegan 3 wickets each. For Hodges: Simpson iv 18, Dixon 10 (not out), Coates 8, Down 6 wickets.

Robson beat Hodges by 86 to 33. For Robson: Wilkinson 23 and 2 wickets for 4, Horder 15 (retired), Middleton 6 for 19. For Hodges: Simpson ii 6 for 35.

Robson beat Barry by 43 to 32.
School beat Barry, 97 to 36. For School: Heane i 20, Walker ii 17, Ashe 5 wickets, Sless or 4 wickets. For Barry: Thomas i 14, Edwards 6 wickets.

Hodges beat School by 66 to 42. For Hodges: Down 28 and 4 wickets, Davies 16, Simpson 3 wickets. For School: Waller ii 5 wickets, Harvey 3 wickets.

SECOND ROUND.

School beat Robson by 157 to 34. For School: Rawlinson 63, Harvey 20, Waller

ii 4 wickets, England 5 wickets. For Robson: White 3 wickets, Lugsdin 2 wickets.

Barry beat School.

Robson obtained a forfeit from Hodges.

School beat Hodges by 148 to 36. For School: Murdock 58, Slessor 32, Rawlinson 21, Waller ii 3 wickets, Heane i 3 wickets. For Hodges: Coates 5 wickets, Neale 2, Walters ii 2.

Barry beat Robson. For Barry: Thomas i 55 (retired) and 3 wickets, Byrne i 51, Edwards ii 5 wickets. For Robson: J. White 12, Middleton 3 wickets.

Barry beat Hodges by 109 to 17. For Barry: Wilson iv 34 and 4 wickets, Alcorn 25, Thomas i 20, Edwards ii 4 wickets. For Hodges: Down 6 wickets, Neil 2 wickets.

5ths.

School (winning all its matches), 1; Barry, 2; Robson, 3.

FIRST ROUND.

School defeated Robson by 40. School 62 (Jones i 25, Eagles ii 15, England 5 wickets). Robson, 22 (Napier 9 and 4 wickets).

Barry (39) defeated Hodges (24). For Barry: Alcorn 6, Bradfield ii. 6, Swire ii. 6, Bradfield 3 wickets, Brennan ii 3 wickets. For Hodges: Neale 6, Westbrook 5, Kelso and Neale 3 wickets each.

Hodges (64) beat Robson (20) by 44 runs. For Hodges: Neale 15, Kopsch 14, Stevens 9; Kopsch 5 wickets, Neale 2 wickets; Perkins fielded well. For Robson: Hutchison 7, Arnheim 5 wickets, Simpson 3 wickets.

Robson defeated Barry by 46 runs. Robson, 101. (Gill 31, Simpson 29 and 6 wickets, Gill 2 wickets). Barry, 55 (Brennan 13, Harland 13, Bradfield 4 wickets, Alcorn 3 wickets).

School defeated Barry. School, 115 for 4 wickets (England 30 and 3 wickets Bray 29, Thane 27, White 13 and 3 wickets). Barry, 18.

School defeated Hodges by 25 runs. School, 116 (Jones i 59, England 29 and 4 wickets). Hodges, 91 (Westbrook 26, Long 18).

SECOND ROUND.

School defeated Barry by 50 runs. School, 67 (White 19, England 24 and 5 wickets, Jones i 5 wickets).

Robson beat Hodges by 59 for 6 wickets to 30 for 9 wickets. For Robson: Arnheim 17 runs and 5 wickets, Marshall 14 (not out).

School beat Hodges by 170 to 54. For School: Eagles ii 59 (retired), England 51 and 6 wickets, White 22 and 3 wickets, Jones i 16. For Hodges: Perkins 37.

Barry beat Robson by 84 to 34. For Barry: Pitt 42 (not out) and 2 wickets, Thomas 3 wickets.

Barry beat Hodges. For Barry: Alcorn 14, Pitt 11 and 2 wickets, Bradfield ii 5 wickets. For Hodges: Bertie 2 wickets.

School beat Robson by 69 to 68. For School: Jones i 30, England 12, Eagles ii 5 wickets. For Robson: Marshall 20, Gourlay 16, Arnheim 10 and 5 wickets.

6ths.

School (winning both rounds), 1; Barry, 2; Hodges, 3.

FIRST ROUND.

School defeated Robson by 15 runs. For School: Shepherd 17, Boazman 15, Carson ii 7, Shepherd 2 wickets, Boazman 3 wickets, Carey ii 2 wickets.

Barry defeated Hodges by an innings and 12 runs. For Barry: Thomas ii 13, Bradford 12, Thomas 10 wickets. For Hodges: Holmes ii, Musgrove, Wollett, 1 wicket each.

Hodges beat Robson by 146 to 100. For Hodges: Blundell 51, Wollett 34. For Robson: Gaul 54, Molloy 20.

Barry beat Robson by 34 runs. For Barry (59): Thomas ii 40 and 7 wickets. For Robson: Morgan ii 4, and Gaul 3 wickets.

School (52) defeated Barry (40) by 3 runs. For School: Campbell 22, Vowell 10, Wilson 4 wickets, Boazman 2 wickets.

School defeated Hodges by 25 runs. For School: Campbell 24, Ayrton 6, Boazman 5 for 6, Carey ii 3 wickets for 4. For Hodges: Holmes 4 wickets for 22, Woollett 2 for 16.

SECOND ROUND.

School won by forfeit from Hodges. Barry and School drew (44 all). For

Barry: Thomas ii 21 and 7 wickets. For School: Wilson iii 14 runs and the hat trick, Shepherd 4 wickets.

Barry beat Robson by 79 to 17. For Barry: Roseby 21 (not out), Thomas ii 6 wickets. For Robson: Wilson 4 wickets.

Hodges beat Robson by an innings and 37 runs. For Hodges: Wollett 20, Martin 16. For Robson: Hunter 11.

Hodges obtained a forfeit from Barry.

ABDUL KHAN.

Abdul Khan was a Pathan man,
A bold horse-dealer he;
Throughout the land his caravan
Went from the Aral Sea
Through India and Turkestan
South to Trichnoly.

His flowing beard was dyed red,
He was both lithe and strong,
His face was proud, and on his head
He wore a turban long,
Bedecked with many rubies red
For which had come much wrong.

As he went down by Peshawar
With horses at his back,
Some foes they spied him from afar
And hastened to the track,
Intending there his way to bar
And there his skull to crack.

Three men there were, and everyone
With him had deadly feud
Concerning wrongs which he had
done,
Wrongs which should now be
rued.

One man was armed with a gun
And two with weapons crude.

They fell on him with one accord
As up the pass he came;
His good stick stretch'd one on the
sword
And did another maim;
And then the last, seeing the reward
Of fighting, fled in shame.

A gunshot rang across the hills—
The maimed man's aim was bad;
And then to all his human ills
And end came: death is sad;
But self-protection pity kills
And Abdul felt quite glad.

And now he left the unconscious foe,
And rode upon his way.
A family feud he'd settled, so
Their lives all foes must pay;
This all who fight with Abdul know,
This all the tribesmen say.

L. F. FITZHARDINGE.

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION.

	English.	History.	Geography.	Maths. I.	Maths. II	Latin.	French.	Physics.	Geology.	Business Principles.
Absell, S. L.				B	B	B	B	A		
Armstrong, J. McL.				B	B				B	B
Baker, G. F.	B		B	B	B			B	B	
Beer, A. H.	B		B	B	B			B	B	B
Bradfield, S. G.	B			A	A	A	A	B		
Byrne, C. B.	B			B	B	B	B	B		
Carlile, R. B.	B			B	B		B	B	B	
Davison, N.	B	B		B	A		B			
Dryhurst, C. R.	B			B	B	B				
Dunstan, J. W.	B			B	A	A	A	B		
Fletcher, J. K.	B			A	A	A	B	B		
Ford, T. R.	B			A	A	A	A	A		
Furnes, G. C.				B	B	B	B	B		
Graham, C. R.	B			B	B	B	B			
Greville, A. J.	B	B		B	B	A	A			
Heane, A. McL.	B			B	B	B	B	A		
Henderson, I. W. B.	B	B	B	B	B	B	B		B	
Holden, E. K.	B			A	A	B	B	B		
Holmes, T. A. G.	A			B	A	A	A	A		
Houston, R. L.	B	B				A	B			
Johnson, L. M.	B	B		A	B	B	B			
Kelso, J.	B			B	B	B	B	B		
Mander-Jones, G.				B	B	B	B	B		
McNamara, K.				B	B		B	B		
Neilson, J. Y.	B			A	B	B		B		
Newell, A. R. E.				A	B	B	B			
Old, G. S.	B			A	A	B	B	B		
Packer, P.	B			A	B	A	B			
Pilcher, J. H.	B	B		B	B	B	B			
Richards, F. J.		B		B	B	B	B			
Retchford, C. W.	B		B	B	B				B	B

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION.—Continued.

	English.	History.	Geography	Maths. I.	Maths. II	Latin.	French.	Physics.	Geology.	Business Principles.
Roberts, R. B.	B			B	B			B	B	B
Scott, T. M.	A	B		B	B	B				
Shaw, R. E.	B			B	B	B	B			
Shorter, A. A.				B	B	B		B		
Sloane, J.				B	B	B		B		
Smith, D. K.				A	A	B	B	B		
Smith, G. R.				B	B	B	B	B		
Smith, S. McK.	B			B	A	B	B			
Swire, E. M.	B			B	A	A	A	B		
Taylor, G. M.	B	B		B	B	B				
Thane, E. D.	B			A	B	A	B	B		
Thomas, G. M.	B					B	B	B		
Uther, A. W.	B				B	B		B		
Warden, D. A.				B	B	B	B			
Weir, N. G.			B	B	B				B	B
Osborne, J.	A			B			L	B		

Armstrong passed also A in Music; Holmes A in Music, B in Art; Shaw, B in Art. Kelso A in Shorthand.

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Arts: B. J. F. Wright, R. A. Gilfillan, F. H. Doyle.

Law: J. H. Yeldham.

Medicine: F. A. Bellingham, R. G. O. Harris, B. W. Windeyer.

Engineering: J. H. Todhunter.

Matriculation.—In addition to those who qualified in the L.C. Examination, the following passed in March Matric. Examination:—A. F. Baldock, G. M. Blackwood,

S. C. Campbell, R. M. Gibson, J. W. Osborne, A. R. Shaw, F. B. Uther.

HONOUR LIST AT L.C. EXAM.

Bellingham—English and Greek.

Blake—Mathematics and Physics.

Campbell—Physics.

Gibson—English.

Howard—Modern History.

Ludovici—Modern History.

Todhunter—Mathematics and Physics.

Uther—Physics.

Ward—English.

Windeyer—English and Latin.

LEAVING CERTIFICATE AND MATRICULATION EXAMINATION

	English.	Latin.	French.	Maths. I.	Maths. II.	Mechanics.	Modern History.	Ancient History.	Physics.	Greek.
Baker, H. W.	A	B	B	B	B				B	
Baldock, A. F.	B		B	B	B		B			
Bellingham, F. A.	H	A	B	B	B			B		H
Blake, A. P.	A		B	A	A	A			H	
Boazman, H. T.	B	B	B				B	B		
Bradfield, A. J.	B	B	B	B	B	B				
*Campbell, S. C.	B			B	B				H	
Dawson, B. P.	B	B	B	B	B			A		
Doyle, F. H.	B	A	B	A	A			A		
Gibson, A. R. M.	H		B	B	B				L	
Gilfillan, R. A.	B	B	A	B			B			
Gordon, C. P.	B	B	B	B	B				B	
Griffiths, A. L.	B		B	B	B					
Harris, R. G. O.	B	B	A	A	B	B			A	
Hickson, R. R. B.	B	B	A	B	B		B			
Howard, Max.	A	B	B	B			H	A		
Ludowici, F. A.	B	A	B				H	A		
Pannifex, H.	B	B	B	B	B					
Perrett, D. G.	B			B				B	B	
Scammell, G. V.	B	L	B		B				B	
Scott, R. B.	B	B		B					B	
Shaw, A. R.	B	L		B	B					
Stobo, M. S.	B	B	B	B	B				L	
Throsby, G. F.	A	B	A	B	B					
Todhunter, J. H.	B		A	A	A	A			H	
Uther, F. B.		B	B	B	B				H	
Warburton, P. A. S.	B	B	B	A	A	B			B	
Ward, K. C. D.	H	L	B	A	B	B			B	
Wilson, W. J. S.	A	B	B	B			A			
Windeyer, B. W.	H	H	A	B	A					A
Wright, B. J. F.	B	B	B	B			A	A		
Yeldham, J. H.	A	B	A	B			A	B		

Blake, Campbell, Gibson, and Todhunter passed also in English and Geography for Engineering Matriculation.

* Passed also B in Chemistry.

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ANNUAL SCHOOL DRAMATIC AND MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT (DECEMBER, 1921).

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
To Sale of Tickets ..	129 3 0	By Cost of Timber, ropes, Globes	2 15 10
„ Sale of Sweets ..	17 10 0	Less sale of timber and globes:	1 6 0
	£46 13 0	„ Carting to Neutral Bay, Killara, Waverley and sundry exs	6 18 0
		„ Piano for Warringah	2 10 0
		„ Cartage, Killara	2 10 0
		„ Carpenter for fitting, stages, apparatus, packing, clearing:	7 0 0
		„ Music	13 7
		„ Bouquets and caretaker at Warringah	1 4 0
		„ Printing	6 19 6
		„ Royalty for "play"	5 5 0
		„ Hire of wigs, scenery, dresses	4 15 0
		„ Prompter's exs	1 0 0
		„ Hire of halls, Warringah	4 4 0
		„ Hire of hall for rehearsal	3 3 0
		„ Hire of hall, Killara	3 3 0
			£50 14 11
		„ Balance to Sports Club and Boat Club	95 18 1
	£146 13 0		£146 13 0

Audited and found correct..
J. H. HEDGES.
17th December, 1921.

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Acting Hon. Treasurer and Secretary.

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 B. J. F. Wright, Bishops court, Edgecliff.

The annual football match v. the School, was played at Northbridge on Friday, April 28th, and resulted in a win for the School by 14 points to 3. The following represented the Old Boys:—J. Brooks, R. W. L. Boyce, A. H. Curlewis, W. N. Cadwallader, L. F. Dods, A. N. Eedy, F. D'Arcy Hixson, L. S. Hudson, A. J. Mansfield, J. A. Piggott, C. Pountney, D. N. Shadforth (Capt.), with three substitutes for the School.

In the evening the Annual Dinner took place at the Macquarie Restaurant, Market Street, and it was a most successful function. Apologies for absence owing to previous engagements were received from the Archbishop, the Hon. R. J. Black, Mr. E. E. Brooks, Mr. A. F. Robinson, and from Mr. Ronald Sinclair.

The guests who attended were:—Mr. J. Fraser, C.M.G., Mr. Donald Esplin, Mr. F. W. Hixson and Mr. Allan Ramsay. Members of the Union present were:—The Headmaster (in the chair), C. D. Abraham, K. P. Anderson, R. W. L. Boyce, Dr. Howard Bullock, L. H. Bell, F. P. Boundy, G. R. Browne, O. B. Bevan, L. Bolsdon, Dr. L. S. Beckett, G. N. Beer, L. W. Carey, R. W. Carey, Ivo Clarke, W. B. Clarke, Lindsay Clarke, A. H. Curlewis, C. J. I. Dent, D. J. R. Doyle, Rev. D. Davies, N. Y. Deane, R. O. Dent, L. F. Dods, J. K. Eaton, C. Eaton, T. B. Esplin, G. H. Ellis, A. T. Edwards, J. F. Fraser, N. L. Freeman, J. D. Fell, R. A. Gilfillan, H. R. Gordon, A. D. Hall, A. A. Heath, R. J. Hardy, N. Heron, L. Hudson, K. Hudson, E. T. Hall, G. B. Hetherington, P. J. Heath, H. V. Jaques, C. F. G. Kopsch, A. E. Knox, E. A. S. Kidman, Dr. H. Kendall, J. A. Loveday, N. H. Langford, R. L. Manning, N. Macintosh, J. L. Murrell, G. H. Maclean, Dr. A. H. Moseley, A. H. McLachlan, G. C. H. Newell, J. O. H. Nickoll, N. L. Noek, Dr. F. Guy A. Pockley, T. A. J. Playfair, E. S. Playfair, J. L. Pulling, W. L. Rhodes, A. T. Reid, J. R. Sanderson, D. N. Shadforth, C. R. M. Shannon, D. G. Thomson, G. C. Turnbull, M. W. Vider, W. G. Wilson, Dudley Williams, Keith Williams, A. B. S. White, R. L. Worrall, C. Q. Williams, C. W. Walker, R. L. Worrall, A. H. Yarnold.

The toasts were "Absent Friends," "The King," "The School and the

Union," proposed by Mr. J. Firth Fraser, and responded to by the President; "The Visitors," proposed by Mr. Dudley Williams and responded to by Mr. J. Fraser, C.M.G., Mr. F. W. Hixson, Mr. Donald Esplin and Mr. Allan Ramsay. Mr. H. V. Jaques proposed "Mr. Robson, the first Headmaster," and this was received with much enthusiasm; Mr. Davies, when called upon, stated that Mr. Robson had made a great name for himself during the war and after as a Director of Agriculture, for which purpose he had mastered several of the languages of the nations of Northern Europe. The speaker also made reference to the "Hodges' Memorial Fund," which was still open, and an account of which appears in the present issue of *The Torch-Bearer*. Mr. Hall and Mr. Pulling also spoke, and the latter proposed the toast of the G.P.S. which was warmly received. The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and the National Anthem brought the evening to a close.

Several apologies were received for non-attendance from members of the staff of the School, owing to a very important meeting of the A.M.A. being called for the same time.

Hearty congratulations to Brigadier-General Mackay, C.M.G., D.S.O., on his appointment to the newly-created position of Student-Advisor at the Sydney University. General Mackay's career is so well known to

Old Boys that there is no necessity for any detailed account, but he is considered by all to be the right man for the job.

The following are rowing in the Sydney University eight, in training for the Inter-University race at Adelaide:—R. M. Johnson, A. T. Reid, E. O. Rutherford, H. F. Wilson.

The Rev. Stephen Jones, on being ordained, was presented by the students of Moore Theological College, who were trained by his father, the late Canon Nathaniel Jones, with a Grimm-Thaver Lexicon as a token of regard and of affectionate remembrance.

C. M. Milbourne Marsh has been admitted solicitor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, on the application of Mr. W. T. Tucker.

John Osborne has obtained a position with Messrs. F. J. Smith & Johnson, Accountants, 2 Martin Place; and L. Houston with Messrs. Dalgety & Co.

L. G. Melville has obtained High Distinction in Economics I., together with Professor Irvine's prize.

A very valuable addition to the School Library has been presented by Dr. G. R. Hamilton, in the form of vols XV to XXIV of *The Torch-Bearer* beautifully bound with the School arms on the covers. Mrs. Tait

has also presented vols. I to XX from the Library of the late Mr. C. H. Hodges, so that the Library now possesses a complete set to-date. The only other complete set belongs to Mr. Davies, and is kept in his office on the top floor of the new classroom for register work.

Dr. G. H. Vernon, M.C., has been appointed Government Medical Officer at Thursday Island.

Geoff. Goldsmid has been articled to Messrs. Thyne and Macartney, Solicitors, Brisbane.

Our sincerest sympathy is given to N. Y. and V. Y. Deane and their families on the death of their father.

The Hon. Treasurer will be absent from Sydney from the 12th inst. to June 6th.

L. W. Davies has left Deiran and is now with the firm of F. J. Walker, Ltd., 3 Spring Street, Sydney.

N. Waterhouse and G. Brooks have obtained their B.E. degrees at Sydney, and the former is leaving Australia to take a post-graduate course in petroleum mining in the Birmingham University.

D. F. Bertram has left the Bank and is now started as a stock and Station agent in the firm of Bertram, Inglis & Co., Wagga Wagga.

R. B. Allport is again at the Randwick Military Hospital.

The address of the Hon. Sec., O.B.U. has been changed to 100 Wycombe Road, Neytral Bay.

K. A. Fraser has left Harden and is now one of the engineers of the City Railways, Sydney.

Dr. G. H. H. Gall has been appointed to the staff of the Women's Hospital, Surry Hills, and Dr. H. S. Kirkland to the Sydney Hospital. Dr. T. Y. Nelson has started the practice of his profession at 21 Holden St., Ashfield.

Keith Williams has joined the firm of Messrs. Metcalfe, Danger & Co., Solicitors, 10 Bligh Street, Sydney.

G. R. King has taken up land at Bobundra, Cooma.

Congratulations to H. V. Jaques on being re-elected for East Sydney to the Legislative Assembly.

R. D. H. Merewether has left Noongah and is now at Rosebank, Cummack.

G. H. Maclean and L. S. Hudson have been transferred to the Forestry Department at Taree.

Captain G. H. Pulling is expected on furlough in Sydney, with his wife, about the 15th inst.

E. and R. Palmer have gone to Cambridge to study medicine and are in residence at Fitzwilliam Hall.

P. F. Phillips is articled to Messrs. Windeyer, Faul and Osborne, Solicitors, Sydney.

R. H. Robey is now stationed at Ulmarra, Clarence River; E. F. Moore, at Goolhi, Mullaley, Gunnehah; D. K. Ralston, at Moongoon Station, Goondiwindi.

J. B. Fitzgerald Shaw is at Keera, Bingara, and his brother R. F. at St. Aubin's, Scone.

R. A. Shields has left Edgeroi, and is at Wondabah, Abbotsford Road, Homebush.

A. M. Warden is at Gundooee, Leadville, and his brother C. M. at Oakey Creek, Beaudesert.

A. C. Watt is at Kununa Station, Winton, Queensland.

Capt. H. H. Dixon has been appointed from the reserve of officers to the 17th Battalion, and seconded for duty as divisional gas officer, 1st Division Headquarters.

The Hon. Treasurer has received from Major F. P. Macintyre a subscription of five pounds to the Memorial Sports Ground. He has also received from "Q." an annual donation of £5, which has been allotted

by request to the Chapel East Window Fund, the Hospitals and Mission Fund, the Athletic Sports and the Library, and the Hodges Memorial Fund.

G. A. More is returning on a visit to Sydney after an absence of three years. He is representing important mining interests in the Federal Malay States.

J. M. Ralston and R. C. M. Boyce have received 2nd class honours at Graduation in the University Law School.

A. C. Arnot has sold Scotsraig, Batlow, and is now living at Bonnie Grove, Terrigal. He asks old boys coming to that district to call.

The *Evening News* of the 8th April, has the following note: "The discovery by a Sydney doctor of a serum which bids fair to conquer the dreadful bubonic plague is an achievement which has created widespread interest, and of which the medical profession in New South Wales is justly proud. The Queensland Government, it is alleged, refused the discovery on the advice of the Federal Government; New South Wales has accepted it. The successful production of the serum is the result of the careful experimental work of Dr. Burton Bradley, of Longueville. Of the sixteen plague cases in Sydney, thirteen have been treated with the serum, and among

these there has only been one death. At last we have got a very effective serum, said Dr. Armstrong, addressing a largely-attended gathering of members of the British Medical Association last night."

D. H. Slade has been appointed manager of the Surat (Queensland) Branch of the Banking Company of Sydney. He says that Surat is the only place he has been in where he has not met one or more old boys.

G. M. Blackwood has left by the *Niagara* for London, where he intends taking the stage as a profession. We wish him every luck in his future career.

A. F. Kyle, since his return from the war, has been in the employ of C. B. Bradley, Ltd., and he writes that they have been kept very busy of late selling cars.

Ronald Campbell, Esq., of Cam-
belong, has kindly presented to the Library part of cartonnage, or the envelope, enclosing mummified body. It was of the Ptolemaic period, about 300 B.C. Mrs. Campbell also presented an Egyptian rug. Both had been sent from Egypt by the late Lieut. Douglas Campbell.

It is with great regret that we have to announce the deaths of four old boys since our last issue—H. G. Cummings, R. W. Lang, J. H. Huttoh,

and W. H. Preston. Our sincerest sympathy is offered to the respective families.

N. H. Langford and R. W. Swallow are attached to the *Sydney Morning Herald*, and Q. S. Spedding is sub-editor of the *Daily Telegraph*.

Congratulations to A. S. Boyd, L. E. Heath and J. Z. Huie, on passing their final medical examinations and on taking their M.B. and Ch.M. degrees.

E. J. King Salter, 2nd Battalion The Rifle Brigade, writes from Ireland, under date 12th April, 1922:—

"Our first excitement was the trouble in Belfast of July last year. We were quartered first in prison, and then in a school, and were out every night on street picket duty. On one of these occasions I was with my platoon and a lorry guarding a looted pub, when suddenly there appeared a mob rushing down the streets towards us; however a line of troops across the street soon stopped them.

"From County Down we were shifted to County Donegal, where the battalion was split up into detachments, and for a time I was with my platoon guarding a naval wireless station, one of our principal duties being to search suspicious houses. Compared with the number of houses searched, it was rarely that we found anything, and great was our joy one day to unearth a .45 revolver and some ammunition from the bottom of a peat stack. Most of Western Donegal is a peat bog, and in many places the scenery is splendid. Owing to Sinn Fein raids on the railway and to the refusal of railway men to carry troops, the single line light railway to Burton Port was generally closed.

This meant that our food supplies had to come by road over distances of thirty to fifty miles. On one hand these car trips were most enjoyable and were like pleasure tours, but on the other hand we always had to sit with rifle or revolver ready wondering what the next turn in the road might have in store for us. The only hope in an ambush is to be absolutely on the alert, ready to open fire almost as quickly as the attacking party, if not quicker. Once when I was stationed at company headquarters, I was told off for a raid with twenty-five Dorsets, two Dorset officers, and twenty-five of our own men, all under one of our majors. We started about 3 a.m. by special train along the light railway I have already mentioned, being due to arrive just before daylight at the last station but one on the line. Having never as yet been attacked even with one car and perhaps eight men, I did not expect anything with a train-load of fifty, moreover, we were to reach our destination before the Sinn Feiners were up, and the whole expedition was supposed to be a secret. We were to raid a certain house, suspected of containing rebel leaders, in a district with a bad reputation, which had already been evacuated by the police, who were not strong enough to risk stopping there. We had nearly reached our journey's end, and were beginning to put our things together when we heard a single shot, which I thought might possibly be a rifle let off by accident, but a moment later there was a regular fusillade, and we knew all right what we were in for. I have to admit that sitting in lighted carriages we felt that the enemy had got us "stone cold." We took what cover we could, and I fired some shots into the darkness; then the train stopped. I got out and the firing seemed to have ceased from the ambush, but some of our men were still firing from the carriage windows. It was pitch dark yet, and there were fences and boggy ground on each side. It turned out that the stone that had been put on the line was not

quite big enough and so a promising commencement ended in very little. My regiment has had five ambushes, and wonderful to relate, has only sustained one casualty. A typical instance was when about a dozen Sinn Feiners ambushed one of our captains with three riflemen in broad daylight. They fired one volley at close range, missed clean, and fled, leaving our party, who had sustained no casualties, to pick up two killed and one wounded. You will have gathered that the enemy in our district are not very courageous. In Dublin, Tipperary and the South they are much more formidable. Everywhere they are adepts at cutting roads and destroying bridges for our annoyance. For these tactics the best remedy is to round up as many as possible, make them repair the damage to the roads and fill up the river beds to the height of the roadway."

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T. A. Playfair (1924), E. S. Playfair (1924), A. Phillips, A. P. Pulver, A. G. Pritchard (1923), C. W. Pulver, G. B. Phillips, D. W. Perry, J. A. Piggott, Carl Perry, E. Palmer (1923), R. Palmer (1923), C. E. Parkinson, J. H. Priest, C. W. Plummer, H. F. Prell, J. N. Percival, A. N. Peach (1923), F. Peach (1923), P. F. Phillips (1923), N. E. Penfold (1923).

R. K. Robey (1923), Gerald Roberts (1926), J. H. C. Read, Bruce Rogers (1923), W. S. Rylands, A. I. Rawlings, L. O. Rutherford, W. S. Rayment (1926), A. Clunies-Ross, C. L. Regg (1925), F. C. St. J. Roche, R. H. Russell, B. Ryland, D. J. Rowley, K. N. Rhodes, V. F. Rhodes, W. L. Rhodes, P. S. Remington, B. B. Ross, A. H. D. Ross, F. J. Richards (1923), A. G. Reid, D. H. Roberts (1923), H. A. Roberts (1923), G. W. Rae (1924), A. T. Reid (1923), R. A. L. Rawling (1923).

C. A. Scott (1923), R. K. Scott, Dr. E. H. Stokes, R. B. Scammell, D. V. Saddington, K. R. Spanswick (1924), J. K. Shirley (1923), R. G. Saddington, Dr. G. W. Sinclair (1924), W. C. Slade (1924), J. Sedgwick (1923), L. C. Segol, T. W. Smith (1923), J. H. Saddington, R. F. Fitzgerald Shaw (1923), P. H. Stevenson, J. R. Strang, D. N. Shadforth, R. A. Shields, N. C. Stockwell, N. W. Sloane, N. C. Sendall, H. Martin-Smith, K. Martin-Smith, D. H. Slade (1924), R. G. Spencer, W. B. Sawyer, R. H. Scott, A. S. B. Studdy (1923), J. R. Sanderson, D. S. E. Shaw, C. K. Sheedy, F. C. Stephen, C. R. M. Shannon, R. R. Sinclair, N. J. Symington, G. Shaw, J. R. Strang (1923), R. M. Saddington (1925), G. V. Scammell (1924), J. B. F. Shaw, A. M. Smith (1923), H. M. Steanes (1923), M. S.

Stobo (1923), R. Sinclair (junr.) (1923), W. G. B. Studdy (1925), B. Stevens (1923), G. Stevens (1923), J. Sloane (1923), H. E. Shields (1923), F. R. Snowball (1925).

G. H. Taylor, C. R. Z. Throsby (1923), L. Trenerry (1924), W. E. Tucker (1924), W. J. Treloar (1924), E. M. Tyler, V. H. Treatt, S. J. Traill (1924), L. Telford, G. C. Turnbull (1925), W. T. Tucker (1923), E. S. Thomas, W. E. Tait, G. S. Taylor, D. G. Thomson (1923), A. J. Thomas, A. L. Truebridge, R. F. Trewheeler, D. G. Thomson (1923), T. J. Treloar (junr.) (1925), N. L. Tyson (1923).

C. J. W. Vaughan (1923), C. Von Drehnen (junr.) (1924).

P. E. Vance, R. Vallack, W. Valder, C. von Drehnen, junr. (1923), J. L. Vivers, M. W. Vider, N. C. Vogan (1923).

E. R. Way (1923), Dudley Williams, Keith Williams (1924), L. L. Williams (1924), A. A. Wilson, A. E. Witts, (1923), A. C. Watt (1923), B. N. Wells, N. M. Ware, (1926), K. W. Watt, A. S. Wolstenholme, N. H. R. Williams, E. N. Wilshire, F. P. Wilson, K. E. Winchcombe, D. B. Wilshire, C. V. T. Wells (1923), A. M. Welsh, C. A. Wiles, H. W. Ward, B. Wilkinson, N. G. Weir (1923), A. M. Warden (1923), E. O. Watt (1923), M. N. Wardell, D. F. Warner, N. H. Way, H. B. Wade (1923), D. G. Wilshire (1923), C. N. Walker (1923), K. C. D. Ward (1923), B. W. Windeyer (1923), B. J. F. Wright (1923), R. G. Wither (1923), K. Warrand (1923), J. G. Windeyer (1923), E. V. Wells, F. R. Wakelin, W. G. Wilson (1923).

A. H. Yarnold (1923), W. Yeend.

BIRTHS.

Maclean—March 1st, at Rothsay, Dubbo, the wife of Dr. J. M. Maclean, Trangie—a son.

Boydell—March 26th, at Guyungun,

Chatswood, the wife of F. Mervyn Boydell—a son.

Hordern—March 26th, at Narara, Rose Bay, the wife of the Rev. F. Hugh Hordern—a son.

Clarke—April 2nd, at Ruri, Shirley Road, Wollestoncraft, the wife of Ivo Clarke—a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

Dudley—Shand.—At St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. John Ferguson, M.A., on Saturday, November 12, 1921, Reginald F. Dudley to Millie Bethune, only daughter of Major and Mrs. J. B. Shand, of Epping.

Dent—Anderson.—At St. Thomas' Church, North Sydney, by the Rev. O. G. Dent, on December 10, 1921, Milton Kenneth Hughes Dent to Katie Stanley, younger daughter of the late Mr. George Anderson, of Inverell, and Mrs. A. C. Anderson, Kendon, Bay Road.

Wood—Boyd.—At St. Stephen's Church, Phillip Street, by the Rev. John Ferguson, on December 14th, 1921, Capt. Ormond Phillip Wood to Kate Dawson, the youngest daughter of the late T. C. Boyd, Mellendean, Kirrihilli.

Brown—Allen.—February 22, 1922, at St. Stephen's Church, Phillip Street, by the Rev. John Ferguson, Arthur Brown to Saidee Kathleen, Elder daughter of the late Andrew Allen, Mosman, and Mrs. Allen, Milson Road, Cremorne.

Pulling—Barnes.—March 23rd, at St. Thomas' Cathedral, Bombay, Capt. Guy Harris Pulling to Agnes, only daughter of Mr. J. W. Barnes, of Turramurra.

Dyer—Ranken.—April 19th, at St. James' Church, by the Rev. J. F. S. Russell, Lieut.-Col. John Richard Dyer, D.S.O., Croix-du-guerre, to Margaret Ranken, only daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Ranken, Blairmore, Wollstonecraft.

Merewether—Mort.—November 1st, 1921, at All Saints' Church, Woolahra,, by the Reverend Canon

Wallace Mort, Rowan David Hickson, youngest son of Edward A. M. Merewether, The Ridge, Merewether, to Olive, youngest daughter of Arthur Mort, Franklyn Vale, Grandchester, Queensland.

Merewether — Docker. — November 29th, at the Cathedral, Armidale, by the Right Reverend Wentworth-Shields, Bishop of Armidale, Edward Robert Hickson, eldest son of Edward A. M. Merewether, The Ridge, Merewether, to Hope, only daughter of Thomas Docker, Commercial Bank, Armidale.

WILFRED HERBERT PRESTON,

Born April 29th, 1886.
Entered the School, 1904,
Left, 1905;
Prefect, Law Matriculation.
Died February 20th, 1922.

RONALD WESTALL LANG,

Born June 14th, 1904,
Entered the School 1920,
Left 1921.
Died January 28th, 1922.

JAMES HOLT HUTTON,

Born May 27th, 1901,
Entered the School January, 1918,
Left December, 1918.
Died February, 1922.

HEREWARD GOODWIN CUMMINGS,

Born October 28th, 1892,
Entered the School, 1906,
Left 1908.
Killed in a motor accident, 1922.

THE HODGES' MEMORIAL.

In response to the circular sent by the Hon. Treasurer O.B.U., the following promises and donations were received:—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
				"Q."	1	0	0
Mr. and Mrs. Purves	10	10	0	Mr. G. G. Black	1	1	0
Prof. Holme	10	0	0	Dr. Guy Antill Pockley	2	2	0
Mr. A. B. S. White	10	0	0	Mr. H. E. a'Beckett	2	2	0
Mr. W. S. Scott-Fell	10	0	0	Miss M. E. a'Beckett	2	2	0
Mr. J. W. Scott-Fell	10	0	0	Mr. J. F. Fraser	10	6	
Dr. Studdy	5	0	0	Mr. A. A. Heath	10	0	
Mr. G. P. Blake	1	1	0	Mr. A. D. Hall	1	0	0
Messrs. F. and N. Peach		10	0	Mr. D. H. Slade	10	6	
Mr. T. C. Boehme	1	1	0	Mr. A. E. Knox	1	1	0
Dr. G. W. Sinclair	3	3	0	Mr. R. M. Saddington	1	1	0
Dr. L. S. Beckett	2	2	0	Mr. J. H. Hedges	1	1	0
Dr. T. Y. Nelson	2	2	0	Mr. D. H. Roberts	1	1	0
Mr. Barton Adams	1	1	0	Mr. G. H. Francis			10 0
Mr. H. V. Jaques	1	1	0	Mr. J. L. Pulling	5	5	0
Mr. G. P. Sayers	1	1	0				
Mr. G. C. Doddemeade	1	1	0				
Mr. A. F. Robinson	10	0	0				
Mr. L. L. Williams	2	2	0				
Dr. P. V. Voss	1	0	0				
Mr. A. P. Elliot	1	1	0				
Mr. H. H. Dixon	2	2	0				
Mr. C. H. Linton	2	2	0				
Rev. D. Davies (1st donation)	2	2	0				
Mr. L. A. Baker	1	1	0				
Dr. E. L. Morgan	1	1	0				
Mr. W. T. Tucker	1	1	0				
Mr. C. M. Warden	1	1	0				
Mr. A. V. Mayne	1	1	0				
Mr. E. V. Doddemeade	1	0	0				
Mr. P. A. Wright	1	0	0				
Mr. D. G. Thomson	1	0	0				
Mr. A. M. Warden	1	1	0				
Dr. E. B. Minnett	1	2	0				
Mr. M. B. Hordern	1	1	0				
Mr. C. S. Hordern	1	1	0				
Mr. D. B. Wilshire			5 0				
Mr. E. M. Bagot	1	1	0				
Mr. L. C. Regg	1	0	6				
Mr. B. S. Dowling	1	1	0				
Mr. E. E. C. Gallop	1	1	0				
Mr. D. C. Suttor	1	0	6				
Mr. D. K. Ralston	1	1	0				

A further appeal was sent to friends signed by the Archbishop and by Mr. A. F. Robinson on behalf of the Council. It was as follows:—

It is proposed to erect a memorial in the School Chapel to the memory of the late Charles Henry Hodges, who for nine years was Headmaster of the School, and was instrumental in raising it to its present high position amongst the Great Public Schools of New South Wales. His great work at the School is so well known as not to require being enlarged upon here.

It is hoped to raise a sufficient sum to put up a stained glass window in the Chapel, if possible the west window.

Should you feel inclined to assist this object, donations may be sent to A. F. Robinson, Box 1012, G.P.O., Sydney.

In response to the above the following donations have been received:—

	£	s.	d.
Mr. W. C. B. Tiley	1	1	0
Mr. R. A. P. Hickson	5	0	0
Canon Hey Sharp	2	2	0
Mr. J. Hunter Stephenson	1	1	0
Sir T. A. Dibbs	1	1	0
Miss Dibbs	1	1	0
Dr. Harvey Nickoll	2	2	0
Dr. J. L. McKelvey	5	5	0
General Finn	2	2	0
Sir William Cullen	5	5	0
Judge Backhouse	3	0	0
Miss Macarthur Onslow	1	1	0

Col. J. Macarthur Onslow	1	1	0
Mr. H. H. Massie	3	3	0

A meeting of subscribers was called for April 20. Apologies were received from the Headmaster, Mr. A. F. Robinson and Prof Holme. As only a few attended, it was decided to keep the subscription list open and call another meeting later on.

The amount in hand is not nearly sufficient to carry out the proposed memorials, and it is asked that further donations be sent as soon as possible to Mr. A. F. Robinson, Box 1012, G.P.O., or the Headmaster, or the Rev. D. Davies at the School:

The Editors acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following Magazines:—
Hutchins' School Magazine, Charivari, The Swan, Lux, The Record, Hawkesbury College Journal, The Armadalian, The Scotch Collegian, Wanganui Collegian, Our Alma Mater, St. Joseph's College Magazine, The Launcestonian, Ipswich Grammar School Magazine, Canterbury Agricultural College Magazine, The Scotsman, The Corian, Christ's College Register, The Newingtonian, The Sydneian, St. Peter's School Magazine, The King's School Magazine, Melburnian, Hermes, The Mitre, The Cygnet.