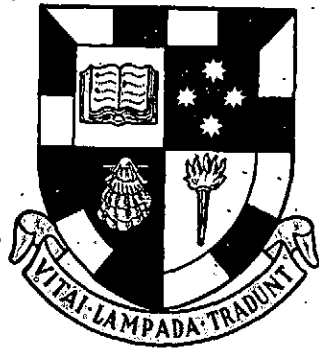


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Editorial.

1889—1939.

VITAI LAMPADA TRADUNT.

We have celebrated this month the fiftieth anniversary of the foundation of the School, and it seems fitting that now we should sit down, in the mood of Kipling's *Recessional*, and think what it all means. It means that fifty years ago New South Wales was enriched by the foundation of one more School, which was to exercise its functions under the government of the Church of England. From that little beginning there has grown something large, influential in its way, and with something of a character of its own. Moreover, its progress has been fairly uniform during the half-century of its existence. But one does not keep a Jubilee just for that. Age in itself is nothing: the stones under our feet have age in countless centuries. But we all know that Westminster Abbey is more than a mass of old stones, for it enshrines an ancient but living tradition. The French have a saying: "*Plus ça change, plus ça reste la même chose.*" It is not the form of a thing, but the spirit, that matters and endures.

In 1889—it was July 16th and a wet day—seven masters and a serjeant, with one boarder and twenty-three day-boys, came together in company and began to build a tradition. One might say instead of that, "The masters began to teach the boys and the serjeant to drill them," but that would not be the same thing. What actually happened was that something was born, and that something was what we call "Shore." Alfred Barry was the Bishop of Sydney in those days, and it was his idea that a Church of England Grammar School should be set up in the metropolis to take the place of the defunct School of St. James, and to extend the work of the older King's School at Parramatta. Possibly he had in mind, when he planned the new venture, that ancient bidding prayer of the English universities, "That there may never be wanting fit persons duly qualified to serve God in Church and State." The first note of a living school tradition is service, and handing on of the torch of life.

Upon such occasions as a Jubilee Anniversary it is perhaps fitting to ask the question, "How stands the account?" In matters like this,

we may not weigh or measure success in the ordinary figures, but these facts are significant of our meaning. One of the first set of prefects was the first Old Boy to join the School staff, and is now a headmaster in his own school. The first Australian to be killed in the Great War was an Old Boy. The preacher at the Jubilee Service in Chapel is an Arch-deacon of the Church and an Old Boy. One of the present Rhodes Scholars of New South Wales at Oxford is an Old Boy. An Old Boy sits in the Legislative Council of New South Wales, and one in the Legislative Assembly. This year an Old Boy, with a fine record of academic distinction both here and overseas, joined the teaching staff of the University. And in our Jubilee Year it is especially fitting that the Lord Mayor of the City of Sydney should be an Old Boy of the School. One finds Old Boys at the altars of our churches, on the bench and at the bar of our courts, on both sides of Macquarie Street, on boards of directors, in our chief primary and secondary industries, in the services, the professions, in trade and commerce—exercising leadership and enriching the community, serving God in Church and State.

In matters material, the survivors of the little group that assembled in 1889 have no doubt seen a vast change. Even in their schooldays Holtermann's Tower was a dominating feature of North Sydney, but since then the old house of Commissary Miller has been rebuilt and extended out of all recognition. In 1889 the whole School building was not as large as Robson House is to-day. Additions have been made; some of them have been pulled down, and some will shortly disappear to be replaced by more modern and better planned buildings. Quite a large number of the present generation do not know, for instance, that there used to be an Assembly Hall where the projecting wing of the new classrooms now stands. It was where the School met for prayers before the Chapel was completed in 1915. Many, too, will not know that the Dining Hall for some thirty years stood where now is the School House courtyard. Pulling down and building up have been going on well nigh all through the half-century, and are not by any means finished.

“The more it changes, the more it remains the same thing.” Between the small beginning and the present masses of buildings with over seven hundred boys there stretches half a century of time. Not only have our numbers and the whole aspect of the grounds changed, but customs and values have undergone serious modification. School discipline has changed; former essentials have become optional or even odd to a new

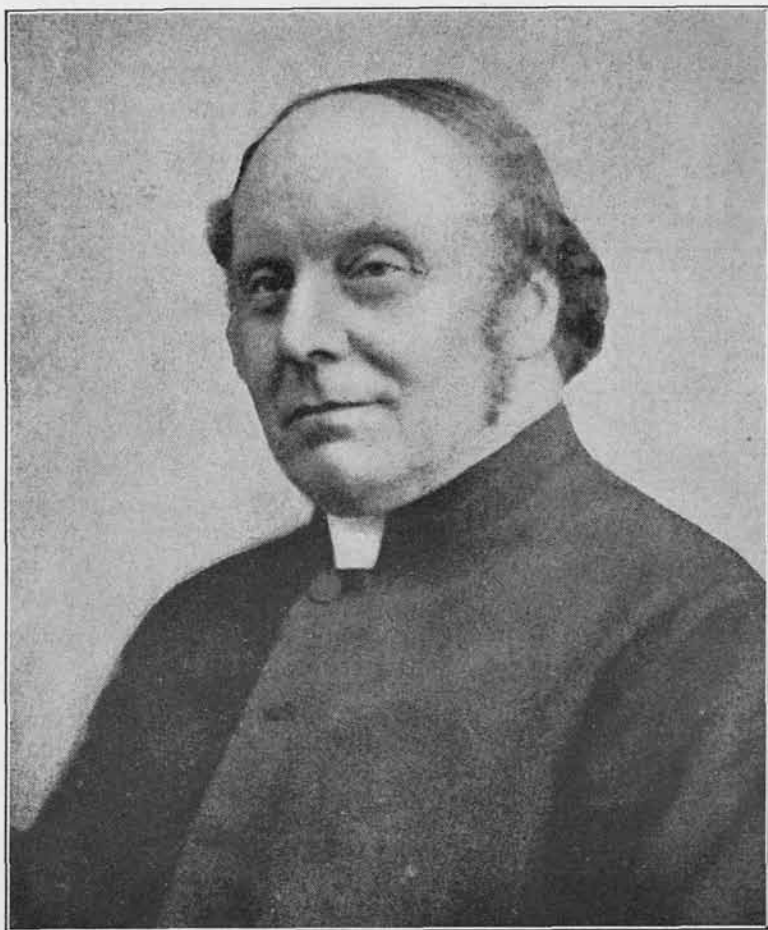
generation of master and boy. Some things have grown slacker; others have been rather tightened up. Games which began in fun have become a business, but the "Old School Tie" has become a joke and a byword. But a school stands for more than a succession of modes and fashions. It stands for a steady upholding of culture and enlightenment in the community, for a way of life of high ideals, for the spirit of service. If in any substantial degree we can say that Shore has kept these ends steadily in view, producing citizens who enrich the community in things of lasting value, then we can with a clear conscience keep jubilee, and with a high hope look forward to our second half-century.

SOME PAGES OF HISTORY.

ORIGINS.

The first Church of England school to be opened in Sydney was The King's School, established as a companion school to the school at Parramatta. It opened in January, 1832, under George Innes, but it did not attract many pupils, and when Innes died in September no successor was appointed.

On Friday, March 30, 1838, the following advertisement appeared in *The Australian*:—"A grammar school for day scholars under the patronage and direction of the Lord Bishop of Australia will be opened on Monday next, 2nd April, at St. James' School House, Elizabeth Street; Head Master, Mr. John McLure of King's College, Aberdeen; Under Master, Mr. George Taylor, whose assistance will be rendered so soon as the number of pupils shall require it. The course of instruction will closely correspond with that which has been pursued in The King's School, Parramatta, including English Reading, Grammar and Composition, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, and the Latin and Greek Classical Authors, Geometry and Algebra, and the Mathematics in general, with their application in the pure and applied sciences. A careful and systematic attention will be paid to the religious instruction of the pupils, under the direction of the Rev. G. N. Woodd, B.A., of Wadham College, Oxon., Minister of St. James'. The complete course of Education is designed to extend to seven years, for the separate portions of which the terms will be—1st and 2nd years, £1/10/- per quarter; 3rd and 4th years,



MOST REV. ALFRED BARRY, D.D.

Metropolitan and Primate, 1884-1889.

Founder of the School.

£1/15/- per quarter; 5th, 6th and 7th years, £2 per quarter. For more detailed particulars respecting the course of study and instruction, application may be made to the Rev. G. N. Woodd at St. James' Parsonage; or to Mr. McLure at Mr. Morris's, Elizabeth Street."

In 1840 the Bishop of Australia received a Crown grant for the erection of a building in which the school was carried on. This school, after some years, was discontinued, and the land was resumed by the Government, and the sum of £31,163/17/11 was paid to the authorities of the Church of England. Bishop Barry, then Bishop of Sydney, determined that the money should be devoted to education, and it was largely by his influence that the New South Wales Parliament passed in 1886 the St. James' School Compensation Trust Act, which provided that money should be paid in compensation to the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney, which decided to use the money for the establishment within the Diocese of a school of the highest type, including various departments of education for all classes of the community, in which the teaching throughout should be in accordance with the principles of the Church of England, and which should be placed under the direction of a governing body of clergy and laity to be elected by the Synod, the Bishop of the Diocese being *ex officio* president. This Bill was assented to on August 27, 1886.

The diocesan authorities looked about them for a suitable site, and were considering one at Pymont when Mr. T. A. Dibbs (afterwards Sir Thomas Dibbs) directed their attention to his property called Holtermann's Tower. This the Church bought, but it required alterations and additions to make it suitable for school purposes. In the old building a wing was converted and an additional storey added upon it to provide dormitories for about forty boys; a new building contained the dining hall, kitchen-offices, and sleeping accommodation for the men servants. Quite separate was the classroom block, a new building of brick roofed with slate, containing eight classrooms, a master's room, hat and cloakrooms, and vestibules. A fence divided the master's grounds from the playgrounds. The total cost of these buildings was £7000. Bishop Barry laid the foundation of the new buildings on April 14, 1888. On December 22nd of that year Mr. E. I. Robson was appointed Headmaster.

The School was formally opened on May 4, 1889, by Lord Carrington, Governor of New South Wales. The Bishops of Goulburn, Riverina, Bathurst and Brisbane, and the Coadjutor-Bishop of Brisbane were present. Before the formal opening, a short religious service, conducted by the

Rev. A. Yarnold, was held in the Dining Hall, at which Archdeacon Kirkby read the lesson and Bishop Barry gave the address, taking as his text John vi., 45 : "It is written in the prophets they shall all be taught of God." At the conclusion of the service the Primate, asking his Excellency to declare the School inaugurated, indicated the lines on which the School would be conducted, the intention being to carry it on on the principle of the public schools of England.

At the opening of the School, Dr. Barry made his last official appearance. Shortly afterwards he resigned his bishopric and returned to England, where he died in 1910.

The first school day was the 16th of July.

WIND AND WEATHER.

A School which began work on a wet day in July seems to stand in a peculiar relationship to the gods of the weather. The old Holtermann house bristled with lightning conductors—perhaps not unwisely. The *Torch-Bearer* records in 1901: "On Saturday, November 16th, University Veterans and the School Eleven had a rather startling experience. The sultry, oppressive atmosphere was suddenly disturbed by a crash of thunder and flash of lightning which seemed to strike right in the field about them, giving everyone a most unpleasant shock, as if the ground were charged with electricity. Luckily no one was hurt, but each had his own experience of a warm sensation on the side of the neck or a distinctly electric shock in the feet. Mr. Hodges was only a short distance from the little gate of a fence connecting the House with the Graythwaite fence when the thunderbolt fell, running down a drain pipe, tearing through the cement round the top of a drain, and throwing a big piece of cement up through one of the dormitory windows. It seemed, too, to have struck a tall pine in Graythwaite, while several telephones in the neighbouring houses were found making a noise like the report of a pistol." During the preparations for the Pageant on the afternoon of December 2, 1936; the tower was struck by lightning. A brilliant ball of light appeared on the north-western corner of the tower at the moment of the thunderclap; several bricks were dislodged, and a cloud of dust drifted away on the wind. The flagpole remained in position, but was split beyond repair. A fireball had drifted through the kitchen during a storm in 1930.

As for wind and rain—during the second term of 1921 a heavy storm tore away the Berry's Bay pontoon and broke up the ramp; the damage was reduced to a minimum by the prompt action of Eaton's. On the same day the roof of the pavilion at Northbridge was deposited in one piece on the main oval. And who that took part in it will ever forget the Swimming Carnival of the 24th of March, 1926? It was held at Clifton Gardens, and the School went down by ferry and largely got wet on the way through a leaking roof. At the baths a vigorous east wind blew the rain horizontally. The judges and timekeepers were reduced to keeping their programmes in their armpits and hats, and the sergeant-major stuck the dissected sheets of his announcer's copy to the outside of his megaphone. Some of the spectators were sheltered under a tarpaulin drawn over the upper staging, but of all who were out and about the only man who remained dry was Mr. A. B. S. White, who came providently in gum-boots, sou'-wester and oilskins. In 1931 the weather brought the Lower School a kind of half-holiday. It began to rain heavily on the night of Sunday, July 5. On Monday it not only rained, but blew. One of the windows in the tower was blown out in a crash of fragments on to the roof of the room where the School House were at prep.; one of the southern windows of Room 4 was blown out. On Tuesday the place was so swimming with water that the Lower School were given work and sent home. Compared with this, it seems hardly worth recording that in the middle of the Speech Day ceremonies of 1932 a thunderstorm broke in a squall that tore the flag upon the tower in two; a miserable shred was left on the halliards. It is not certain if the rest was ever seen again. With all this, it is surprising that the great gale of December 10, 1938, did so little damage; leaves and branches were stripped from the trees, and some guttering and ridging were loosened on the older buildings—and that in an 80-mile-an-hour gale.

GROUNDS.

At the beginning of the School's history, and for a long time after, the only ground owned by the School was the School ground, and not too good a ground either. There were no turf wickets, and the concrete wickets there were had to be covered with clay and tan-bark for the football season. It was proposed in 1892 to plough up the ground round the centre wicket and level it, as fielding in the outfield was a bit dangerous. However, by May, 1893, although the original scheme had not been carried

cut, a space of 100 feet at the top had been added, a part where water lay constantly in wet weather had been drained, and high fences were erected which not long afterwards were topped with several feet of wire netting. It could not have been too good, as a writer in the *May Torch-Bearer* of 1893 records that one opposing team had said it was unfit for play—and actually the grass had been cut on one side and not on the other, while the newly added piece was still in a ruddy and weedy state. A hoe party in 1894 did much to smooth it off. In 1896 the Council helped with a donation of £50, and, as a bicycle track was being made at the Sydney Cricket Ground, Mr. P. Sheridan was able to let the School have enough turf to put down a practice pitch 14 by 11 yards and two match pitches 24 yards by 10 feet. The rough grass was cleared away for about twenty yards round the pitch in the middle of the ground. These pitches were first top-dressed with Bulli soil in 1897. The concrete wicket was replaced by a turf wicket during Easter, 1901, and later in the year large quantities of soil arrived, giving promise of excellent wickets and a lawn-like outfield.

In 1904 we read that all the Parramatta grass had been removed and the ground turfed.

When the new School House buildings were begun, the earth removed from the foundations was dumped on the western side to raise the level, and in 1936 the whole surface was ploughed off and the whole ground covered with couch turfs. At the same time a brick retaining wall with two sets of steps was built on the southern side, with a pipe and wire railing on concrete pillars. The old Port Jackson figs were cut out, a space all round the ground was railed off, and the present trees and shrubs planted.

As the numbers grew, the School found itself hampered by having so little ground. The North Sydney Oval in St. Leonards Park was used extensively for cricket, and, to begin with, for the School Athletic Meeting, but this was soon transferred to the Cricket Ground.

At the end of the Great War it was decided, as a substantial memorial to the Old Boys who took part in it, to furnish the School with adequate sports grounds. A committee was formed and subscriptions were collected, and through their efforts the area at Northbridge occupied by our present grounds was acquired. The main oval was the first to be formed, and the first pavilion, a one-storied brick structure, was erected in time for the official opening by Miss Dibbs on September 27, 1919. A body of



ladies provided the funds for the Mothers' Pavilion erected in 1922, and opened by Mrs. Hickson on October 22. As funds came in the lower grounds were formed and improved. The brick pavilion was completed in 1925, and in 1926 the Honour Boards placed in position. The planting of trees was begun, and by now the growth all round breaks the winds, and modifies the occasional bleakness of those altitudes.

Dr. Antill Pockley presented in 1922 the fountain in memory of his two sons, B. C. A. Pockley and J. G. A. Pockley. The flagpole was presented in 1925 by Mrs. Vivers, of Glen Innes, in memory of her son, W. L. Vivers. The entrance gates were the gift of Mr. A. B. S. White.

The original boatshed stood at the head of Berry's Bay, and the boats had to be carried to the water over the mud, but in 1895 the present Berry's Bay boatshed was acquired. The original Rowing Camps were accommodated at hotels in the Gladesville region, and the boats housed in various sheds. The School acquired its own shed on Looking Glass Bay on December 2, 1919, when Mr. Russell Sinclair, in memory of his son, presented the Eric Sinclair Memorial Boatshed. The equipment of the shed was made possible by the energy of Mr. F. W. Hixson, who collected the necessary money.

BADGES, FLAGS, AND DEVICES.

Our School colours, and the original form of the School badge, we owe, like much else, to Mr. E. I. Robson. A drawing of the badge appears in one of his letters written before the School was opened. The quarters with the stars of the Southern Cross were taken from the Diocese of Sydney; the open book is the Bible; the torch refers to our motto, and originally was a representation of the torch used for racing, as depicted on a coin of Amphipolis. The motto is taken from Lucretius. The mitre symbolised the Church by which we were founded. The blue and white bordure from which we get our colours was derived from the arms of Christ's College, Cambridge, which was our first Headmaster's college.

When we tried to have this badge registered at the Herald's College we were told that it could not be registered in that form; we were not allowed to use the mitre as a crest or to have two quarterings the same, and the bordure had to be modified. Suitable alterations were then made, and the School received the grant of its present arms in 1933. The escallop shell which replaced in the third quarter one group of stars is

the badge of St. James, and symbolises the connection of the School with St. James' School, from whose trust funds it was founded.

The House badges, of course, did not come into existence until the House system of sport was established at the end of 1919, and the badges were taken from the devices on the shield—the torch for School House, the stars for Robson House, the Book for Hodges House, and the mitre for Barry House. The House colours are probably due to the fortuitous fact that for football internal competition the School was already divided into colours: white, green, yellow, and red; and so these colours were assigned to the Houses—green to Robson, yellow to Hodges, and red to Barry, but white was abandoned and School House colours became light blue. Only two of the Houses ever acquired House flags—School House in 1924 and Robson in 1925, both for winning a House competition in the sale of Fête tickets.

In 1891 a letter in *The Torch-Bearer* suggested that there should be a School flag. The first of its kind was presented by Miss Lizzie Old in April, 1892—a dark blue flag with a white mitre on it—and it was hoisted over Neilsen's boatshed at Mortlake during the rowing camp and on the mast of the School's steam launch at the regatta of May 7, of that year. On December 27, 1892, there was hoisted for the first time on the School flagpole a School flag more or less of the pattern that we still use, eighteen feet long by twelve feet wide, with the badge in the corner and the fly of blue and white diagonal stripes. It was the gift of Mr. J. H. Harrison, of Woodbury, Dulwich Hill. This flag lasted until 1905, and on May 8 it was replaced by one of similar design presented by Mr. and Mrs. Hodges. When we received our grant of arms, the badge in the corner of the flag was altered to correspond. It has been suggested that in place of this ensign we should provide ourselves with a correctly designed heraldic banner based on our arms, as our grant would entitle us to do.

When the Cadet Corps was formed in 1908 it wore the uniform of all Senior Cadets in New South Wales, but its own distinctive badges: the torch as a collar badge, and the mitre with scroll and S.C.E.G.S. as a hat badge—badges that the Sergeant-Major wears on his uniform. These, of course, were abandoned on the establishment of compulsory service, but on the revival of the Volunteer Corps in 1930 these badges were adopted again, and the buttons also bore the School badge.

The School hat-band dates from the foundation of the School, though to begin with its use was not compulsory, as its wearers were occasionally

assaulted on the way to and from school. In 1902 the prefects and sub-prefects received the special distinction of a plain dark blue hat-band with the School badge upon it—the prefect's badge being in full colour, the sub-prefect's in outline. So they have remained.

A badge with the mitre and the letters S.C.E.G.S. was worn by the 1st XV. on the football jersey in its earliest years. A shield with the letters and a mitre of a different shape subsequently replaced this. In 1929 this was replaced by the full badge, which was retained when the costume was altered in 1932 from the original blue jersey, white shorts and white-topped stockings to the present jersey with diagonal-striped band, blue shorts and stockings with diagonally-striped tops.

The original School tie was of equal dark blue and silver stripes; its use was not compulsory. The present School tie and the VI. Form and Prefect's tie were adopted along with the grey uniform which came into use at the beginning of 1933.

THE BUILDINGS.

The School began with the Holtermann house and additions providing accommodation for the Headmaster and the boarders, to which was added a dining hall and servants' quarters. The classroom block was separate, containing eight classrooms and a master's room—the present Rooms 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, and the Corps Orderly Room. The first addition, a two-storey block of studies running out at right angles from the Dining Hall, was declared open by the Primate on June 14, 1892. Another block, workshop above and physics laboratory below—a building which still houses the laboratories on its ground floor—was opened by the Dean of Sydney on May 18, 1894.

To commemorate the services of Old Boys in the South African War, and more particularly in memory of W. J. S. Rundle, J. Mair and A. D. Campbell, subscriptions were raised to build a Library. The plans were prepared by Lindsay Clarke, with modifications by Mr. Jeaffreson Jackson. The foundation stone was laid on September 25, 1902, by Sir Harry Rawson, Governor of New South Wales, and the building was declared open on February 7, 1903, by Brigadier-General Finn.

Other buildings constructed in 1903 were the Sanitorium, the Gymnasium, and the Dining Hall, occupying the site of the former courtyard.

The first subscription to the Chapel Fund came from Mr. E. I. Robson in December, 1905, and the building of a Chapel was approved by the

Council in 1906. In October of the same year a design by John Dunstan of Sydney was approved, but with the growth of the School it was seen that a larger building was desirable, and fresh designs were called for; and the Chapel was eventually built to the design of Mr. Burcham Clamp. The Archbishop laid the foundation stone on May 4, 1914, and it was dedicated on May 4, 1915.

In 1908 additions were made to the Gymnasium to provide a sports dressingroom and lockers, and an armoury for the Cadets. In 1912 the carpenter's shop was removed to the Gymnasium, and two classrooms made where it had been. Early in 1915 the office block was built, containing two offices and a dressingroom behind, with the present Room 15 above.

In 1920 a third floor of four classrooms had been added to the classroom block with funds from the McCaughey bequest; the McCaughey dormitories were ready by the beginning of June, 1921. The laboratories were re-equipped as the James Blackwood Memorial, and dedicated on May 1st of that year.

In 1924 the Tuck Shop was built, by boys, under the supervision of Mr. Davey.

Upton Grange, which had been the nurses' home for the Graythwaite Red Cross Hospital, was bought by the Council in 1925. A classroom and dormitory block was built on to it, and the Preparatory School was opened there at the beginning of 1926. The property called Pinwherry, which had been divided into flats, was bought in 1925, and, after some remodelling, became the new Robson House. It was extensively remodelled in 1933. Ellesmere was bought in 1929, and Hodges House moved there in 1930. Bishopsgate was acquired from Mr. Pulling in 1938, remodelled, and opened again as Barry House at the beginning of 1939.

In 1929 began the building of the Dining Hall and Kitchen block, the foundation being laid by the Archbishop on September 23, 1929. The Hall was ready by the end of the year, but it was not till well into the first term of 1930 that the whole building was completed.

The need for more classrooms caused the old Hall to be divided into two classrooms and vestibule, with temporary partitions, in 1933.

The remodelling of School House began in 1934, and it was ready for occupation at the beginning of 1935. The reconstructions then made were so thoroughgoing that they could not be described without plans, but



description is not really necessary, as the buildings are the ones we see to-day.

During the Christmas vacation of 1935-6 two more classrooms with an approach from a temporary outside stair were made of the upper floor of the old studies, but in Term III. of 1937 drastic reconstruction in accordance with a far-reaching plan was begun. As a result we have the magnificent classrooms which extend west of the Library. We are only waiting our opportunity to rebuild the rest of the School in the same scale and manner, when our well-equipped classrooms and laboratories will stand as a long range of slightly and harmonious buildings, completed by the Assembly Hall, which is one of our most urgent needs.

SOME ACADEMIC DISTINCTIONS.

In March, 1893, three of our Old Boys entered the University. In 1896 one of them, A. H. Yarnold, was bracketed equal for the Fraser Scholarship for History. Since then a fair meed of distinction has come our way.

The rewards for General Proficiency in the Senior Examination, and subsequently the Leaving Certificate, namely, the James Aitken Scholarship, John West Medal, and Grahame Prize, were first won by L. S. Dudley on the Senior Examination of 1913. The same distinctions were won later by A. M. Welsh, who was also *proxime accessit* for the Mathematics Scholarship (Senior, 1918), T. A. G. Holmes (Leaving Certificate, 1924), L. F. Fitzhardinge (Leaving Certificate, 1926), T. J. Dunbabin (Leaving Certificate, 1927), and R. E. Makinson (Leaving Certificate, 1931). J. G. Jaeger was *proxime accessit* in the examination of 1923, and M. N. Kelly in the examination of 1937.

The Cooper Scholarship for Classics went to V. G. Childe on the examination of 1911; E. A. Woodward, 1912; T. J. Dunbabin, 1927; and M. N. Kelly, 1937.

The Barker Scholarship and Horner Exhibition were won by L. G. Melville (1918), J. C. Jaeger (1923) and C. F. Wetson (1930).

L. S. Dudley subsequently was awarded the Cooper Scholarship (No. 2), and in the same year (1915) the McCallum Prize for English; graduated in 1916 with First Class Honours in English, Latin and Greek, and was awarded the James Coutts Scholarship in English. He later took Holy Orders and became Acting-Principal of St. George's School, Hyderabad.

A. M. Welsh and T. A. G. Holmes entered the Medical School. Welsh was bracketed first for the Medical Scholarship in 1919.

L. F. Fitzhardinge, after completing his course at the University of Sydney, proceeded to Oxford and took a Second Class in Greats in 1932. He is now on the staff of the Parliamentary Library at Canberra.

T. J. Dunbabin, after a year at Sydney University, entered Corpus Christi College at Oxford, became Senior Scholar of his College, and took a First in Greats in 1933. He engaged in archaeological work in Greece and Sicily; took his M.A. in 1936; achieved in 1937 the rare distinction of a Fellowship of All Souls', and was appointed Assistant Director of the British School at Athens—the centre of British archaeological research in Greece and the Near East.

We must also mention the career of V. G. Childe, who won the Cooper Scholarship No. 2 in 1913, and was later Cooper Graduate Scholar. In 1915 he was awarded a scholarship at Exeter College, Oxford, but did not take it up, as it would interfere with his archaeological studies. He graduated as a Bachelor of Literature at Oxford in 1916, submitting a thesis on the influence of the Indo-Europeans in Greece, the examiners being Sir Arthur Evans and Professor Barrows of King's College, London. He also took a First in Greats, and was awarded the Craven Scholarship. After a short interval in Australia as a schoolmaster, and as private secretary to the Premier of New South Wales, he returned to England and was Acting-Lecturer in Archaeology at London University, and Secretary and Librarian to the London Anthropological Society. In 1927 he became Professor of Archaeology in Edinburgh, and in 1932 was elected to the Board in charge of Archaeological Research in Mesopotamia.

L. G. Melville, on the conclusion of his First Year, was awarded the Geology Prize and the Mathematics Scholarship; the following year he was bracketed equal for the Second Year Mathematical Scholarship; and in 1922, having taken First Class Honours in Economics, he was appointed Lecturer in Insurance Mathematics. In 1929 he became Professor of Economics at Adelaide. He was appointed Adviser in Economics to the Commonwealth Bank in 1931, and in 1932 served on the Currency Committee at the Ottawa Conference.

J. C. Jaeger graduated with First Class Honours in 1927, winning the Norbert Quick Prize for Mathematics and the Deas Thomson Scholarship for Physics. As Barker Graduate Scholar he proceeded to Cambridge, and in 1930 he was First in the Mathematical Tripos, and received

the Mayhew Prize awarded to the most distinguished graduate in mathematics. He became a research scholar of Trinity College, Cambridge, in 1931.

In the course of his career at Sydney University, R. E. Makinson won the George Allen Scholarship for Mathematics, and was bracketed equal as Levey Scholar in Chemistry and Physics; he won the Barker Scholarship for Mathematics in 1932, the Deas Thomson Scholarship for Physics in 1933, the John Coutts Scholarship in 1934. He took First Class Honours in Mathematics and the University Medal in 1933, and in 1934 First Class Honours in Physics and the University Medal. In 1934 he was President of the Physical Society. In 1935 he went to Cambridge as Barker Graduate Scholar. At the end of 1938 he was awarded the degree of Ph.D., and has now returned as a lecturer to Sydney University.

Another distinguished mathematician is D. M. Myers. He went up to the University in 1929, and graduated B.E. in 1933. In 1931 he was engaged in research on the dielectric constant of the Heaviside layer. After graduation, he went to England and was doing research with Metropolitan Vickers; but in October, 1934, entered New College, Oxford, engaging in research on the secondary emission of electrons, on which he presented a thesis for the degree of Ph.D. He presented to the Royal Society a further thesis on the same subject mathematically treated. In May, 1936, he was appointed an investigator to the Commonwealth Research Board, and conducted special research under Professor Madsen on his return to Sydney. He gained a world reputation in 1937 with the invention of the Graphintegrator, a device for solving differential equations. On October 22, 1938, the University awarded him the degree of Doctor of Science in Engineering, and on December 1 was appointed Controller of the Electrical Section of the Commonwealth National Standards Laboratory.

We have had five Rhodes Scholars. Howard Bullock was Rhodes Scholar for New South Wales in 1909, V. H. Treatt for 1920; K. N. E. Bradfield was selected in 1933, and Ian Esplin in 1936. C. S. Cox was New Zealand Rhodes Scholar for 1931.

SOME FIRST OCCASIONS.

1889—July 4th : First School Day.

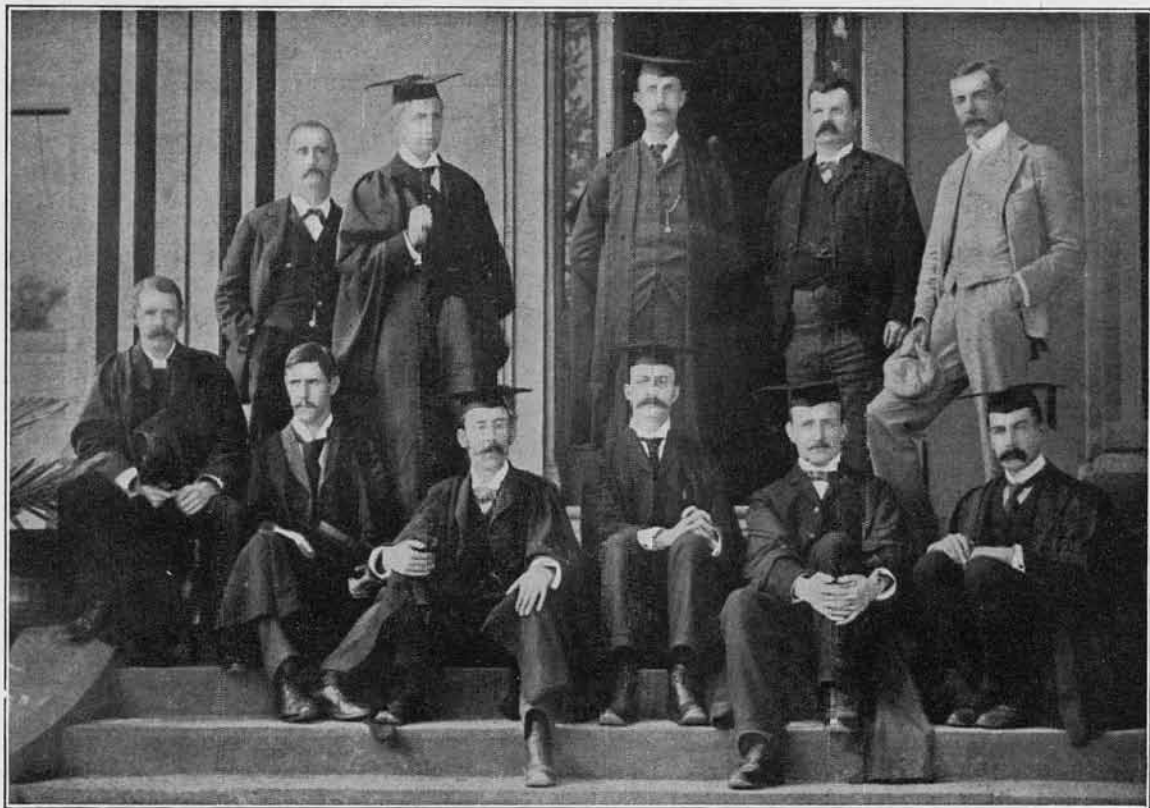
December 20th : First Speech Day.

1890—May 4th : First School Football Match, v. T.K.S. 3rds. Lost, 8-12.

October 8th : First boat, a tub four, bought.

- 1891—January 28th : First Prefects installed.
 March 19th : First General Sports Committee instituted.
 March 26th : First Rowing Camp began.
 April 10th : First Racing Four.
 May 2nd : First Boat Race. School defeated S.I.C.
 June 18th : First School Concert.
 June 10th : First *Torch-Bearer* published.
 October 28th : First Cricket Match against a first team, v. N.C. Lost.
- 1892—April : First Boat Club flag.
 May 25th : First Football Match against a first team, v. T.K.S.
 Lost, 0-31.
 June 14th : First Athletic Sports, on North Sydney Oval.
 December 20th : First School flag.
- 1893—March : First Old Boys enter University.
- 1894—August 10th : First Eight.
 First Meeting of Old Boys' Union.
- 1895—May 5th : First A.A.A.G.P.S. Regatta on the Parramatta.
 September 11th : First A.A.A.G.P.S. Combined Athletic Meeting
 (Sydney Cricket Ground).
- 1897—May 8th : First O.B.U. Dinner.
- 1902—January : First 'Prefects' badges.
 First Colour blazers.
 First Winning of Cricket Premiership.
- 1903—January : First Mods. Forms.
 March 19th : First Swimming Carnival (Lavender Bay).
- 1906—January 23rd : First Meeting of Debating Society.
- 1908—First Parade of Cadet Corps.
 First winning of Football Championship.
 December 2nd : First Competition for the Venour Nathan Shield.
- 1910—April 4th : First Racing Eight.
 April 24th : First G.P.S. Eight-Oar Race. School won by $\frac{1}{4}$ length.
 October : First reading of lessons by Prefect on duty at morning service.
- 1915—May 13th : First service in Chapel.
- 1919—September 27th : First match on Northbridge grounds—Old Boys Match—on occasion of the official opening of the ground.

FIRST STAFF PHOTOGRAPH—TAKEN SEPTEMBER 14, 1893.



Standing—Mr. G. B. Roske'll, Mr. E. R. Holme, Mr. C. H. Lintor, Sjt.-Major W. McKay, Mr. G. H. Devonshire.
Sitting—Rev. D. Davies, Mr. A. D. Hall, Mr. A. McCulloch-Hughes, Mr. E. I. Robson, Mr L. A. Baker, Mr. R. G. Burnside.

1932—November 11th : First polished penny collection.

The first boy on the School roll was Herbert W. Kendall.

The first boarder was Stuart Barclay Wallace.

The first Old Boys to enter the University were A. H. Yarnold, J. Mair and W. J. Morson.

E. O. Pockley was the first Old Boy to practice Medicine; J. F. Fitzhardinge was the first solicitor.

I. D. Armitage was the first to take holy orders.

A. H. Yarnold was the first Old Boy to become a member of the staff.

A. B. S. White was the first Old Boy to become a member of the School Council.

OUT OF SCHOOL ACTIVITIES.

A number of activities have flourished outside the classroom in our fifty years of life. In 1891 a Musical Society was founded, and under Mr. Langhans, and later Mr. Burnside, practised once a week, and used to provide a number of choruses at the annual concerts. No musical society, strictly so called, at present exists, though for some years Mr. Monckton has conducted a group still called The Octet, though its numbers have grown greatly. Composed of boys and masters, it meets many times for its own amusement, and generally gives at least one lunch-hour concert a term.

Under Mr. Walmsley, a School orchestra was got together on several occasions, but the number of instrumentalists in the School has never been large and has varied greatly. An attempt is being made to form one at present.

Particularly from the time Mr. Pulling joined the staff, the annual entertainment began to be at least half dramatic, and many were the plays produced by him in the School of Arts Hall, the Coliseum, and the School Hall. "The Amazons," produced in 1921 in the Warringah Hall, and afterwards at Killara, was probably his most elaborate production. We have not had an annual entertainment in recent years. As our numbers have grown we have had difficulty in finding a place to house our audiences, but the old School Hall, the Dining Room, and the Warringah Hall have seen a number of performances in the last ten years. Our difficulties are that outside places are not really suitable, and the conversion of the Dining Hall into a theatre entails too much improvisation and disorganisation. The 1936 Pageant, the largest dramatic effort we have ever had, in which

more than one hundred boys took part, was played in the open air on a stage formed by the embanked edge of the School ground.

A Chess and Draughts Club was formed in the House in 1898. It subsequently lapsed. Informal associations have existed since, but a new club was formed in 1937.

The interest taken by the School in a lecture on Photography given on May 29, 1902, suggested the formation of a Camera Club, but none was actually formed until March 13, 1911. Of recent years regular visits from a representative of Kodak's have stimulated the work of a number of enthusiasts, but no organised society exists at present.

An active Art Club was established by Mr. Monckton in 1937. In 1932 the old kitchens were equipped as a Hobbies Room, and for a while boat-building, aeroplane-building, and leather work flourished, but the difficulty of adequate supervision and attention caused this institution to die.

A Play-Reading Society was formed in 1925, and had a vigorous life for some years; but it became increasingly difficult to borrow sufficient numbers of fresh plays, especially when the Sydney Repertory Society became defunct and its library was no longer available. A society to cultivate the Arts in general, called *The Thing*, came into existence in 1931. To begin with, its meetings were enthusiastically attended, and in later years Old Boy members often outnumbered School members at its meetings. It obtained a number of interesting people to address it, of whom Dame Sybil Thorndike was perhaps the most distinguished. However, it hampered itself by too rigid a constitution, and when the Entertainments Club was founded in 1935 it found that the Entertainments Club largely performed the functions for which it had been founded, so the two societies amalgamated in 1937.

Unofficial journalism may find a place here. In 1917 Broinowski, Slessor and Crawford conducted a magazine called *Pie*, the profits of which were devoted to War funds. Subsequently there appeared *Blue and White*, whose profits went towards the Northbridge Ground Fund. In 1927 *Blue and White* was revived. Robson House produced *The Robsonian* and Barry House *Chanticleer*, but this revival was only spasmodic.

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The Debating Society was founded on January 23, 1906, and held its first debate on April 6. It has had a vigorous life. The Louat Trophy

was presented for inter-school competition in 1920, and has come to us on various occasions. Selected speakers have also competed with success for the Lawrence Campbell Trophy for oratory.

THE ENDOWED PRIZES.

On the School prize list every year there appears a number of special prizes with distinctive names; the majority of these prizes are memorial prizes. It seems fitting that we should have somewhere a unified record of these prizes, their donors, and the men they commemorate.

The oldest of these prizes is the Uther Prize for Church Catechism, which was established by Mr. F. W. Uther in 1901 and won first by Harold Baker Shaw.

In 1913, Mr. Walter Burke presented a sum of money to establish a Foundation Prize to be awarded to the Head of the School. The first winner was L. S. Dudley. With the Burke Prize is now associated the United Services Prize, founded in 1918 by an anonymous donor. Its first winner was A. M. Welsh.

Dr. Antill Pockley had presented an annual prize on moral qualifications since 1904, and in 1914 he endowed this permanently as the Brian Pockley Memorial Prize in memory of his son, Dr. Brian Colden Antill Pockley, who was at the School from 1904 to 1909, was Prefect, Pockley Prize man, Captain of Football, won Football and Athletic Colours, and was a Lieutenant in the Cadets. As a member of the Medical Corps at Rabaul, while attending the wounded he was shot, and died of his wounds—the first Australian to be killed in the Great War. The first winner of the prize under its new name was James Blackwood in 1914, who himself was killed in the Great War, and in whose memory the laboratories were equipped.

The War Memorial Prize was established in 1918 by the donor of the United Services Prize. Its first winner was T. W. Smith.

The P. J. Sharpe Memorial Prize was established in 1926. The Rev. Percival John Sharp was a son of Canon Hey Sharp, a member of the School Council. He joined the School staff in 1917, resigned through ill-health during the first term of 1921, and died on October 16th of that year. He is commemorated by an inscription on the Chancel steps. The first winner of the prize was L. F. Fitzhardinge.

The Harold Dean Memorial Prize was founded in 1916 in memory of Harold Edward Dean, who entered the School in January, 1913, and was

"accidentally" killed on December 20, 1915. The prize was first awarded to N. M. Goddard. With the Dean Prize, which is given for Mathematics, there is now associated the R. S. Reid Memorial Prize, first given in 1929. Robert Stewart Reid entered the School in July, 1896, and left in 1901. He was Senior Prefect, Head of the School, and Captain of Boats. In the Great War he attained the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel and received the D.S.O. He died on November 19, 1926. The first winner of the R. S. Reid Prize was D. L. Carson.

The A. H. Wade Prize for the Head of the Modern Side was won first in 1918 by A. R. Ford. It was established by his parents as a memorial to Arthur Hamsworth Wade, a member of the School from February, 1914, to 1916, in which latter year he was a member of the 1st XI. He died in England in camp as a gunner in the Australian Artillery.

The John Sidney Wilson Prize for English was first given in 1932. The winner was K. W. Tribe. John Sidney Wilson entered the School in February, 1904. He became a Prefect, and left in 1911. He held the degrees of M.B. and Ch.M. of Sydney. He served in the War, attaining the rank of Captain, and died of wounds in France on August 9, 1918.

The Russell Sinclair Memorial Prize was established in 1932. Mr. Russell Sinclair was a very good friend to the School. He directed the School Fêtes; he presented the Eric Sinclair Memorial Shed. He had four sons at the School, all prefects, and two of them Captains of Boats. He died in 1930. The Russell Sinclair Memorial Prize was first won by E. S. White.

The David Mahlon Cowlishaw Prize was first awarded in 1935, the winner being N. C. Stokes. David Mahlon Cowlishaw was a member of the School from 1926 to 1932. He was a Prefect, a member of the 1st XV, rowed in two Eights, and was a Lieutenant in the Corps; he had a wide range of intellectual activities. He was killed in a motor accident on January 28, 1935, at the age of 21.

In the same year the Herbert Kendall Prize for French was instituted, being first won by P. H. Wallman. Herbert Kendall was the first boy on the School Roll. He left in 1894. He was a Prefect, and a member of the 1st XI, 1st XV, and 1st Crew. He rowed for Sydney University, and, graduating M.B., Ch.M., subsequently practised medicine. He died on March 21, 1934.

The Alan Ludowici Prizes were founded in 1929. They commemorate Frederick Alan Ludowici, who was a member of the School from February.

1915, to 1921. He was killed in a motor accident on September 24, 1926.

Roy Milton's French Prize, first awarded in 1918 to F. J. Hill, was established in memory of Roy Clifford Milton, who is also commemorated by a window in the Chapel. He was killed in France on July 20, 1916, as a private soldier. He entered the School in July, 1912, was a Prefect, member of the 1st XV. and 1st Crew. He gained an Honour Cap for Football, and was a member of the G.P.S. 1st XV. He left in 1915.

The David Davies Memorial Prize was founded in 1937. The work of Mr. Davies, one of the original masters of the School, and its first Chaplain, should not need recapitulation.

Other prizes we owe to the recurring generosity of our benefactors, whose names we are glad to acknowledge yearly in our prize lists.

THE SCHOOL AT WAR.

A short note alone is possible on the services rendered by Old Boys in war. The School had been founded barely ten years when the South African War broke out. Before the end of the war twenty-nine Old Boys had taken part, and J. Mair, W. J. S. Rundle and A. D. Campbell lost their lives. W. J. S. Rundle was awarded the D.S.O. Three Old Boys accompanied the Australian Naval Force on the China Campaign in 1900, and one of these subsequently went also to South Africa.

When the Great War broke out in 1914 a large number of Old Boys were found among the first enlistments. Serving with the A.N.M.E.F., Dr. B. C. A. Pockley was the first Australian to be killed in the War. There were Old Boys in every arm of the service—in the Navy and the Air Force; in the British and French Armies, as well as the Australian Army; with the Mesopotamian armies and with Dunsterforce, as well as in the better known fields of Gallipoli, France and Palestine. Eight hundred and sixty-six members of the School entered the armed forces. Of these 132 lost their lives. Among the decorations awarded were twelve D.S.O.'s, fifty-five Military Crosses, twenty Military Medals, two O.B.E.'s, one C.M.G., one D.F.C., one D.C.M. One member of the School was awarded the Legion of Honour and four the Croix de Guerre; other foreign decorations include the Order of the Sacred Treasure, the Order of the Gold Kite, and the Order of the Nile. There were numerous mentions in despatches.

Those whose school life covered the period of the European War recall the emotional tension of the time; how the senior boys, of one year, in,

the next would be in uniform, and too often within a few months would have become names in the ever-lengthening lists read out in Chapel on solemn occasions.

A sidelight is thrown on the time by the notice in *The Torch-Bearer* that the money collected to provide athletics prizes would be devoted to the patriotic funds, and the successful competitors would receive pewter medals.

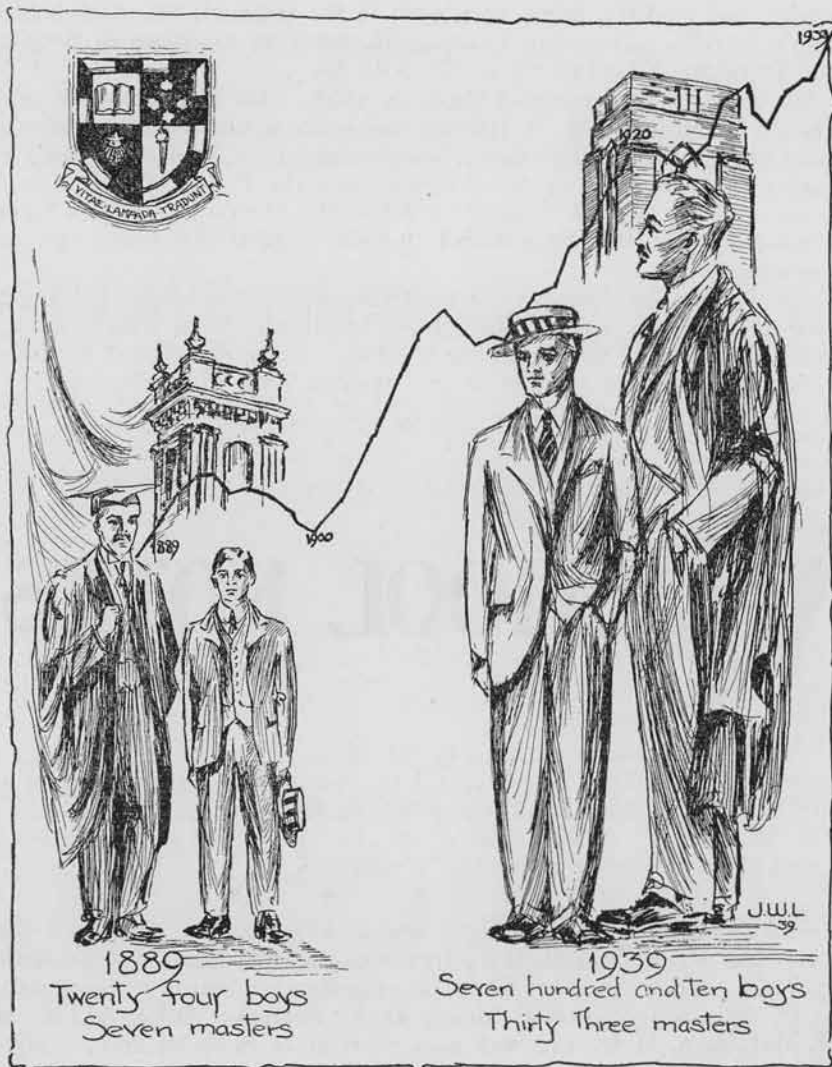
SOME CADET CORPS HISTORY.

A deputation from Sydney Grammar School, The King's School, and S.C.E.G.S. called on the Premier of New South Wales on December 9, 1892, to ask him to appoint an officer to supervise the School Cadet Corps and bring them under the Military Department. The Premier, Sir George Dibbs, promised to give the matter careful consideration, but the Government eventually decided that the Military Department could not supply the necessary equipment. Without Government assistance, a Corps at the School in those days was regarded as impossible, and the matter dropped for a while.

In 1902 Sir Harry Rawson presented several trophies for competition in the schools, including a cup for shooting, and this stimulated further interest. A correspondent in *The Torch-Bearer* in 1904 was asking why a Cadet Corps or Rifle Club was not founded. In October, 1905, ten boys were practising as honorary members of the North Sydney Rifle Club. The Headmaster's report of 1905 referred to the possible establishment of a Cadet Corps, but there was no Corps in existence till the first term of 1908.

The first Corps was organised as G Company of the 3rd Battalion, Senior Cadets. Mr. J. L. Pulling was in command with the rank of Captain; Mr. J. R. O. Harris and Mr. H. Wilshire were Lieutenants. There was a full parade on Fridays, and voluntary parades on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The first boys to hold commissions were C. Tozer and B. C. A. Pockley.

The Corps continued on a voluntary basis until the third term of 1911, when, on the introduction of compulsory training, the School Corps became A and B Companies of 18A Battalion, of which Mr. Pulling was placed in command. Mr. Harris, now Captain, commanded A Company, and Lieutenant A. C. Ross B Company. Serjeant-Major A. Cooke-Russell, who had been the drillmaster of the Corps since its foundation, accepted a



commission from the Commonwealth Government, became Area Officer for Hornsby, and in 1911, being appointed to the instructional staff, left the School's service. He secured the appointment in his place of Serjeant-Major Davidson, who happily is still with us.

Mr. Pulling was promoted Major in 1913. He was succeeded in the command by Major J. R. O. Harris, under whom the Corps continued to display its traditional efficiency, being selected in 1920 to provide the Guards of Honour for General Birdwood and the Prince of Wales on the occasion of their visits to Sydney. When Mr. Harris resigned to become Headmaster of the Hutchens School, Hobart, in 1929, Mr. Bagot took over the command.

The compulsory provisions of the Defence Act were suspended in 1929. A new organization was devised, and a voluntary Corps with a strength of 201 was formed at the beginning of 1930. Since its original formation, the Corps has seen six changes of uniform and three of armament.



SCHOOL NOTES

The School wishes to express to Sjt.-Major Davidson its sympathy on the death of his wife, which occurred on March 17. Mrs. Davidson was one of the most consistent supporters of the School at its matches, and on March 18, the day of the funeral, the 1st XI. playing at Northbridge assumed black armbands as a token of respect.

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At the beginning of the term several new masters joined the staff. We welcome Mr. T. Milfull, B.A., from Queensland; Rev. T. H. D. Kitley, B.A., Th.L., who is Assistant Chaplain, was Brother Harry in the Brotherhood of the Good Shepherd; Messrs D. P. Fomenko, B.Ec., M.Lit., and C. J. Mathieson, M.Sc., are both now resident in School House. Mr. J.



THE CHANCEL.

G. Hendry, B.A., who comes from Scots College, is resident in Barry House. Messrs. E. C. Arnold, B.A., and W. H. Brierley have joined the Preparatory School Staff.

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Barry House has been opened as a boarding house, with Mr. P. H. Eldershaw as housemaster. As the result of Mr. Mander-Jones' resignation, Mr. McGregor is housemaster of School House.

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On February 7, M. M. Helsham was appointed Senior Prefect; and on February 15, G. G. Fisher, W. Robins, D. R. Way and B. G. Wileman were appointed Prefects in Chapel; also D. T. Bartley, C. Forsythe, A. V. Maxwell, D. R. Osborne and D. M. Taylor were admitted as Sub-Prefects. On the same day, B. G. Wileman was appointed Second Prefect.

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A few weeks after the beginning of the term, Mr. Burgess was taken ill, but we are glad to report that he has now recovered and will soon be with us again. His absence has been felt by those whom he taught and with whom he taught, and especially by the Editorial Committee. His place on the staff has been taken by Mr. J. P. McAuley, B.A., a recent graduate of Sydney University, and on the Committee by Mr. I. F. Jones.

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Mr. Grigg has just returned after a few weeks in hospital, and Mr. Stewart is at present ill. Mr. Bretherton is filling the temporary vacancy caused by the latter's absence.

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The A. B. S. White Scholar for 1939 is the Senior Prefect, M. M. Helsham.

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It was with great regret that we learnt of the death on April 10th of Mr. E. G. H. Weeks. Mr. Weeks, on leaving the University, joined the staff in 1926 as a resident master in School House, and left in 1927 to go to Oxford. After graduation, he was called to the English Bar, and, practising first at Birmingham, removed later to London; where he was making himself a name in his profession. We extend our sympathy to his wife and family.

Chapel Notes

The preacher at the Open Sunday Jubilee Service at Evensong on 7th May was the Venerable Archdeacon E. A. North-Ash, Rector of St John's, Tamworth, N.S.W., an Old Boy of the School.

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At Evensong on Palm Sunday anthems were sung by the full choir of masters and boys, supported by several Old Boys. An address was given by Mr. F. B. Malim, representative of the Headmasters' Conference of England, formerly Headmaster of Haileybury and Wellington Colleges, England.

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At the voluntary service on Anzac Day the address was given by Mr. E. M. Bagot, of the School staff, Major, commanding the School Cadet Corps.

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Mr. G. Saxby, representing the British and Foreign Bible Society, spoke in Chapel on Thursday and Friday mornings, 13th and 14th April.

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Addresses during term were given by the Headmaster, by the Chaplain, and by the Reverend T. H. D. Kitley, a member of the School staff.

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CHAPEL DONATIONS, 1939.

F. W. G. Merewether, M. M. Goddard, W. J. S. Harding, W. B. Eilbeck, R. A. Dickson, K. H. Broome, H. G. Uther, B. D. Button, L. U. Fox, W. L. Charge, R. Sinclair, B. V. Saddington, M. G. Scholer, R. D. Williams, A. H. C. Wynter, T. A. Roseby, N. U. Curlewis, J. F. Walker, A. T. Elmslie, G. F. Walker, H. E. Lincoln, C. M. Gosling, D. M. MacDermott, J. S. Ellis, H. C. Munsie, Dr. J. J. C. Bradfield, L. J. Richardson, £1/1/- each; R. M. Stewart, W. G. B. Studdy, F. H. Ellerton, S. G. Bradfield, 2/2/- each; G. W. Sawtell, H. F. Wilson, C. P. Ayers, £3/3/- each.

HOLY BAPTISM.

- November 27, 1938 : James Maxwell Goddard.
 December 11, 1938 : Timothy Raymond Harding.
 December 17, 1938 : George William Sawtell.
 December 18, 1938 : Annette Eilbeck.
 December 18, 1938 : Richard Robert Dickson.
 January 22, 1939 : John Richard Edward Wilson.
 February 5, 1939 : Michael John Randal Mackellar.
 February 12, 1939 : Helen Louisa Richardson.
 March 5, 1939 : Anthony Pelham Ayers.
 March 8, 1939 : Thomas Bradridge Studdy.
 March 12, 1939 : Roslyn Susannah Ellerton.
 March 12, 1939 : Beverley Anne Bradfield.
 April 9, 1939 : John Michael Armstrong Stringer.

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HOLY MATRIMONY.

The following marriages were solemnized in the School Chapel by the Chaplain, Rev. N. a'B. T. Backhouse :—

- Broome—Uther** : January 5, 1939. Kenneth Hamilton, son of the late Mr. J. A. Broome, and of Mrs. Broome, Coonamble, N.S.W., to Joyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Uther, Cowra, N.S.W.
- Button—Organ** : December 17, 1938. Beresford Davey, son of the late Mr. J. D. Y. Button, and of Mrs. Button, Coonamble, N.S.W., to Edith Gwendolene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Organ, Woonona, N.S.W.
- Grigg—Gilfillan** : December 17, 1938. Howard Woodley, son of the late Mr. T. S. Woodley Grigg, and of Mrs. Grigg, North Sydney, N.S.W., to Marion Forsyth, daughter of the late Mr. D. H. Gilfillan, and of Mrs. Gilfillan, Wentworth Falls, N.S.W.
- Fox—Collins** : December 24, 1938. Leslie Uther, son of Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Fox, Kiama, N.S.W., to Beryl Vera Joan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Collins, Singleton, N.S.W.
- Scholer—Talbot** : February 4, 1939. Mervyn Garnet, son of the late Mr. O. M. Scholer, and of Mrs. Scholer, Cremorne, N.S.W., to Joan Elizabeth McIntyre, daughter of the late Mr. W. F. Talbot, and of Mrs. Talbot, North Sydney, N.S.W.
- Williams—Hart** : February 11, 1939. Rowland Davies, son of Mr. W. R. Williams, and of the late Mrs. Williams, Mosman, N.S.W., to Gertrude Marjorie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hart, North Sydney, N.S.W.
- Wynter—Newth** : January 31, 1939. Alan Hammond Claude, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wynter, Willoughby, N.S.W., to Gwendolyne Hungerford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Newth, Auburn, N.S.W.
- Roseby—Simpson** : February 2, 1939. Thomas Ashley, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Roseby, Wollstonecraft, N.S.W., to Muriel Jeannette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Simpson, Cremorne, N.S.W.

- Charge—Kemmis** : December 24, 1938. By Canon the Reverend W. H. Kemmis, assisted by the Chaplain. William Leith, son of Mr. W. T. Charge, and of the late Mrs. Charge, Clifton Gardens, N.S.W., to Lorna Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Kemmis, Neutral Bay, N.S.W.
- Sinclair—Millard** : January 7, 1939. By Rev. H. Woodger, assisted by the Chaplain. Russell, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sinclair, Koloona, N.S.W., to Eleanor Joyce, daughter of Dr. R. J. Millard, and of the late Mrs. Millard, Lindfield, N.S.W.
- Stewart—Brett** : January 19, 1939. Ronald Maxwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Stewart, Cremorne, N.S.W., to Catherine Nancy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brett, Walgett, N.S.W.
- Saddington—Bryant** : February 18, 1939. Brian Vernon, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Saddington, Warrawee, N.S.W., to Betty Lorraine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Bryant, Killara, N.S.W.
- Curlewis—Nicholls** : January 27, 1939. Nigel Unwin, son of the late Mr. C. C. Curlewis, and of Mrs. Curlewis, Killara, N.S.W., to Mary Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Nicholls, Wahroonga, N.S.W.
- Walker—Mackellar** : March 22, 1939. John Forsyth, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Walker, Turramurra, N.S.W., to Joyce Valerie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Mackellar, Chatswood, N.S.W.
- Elmslie—Pixley** : January 31, 1939. By Rt. Rev. E. N. Wilton, assisted by the Chaplain. Alan Trewyn, son of the late Mr. C. T. Elmslie, and of Mrs. Elmslie, Wollstonecraft, N.S.W., to Margaret Mary, daughter of the late Mr. A. Pixley, and of Mrs. Pixley, Potts Point, N.S.W.
- Walker—Roberts** : April 17, 1939. Grant Forsyth, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Walker, Turramurra, N.S.W., to Beverley Anne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Roberts, Gordon, N.S.W.
- Lincoln—Emerson** : April 13, 1939. Harry Emerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lincoln, Mosman, N.S.W., to Jean Greeba, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Croll, Bellevue Hill, N.S.W.
- Gosling—Wilson** : April 12, 1939. Cedric Milne, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gosling, Mosman, N.S.W., to Helen Lorraine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. L'Estrange Wilson, Chatswood, N.S.W.
- MacDermott—Waley** : March 10, 1939. Dermot Mor, son of the late Mr. E. S. MacDermott, and of Mrs. MacDermott, Neutral Bay, N.S.W., to Annette Winifred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. K. Waley, North Sydney, N.S.W.
- Ellis—Priest** : March 18, 1939. John Stevenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. C. Ellis, Wahroonga, N.S.W., to Gladys Ivy, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Priest, Kirribilli, N.S.W.
- Munsie—Mills** : March 29, 1939. Henry Charles, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Munsie, Warialda, N.S.W., to Gwyneth Eileen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mills, Enfield, N.S.W.
- Watters—Kirkpatrick** : April 15, 1939. Donald Tilbury, son of the late Mr. J. C. Watters, and of Mrs. Watters, Gordon, N.S.W., to Marion Mackie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kirkpatrick, Gordon, N.S.W.

SPEECH DAY, 1938.

Speech Day was held on Thursday, December 15. The prizegiving took place in a marquee erected on the ground. The Rt. Rev. the Bishop-Coadjutor presided, and Mr. Justice Halse Rogers presented the prizes. Again this year the Headmaster's Report was printed as a booklet and circulated.

The following is a list of prize winners:—

		DIVINITY.	FORM.	DIVISION.
FORM VI.	A.	(Woodward, W. W.)	(Woodward, W. W.)	1a. (Raymond, L. H.)
	B.	Clarkson, J. B.	Dickson, J. G.	1b. Connor, G. B.
	C.	Dent, J. R. T.		1c. Connell, J. O. M.
FORM V.	A.	{Friend, J. A.	{Jenkins, P. R. M.)	2a. Friend, J. A.
		{Jenkins, P. R. M.		
	B.	May, J. L.	Harding, I. G.	2b. Moors, J. D.
	C.	Wright, P. C.		2c. Wright, P. C.
FORM U.	IV.A.	Graham, D. A. L.	(Hewett, J. L.)	3a. {Blomfield, R.
				{Davies, L. W.
	IVB.	Merewether, R. J.	Jones, W. B.	3b. Jones, W. B.
	IVC.	Allerton, R. M.	Pringle, J. A.	3c. Mitchell, W. D.
	IVR.	Campbell, P. A. L.		3d.
	IVM.	Bracey, J. E.	Crook, P. P.	3e. Duffy, A. T.
FORM L.	IVA.	Jamieson, J. R. U.	(Jamieson, J. R. U.)	4a. Jamieson, J. R. U.
	IVB.	Shaw, P. N.	Spooner, R. D.	4b. Spooner, R. D.
	IVC.	Charley, P. N.	Charley, P. N.	4c. Charley, P. N.
	IVR.	Stinson, R. A.	Gibb, G. C.	4d. Stinson, R. A.
	IVM.	Hardy, G. P.	Shelley-Jones, R. H.	4e. McDowell, A. C.
FORM III.	A.	Ritchie, D.	(Ritchie, D.)	5a. Harrison, J. T.
	B.	Court, R. J.	Court, R. J.	5b. Boyd, J. S.
	C.	Friend, T. O.	Spencer, F. D.	5c. Sands, D. F.
	M.	South, R. R.	Yuill, B. F.	5d. Campbell, D. C.
FORM II.	A.	Cropley, D. O.	Edwards, A. W. T.	6a. Edwards, A. W. T.
	B.	Roberts, J. W.	Bull, R. S.	6b. Bull, R. S.
REMOVE	A.	Gilder, W. T.	Tugwell, K. F.	6c. Treherry, S. P.
	B.	Ross, K. W.	Mortlock, B. K.	6d. Mortlock, B. K.
FORM I.	.....	Jamieson, H. H.	Jamieson, H. H.	7. Hardwick, A.

GENERAL MERIT.—Willis, J. B.; Lyell, J. S.; Scandrett, R. N.; King, K. L.; Batchelor, W. J. A.; Young, A. J. M.; Bracey, J. E.; Campbell, C.; Weedon, P.; Mocatta, W. O.; Young, D. H.; Nivison, J. F.; Ross, I. G.; Biddulph, R. E.; Ritchie, W.; Richards, G. E.; Woodhill, R. K.; Crane, D. H.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

(a) FORM VI.—

Brian Pockley Memorial Prize		Jay, B. P.
United Service Prize	} For General Proficiency	} Connor, G. B.
Burke Prize (the gift of W. Burke, Esq.)		
War Memorial Prize (prox. acc.)		Whittle, B.
Percival John Sharp Memorial Prize (Form Prize)		Woodward, W. W.
Harold Dean Memorial Prize } (Mathematics)		Woodward, W. W.
R. S. Reid Memorial Prize }		Raymond, L. H.
A. H. Wade Memorial Prize (Modern Side)		Raymond, L. H.
Charlton Prize (Divinity)		Woodward, W. W.
John Sidney Wilson Prize (English)		Pritchett, W. B.
Russell Sinclair Memorial Prize (General Merit)		Helsham, M. M.
David Mahlon Cowlishaw Prize (Latin)		Woodward, W. W.
Herbert Kendall Memorial Prize (French)		Shaw, L. N.
Greek (Mrs. Dixon Hudson)		Woodward, W. W.
German		Gunning, J. P.
History (Old Boys' Union)		Moore, H. J.
Physics (Mrs. Cecil Hoskins)		Whittle, B.
Chemistry (Mrs. Cecil Hoskins)		Armstrong, B. A.

(b) GENERAL—

Alan Ludowici Memorial Prizes (Form Prize) :		
VA.		Jenkins, P. R. M.
U. IVA.		Hewett, J. L.
L. IVA.		Jamieson, J. R. U.
IIIA.		Ritchie, D.
Roy Milton French Prize (Modern Side)		Boyce, R. F.
Hunter Stephenson Mathematics Prize		Jenkins, P. R. M.
Hunter Stephenson French Prize		Willis, A. R.
Uther Prize (Church Catechism)		Forbes, H. P.
David Davies Memorial Prize (Choir)		Jackson, D.
"Lodge Torch-Bearer"		Lipscomb, J. W.
"Torch-Bearer" Prize (J. F. Fitzhardinge, Esq.)		Robertson, T. I.
Physics and Chemistry—		
Upper Fourth		Graham, D. A. L.
Lower Fourth		Hanks, P. A.
French Prizes (donated)	}	Hoddle, G. B.
		Finckh, E. S.
		Doig, P. R.

General Knowledge (Dr. H. L. St. V. Welch)	}	Jenkins, P. R. M.
Debating Prizes (The Headmaster)		May, R. W.
Choir		Ritchie, D.
Music—		Fritchett, W. B.
Piano (Senior)	}	Helsham, M. M.
Piano (Junior)		Dickson, J. G.
Theory (donated)		Court, R. J.
Drawing (Freehand)		Maccourt, R.
Drawing (Mechanical)		Marshall, B. R.
		Pringle, J. A.
		Merewether, R. A.
		Hytten, F. E.
		Dent, G. C.

The School gratefully acknowledges the gift of the Special Prizes mentioned above.

LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS, 1938.

SIXTY-SEVEN PASSED. (83%)

- (1, English ; 2, Latin ; 3, French ; 4, German ; 5, Mathematics I. ; 6, Mathematics II. ; 7, Mechanics ; 8, History ; 9, Ancient History ; 10, Physics ; 11, Chemistry ; 15, Art ; 16, Lower Standard Mathematics ; 17, Economics ; 21, Greek.)

[(x) Denotes Honours in Mathematics, and (o) an Oral Pass in French.]

Alexander, Norman Grahame : 1B 3B 5A 6B 7B 11B.
 Armstrong, Brian A. : 1B 3L 5B 6B 7B 11A.
 Badham, Charles David : 1B 2B 3B 4B 5B 6B 7B 11B.
 Baker, James Thomas : 1B 5B 6B 7B 10B.
 Barnes, Walter Norman : 1B 5B 6B 7B 10B.
 Barton, Andrew B. : 1B 2B 3B 4B 5B 6B 11B.
 Barton, Bernard R. : 1B 3B 5A 6A(x2) 7A 11A.
 Boydell, Arnold Mervyn B. : 1B 3B 5B 6B 8B.
 Boydell, Richard Sturges : 3B 5B 6B 11B.
 Butler, Sylvester Edward : 1B 5B 6B 7B 11L.
 Carr, James Eshott : 1B 3B 5A 6B 7B 11A 17B.
 Clarkson, John Bowes : 1B 2B 3B 4B 5A 6A 8B.
 Connell, John Ormond M. : 1A 5B 6A 8A 9B 17B.
 Connor, George Boyd : 1B 3B 5A 6A 7B 10B 17B.
 Crawford, John David : 1B 2B 5B 6B 7B 11L.
 Cuthbert, Antony B. : 1B 2B 3L 5B 6A 7B 11B.
 Dally, John Douglas : 1B 5B 6B 7B 10B 17B.
 Dickson, John G. : 1A 2B 3B 5A 6B 9B 11A.
 Easterbrook, John N. : 1B 3B 5A 6A 7B 10A.
 Falk, Keith Louis : 1B 2B 3B(o) 5B 6A 7B.
 Farr, Albert Gordon : 1B 3B 5A 6A(x2) 7A 10B.
 Fisher, George Griffin : 1B 5B 7B 8B.
 Forsythe, Colin : 1B 5B 6B 7B.
 Fraser, Peter Aird : 1B 5B 6B 7B 11B.
 Gunning, John Phillip : 1B 2B 3A 4B 5B 6B 11L.

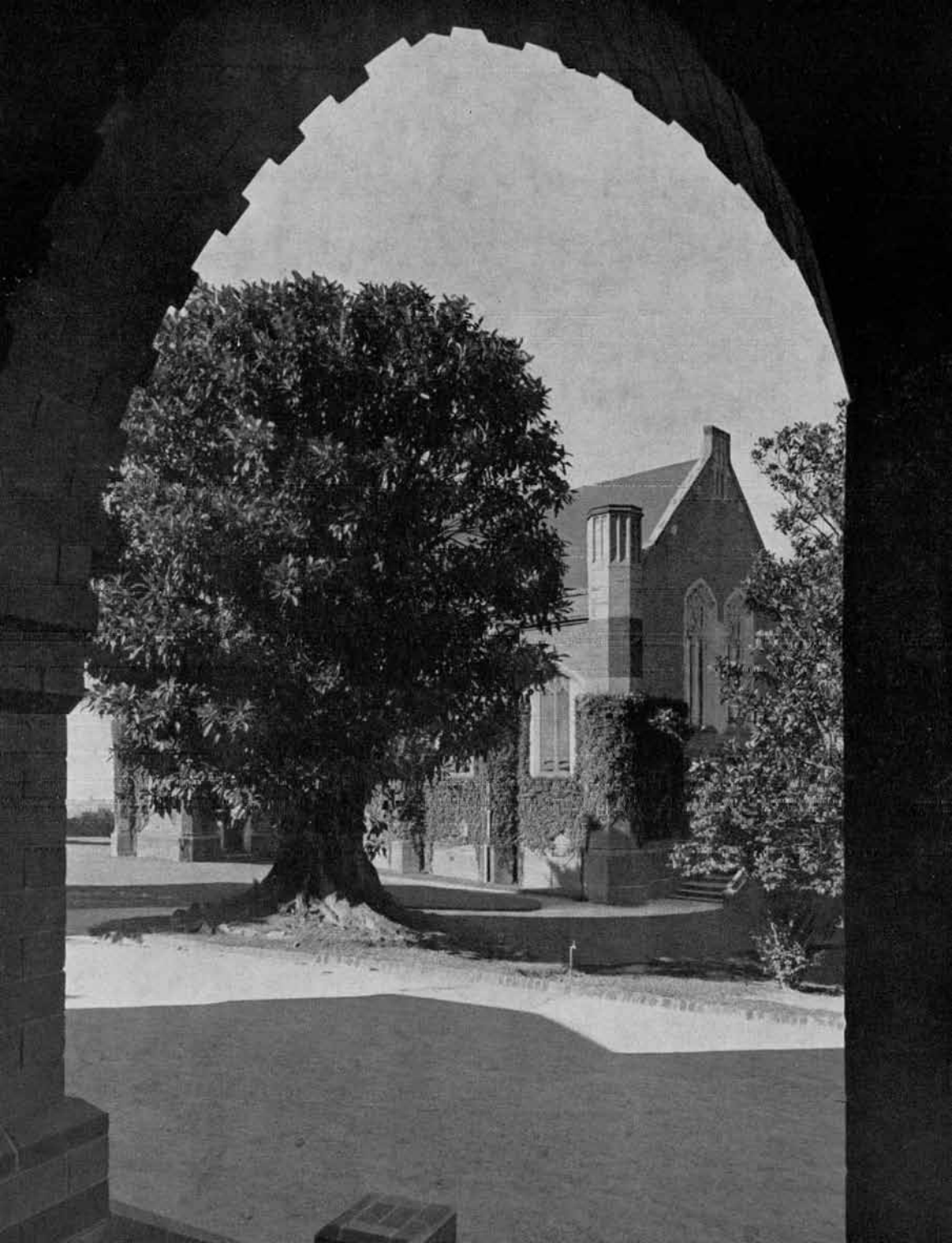
Gunton, Geoffrey Ian : 3B 5B 9L 11B.
 Heath, Geoffrey Allen : 1B 5B 6B 7B.
 Helsham, M. M. : 1B 2B 3B(o) 5A 6A(x2) 9B 11L.
 Henderson, William George : 1B 5B 6B 7B.
 Hoddle, Gordon B. : 1A 2B 3A 5B 6B 9B 11L.
 Howell, David John : 1B 5B 6B 10B 11B.
 Howie, Eric Clark : 1B 2L 5B 6B.
 Hume, Patrick Huon : 1B 5B 6B 7B 11B.
 Irvine, Robert Brian : 3B 5B 6B 7B.
 Jay, Brinley Pearce : 1B 5B 7B 10B.
 Lipscomb, John Ward : 1B 3B 8B 9B 15A 16 pass.
 Loane, Owen Lawrence : 1B 2B 3B 5B 6B 11L.
 Lovejoy, Douglas John : 1B 2B 3B 5A 6A 9B 11B.
 Marshall, Joseph Hamilton : 1B 5B 6B 8A.
 Massie, John Holtham H. : 1A 3B 5A 9B 11L.
 McNab, Paul Nicholson M. : 1B 2B 5B 6A 7B 11B.
 Moore, Hugh John : 1B 3B 5B 6B 8B 9B.
 Murray-Jones, John Daryl : 1B 3B 5A 6B 7B 10H2.
 Nathan, Frank : 1B 3B 5B 6B 7A.
 Otton, Alan Keith : 1B 5B 6B 7B 11L.
 Potter, David Edgar : 1B 5B 6B 8B.
 Pritchett, William Beal : 1B 2B 3B 5B 8B 9L.
 Raymond, Lysle H. : 1B 3B 5A 6A(x1) 7A 10H2.
 Richardson, Peter Charles : 1B 3B 5B 6B 8B.
 Richardson, Ronald T. : 1A 3L 8B 9B 16 pass.
 Robertson, David Graham : 1B 2B 3B 5E 6B 7B.
 Rogers, Richard : 1B 5B 6A 7B.
 Shaw, Lindsay Norman : 1B 2B 3A(o) 5A 6A(x2) 10B.
 Sheehan, Henry Donald : 1B 5B 6B 7B 10B.
 Standing, Gordon Prenton : 1B 2B 5B 8B 9B.
 Stanton-Cook, Peter Alan : 1B 3B 5A 6B 7B 11L.
 Stiffe, Ross Edward : 1B 5A 6B 7A 10B.
 Taylor, Donald Mawney : 1B 3B 5B 7B 10A.
 Walton, Thomas Broadhurst : 1B 2B 3B 6B.
 Wearne, John Frederick : 1B 5B 6B 10L.
 Whittle, Bruce : 1B 2B 3B 5A 6A(x1) 7A 10H1.
 Willsford, Philip Christian : 1B 3B 5B 6B 11L.
 Woods, William Cleaver : 1B 3B 5B 11L.
 Woodward, W. W. : 1H1 2H2 3A 9B 16 pass 21H2.
 Wotton, Robert John G. : 1B 3B 8B 9B 16 pass.
 Yuill, Colin Keith : 1B 3B 5B 8B.
 Yuill, Gordon John F. : 1B 2B 3B 5B 6B 7B 10B.

The following gained first class honours ; the number after each name denotes the place in order of merit in the State :—

English : W. W. Woodward, 11.

Mathematics : B. Whittle, 49 ; L. H. Raymond, 63.

Physics : B. Whittle, 20.



INTERMEDIATE CERTIFICATE RESULTS, 1938.

NINETY-SIX PASSED. (71%)

(1. English ; 2. History ; 3. Geography ; 4. Mathematics I. ; 5. Mathematics II. ; 6. Latin ; 7. French ; 8. German ; 9. Physics ; 10. Chemistry ; 15. Business Principles ; 17. Technical Drawing ; 20. Art ; 27. Greek.)

[(o) Denotes an Oral Pass in French or German.]

Allerton, Robert M. : 1B 2B 4B 6B 7B.
 Arnott, Frederick G. : 1B 2B 3A 5B 17A 20B.
 Baldry, John N. : 1A 2B 4B 5A 6A 7A(o) 8B.
 Bell, John W. F. : 1B 4B 5A 6B 7B 10B.
 Bligh, David G. G. : 1B 4B 5B 6A 7B 10B.
 Blomfield, Robert : 1A 4A 5A 6A 7B 9A 10A.
 Boyce, Richard F. : 1B 2B 4B 5B 7B 15B.
 Bracey, John E. : 1A 2A 3B 4A 5A 7B 15A.
 Broughton, Peter W. S. : 1A 2B 4B 5B 6A 7A.
 Burggraf, Paul R. : 1B 4B 5A 6A 7B 8B 10B.
 Butler, Geoffrey H. : 1A 4A 5A 6A 7A(o) 9A 10A.
 Byrne, Allan A. : 1B 4A 5A 6A 7B 9B 10A.
 Clarke, Stuart : 1B 2B 4B 5B 6B 7B.
 Collett, Peter L. : 1B 4B 5B 7B 10B.
 Cormack, Owen R. : 1B 4B 5B 9B 10B.
 Coulson, Harold W. : 1B 3B 4B 5A 10B 15B.
 Coulton, Gordon E. : 1B 2B 3B 5B 15B.
 Cowlshaw, John A. : 1A 4A 5A 6A 7A 8B 10A.
 Crawford, Robert F. : 1B 4B 5A 6A 7B.
 Creighton, Ronald C. : 1A 2B 6B 7B.
 Crook, Phillip P. : 1A 2B 3B 4B 5B 7B 15B.
 Davies, Louis W. : 1A 4A 5A 6A 7A(o) 9A 10A.
 Daymond, Keith R. : 1B 2B 4B 5A 6A 7B.
 Dent, John Arthur S. : 1B 4A 5B 6A 7A 8B 10A.
 Duffy, Alan T. : 1B 3B 4A 5A 7B 9B 10A 15B.
 Duddy, William G. : 3B 4B 5B 15B.
 Finckh, Ernest S. : 1A 4B 5A 6A 7A 8A(o) 10A.
 Fisher, Colin M. : 1B 4B 5B 6B 10B.
 Gabriel, James E. : 1B 4B 5A 6A 7A(o) 9B 10B 20B.
 Gemmell, Colin S. : 3B 5B 7B 15B.
 Godwin, John W. : 1B 4B 5A 6B 7B.
 Goswell, Kenneth J. : 1B 4B 5B 6B 7B 10B.
 Graham, Donald A. L. : 1A 4A 5A 6A 7A(o) 9A 10A.
 Gray, George H. : 1A 3B 4A 5A 6A 7B 10B 20B.
 Gray, John B. : 1B 4B 5A 6B 7B 9B 10B.
 Gunton, Peter E. : 1B 4B 5B 7B 10B.
 Haley, Peter E. : 1B 4B 5B 10B.
 Hall, John S. : 1B 2B 4B 6A 7B.
 Hewett, John L. : 1A 2A 4B 5B 6A 7B 27A.
 Hordern, Hunter S. : 1B 3A 4B 5B 7B.10B 15B.

Horley, Stewart P. : 1B 4B 5B 6B 10B.
 Howell, Hessel W. : 1B 4B 5B 6B 7B 10B.
 Howie, John S. : 1B 4A 5A 6A 7B 10A.
 Hurst, John L. : 1B 4B 5A 6B 7B 9B 10A.
 Hytten, Frank E. : 1B 4A 5E 6B 7B 9A 10A 20A.
 Ibbery, Peter L. T. : 1A 4B 5A 6B 7B 9B 10A.
 Isles, James L. : 1B 4B 5A 10B.
 Irving, David M. : 1B 2B 3B 4B 5B 15B 20A.
 Jones, Jeffrey R. : 4B 5A 6B 7B 10B.
 Jones, William B. : 1B 2B 4B 5A 6B 7B.
 Keatinge, Richard H. : 1A 4A 5A 6A 7B 9B 10B.
 King, Bruce W. : 1B 4A 5A 6A 7B 9B 10B.
 Leaver, John F. : 1A 2B 4B 5A 6A 7B 27A.
 Little, Graham R. : 1B 2B 4B 5B 6B 7B 20B.
 Lyne, Cecil B. : 1E 4B 5B 6A 7B 9B 10B.
 MacArthur, Robert J. : 1B 4B 5B 6A 7B 9B 10B.
 Martin, Ronald F. : 1B 4B 5A 6A 7A 9B 10A.
 Maxwell, Alan V. : 1A 2A 4B 6A 7B.
 McCorquodale, Alec. : 1A 4B 5A 6A 7B 9B 10B.
 Milne, James B. : 1A 2B 4B 5B 6A 7B.
 Mitchell, William D. : 1B 4B 5B 6B 7B 10B.
 Morgan, John B. : 1B 4B 5A 10B.
 Murphy, Peter V. : 1B 2B 4B 5A 6A 7B.
 Noble, Charles D. : 1B 4B 5B 6B 7B 9B.
 Oliver, John : 4B 5A 6B 7B 9B 10B.
 Pedlingham, Perc C. : 1B 4B 5B 10B.
 Penn, Laurence E. : 1B 4B 5B 7B 9B.
 Perry, Eric H. : 1B 2B 5B 6B 7B.
 Pickburn, Robert J. : 1B 4B 5B 6B 7B.
 Pincombe, Philip S. : 1B 2B 3B 4B 5B 20B.
 Pringle, John A. : 1B 2B 4B 5B 6B 7B.
 Read, Bruce N. : 1B 5B 6B 7B.
 Read, John C. T. : 1B 2B 5B 6B.
 Reaney, Philip T. : 1B 5B 6B 7B.
 Rogers, Alan R. : 1B 2B 4B 5B 6B 7B.
 Rothwell, John M. : 1B 4B 5B 9B 10B.
 Saunders, Bryen P. A. : 4A 5A 6B 7B 9B 10B.
 Scandrett, Robert N. : 1A 2B 4A 5A 6A 7A 8B.
 Shellshear, Stewart W. : 1A 4B 5B 6A 7B 10A.
 Shiels, Eric J. : 2B 3B 4B 5B 7B.
 Stevens, Brian E. D. : 1B 4A 5E 6A 7B.
 Sweetland, Edward S. : 1B 2B 5B 6A 7B.
 Turner, Donald B. : 3B 4B 5B 10B.
 Tyson, Reginald G. : 1B 2B 4A 5A 6A 7B.
 Utz, Kenneth R. : 1B 2B 3B 5B.
 Venn-Brown, Ian : 1B 4B 5B 6B 7B 10B.
 Vincent, Jack H. : 1B 4B 5A 6B.

Warwick, John L. : 1B 2B 3B 5B.
 Wells, Will. : 1B 2B 3B 4A 5B 15B.
 Wileman, William R. : 1B 4B 5B 6A 7B.
 Williams, David A. : 1B 4B 5B 7B.
 Willis, Alec. R. : 1B 2B 4A 5A 6A 7A(o).
 Wise, John C. : 1B 4B 5B 7B.
 Wood, John B. : 1B 4A 5A 6A 7A 9B 10B.
 Wright, John V. : 1B 4B 5B 6B 7B 10B 20B.
 Young, Alan J. M. : 1B-3B 4B 5B 10B.

An analysis of the results shows the following :—

Pass.	English.	History.	Geography.	Maths. I.	Maths. II.	Latin.	French.	Physics.	Chemistry.
A	21	3	2	21	40	36	13	5	15
B	68	30	16	64	53	31	61	19	34

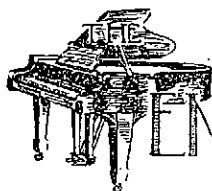
Also :—French, 6 oral passes; German, 1 A, 5 B's, 1 oral pass; Business Principles, 1 A, 9 B's; Art, 2 A's, 6 B's; Greek, 2 A's; Technical Drawing, 1 A.

JUBILEE FUND.

	£	s.	d.
Donations received (including £200 on deposit, S.C.E.G.S. Association), as per August, 1938, "Torch-Bearer"	9306	4	11
John a'Beckett		10	0
Women's Auxiliary Dance	28	19	0
Mrs. E. H. Ferguson	2	12	0
Mrs. G. R. Lemon	3	3	0
Mrs. R. M. Jamieson	2	12	0
Anonymous	10	12	0
A. S. Simpson (collected from Old Boys)	43	7	0
J. G. Williams	2	2	0
S.C.E.G.S. Old Boys' Union Dance Committee	55	2	0
James P. Johnson	3	3	0
J. P. B. Moginie	2	2	0
B. R. Brewer	1	0	0
G. Thvne Reid	10	0	0
G. V. Scammell	2	2	0
L. R. H. Irvine	5	0	0
Dr. W. R. Wilson	105	0	0
G. I. Spencer		10	0
E. Keyte		11	0
J. R. Hobson	1	1	0
C. R. Sinclair	10	10	0
S.C.E.G.S. Shooting Camp	4	0	0
J. W. Crawford	3	3	0

	£	s.	d.
R. A. Dickson	1	0	0
C. W. Luscombe	1	1	0
T. M. Scott, junr.	2	0	0
Vernon H. Treatt	3	3	0
Baldwyn R. Lowick	1	0	0
D. R. V. Wood (Tennis Tournaments)	2	8	0
G. E. Richards	1	0	0
G. F. Allman	2	2	0
A. R. Marshall	1	1	0
Alan Wood	1	1	0
John K. Shirley	26	12	6
Sixth Form Dance	4	17	4
M. Greive	1	0	0
M. Sabien	1	0	0
E. V. Finckh	2	2	0
Chatswood Dance Committee	43	7	11
Rev. Mr. Armitage	10	0	0
Mrs. E. E. H. Lang	1	0	0
F. W. Hixson	100	0	0
C. W. Scholefield		7	6
G. E. Bucknell	1	0	0
W. G. Wileman	5	0	0
G. P. Rev	5	5	0
S. B. Innes	2	2	0
The late Roderick Julius	4	10	0
J. W. Gibson	10	0	0
Dudley Williams	25	0	0
Dr. S. G. Bradfield	10	0	0
W. Wheatley	1	1	0
S.C.E.G.S. Old Boys' Club	21	18	7
Donald Tweedie	5	5	0
Dr. R. B. Speirs	2	2	0
Mrs. Blanche E. Wilson	2	2	0
C. F. W. Bayliss	2	2	0
G. R. Kierath	3	0	0
B. C. Doig		10	6
R. P. Macoun	1	1	0
G. Cullis Hill		5	0
Interest credited since last statement	421	8	0

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ENTERTAINMENTS CLUB

(By L. N. S.)

The Club reports a successful term, not only because of the success of our concerts, but because this term we purchased a piano of our own. We are indebted to Mr. Robson and to Mr. Davey, who kindly granted the Club £40 from the Tuck Shop funds for this. Our piano is housed in a room in School House, and we thank Mr. McGregor for his permission.

As regards lunch-hour meetings, four have been held so far, and two more are to come.

On February 24, Mr. John Creagh, an Old Boy, sang for us several well-known songs, including Handel's "Where'er you walk" and Speak's "Mandalay." Then on March 17 Miss Enid Clarke, who visited us last year, gave another piano recital, which was both interesting and enjoyable.

The third meeting was held on March 31, when Miss Evelyn Hall, the leading contralto in the Gilbert and Sullivan operas, was our artist. She included in her songs one from "The Pirates of Penzance."

The last meeting at the moment of writing was held on April 14, when Mr. Frank D. Clewlow, of the A.B.C., addressed us on the subject of "Shakespeare—The Writer and the Theatre Man." This was most enjoyable and, as Mr. Clewlow hoped, was not "just another lesson."

On April 21 and 28 Mr. Frank Hutchens and Mr. Adrian Curlewis will be our guests. Mr. Hutchens will give a piano recital; Mr. Curlewis will address the Club on "The Legal Profession," the first of a proposed series of talks on "Careers."

The Club has affiliated with the New South Wales branch of the British Drama League, and a group of twenty boys are rehearsing the reading of two plays to be presented during lunch-hours at the end of this or early next term.

We look forward to a year as successful as any we have yet had.

TORCH - - CLUB

An enjoyable Christmas Party was held at the Club near the end of last term. The S.C.E.G.S. and S.C.E.G.S. Boys and Girls' Clubs met together for this function. About sixty boys and girls of Woolloomooloo district were entertained. The party was made possible by the funds raised at the concert held for the benefit of the Club on November 25. Mr. Monckton's School Concert Party contributed a number of items at this concert, which was a great success.

This term a picnic was held on Saturday afternoon, April 29, at Nielsen Park.

THE OCTET.

As notes for last term's number were mislaid, a short summary of these is now recorded. General mention of the selection from "The Gondoliers" was made elsewhere. Best thanks are due to parents and others who so kindly provided copies of the opera. The keenness of those performing, combined with their musical abilities, made the show a considerable success, which was apparently enjoyed by several hundred listeners on different occasions. Items performed were: "From the Sunny Spanish Shore," "We're Gay Gondolieri," "The Inquisitors' Song," "When a Merry Maiden Marries," "The Duke of Plazatoro," "Regular Royal Queen," "For everyone who feels inclined," and "For the merriest fellows we are." Solos were sung by Messrs. Tiley, Jones, Sawkins, Gilfillan, and trebles. The choruses included W. B. Pritchett, M. Helsham, W. Robins, D. Robinson, J. and R. Merewether, B. Marshall, D. Jackson, R. and D. Macourt, Saxton, Morgan, Gilder, Crane, Burns, Davis, Cull, Litchfield, Verey, Sutton, P. Jackson, and Hammond. Mr. Pascoe was at the piano.

The Club also sang unaccompanied carols in the Chapel at two services. These were "Christians, awake!" "Christ was Born," and "The Holly and the Ivy," the last two being arranged by Walford Davies.

Several short concerts were given in Graythwaite Hospital.

This term, items from "H.M.S. Pinafore," "The Mikado," "Ruddigore" and "Pirates of Penzance" have been prepared. It is hoped that performances of these will be given next term. We are very grateful to those who have so kindly lent scores.

Special thanks are due to Mrs. Helsham and Mr. Gilder for much valued musical assistance at the Miller's Point Club concert, and also to those parents who kindly took the party over by car.

On April 28th most of the Club's members are looking forward to a practice which has been very kindly arranged by Mrs. East at her house.



THE
ART CLUB

Benefit of the sound work done in the Preparatory School in the last two years is now being felt in the Senior School. Club members have the use of Room 29 outside school hours for their own work, and access to magazines, periodicals and prints, and are invited to submit any of their sketching and painting for criticism and advice. Some good work has already been submitted by active members.

On the display boards we have posted at intervals of several weeks works by Bonnington, Landseer, Laura Knight and Lambert, with brief notes, where possible, besides cartoons of Bateman and Phil. May.

The Preparatory School is progressing well in poster colour painting, and shows keen interest. Valder is outstanding.

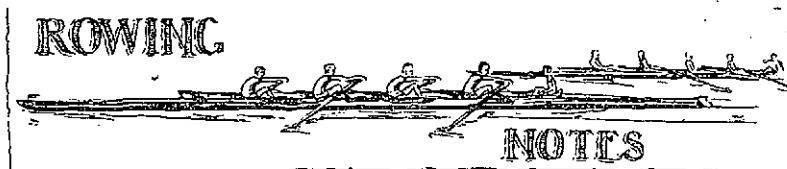
The third Annual Exhibition of the Club is to be held next term. In order to bring it up to the high standard reached last year, members are asked to prepare exhibits as soon as possible. The work is to be divided into Senior and Preparatory School sections. Dates will be announced later, and visitors will be welcomed.

The Club is very fortunate in having J. W. Lipscomb among its members for another year. J. Merewether is proving himself to be a keen and able successor to Lipscomb as secretary of the Club.

DEBATING.

There is usually little to report about debating in first term. No debates against other schools have taken place, although one has been held against an Old Boys' team.

It seems likely that we will have a strong team this year, as about fifteen senior boys are taking great interest in the Friday afternoon debates, and several of them, in spite of lack of experience, are already speaking as fluently and as confidently as most members of our recent teams. Only Helsham of last year's team is available again, and it will be difficult to decide which two of a number of promising boys will assist him in the inter-school debates next term.



At the beginning of Christmas Camp the fours and the eight were not quite up to standard. Mr. Burrell had had a very hard job trying to coach three crews at once, especially since two places in the eight had eventually to be filled by newcomers. However, when he handed over to Mr. Robson he had put in the solid groundwork which eventually enabled us to win. As the term advanced it did not appear that we would be quite up to the usual standard of "Shore" crews, but over the last three weeks there was a very rapid improvement. At the beginning of Easter Camp we had shown glimpses of what we could do, and, although the work was patchy, under Mr. Robson's patient guidance we became more consistent. Easter Camp went through with a swing, and, although we were one of the youngest sheds for some years, everybody settled down well to thorough training. The eight spent most of its time with Paul's, Henley, the University trial eight, and various Old Boys' eights, and I would like to thank these crews on our behalf for their valued assistance as pace-makers.

All along the fours have been rather badly handicapped by the fact that, when they started to row in the third term of last year, Mr. Burrell



could not give them that personal attention which is so essential at the beginning of one's rowing.

On Wednesday we said good-bye to the Paimmatta, which for the last month had treated us very kindly, and on Thursday morning the boats were loaded for the trip to Penrith. This year all the racing boats and the tub-pair were loaded on one lorry, a much better arrangement than that of the previous year. On Thursday and Friday the Nepean was slightly choppy, but Mr. Robson led the eight on to just the right idea to bring us to our top. We did two very satisfactory rows, and approached the race with confidence. On the day, we were lucky to row even better than we expected, and the result was a fitting end to a great season. The fours were not quite so fortunate as the eight, but if Mr. Burrell had had that extra term with them there might have been a different story to tell. Results :—

2nd FOURS.		1st FOURS.		EIGHTS.	
1	High	1	High	1	S.C.E.G.S.
2	Grammar	2	St. Ignatius'	2	High
3	St. Joseph's	3	Newington	3	Scots
Time, 6 mins. 14½ secs.		Time, 6 mins. 7 secs.		Time, 8 mins. 19½ secs.	

We came fifth in the 1st fours and fourth in the 2nd fours.

The season was very successful. The team work and spirit of the boys could only be understood by one there, and great praise is due to the efficient way in which Dave Bartley filled his position.

Once again Mr. Starkey kindly invited us down to Palm Beach on the Sunday before the race, and I must thank Mrs. Taylor, Mr. Bartley, Mr. Banyard, Mr. Jay, Dr. Cuthbert, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Dent and Mr. Sundstrom for their kind assistance in the general welfare of the shed. Mrs. Burnett, Mr. Roy Hordern and Mr. Weeks performed their jobs as efficiently as ever. I would also like to thank those friends who kindly came to visit us at the shed; they were always very welcome.

CHRISTMAS ROWING CAMP.

The 1939 Christmas Camp opened under a shadow, owing to the regrettable absence of J. H. Marshall, due to sickness. His place as Captain of Boats was efficiently filled by D. T. Bartley, Fisher and Forsyth being also on the Rowing Committee. On the Saturday before, Mr.

Robson had had his first outing with the eight, and so on Monday we settled down to a solid two weeks' training. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Burrell for his excellent coaching and advice during Mr. Robson's absence; it was greatly appreciated by all members of the crew.

"Brin" Jay came into camp to help Mr. Burrell with the fours, and his advice was eagerly sought after by all the boys. He led a ukelele band, which was a great success, inciting many members of the camp to learn to play "Frankie and Johnny" on this instrument.

The progress of all crews was very satisfactory in spite of the bad water encountered. Mr. Helsham was a welcome visitor.

Thanks are due to Mrs. W. D. M. Taylor, Mr. H. C. Bartley, Dr. H. W. Cuthbert and Mr. R. O. Dent for their donations of food, which were enthusiastically received by the boys. Once again Mrs. Burnett cooked with her usual skill.

"Coxes" Race, 1939.

On Saturday, April 15, Shore, Scots and Grammar boated their respective crews for the Coxswains' Race held on the Cabarita-Gladesville course. The race resulted in a dead-heat for Grammar and Shore in first place, with Scots several lengths behind. Even the efforts of the entire Scots shed who assembled at the point failed to produce any noticeable effect on their crew.

Although we were not able to uphold the tradition established in previous years of an outright win, the race must be considered highly satisfactory. One member was new to the boat, and time for training and coaching was strictly limited. M. H. Forsyth, G. G. Fisher, etc., kindly undertook the latter. The final selection was as follows: Bow, T. H. Capp; stroke, K. E. Goldring; cox, R. P. C. Windeyer.

The crew rowed well throughout except for a little trouble at the start, when the timing was somewhat erratic. Grammar took the lead, but Shore "rowed them down" until fifty yards from the finish, when they led by a quarter of a length. Grammar, who had been conserving their strength, put in a fine burst and finished level. There was some suspense while awaiting the official result, but Mr. Burrell announced the result with the megaphone from the official launch.

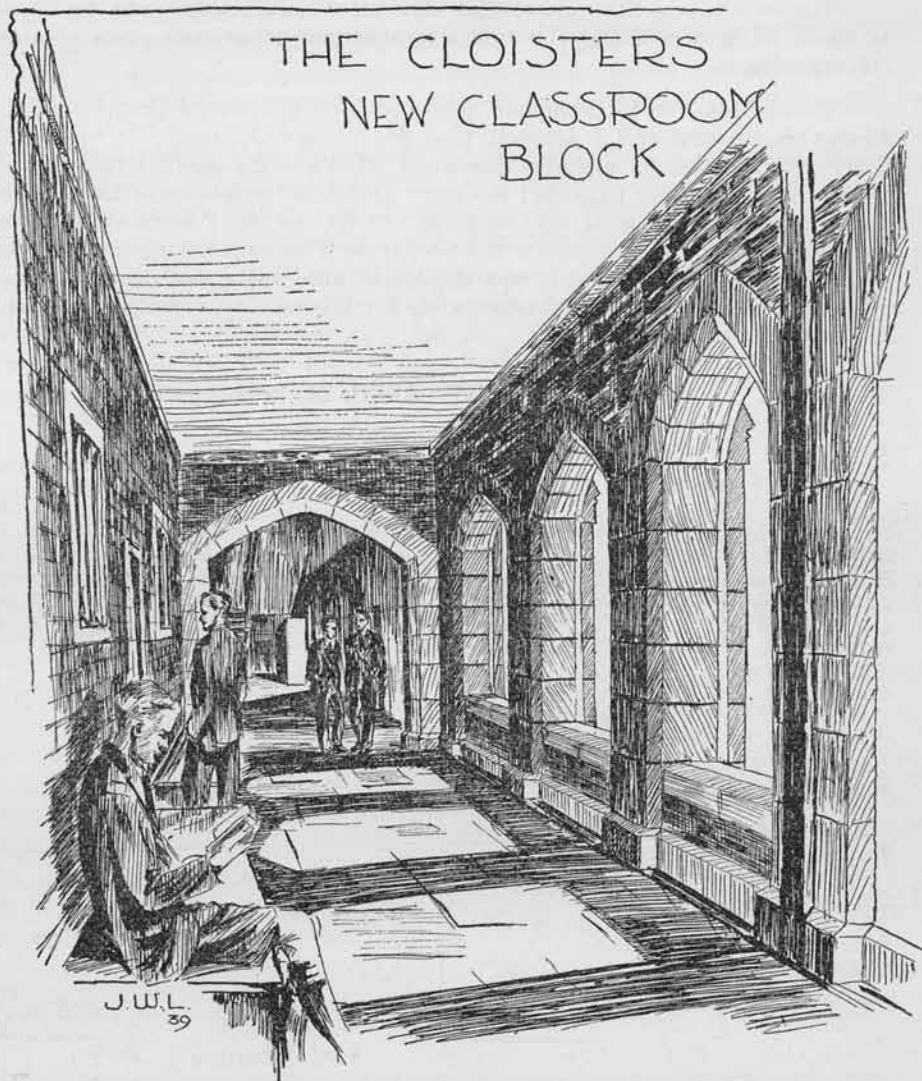
The conditions throughout the race were ideal; there was no wind to speak of, and a strong ebb tide which helped all crews to row a satisfactory race.

Thanks are due to Grammar, who provided the official launch, and to Messrs. A. Stewart and J. Burrell, who acted as starter, umpire, judge, and timekeeper. Thanks are also due to M. H. Forsyth, D. R. Osborne and D. R. Roughton, who patrolled the river and acted as clerks of the course. This precaution was most necessary, as the Italian Navy were at the time carrying out extensive manoeuvres preparatory to any emergency arising in Looking Glass Bay, and it was absolutely imperative that the course be cleared of shell-fire, depth-charges, etc., for the safety of competitors and spectators alike.

REGATTA DANCE—APRIL 22, 1939.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Sale of Tickets	78 15 0	Orchestra	8 0 6
Sale of Cakes, etc.	7 13 10	Staff and Breakages .. .	3 11 6
Subscriptions—			
Committee Members .. .	6 2 0		11 12 0
Mrs. Hum	1 1 0	Balance	90 6 4
Mrs. B. V. Starkey .. .	1 0 0		
Mrs. Lemon	10 0		
Collected by Mrs. O. R. Cormack : Mrs. W. D. M. Taylor, Mrs. Rawson Moody, Mrs. A. H. Jay	4 4 0		
Bridge Party : Mrs. J. B. Burrell and Mrs. F. R. Banyard	2 12 6		
Tickets donated by Mrs. J. M. Forsyth.			
Cordials donated by Mrs. W. D. M. Taylor.			
Sausage Rolls donated by Mrs. A. A. Lang.			
	<u>£101 18 4</u>		<u>£101 18 4</u>
		Final Balance ..	£90/6/4.



CADET NOTES.

The number of boys in the Corps is now greater than ever. This is only to be expected, but it should be noted that the increase is mainly due to the record enrolment of last year. The present strength of the Corps, 271, is larger than can comfortably be handled, and in normal times such an increase would scarcely be allowed to occur. As it is, all boys who wish to do so are being given an opportunity to participate in the national effort, and to prepare themselves in case of need.

When one is asked what percentage of eligible boys serve in the Cadets it is difficult to give an answer that conveys the right impression. Although at any one time there may be numerous non-Cadets over 14 years of age, yet the large majority of eligible boys spend one or more years in the Corps before leaving School. Some spend much longer; 2 boys are now in their fifth year of Cadet work, 20 in their fourth, 45 in their third year.

We are grateful to those Officers and Old Boys who have assisted us as examiners and in other ways. It would be almost impossible to carry on without their help.

There has been a further change in the uniform; shoes having having Kromhyd soles with a leather forepiece and rubber heels were substituted for boots. The object of this change is to reduce foot troubles in camp.

Guard of Honour.—The Corps provided a Guard of Honour for Mr. Justice Halse Rogers on Speech Day. Cdt.-Lt. W. W. Woodward commanded the Guard, with Cdt.-Lt. G. B. Connor to assist him. The Guard was trained by these two officers.

Long Service.—7 Officers, 2 W.O.'s. and 6 N.C.O.'s. who left School last year had 4 or more years of service. Space does not permit their records to be set out. Previous *Torch-Bearers* contain all details. Cdt.-Lts. J. T. Baker and R. D. Fewtrell gained their commissions; each had five years' service. Cdt.-Lt. W. W. Woodward's commission dates from 1937; he commanded B Coy. throughout 1938. Cdt.-Lt. B. P. Jay, who was also appointed in 1937, was 2 i/c A Coy. last year. Cdt.-Lts. G. B. Connor and P. C. Richardson became officers last year. W.O's. G. A. Lloyd and G. J. Yuill passed last year, and were appointed then. Sjts.

J. D. Dally, J. H. Marshall, Cpls. A. M. Boydell, P. N. McNab, L/Cpls. J. H. Massie, P. A. Stanton-Cook, and Cdt. J. E. Bradfield all enrolled in 1935.

Officers.—It is rather difficult to get along without Major Mander Jones. Fortunately two additional officers have joined us, Lieut. J. G. Hendry and Mr. B. A. Selby. Lieut. Hendry holds a commission in the S.U.R., and is now a master at the School. Mr. Selby, an Old Boy, comes over from his office to help us on drill days, and thereby adds considerably to our debt to him, incurred in many camps and examinations. Both these officers are well known to many ex-Cadets.

Sjt. W. Robins was appointed Cadet Lieutenant during the term. As the establishment of officers has been increased, there are vacancies for 9 Cdt.-Lts.

Competitions.—No Gymkhana was held this year. In its place competitions in Drill, Miniature Range Shooting and Physical Training were organised, to be held on 29 Apr. at Victoria Barracks. Teams in the first two of these were entered by the School. Cdt.-Lt. A. V. Maxwell commanded the Drill Team, which was, as usual, trained by Sjt.-Major Davidson, and Cdt.-Lt. W. Robins led the Shooting Team. Results will be published next term.

Examinations.—After a course of training occupying three parades, candidates for 1st appointment to the rank of Corporal were tested. About 110 Cadets took this examination, 57 reaching a satisfactory standard. The exam. for promotion to the rank of Serjeant was held on 4 Apr., earlier than usual, to avoid congestion during preparations for the Jubilee parade; 31 candidates presented themselves, 20 passing.

10 Days' Course.—As in previous years, a Course of Instruction for Officers and N.C.O.'s from school detachments is to be held at Liverpool during the first week of the holidays. This course is popular, as it combines the holiday spirit with solid military training, and increases the N.C.O.'s confidence and their value to their detachments. All our senior N.C.O.'s are expected to attend the course, as it is only right that, in return for the privilege of exercising authority, they should be capable instructors of their commands. There is no difficulty in persuading them to do so. Numerous applications for permission to attend the course were received, and our full quota was taken up.

Annual Camp.—The outstanding event of the Camp was the visit of his Excellency the Governor-General. His Excellency inspected the work of the Senior Group, which was engaged on tactical exercises at the Remount Dépôt, and of the Junior Group, at the Camp. His Excellency, after lunching in the Officers' Mess, inspected a parade of all Cadets in camp in the Liverpool area, and addressed them on the subject of national service.

A series of demonstrations was given, under the supervision of the Camp Commandant, Major Fullarton, at Greenhills, by squads of Cadets trained for the purpose by Staff instructors. Major Fullarton used a public address system, which enabled him to broadcast descriptions of the work in progress. The demonstrations included firing the Mortar, digging and wiring a section post, a Platoon attack, and a machine gun firing blank.

The number in the Camp was much larger than ever before. There were about 690 belonging to the schools' detachments, and, in addition, Staff, instructors, cooks, and civilian labourers. We are indebted to Lieut. R. G. Robinson and Sjts. R. G. Epps and P. B. Green, of the S.U.R., Old Boys, for their assistance as instructors.

A Ceremonial Parade was held on the last day of Camp. Major-General I. G. Mackay inspected the parade. All that last day a gale blew, materially affecting the preparations for the parade and the general performance.

The Camp saw a definite advance beyond our previous standards with regard to numbers and in general proficiency.

NUMBER OF PARADES.—3 N.C.O. Training, 2 Exam., 7 Training, 1 Ceremonial.

STRENGTH.—5 Officers, Sjt.-Major, 54 N.C.O.'s, 211 Cadets. Total, 271.

1st APPOINTMENT TO THE RANK OF CDT.-LT.—Sgt. W. Robins, Gazette No. 16, 30 Mar. 39.

PROMOTIONS.—To be Sjt.: Cpls. R. H. Feather, J. N. McIntyre. To be Cpl.: L/Cpls. W. C. Woods, D. R. Way, J. R. Wallace, J. D. Murray-Jones, P. R. Jenkins, B. G. Wileman, J. W. Lipscomb. To be L/Cpl.: Cdts. J. D. McCarthy, L. N. Shaw, G. H. Gray, F. T. Henry, P. L. Ilbery, J. C. Read, D. R. Osborne, K. R. Utz, D. B. Morell, all as from 14 Feb. 39; Cdt. D. A. Williams, as from 8 Mar. 39.

EXAMINATIONS AND PROMOTIONS.—Passed for Cpl. 7 Mar. 39: Cdts. H. W. Coulson, A. M. Deamer, K. P. Lyttle (appointed L/Cpl. 8 Mar., promoted Cpl. 5 Apr.), R. M. Moxham, P. V. Murphy, T. I. Robertson, G. H. Wearne, A. L. Cohen, W. B. King, E. J. Merewether, E. A. Blunt, J. L. May, J. B. Morgan, J. K. Newth,

S. W. Shellshear, W. R. Wileman, W. F. Burgess, K. S. Millingen, L. B. Soden, D. A. Williams, W. G. Duddy, J. A. Friend, A. R. Middleton (appointed L/Cpl. 8 Mar. 39), W. R. Lang, B. R. Conolly, F. G. Arnott, D. A. Graham, J. V. Wright, I. Venn-Brown, J. C. Fairchild, H. O. Mocatta, K. E. Goldring, G. B. Edwards, A. B. Lang, J. G. Alvarez, J. B. Hardie, P. N. Shaw, W. R. Hardwick, F. A. Epton, R. B. Butler, J. F. Leaver, G. P. Hardy, J. N. Stedman, P. C. Wright, J. W. Bell, J. M. Maxwell, W. J. Burling, D. B. Parkes, O. R. Cormack, D. J. Freeman, L. W. Davies, K. R. Daymond, P. T. Wilson, C. R. Warren, J. S. Paterson, B. A. Saunders, R. P. Windeyer.

Passed for Sjt. 4 Apr. : Cpls. G. G. Fisher, W. C. Woods, L/Cpls. T. I. Robertson, P. V. Murphy, Cpls. J. R. Wallace, B. G. Wileman, L/Cpl. H. G. Wearne, Cpls. P. R. Jenkins, C. Forsythe, A. B. Cuthbert, I. D. Dunsmore, C. M. Fisher (promoted Sjt. 5 Apr. 39), Cpls. H. D. Sheehan, D. R. Way, F. T. Henry, J. C. Read, B. M. Moxham, D. G. Roughton, J. S. Lyell, D. T. Bartley (promoted L/Sjt. 5 Apr. 39).

Promoted Cpl 5 Apr. : L/Cpls. J. D. McCarthy, L. N. Shaw, G. H. Gray, P. L. Ilbury, D. R. Osborne, K. R. Utz, D. B. Morell, D. A. Williams.

PROFICIENCY BADGES.—Cdts. R. G. Anderson, D. G. Bligh, P. W. Broughton, D. G. Brown, R. Blomfield, I. R. Carter, J. M. Crane, P. N. Charley, A. G. Clinton, J. R. Dent, P. R. Evans, W. G. Farquhar, C. S. Gemmell, G. I. Gunton, J. S. Hall, P. Haythorpe, I. G. Harding, P. A. Hanks, P. A. Isles, J. D. Jones, K. L. King, J. R. Lucas, S. L. Mayne, A. Meikle, R. W. May, W. D. Mitchell, J. D. McArthur, A. McCorquodale, E. B. Nettleton, J. Oliver, I. R. Osborne, J. A. Pringle, J. A. Pringle, A. R. Rogers, J. D. Stedman, W. G. Simpkins, L. S. Symonds, S. H. Suhan, G. A. Shirley, N. M. Thompson, A. L. Woodman, J. C. Wise, J. C. Wood, D. E. Yates, K. B. Yuill.

SHOOTING NOTES

The School followed up its run of successes during last year, to become joint Premiers of G.P.S. Shooting for 1938 with Scots College.

During the last week of the September holidays the customary Shooting Camp was held at the Oceanic Hotel, Coogee. The Camp was voted a great success by all who attended, and besides gaining a lot of practice on the range each day the boys soon found that there were more ways than one of amusing themselves when not shooting.

Tuesday, September 20, dawned dull and rainy, and hopes of firing the Rawson Cup diminished as the rain increased. The Rawson Cup was postponed, but the N.R.A. Shield was to be held in the afternoon. By the time the first men started firing the weather had cleared, but the light was dull. Undoubtedly the best



shoot of the day was that of J. S. Lyell, who calmly shot bullseye after bullseye to score 48, and thereby enable the School team to tie with the Scots College for first place. Result of the N.R.A. Shield: 1st, S.C.E.G.S. and T.S.C., each 357 points; 3rd, S.G.S., 342 points.

The next day was fine and hot, but competitors found wind and light conditions very tricky on the 300 yards range, the first stage of the Rawson Cup. After the completion of the 300 yards practice, Scots were leading from Shore, with Grammar in third place, and the teams were placed in the same order after the 500 yards practice had been fired. Result of Rawson Cup: 1st, T.S.C., 500 points; 2nd, S.C.E.G.S., 492 points; 3rd, S.G.S., 470 points.

	N.R.A. Shield.		Rawson Cup.	
	500 yds.		300 yds.	500 yds.
W. Robins (captain)	47	....	30	33
D. G. Robertson (vice-captain)	43	....	26	29
T. I. Robertson	43	....	31	30
J. S. Lyell	48	30	32
H. S. Hordern	45	32	32
G. B. Connor	43	30	31
W. N. Barnes	41	30	29
D. A. Williams	47	34	33
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Total	357	243	249
			Total 492	

On Wednesday afternoon the service matches for the Buchanan Shield were fired. In this match the School team excelled our hopes, and shot very consistently both in snap and rapid to gain another win. Lyell scored a possible in the snap, and won the Venour-Nathan Trophy for his excellent shooting in all matches. Result of Buchanan Shield: 1st, S.C.E.G.S., 388 points; 2nd, T.S.C., 349 points; 3rd, S.G.S., 343 points.

	Buchanan Shield.	
	Rapid.	Snap.
W. Robins	26	24
D. G. Robertson	24	24
T. I. Robertson	26	24
J. S. Lyell	24	32
H. S. Hordern	21	28
G. B. Connor	22	28
W. N. Barnes	25	24
R. T. Tindal	28	8
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	196	192
Total	388

Thus Shore and Scots shared the Premiership, with Grammar third. In the aggregate score of the three matches, Shore beat Scots by 39 points, but they tied in the points score with 19½ points each.

The Second Teams' Match was held on the following Saturday week, and, after being nine points behind the leaders after the 200 yards practice had been

fired, the School team shot excellently to win by one point from Grammar. Result of Second Teams' Match : 1st, S.C.E.G.S., 480 points ; 2nd, S.G.S., 479 points ; 3rd, T.S.C. and T.K.S. tied.

We are proud to say that the aggregates for all matches were held by Shore boys. J. S. Lyell got the G.P.S. aggregate in the 1st Teams, D. A. Williams in the Rawson Cup and N.R.A. Shield, and B. A. Saunders in the 2nd Teams.

2nd Teams' Match.

	200 yds.	400 yds.
W. W. Woodward (captain)	28	27
K. L. Falk	31	29
W. R. Lang	29	30
B. A. Saunders	33	33
A. C. Parsonson	31	30
D. B. Morell	30	30
J. N. Stedman	26	31
H. H. Jackson	31	31
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	239	241
	Total	480

The House Shooting took place on Saturday, 24th September, results being as follow:—

Hodges.	Robson.	Barry.	School.
Lyell 64	Robins 66	D. G. Robertson 65	T. J. Robertson 59
Williams 67	Connor 62	Hordern 64	Woodward 57
Barnes 62	Stedman 61	McIntyre 56	Baker 60
Saunders 63	Morell 65	Parsonson 63	Jackson 61
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1st ... 256	2nd ... 254	3rd ... 248	4th ... 237

On Saturday, 15th October, the School entered two teams to defend the Fremantle Cup, which the School won last February. No. 1 Team, captained by W. Robins, came first, with No. 2 Team, captained by D. G. Robertson, only four points behind in second place. Anzac Range lived up to its reputation for tricky winds. During the 400 yards practice, the light wind which was blowing sometimes turned completely about and blew from the opposite direction, thereby giving coaches a harrowing time. Result of Fremantle Cup : 1st, S.C.E.G.S. No. 1 Team, 369 points ; 2nd, S.C.E.G.S. No. 2 Team, 365 points ; 3rd, T.S.C. No. 1 Team, 338 points.

On the 15th April this year, Lyell and Robins formed part of the first division team who shot against the second division and R.A.N.R. The match consisted of 10 rounds application at 300 and 500 yards, 10 rounds snap at 300 yards, and 10 rounds rapid at 400 yards. Out of a possible 170, Lyell scored 136 and Robins 134, coming 5th and 6th respectively out of a team of twenty, there being ten spoons to the ten highest scorers in each team.

There are five out of last year's 1st Team back this year, and our chances of gaining the Premiership seem as bright, if not brighter.

SWIMMING REPORT.

The 37th Annual Swimming Carnival was held at the North Sydney Olympic Pool on Monday, March 13, starting at 2 p.m. Results were as follows:—

- G.P.S. Teams' Race** (200 metres).—S.C.E.G.S., 1; S.H.S., 2; T.S.C., 3. Time, 2 mins. 3½ secs.
- 50 Metres Handicap** (open).—A. R. Lakeman, 1; J. V. Wright, 2; D. B. Turner, 3.
- 50 Metres Championship** (under 13).—J. M. Cooke, 1; J. S. Woods, 2; D. A. Thomas, 3. Time, 38½ secs.
- 100 Metres Championship** (under 16).—P. L. Collett, 1; A. L. Cohen and D. M. Robinson, equal, 2. Time, 1 min. 12½ secs.
- 50 Metres Championship** (under 14).—G. D. Davies, 1; P. Freeburn, 2; J. B. Lyons, 3. Time, 37½ secs.
- 50 Metres Championship** (open).—B. R. Conolly, 1; T. B. Walton, 2; A. B. Lang, 3. Time, 31½ secs.
- Diving Championship** (under 16).—Row, 1; Broughton, 2; Hardy, 3.
- 50 Metres Handicap** (under 14).—L. B. Manning, 1; A. J. Waddell, 2; J. Rodd, 3.
- 50 Metres Championship** (under 16).—A. L. Cohen, 1; D. M. Robinson, 2; B. Williams, 3. Time, 32 secs.
- 100 Metres Championship** (open).—W. L. Cousens, 1; P. L. Collett, 2; H. D. Sheehan, 3. Time, 1 min. 8½ secs.
- House Teams' Relay Race** (under 14).—Hodges, 1; Robson and School, equal, 2. Time, 2 mins. 41½ secs.
- 50 Metres Handicap** (under 16).—A. Meikle, 1; J. L. Isles, 2; D. A. Williams, 3.
- Diving Championship** (open).—W. L. Cousens, 1; G. P. Hardy, 2; S. C. R. Clarke, 3.
- 150 Metres Medley Championship**.—P. L. Collett, 1; J. K. Newth, 2; B. R. Conolly, 3. Time, 2 mins. 15½ secs.
- 50 Metres Championship Breaststroke** (under 16).—D. M. Robinson, 1; J. Blackman, 2; G. P. Hardy, 3. Time, 40½ secs.
- 100 Metres Handicap** (open).—J. N. Stedman, 1; J. K. Newth, 2; G. R. Little, 3.
- 100 Metres Handicap** (under 14).—P. B. Wood, 1; A. C. Porter, 2.
- 100 Metres Handicap** (under 16).—C. D. Noble, 1; P. L. Collett, 2; J. Osborne, 3.
- 50 Metres Championship Backstroke** (open).—W. L. Cousens, 1; B. R. Conolly, 2; H. D. Sheehan, 3. Time, 38½ secs.
- 200 Metres Championship** (under 16).—P. L. Collett, 1; K. R. Daymond, 2; A. L. Cohen, 3. Time, 2 mins. 57 secs.
- 50 Metres Championship Breaststroke** (open).—D. M. Robinson, 1; S. D. McCarthy, 2; J. Dent, 3. Time, 39½ secs.
- 200 Metres Championship** (open).—W. L. Cousens, 1; P. L. Collett, 2; T. B. Walton, 3. Time, 2 mins. 43½ secs.

50 Metres Championship Backstroke (under 16).—P. L. Collett, 1; D. Freeman, 2; A. Marshall, 3. Time, 44½ secs.

100 Metres Championship (under 14).—B. H. Smith, 1; J. E. Lyons, 2; D. Mackerras, 3. Time, 30½ secs.

House Teams' Relay Race (under 16).—School, 1; Hodges, 2; Robson, 3. Time, 2 mins. 24½ secs.

House Teams' Relay Race (open).—School, 1; Robson, 2; Hodges, 3. Time, 2 mins. 9 secs.

800 Metres Championship (open).—W. L. Cousens, 1; P. L. Collett, 2; C. D. Noble, 3. Time, 12 mins. 35½ secs.

400 Metres Championship (open).—W. L. Cousens, 1; P. L. Collett, 2; A. B. Lang, 3. Time, 5 mins. 32½ secs.

400 Metres Championship (under 16).—P. L. Collett, 1; K. Daymond, 2; A. L. Cohen, 3. Time, 6 mins. 15½ secs.

House Point Score :

Hodges 57	School 49½	Robson 34½	Barry 34
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PREPARATORY SCHOOL EVENTS.

50 Metres Championship (11 years).—R. L. Jude, 1; P. H. Bulmer, 2; D. G. Metcalfe, 3. Time, 39½ secs.

33 Yards Championship (9 years).—G. P. Barton, 1; A. J. Sutton, 2; R. M. Anderson, 3. Time, 28 secs.

33 Yards Championship (10 years).—D. H. Playfair, 1; O. A. Williams, 2; H. H. Jamieson, 3. Time, 21½ secs.

Diving Championship (under 12).—D. H. Playfair, 1; W. Boyd, 2; D. G. Metcalfe, 3.

50 Metres Championship (12-13).—W. Boyd, 1; M. E. Moxham, 2; D. M. Webb, 3. Time, 35½ secs.

25 Yards Breaststroke.—D. H. Playfair, 1; M. E. Moxham, 2; W. Boyd, 3. Time, 20½ secs.

Diving Championship (under 11).—D. H. Playfair, 1; P. D. Adams, 2; M. B. Wellington, 3.

25 Yards Championship Backstroke.—W. Boyd, 1; D. T. Leslie, 2; I. M. Litchfield, 3. Time, 19½ secs.

50 Metres Handicap (under 12).—R. L. Jude, 1; D. G. Metcalfe, 2; P. D. Adams, 3.

Diving Championship (12-13).—W. Boyd, 1; J. J. St. Clair, 2; F. M. Manning, 3.



C RICKET NOTES

It is seldom that cricket in the School has suffered such interference from adverse weather as it has this term. When Saturday matches could be played, our teams have had to turn out very short of practice, and most coaches have felt dissatisfied with the standard of play in their teams. Other schools have all suffered similarly, so we have won our share of games; but in some grades the players have not been as proficient as in other years. Still the under 14 team is a particularly strong one, and in other teams there are many boys who are bound to improve, so the outlook for the future is promising.

There has been a good deal of keenness in the House Competition, and, far more often than in the past, teams have consisted of eleven men. That this has been so, indicates keenness and energy on the part of the House cricket captains. House games are of two afternoons' duration, and when teams have to contend against the inroads of extra lessons, detentions, carpentry, boxing, dentist's appointments and common slackness, it takes time, enthusiasm and initiative on the part of House captains to see that matches of a reasonable character can be played. This term enjoyable games have been played, and the only criticism of them is that they would have been no less enjoyable if they had been slightly less noisy and if the umpiring had been less haphazard. These are points where improvement can be made in third term, and once again we must look to the House captains to bring about the improvement.

The 1st XI. has had a good term. Their strength has lain in the fact that they have been a real team on and off the field. They are all good friends, and they have played the game entirely without selfishness. Way has been an easy captain to play for, and his team has been an easy team to captain. It says a great deal for the work Way has done, and for the way the rest of the team have played, that on the second day against St. Joseph's the team ran just as smoothly in Way's absence as it would have if he had been there. Lang i. handled them well, and the team knew its job.

Really good fielding, particularly in the slips, to back up keen and hostile bowling, has been responsible for the fact that 118 was the highest score made against us. Very few catches have been dropped, and excellent ones have been

taken by almost every member of the side. The opening bowlers, Haley and Wearne, have been effective in every match. They are both courageous, attacking bowlers. Varley, Way and Lang i. have supported them well.

Every member of the team made runs. The best batting performance was against Sydney High School, when we made 235 after four wickets had fallen for 20. In every match our score came from a number of men getting a good few runs, rather than from really big individual scores. In each of the four competition matches we have batted only once, and, although the highest individual score was Deamer's 80 at Newington, there have been twenty-one scores of more than 20.

The weather made our job against St. Joseph's very much easier than it would have been under even conditions, but against St. Ignatius we were rather unlucky. We won two tosses and lost two.

At the end of the first half we are leading in the G.P.S. Competition with 29 points. Sydney Grammar School is next with 25, then Sydney High School with 24. Three competition matches remain to be played in third term.

1st XI.

v. Old Boys' Union.—Played at Northbridge on February 11, 1939.

SCHOOL.—First Innings.

Lyttle, b. Tyrrell	29
Way, b. Pronk	31
Coulton, c. Connor, b. Anderson	22
R. Lang, st. Vincent, b. Tyrrell	16
B. Lang, c. Anderson, b. Little	13
Varley, c. Pronk, b. Anderson	4
Deamer, st. Vincent, b. Robertson	39
Wileman, c. and b. Halstead	11
Dunsmore, not out	2
Haley, c. Anderson, b. Halstead	4
Sundries	11

Total, 182

Fall of Wickets: 51, 72, 107, 109, 115, 136, 172, 175, 180.

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Anderson	8	3	25	2
Connor	11	4	30	—
Halstead	7	—	17	2
Pronk	10	—	30	1
Tyrrell	6	—	22	2
Maddermott	5	1	25	—
Little	3	—	14	1
Robertson	4	1	10	1

O.B.U.—First Innings.

Little, c. Deamer, b. Haley	13
Maddermott, b. Haley	5
Robertson, c. R. Lang, b. Lyttle	61
Fisher, c. Lyttle, b. Wearne	39
Tyrrell, c. Dunsmore, b. Haley	10
Connor, c. Dunsmore, b. Wearne	5
Hayley, b. Haley	2
Halstead, b. Haley	0
Vincent, not out	17
Anderson, run out	1
Pronk, c. Way, b. Haley	0
Sundries	5

Total, 163

Fall of Wickets: 6, 44, 114, 131, 137, 139, 140, 159, 159.

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Haley	10	—	52	6
Wearne	10.2	—	39	2
Way	4	—	18	—
Varley	3	—	20	—
Lyttle	3	—	29	1

v. Newington College.—Played at Stanmore on February 18 and 25, 1939.

N.C.—First Innings.

Robson, b. Wearne	8
Walcott, c. Coulton, b. Haley	0
Millner, c. Lytle, b. Haley	29
Matthews, b. Haley	0
Austin, b. Haley	2
Walker, c. Coulton, b. Way	8
White, c. Wileman, b. Way	20
Norton, c. Coulton, b. Wearne	24
Baker, run out	7
Davis, c. Varley, b. Wearne	9
Laws, not out	4
Sundries	2

Fall of Wickets: 0, 55, 168, 190, 203, 279, 361, 375. —

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Matthews	23	6	72	3
Millner	15	3	67	1
Robson	20	2	85	1
Laws	9	—	45	1
White	14	2	85	2
Austin	5	—	27	—
Davis	1	—	3	—

Total, 113
Fall of Wickets: 1, 27, 32, 40, 41, 67, 71, 91, 104.

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Haley	9	—	44	4
Wearne	10.1	2	34	3
Way	7	—	33	2

N.C.—Second Innings.

Robson, c. Coulton, b. Wearne	9
Millner, b. Haley	0
Walcott, b. Haley	15
Matthews, b. Wearne	14
Austin, run out	4
Walker, b. Haley	1
White, c. Wearne, b. Haley	13
Norton, b. Wearne	4
Baker, b. Wearne	11
Davis, not out	3
Laws, b. Haley	10
Sundries	7

Total, 91
Fall of Wickets: 1, 25, 38, 40, 45, 45, 54, 64, 78.

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Haley	9	1	26	5
Wearne	10	1	50	4
Way	2	—	8	—

SCHOOL—First Innings.

Lytle, c. Norton, b. Matthews	0
Way, c. Baker, b. Laws	38
Coulton, c. Davis, b. Robson	56
Varley, c. Robson, b. Matthews	68
B. Lang, c. and b. Millner	65
R. Lang, l.b.w., b. Matthews	5
Deamer, c. Robson, b. White	80
Wileman, not out	51
Haley, c. and b. White	12
Wearne, not out	8
Sundries	16

Total, 399

v. St. Ignatius.—Played at Riverview on March 11, 1939.

SCHOOL—First Innings.

Lytle, c. Burfitt, b. Underhill	20
Way, st. Ryan, b. Donaldson	21
Coulton, not out	31
Varley, c. Stenmark, b. Burfitt	1
B. Lang, run out	30
R. Lang, c. Gillespie, b. Underhill	0
Deamer, not out	3
Haley, b. Morgan	1
Sundries	3

Total, 107
Fall of Wickets: 31, 47, 48, 96, 100, 101.

S.I.C.—First Innings.

Dillon, c. Dunsmore, b. Haley	0
Keating, b. Wearne	2
Tumilty, c. and b. Way	19
Underhill, b. Haley	0
Burfitt, c. Deamer, b. Haley	2
Clouston, c. Deamer, b. B. Lang	0
Ryan, b. Way	2
Stenmark, c. Deamer, b. Way	5
Donaldson, b. Haley	9
Morgan, not out	9
Gillespie, not out	1
Sundries	7

Total, 56
Fall of Wickets: 1, 10, 11, 22, 23, 30, 34, 39, 53.

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Morgan	8	1	29	1
Underhill	9	1	22	2
Gillespie	5	1	14	—
Donaldson	7	1	24	1
Burfitt	4	1	15	1

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Haley	7	1	16	4
Wearne	9	3	17	1
B. Lang	3	—	15	1
Way	2	—	5	3

v. Sydney High School.—Played at Centennial Park on March 18 and 25, 1939.

SCHOOL.—First Innings.

Lyttle, c. Bond, b. Bartley	8
Way, c. Bond, b. Bartley	3
Coulton, b. Antico	1
Varley, c. Cawsey, b. Bartley	2
B. Lang, c. Bond, b. Carroll	50
R. Lang, c. and b. Norrie	19
Deamer, c. Binns, b. Cawsey	33
Wileman, b. Norrie	67
Wearne, c. and b. Cawsey	56
Dunsmore, b. Cawsey	19
Haley, not out	8
Sundries	9

Total, 235

Fall of Wickets: 9, 12, 14, 25, 81, 87, 106, 186, 221.

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Antico	9	-	39	1
Bartley	11	2	37	3
Rickey	5	-	26	-
Cawsey	14.3	2	79	3
Carroll	4	1	12	1
Norrie	7	2	22	2
Binns	1	-	11	-

S.H.S.—First Innings.

Binns, b. Wearne	4
Kneen, c. Haley, b. Wearne	56
Ellis, c. Wileman, b. B. Lang	6
Cawsey, c. Coulton, b. Varley	7

v. St. Joseph's College.—Played at Northbridge on April 1 and 15, 1939.

SCHOOL.—First Innings.

Lyttle, c. and b. Matthews	33
Way, c. Butler, b. Beath	12
Coulton, c. Coleman, b. Beath	21
B. Lang, c. and b. Cahill	57
R. Lang, h.w., b. Butler	40
Varley, c. Coleman, b. Beath	50
Deamer, c. and b. Cahill	1
Wileman, c. Matthews, b. Butler	1
Wearne, l.b.w., b. Butler	0
Dunsmore, not out	21
Haley, b. Beath	20
Sundries	15

Total, 271

Fall of Wickets: 24, 54, 110, 145, 192, 196, 203, 203, 241.

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Beath	34	6	97	4
Matthews	26	8	61	1
Cahill	15	2	44	2
Butler	10	-	47	3
Freebody	1	-	7	-

Antico, b. Haley	6
O'Brien, b. Haley	1
Norrie, b. Haley	10
Bond, b. Haley	1
Carroll, b. Wearne	1
Bartley, c. Varley, b. Wearne	9
Rickey, not out	5
Sundries	9

Total, 115

Fall of Wickets: 8, 23, 38, 54, 58, 74, 76, 84, 100.

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Haley	12	3	27	4
Wearne	14.3	-	40	4
B. Lang	7	-	17	1
Varley	6	-	17	1
Way	5	2	5	-

S.H.S.—Second Innings.

Kneen, not out	7
Ellis, not out	7
Sundries	2

Total—No wickets for 16

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Haley	5	1	11	-
Wearne	3	1	2	-
B. Lang	1	-	1	-

S.J.C.—First Innings.

Ryan, c. R. Lang, b. Haley	9
Cahill, c. B. Wileman, b. Haley	15
Byrne, c. Lyttle, b. Varley	21
O'Carroll, st. Dunsmore, b. Varley	4
Beath, c. Haley, b. Wearne	3
Freebody, c. W. Wileman, b. Wearne	0
McPhillips, c. Coulton, b. Varley	2
Butler, c. Haley, b. Wearne	7
Walsh, c. W. Wileman, b. Wearne	0
Matthews, c. Coulton, b. Varley	0
Coleman, not out	0
Sundries	6

Total, 67

Fall of Wickets: 23, 27, 42, 52, 54, 60, 63, 64, 65.

Bowling:

	Overs.	M.	R.	Wkts.
Haley	10	1	26	2
Wearne	13.2	5	19	4
B. Lang	3	1	2	-
Varley	10	1	14	4

S.J.C.—Second Innings.

Ryan, b. Wearne	9
Cabill, c. B. Wileman, b. Haley	0
Byrne, c. Dunsmore, b. Haley	4
O'Carroll, c. W. Wileman, b. Wearne	5
Beath, c. Dunsmore, b. Wearne	15
Freebody, c. B. Lang, b. Haley	6
McPhillips, c. Varley, b. Wearne	0
Butler, not out	19
Walsb, c. B. Wileman, b. Haley	0
Matthews, c. Lyttle, b. B. Lang	5

Coleman, l.b.w., b. Varley	0
Sundries	7
Total, 70	
Fall of Wickets : 1, 12, 19, 24, 44, 44, 47, 48, 70.	
Bowling :	
Haley	Overs. M. R. Wkts.
Wearne	7 2 25 4
B. Lang	8 3 12 4
Varley	3 1 6 1
	3.1 - 20 1

2nd XI.

v. O.B.U. (non-competition).—Won. School, 330 (Kraefft 82, Lambell 136, Woodman 48) ; O.B.U., 128 (McCorquodale 3 for 20).

v. Newington College.—Won on first innings. School, 232 (Cousens 49, Emery 42, Feather 30) ; N.C. 1st innings 131 (Read 3-21, McCorquodale 2-25), 2nd innings 9-101 (Wilson 4-39, Read 3-25).

v. St. Aloysius' College (non-competition).—Won on first innings. School, 8-171 (Kraefft 34, Emery 43, Feather 43, Lambell 25) ; S.A.C. 1st innings 57 (Wilson 5-13, Woodman 3-11), 2nd innings 2-46.

v. Barker College (non-competition).—Drawn owing to rain. School, 7-48 (Helsham 11) ; Barker, 112 (Woodman 5-23).

v. St. Joseph's College.—Lost outright. School 1st innings 108 (Smith 35, Emery 30), 2nd innings 50 (Helsham 14, Kraefft 13) ; S.J.C. 1st innings 88 (Woodman 3-20, Helsham 3-30), 2nd innings 6-73 (Read 2-16).

The Riverview match was washed out both Saturdays.

2nd "B" XI.

Both practices and matches have been seriously interfered with by rain, but the team is gradually moulding itself into shape. It is a team of all-rounders rather than specialists. Among the batsmen, best performances have come from Smith, Butler and McDiarmid ; Irving and Marchant have bowled well, and in place of the latter, who has been moved up to the 2nd XI., we now have McCorquodale, a very useful pace bowler.

Of the matches played, we won on the first innings against St. Ignatius' College, lost on the first innings in a one-day match to Keegan's XI, won on the first innings against the Old Boys, and are in a fair position in the present match against King's School. The match against St. Joseph's College was abandoned owing to rain. Actual scores are :—

v. Old Boys' 3rd XI.—Won. School, 170 (Smith 81 ret.) ; Old Boys, 145 (Marchant 5 for 22).

v. St. Ignatius' 2nd XI.—Won. School, 200 (Smith 62, Osborne 43, Butler 27) ; S.I.C., 170 (Marchant 4 for 54).

v. Keegan's XI.—Lost. Keegan's XI., 6-130 (Anderson 2 for 17, Smith 2 for 20) ; School, 107 (McDiarmid 32, Smith 25).

v. King's 2nd XI.—T.K.S., 213 (Irving 6 for 43) ; School, 0-33.

3rd XI.

- v. T.G.S.—1st XI.—Lost. T.G.S., 4-292 (closed); School, 75 and 55.
 v. N.C.—Won. School, 181 (Keating 47, Millingen 26) and 120 (Shaw 25, Woods 23); N.C., 69 (McDowell 3-11, Lemon 3-13, Wood 2-2, Woods 2-27) and 62 (Lemon 5 wks.; Woods 2 wks., McDowell 2 wks.).
 v. S.A.C. 2nd XI.—Won. School, 133 (Keating 22, Godwin 21, Baldry 21); S.A.C., 58 (Maxwell 5-16).
 v. S.J.C.—Lost. S.J.C., 138 (Lemon 4 wks.) and 7-69 closed (Vincent 6 wks.); School, 69 and 58.

4th XI.

- v. N.C.—Won. N.C., 111 (Ferris 3-25); School, 116 (Cohen 25 n.o.).
 v. N.C.—Won. N.C., 72 (Paterson 5-25); School, 4-169 closed (Ferris 88, Weekes 39 ret.).
 v. C.B.W.—Won. C.B.W., 34 (Ferris 3-12); School, 52 (Mayne 17).
 v. S.J.C.—Lost. S.J.C., 236 (McDowell 5-67, Barlow 4-24) and 41 (Barlow 6-9); School, 150 (Haythorpe 38, Mayne 35, East 20 n.o.) and 26.

9th and 10th XI's.

As usual, there have been so many boys on the roll for these teams that it has been impossible to give them all regular games. It is hoped that another team may be formed when new grounds are available.

Besides the ordinary matches against other schools, there have been several inter-school games.

On several occasions the 10th XI. has been entirely composed of boarders. Several boys were moved up into the 6th XI, and acquitted themselves well; these were Geeves, Stevens, Woollard, Wilson, Scougal and Nivison. Amongst the others much talent is noticeable, and marked improvement has been shown. Paterson, Woods, Elvey, Coghlan, L. Meikle, Petrie and Perry have shone particularly at bowling. Tulloch should go far with his batting. Others conspicuous for good batting were L. Meikle, Benson, Greenberg, Bull, Coghlan, Johnson, Mitchell, Perry, Campbell and Paterson, while Friend has provided some most entertaining knocks, showing what a good eye can do when it gets going. Frost, Clinch and McPherson have improved considerably. Ogden has captained well, and is a useful all-rounder. The play has been well above the usual standard, and the third term should show exceptionally good results. Footwork has greatly improved, and boys are beginning to realise the importance of leaving their blocks, when possible, either to smother the dangerous ball or to hit the slow bowler. Fielding, general turn out and punctuality have been satisfactory.

"A" Colts.

- v. N.C.—Won. School, 133 (Garrad 27, B. Trenery 25); N.C., 92 (Aboud 4 wks., Garrad 3 wks.).
 v. N.C.—Won. School, 162 (Mackenzie 30, B. Trenery 30, Garrad 30); N.C., 36 (Walker 7-12).
 v. C.B.W.—Won. School, 6 for 94 (Coulton 30, Aboud 26); C.B.W., 66 (Garrad 3-13, Trenery 2-1).

- v. Barker.—Won. School, 135 (Trenery 29, Burns 21); Barker, 50 (About 4 wkts., Garrad 3 wkts.).
- v. S.J.C.—Won. School, 128 (Coulton 57, Mackenzie 23); S.J.C., 86 (Walker 6-19, Trenery 2-19).

"B" Colts.

- v. N.C.—Lost. N.C., 179 (Broughton 6 wkts.); School, 172 (Broughton 32, McDowell 27, O'Donnell 22).
- v. N.C.—Won. School, 106 (Robertson 23); N.C., 89 (McGregor 4 wkts.).
- v. S.A.C.—Won. School, 86 (Muston 22, Broughton 20); S.A.C., 56 (Biddulph and McGregor 3 wkts each).
- v. T.K.S.—Won. School, 123 (McMinn 54, Broughton 14); T.K.S., 105.

HOUSE CRICKET.

The results of the 30 mid-week two-day matches played this term place the Houses as follows:—

Robson House	84 points
School House	76. "
Barry House	68. "
Hodges House	28 "

The following table shows by whom each match was won, and gives an indication of how each House fared against the others in each of the five grades. (An extra Robson House team played non-competition games with teams in the 5th grade.) Winning teams are indicated thus: Barry, B; Hodges, H; Robson, R; School, S; * means the match was won on the first innings only.

Match.	Grades.				
	1	2	3	4	5
Barry—Hodges	B*	B	Draw	B	Draw
Barry—Robson	R*	R*	H*	B*	R*
Barry—School	S	B*	Draw	B*	Draw
Hodges—Robson	R*	R	R	R	H*
Hodges—School	S*	S	S*	S	Draw
Robson—School	R*	S*	R*	Draw	Draw

The following batting and bowling performances were outstanding:—

Batting.—Sanderson (Hodges 5ths), 85; Giblin (Schools 5ths), 83; Lambell (Robson 4ths), 82; Bowe (Barry 2nds), 64 n.o.; Murray-Jones (School 1sts), 63 n.o.; Hoelscher (Robson 2nds), 63 ret.; Clinton (School 1sts), 61; Goodman (School 2nds), 61; Ogden (Barry 4ths), 60; Woollard (Robson 4ths), 57; Eldershaw (School 5ths), 57; Harrison (Robson 5th "A"), 53; Shellshear (Barry 1sts), 52 ret.; Kidston (Barry 4ths), 51.

Bowling.—Seddon (Robson 2nds), 7-16; Mallinson (Barry 2nds), 7-22; Metcalfe (Hodges 2nds), 7-40; Wright (Barry 2nds), 5-15, 4-20; Hoelscher (Robson 2nds), 5-1, 3-21; Moore (School 1sts), 4-10, 4-21; Hewett (Barry 1sts), 4-16; Evans (Robson 2nds), 4-6; Petrie (Barry 2nds), 4-18; Kidston (Barry 4ths), 6-10, 5-32; Benson (School 3rds), 6-20; Cadell (School 2nds), 6-30; Meikle (School 3rds), 4-14; Roseby (Hodges 3rds), 4-20; Arnott (Hodges 3rds), 3-7; Wilson (Barry 4ths), 3-3; Friend (Barry 4ths), 4-9.

FOOTBALL NOTES.

B. Wileman was elected captain of the XV., K. Lyttle vice-captain, and S. Osborne and I. Dunsmore members of the selection committee. These four players, with N. Lambell, are the only remaining members of last year's team. There are several prominent members of the 2nd XV. who should do well.

The team (1st) defeated North Sydney High School 12-3, and were beaten by C.B.C., Waverley, after a very fine game, by 9-3. The rowers have not yet played; some useful weight should come from them. K. Lyttle, who was unfortunate enough to break his thumb last season after a brilliant start as half-back, has sprained his ankle badly, but should be available in second term.

Fixtures for the year:—

- April 29th : v. S.J.C. (Away.)
- May 6th : v. S.G.S. (Away.)
- May 10th : v. Old Boys' Teams. (Home.)
- June 3rd : v. R.M.C., at Duntroon.
- June 12th : v. C.B.C., Waverley. (Home.)
- June 17th : v. T.K.S. (Away.)
- June 24th : v. S.I.C. (Home.)

COMPETITION.

- July 1st : v. S.G.S. (Home.)
- July 8th : v. N.C. (Away.)
- July 15th : v. T.S.C. (Away.)
- July 22nd : v. S.J.C. (Home.)
- July 29th : v. S.I.C. (Away.)
- August 6th : v. S.H.S. (Home.)
- August 13th : All Schools' Matches.

MAY 4th, 1939.

(By J. W. L.)

What is it that we celebrate upon this day ?
Is it the men who gave to shape this place,
Whose memory remaining graven on brass plates,
Whose portraits hanging on our School Hall walls,
Remind us of the life-work of past generations ?
Is it the days of hard team practice on wet playing fields,
The echoing call across the quiet stretching green,
With heavy shadows sprawling flat along its level space,
Or rhythmic driving of an even-running boat ?
Is it the calm contemplation of those fine years
Which we, and generations past, have lived,
And other generations shall live in this place,
Or just a happy celebration of a little anniversary ?
What is it that we celebrate upon this day ?

"LEND A HAND !"

(By J. W. L.)

Many of us in School may look upon this year as a year of appeals. This, I admit from the beginning, is an appeal, but it is not an appeal for funds. It is an appeal for you of the School not only to give, but also to receive.

In this our Jubilee year we are beginning to show some appreciable results in activities becoming more and more a part of School life.

It was not until 1936 that the movement which we now know as The Entertainments Club was set on foot. Many of us know the backstage aspects of its work—moving of tables and forms, dragging of pianos; many more attend its functions in greater or less numbers according to the programme. But when we can find an enthusiastic audience for a lecture on Shakespeare; when we can safely present a recital of Chopin, Brahms and Rachmaninoff; when half the School hums Gilbert and Sullivan for a week after a performance by The School Octet—then we can truthfully say that we are getting somewhere.

We are always assured of good audiences, but we would like suggestions. What programme would you like? We are planning to produce some worthwhile plays—who is willing to take a part? If we undertake recitals of recorded music, who could supply suitable records? This is where the appeal comes in. Don't you think you might be able to help in an organization that gives you really worthwhile entertainment almost every week?

Don't for a moment think that this is a highbrow stunt quite beyond you. Just at the moment a School Swing Band is being organised; let that speak for itself.

Then you are probably vaguely aware of an Art Club, which has an exhibition sometimes. If you imagine that it's all dull stuff, look at a Phil. May or Bateman cartoon posted on the display boards under the arch. Last year's exhibition of the Club brought out most encouraging remarks from people outside the School. It was crowded for the three days that it was open, and I'll guarantee interest for anyone who goes to the exhibition to take place next term.

Again, look over the last few issues of this magazine and see how many original articles appear in its pages! There aren't many, are there? Nor is it because you people of the School can't write anything. How many of you have ever thought of writing something for *The Torch-Bearer*? Isn't it worth while to contribute some of your work to the magazine which has been part of the School's life since its earliest years?

I appeal to you to interest yourself in some of these activities as keenly as you are able. You may be able to write, draw, sing, or act—you could have a try at any of them; or you may help just by being interested. Pass an opinion, take a part, move a form, wherever you are able. Lend a hand!

A SONNET.

(By F. T. Henry, With.)

When God presented us a mind to think
 About the wond'rous things of this great earth,
 Did He suspect that man so gross would sink
 As ne'er to contemplate the things of worth?

This world is only part of the great life
 Which we shall live: there comes a time when earth

Will fade away, when all our worldly strife
Will end and we shall have a heavenly birth.

The world was made for us, that we, through it,
Might think on nobler lines than otherwise,
And might, when wearied out by holy writ,
See Heaven in its grandeur and its size.

The world in all its glory have we seen ;
We should from it both truth and honour glean.

"SCHOOL AND SCOUTING."

(By A. K. P.)

The Australian Jamboree held at Bradfield from 27th December, 1938, to January 9th, 1939, is now a thing of the past, and only pleasant fraternal memories remain.

The School Troop was very well represented, and apparently enjoyed themselves on numerous occasions, especially when fraternizing with the representatives of the overseas and interstate contingents.

The Jamboree was without doubt a successful venture, both from a Scouting as well as from a financial standpoint. The Scouts, as well as the public, were well catered for and served by Anthony Hordern & Sons Ltd., Kodak's, The Scout Shop, as well as the Bank of New South Wales, which was staffed by six Scouters and three ex-Scouts, including an ex-Shore boy.

The writer of this article had the pleasure of meeting some ex-Shore boy



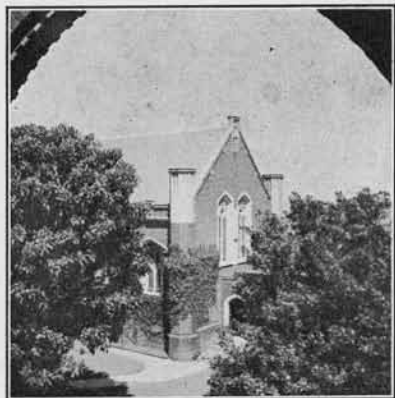
among the Scouters, including Alan Begbie, well known to all as a clergyman and Scouter.

Special mention must be made of the work done behind the scenes, both before, during and after the Jamboree, by men from all walks of life, whose united efforts under the capable leadership of Mr. Stoddart, organising secretary, helped to make the Jamboree of 1938-9 the success it was.

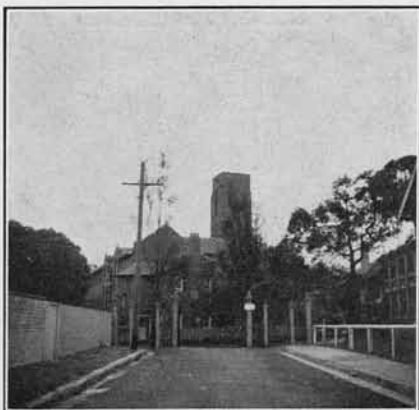
“School and Scouting !” May the ideals of good citizenship and sportsmanship fostered by both these institutions help to create reliable Australian citizens of the future.

FAINTED !

The sun was a shrouded copper ball,
 And, between the earth and sky, a fall
 Of dust. A heavy, listless breeze,
 Swirling through the blistered trees—
 And in this hell that God had made,
 A Ceremonial Parade.
 Above the earth in liquid heat,
 A madly smoking haze ;
 With twisting, turning, shimmering light,
 The whole earth ablaze.
 Tortured by an inward fire,
 Strangled by suppressed desire,
 They did their best to quell the pain,
 And to overcome the awful strain.
 Condemned to stand there, hour on hour,
 With all the will and none the power—
 To move :
 Not to make a single stir,
 To brush away a fly ;
 Above—a leering savage sun,
 A liquid molten sky.
 There’s a sullen sway amongst the men,
 Leaving when order reigns again—
 A figure sprawled in grim burlesque,
 Its arms and legs and face grotesque :
 A silent face—so whitely painted ;
 And a silent, dusty body—
 Fainted !



The Chapel from School House.



The Entrance.



The School House Quangle from the Tower.



The School Ground.

No need for him to make a move,
To brush away a fly;
For him no more the savage sun,
No more the molten sky.

SUNSET.

(By F. T. Henry, Vith.)

The tired and thirsty grass
Is gilded gold beneath the dying sun;
The mountains wrap themselves in richer hues :
We feel that we can pass
Beyond the earthly land wherein we run,
To a more misty home, therein to muse
About the beauty that our eyes have seen.
At length the vision goes :
We look once more upon an empty screen,
But praise aloud the power that Nature wields.
On us the feeling grows
That we have viewed more than an earthly scene,
That heaven, not earth, lay sleeping in those fields
Where man and his abodes have ever been.

HESPERA.

(By D. W. B. Robinson, Vith.)

Nature rests . . .
The autumn sun has gone,
And now, deep-mourning clouds the sky conceal,
But misty twilight's moss-like touch does light
The deep'ning greenness that the dark would steal;
A restful loneliness, too, courts the night.
All this I find alone,
When Nature rests.
Peacefulness . . .
The mist lights hush all sound,
And scarce a movement, save the poplars' head,
Where gentle breezes stir the leafy towers

Which rise from out a sea-like, grassy bed,
 All bordered round with sweet refreshing flowers,
 And rich, damp-scented ground,
 In peacefulness.

Beauty lives . . .
 The garden's soul is seen;
 Luxurious freshness breathes in fading light
 As tree and bush their life with mortals share;
 With living stillness hush a mad world's fight,
 I meet with God, and find Him nearer there:
 Learn what His glories mean.
 Yes, beauty lives !

Darkness falls . . .
 A gradual filling in.
 Of all that once was beauty and repose;
 The greenery that rests in its decrease
 Prepares for night 'mid shadows and last glows.
 The gracious evening hour, too, soon must cease,
 Yet fills with peace within
 As darkness falls.

MEMENTO MORI.

(By L. N. Shaw, Vith.)

[*Aequa lege Necessitas sortitur insignes et imos.—HORACE.*]

Consider this, and think on't well,
 That death itself must not be feared;
 But rather that a necessary end
 Must come, and soon will come to everyone.

But while upon this earth we dwell,
 We all should live to all endeared;
 And we should help our neighbours and defend
 The weak and ill, until our days are done.

Assist your friends and cast a spell
 Of influence upon them; cheered
 They all will be and feel they can depend

On you, and they can put their trust in you.
So while on earth you live, 'tis best to do
Kind deeds, and thus good feeling you extend.

THE FRENCH INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

(By I. G. Ross, L.IVth.)

Two years ago, when in Paris, I had the good fortune to be able to see the French International Exhibition. This immense organization was divided into six sections, in all parts of Paris. To see every part of the exhibition one would have had to enter six different turnstiles. Number one section was, naturally, the main section. Entering the gateway one saw a broad avenue, in the middle of which were many marvellous coloured fountains, the colouring of which was made possible by the throwing of coloured lights on to the jet of water.

Further on, on the south side of the River Seine, was the Eiffel Tower, 985 feet high. This tower was built by Alexandre Eiffel as a temporary structure for the Paris Exhibition of 1889. The place where the gateway of this section stood was previously occupied by the famous Tracadero, a fashionable restaurant and dancing hall.

In this first section were to be seen the pavilions of Switzerland, then incomplete owing to strikes; Norway, with a beautiful imitation waterfall; and Russia. The latter was characterised by a huge statue portraying a peasant boy and girl holding a hammer and a sickle, the Soviet's national emblems. This statue was designed by a Russian peasant girl, made in Russia, and sent off to Paris in numbered parts, there to be reassembled.

Then there was the German pavilion, a huge building with four enormous square columns in front and the German eagle on top. A red and yellow building with imitation hieroglyphics and pyramids represented Egypt. A pavilion with cacti and other tropical plants all around was the contribution of the tiny monarchy of Monaco. Behind this was that of Hungary, with a purple tower which was illuminated at night.

On the south side of the Seine was the English "Buttery," which was unfortunately not very outstanding, and the smaller pavilions of such countries as Jamaica.

Part of the night programme consisted of a magnificent display of fireworks.

One did not, however, have to enter the actual exhibition to see signs of activity. From the Place de la Concorde, an enormous square from four to five times the size of Trafalgar Square in London, could be seen the "Porte de la Concorde." This consisted of four immense steel columns surmounted by circles of steel, within which were sculptures representing various industries. One of these, a ship, was a reminder that Paris, although so far inland, is France's third port.

From the railway that goes to Versailles, about fourteen miles from Paris, the pavilions of French Morocco and other colonies were to be seen.

Near the Hôtel des Invalides, Napoleon's home for his retired soldiers and in which he himself is buried, the amusement section of the exhibition was situated.

On the shores of the Seine marvellous and intriguing pavilions were erected, and last, but far from least, a tall, fluted column outside the main gates, on the top of which were three simple letters—PAX.

ROWING NOTES.

(Written by a Cricketer.)

As usual, this year we have to make some acknowledgment of those "lords who rule the water"—at least in their own estimation. Of course, it is hard not to pass destructive criticism on these stalwarts, who are admittedly chosen from among the less brainy members of our community, and who, having unsuccessfully attempted to retain their place in the Third House Elevens, decide to indulge in aquatic sports, at which they have much more chance of cooling their ardour. But rowers are born, not made, they constantly assure us. And as they were certainly not born so, I think we owe a tribute to our coach for his patient efforts to convince the eight members that they could all row. After they became reconciled to this idea, work went ahead famously.

As regards the actual crew itself, I have heard such varying and contrary statements that I decided to compound a comprehensive report of the respective oarsmen, based on my own observations and those of several other reliable cricket critics.

Bow.—I feel he could row much better from the launch, but I believe someone has to be in the front of the boat to be the first to cross the line. However, he became quite a good oar when he had conquered the alarming tendency to look where he was going—at which cox justly complained

(that was his job). Bow offered to change places, as he thought that sitting in the stern pulling strings was more to his liking than tugging at an oar. But this was overruled by the coach, who, we believe, is remarkably capable in regard to such fine points as these.

Two (or seven, if you start from the other end).—We believe that he was changed into this position so that bow could study the methods of an experienced oarsman, whereas he was being wasted as stroke. He was rather concerned about his fair complexion becoming sunburnt, for he is such a susceptible rower. He argued that as it was a maiden eight, he ought to be allowed to carry a parasol—in which thing he was again overruled by the coach, who, I might add, endeared himself to many of the crew by such helpful suggestions.

THREE.—This man was so very concerned about differentiating his oar with regard to the water that I am afraid he used to drop a stroke behind par every now and then. But he soon learnt to integrate, and he quickly patched up this difficulty. His hat used to blow off occasionally when the crew were undergoing speed trials, and it rather annoyed them to go hard astern and pick it up. However, he completely reconciled himself to the others by his continual fishing off the pontoon, and he provided them with several breakfasts of fresh crabs and seaweed—that is to say, cabbage, using this cognomen not wanting to offend the delicate constitution of five.

FOUR.—Four was a newcomer to the royal and ancient sport, so that he can perhaps be excused for his desire to sit the other way round and row backwards. The coach soon overcame this difficulty, telling him that as the crew would be so far ahead of the others he would not be able to see them from this position; curiosity overcame his natural tendencies—a tribute to the cunning of the coach in bringing the crew to row according to his ideas. Four was also given the job of pushing back two's oar when this worthy forgot to row.

FIVE.—I am afraid he was obviously a land lubber, shown by his tendency to trail his fingers through the water and to cast longing glances shorewards, especially in rough water. He was one of the bright sparks of the crew, and his merry prattle sustained them through many a seemingly endless journey. However, he had to be severely reprimanded for trying to catch six's blade when he wasn't looking. After this he settled right down, and was often noticed to keep in time with the others.

SIX.—This oarsman had a very good pair of hands, which he used to full effect in playing tricks with his oar, often completely baffling the coach by his sleights of hand. He had a very fine voice, and used to entertain the crew with snatches of song. We afterwards ascertained that they were his own parts in anthems, which he used to insert deftly when singing in the School Choir. He also used to keep the crew up to the mark by his many patriotic and encouraging words pronounced on the completion of each row.

SEVEN.—This gentleman seemed to suffer very greatly from bodily ailments. He used to hit himself in the stomach at the completion of each stroke with the handle, which appeared totally unnecessary, as no one would have noticed if he finished his stroke half-way. He was also rather inclined to row one-handed to avoid getting blisters on the other. Again, he contracted a fearful malady called "rower's foot," which produces an irresistible itch to kick stroke when he (stroke) gets behind the others. He was rather inclined to set up an opposition rhythm on bow-side, which tended to make the boat go round in circles.

STROKE.—Of course, this oar had a tremendous responsibility resting upon him, as it was his job to keep time with all the other oars, which, of course, was impossible on occasions, and left him very worried. But when the others had been able to obtain some sort of rhythm, he was fortunate in getting cox to tell him when to row instead of having to turn round. Towards the end of a race he would follow the others quite well.

COX.—I fear cox was too small—he had to lean out each side of the boat to see where he was going. Consequently the oars on one side of the boat sometimes missed the water, but this did not disable the crew appreciably. He had great fun pulling strings, and sometimes he would even cross the ropes and delight the onlookers with his spectacular attempts to steer straight. He had a megaphone, which stroke requested him not to use more than necessary as he obtained the full effect.

Altogether the crew was quite good, and afforded a very pleasant afternoon's entertainment. Peanuts were in great vogue, I believe, but their diet favoured a strict exclusion of pork pies, these not going down well. Nevertheless, the boys are in great training, and we wish them every success. And even though we say, "May the best crew win," we hope that the other sevens may break their oars or something—implying that our crew is the best at not breaking its oars or something—and that after a thrilling race we will win by as narrow a margin as you please.

TO CAESAR.

(By D. M. J. and W. J. M.)

The bespectacled examiners infuriate
 Our technical and scientific candidate
 By requesting him to chemically elucidate
 The intricacies of sodium bicarbonate,
 Or desiring him to physically indicate
 How a particle when falling tends to gravitate.

But our student classical remains immaculate,
 When professors long and lengthily interrogate;
 For he knows that he can easily prevaricate,
 So that his mentors really cannot underestimate
 His powers, when expected to deliberate
 Upon the subject of the first triumvirate.

Now Mathematics facts take years to percolate,
 Such as Calculus and Geometry Co-ordinate.
 And we find that it is hard for us to calculate,
 And it goes against the grain to have to permutate;
 But Caesar is a man we can appreciate---
 To him and to his fellows this we dedicate.

EXTRACT FROM THE PROSPECTUS, 1989.

The new buildings have at last been completed. The whole School is now conveniently housed in spacious air-conditioned dugouts, brilliantly lighted, two hundred feet below the surface of the Flagstaff Street Hill. Parents may be assured that these are impervious even to direct hits of the most destructive aeroplane bombs yet devised. These new conditions permit us the additional convenience of our own entrance to the North Sydney Underground Railway Station, thus allowing pupils to reach school safely in all states of the weather and politics. Old Boys will be glad to hear that the tower, so long a familiar landmark, has been retained as an integral part of the new buildings, and has now been so strengthened internally with steel and concrete as to be practically indestructible. It

houses the latest type of sound detector, and is further fitted with powerful air raid warning sirens which should ensure that the occupants of the playing fields will receive ample warning for necessary withdrawals.

After many searchings of heart, the Council has decided that the straw hat can no longer form part of a suitable school uniform in present day conditions; a light steel helmet painted with the School colours in camouflage patterns has been approved, and may be obtained at the city depôts of the National Clothing Trust (beneath David Jones' and Farmers' old buildings).

NIGHT.

(By A. Young, U.IVth.)

The golden sun sinks low in the west,
And bids us all to take our rest :
All the birds go to roost in the trees,
And back to the hive go all the bees.

The darkness of night comes on like a fold,
And all go to sleep, both young and old ;
Only the mouse, the hedgehog, the mole,
Awaken to have their nightly stroll.

Then rises the moon, all silver and bright,
And lightens the darkness of the night ;
There is only a rustle in the tops of the trees,
Made by the gentle and soft night breeze.

The twinkling stars, so clear and bright,
Do always make a wond'rous sight :
To see them is a pure delight ;
They are the beauty of the night !

But soon some streaks of light appear,
And then all know that dawn is near ;
Then all the birds begin to sing,
And through the air their melodies ring.

PREPARATORY SCHOOL NOTES.

The Preparatory School classrooms were painted during the holidays, and this, with the various pictures and charts, has produced a most pleasing effect. The rooms also have indirect lighting.

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Swimming.—The whole School has attended the Olympic Pool on Friday mornings. The standard of swimming and diving has benefited much thereby. Special classes were very well attended, and most beginners have learnt to swim. The use of a 'bus to and from the baths has greatly lengthened the time in the water, and contributed much to the comfort of all concerned. Mackinnon was reported to be the most promising in the class for beginners. An account of the Swimming Sports is given elsewhere. Our representatives performed very well indeed in the Combined Preparatory School Sports.

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Jubilee Drill Display.—Practice for this has taken place each morning and Wednesday afternoon under Sergeant-Major Davidson, who must again be congratulated on the excellent results shown. Included in the programme are various games arranged in groups, each with a boy leader. The display should prove very attractive to visitors on May 4th. The Preparatory School here take the opportunity of extending their deepest sympathy to Sergeant-Major Davidson in his recent bereavement.

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Carpentry.—A good many boys are now taking this most important work, being included in the record number of seventy who learn carpentry at the School. They show great keenness. The "Prep." should be well represented at the Exhibition next term.

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Art.—Although the ordinary Wednesday Art Class has not yet begun, great keenness has been shown, and not a little talent, especially amongst the boarders, has been detected by Mr. Monckton. Good work in poster paint has been done. Many names will be mentioned next term, but Valder deserves special notice as showing exceptional talent. All interested are asked to lose no time in practising for the Art Exhibition next term, and to hand in their efforts as soon as possible. Under Mr. Brierley, several classes have made attractive and useful maps in coloured cardboard and plasticine.

Plays.—Several plays are being prepared under Mr. Brierley's guidance. We look forward to their production.

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Music.—Several new boys have joined the Chapel Choir. Under Mr. Arnold and Mr. McWilliam, II.A., II.B. and Remove A have had useful practices of hymns and well-known songs. About fifty boys have been found who can sing moderately well, and perhaps soon these will have separate practices. At present they lead the singing at our special service in Chapel. The boarders have enjoyed several sing-songs. Boys who can sing are asked to improve themselves by practising at home, and to cultivate singing as a hobby. There is far too strong a tendency to regard music as a remote sideshow—to be indulged in by just the favoured few.

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Chapel.—Addresses have been given by the School Chaplain and by Mr. Fisher. Boys have read the lessons well, and the singing and responses have shown improvement.

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Magazines.—A special request is made for books, comics and magazines for the Boys' Club at Miller's Point. These may be handed in to form masters, who will pass them on to the Chaplain.

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Vale.—European affairs permitting, Mr. McWilliam leaves us for a year to study at Cambridge. We wish him the best of luck, and shall look forward to his safe return in 1940. We trust that A.R.P. will not occupy all his spare time while he is away.

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General.—The boarders thank Miss Mackey for her exciting stories, which are much appreciated.

We are grateful to the Old Boys' Club for the usual supply of illustrated papers.

Several films have been shown to the boarders this term. Some parents may care to lend 16 m.m. films.

Ping-pong, tennis, and miniature billiards have been enjoyed at different times.

The Library has also been put to good use.

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We are extremely grateful to Mr. E. A. Coghlan for the loan of two very fine films on the wool industry. They show every process from the

sheep's back to the knitted article. Many city boys were probably not sure of the meaning of scouring, wool-classing, picker-up. Mr. Coghlan has promised to give these as a start for our Film Library.

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PREPARATORY SCHOOL CRICKET.

The cricket in the Prep. School this term by no means escaped interruption by the rain. Nevertheless a certain amount of cricket was played both on Saturdays against other schools and during the week at the nets and at Northbridge. The Quarter matches were handicapped most by the wet weather, only one series being completed. The remainder will be continued during third term.

The 1st XI. lacks the outstanding performers of last year's XI., but to a certain extent makes up for this by a fairly even standard and by the all-round ability of its members. The fielding has been particularly good, and a knowledge of the finer points of the game has been picked up from a series of blackboard lectures. W. Boyd has improved considerably with his batting, making a fast and well-judged 50 against Mosman. D. H. Crane, although quite young, has shown promise with the bat, and should do well in future. The bowling honours have been fairly even, D. H. Crane, J. H. Heath and C. F. Ferguson having done well.

The results of the matches played this term are as follows:—

v. **Christian Brothers, Rose Bay.**—Lost. C.B., 99 (Ferguson 3 wkts.) ; School, 61 (Tugwell 19, Boyd 18).

v. **Cranbrook.**—Won. School, 54 (Ferguson 15, Paton 12) ; Cranbrook, 37 (Heath 3 wkts., Crane and Ferguson 2 wkts. each).

v. **Scots College.**—Lost. T.S.C., 195 (Ferguson and Crane 4 wkts. each) ; School, 56 (Everett 22, Boyd 13).

v. **Senior School Boarders.**—Won. School, 123 (Tugwell 32, Ferguson 30) ; Boarders, 82.

v. **Mosman.**—Drew. School, 81 (Boyd 53, Ferguson 10) ; Mosman, 9 for 45 (Heath 3 wkts., Boyd 1 wkts.).

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PREPARATORY SCHOOL SWIMMING.

The Swimming Carnival was held this year in conjunction with the Main School Carnival at the North Sydney Pool on Monday, March 13. The Prep. events were well contested, and some fine performances were recorded. W. Boyd was the outstanding competitor in the open division,

winning the 50 metres championship, the 25 yards backstroke and the open diving. He also took third place in the 25 yards breaststroke. D. H. Playfair was particularly good in the two under age diving events, winning the under 10 and under 11 championships with a large margin. He also won the 25 yards breaststroke. R. L. Jude and G. P. Barton both swam well. The results of the carnival appear elsewhere in this issue.

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PREPARATORY SCHOOLS' COMBINED SWIMMING CARNIVAL.

Under warm but pleasant weather conditions, the fourth Annual Swimming Carnival of the Association of Preparatory Schools was held at the North Sydney Olympic Swimming Pool on Wednesday, 22nd March. The Shore team gave a good account of itself, being placed second in the senior section and fourth in the junior. We take this opportunity of congratulating Coogee and Mosman on their wins in the senior and junior respectively.

The following won their events :—

- W. Boyd—A Division, 55 yards, 12 years.
- D. H. Playfair—Diving, Junior, under 11 years.
- D. H. Playfair—Breaststroke, 25 yards, Junior.

Others did well in their respective events, including :—

- D. H. Playfair—Second A Division, 33 yards, 10 years.
- P. H. Bulmer—Third A Division, 33 yards, 11 years.
- D. G. Metcalfe—Second Diving, Junior, under 11 years.
- O. A. Williams—Second B Division, 33 yards, 10 years.
- R. L. Jude—Second B Division, 55 yards, open.
- M. E. Moxham—Second B Division, 55 yards, 12 years.
- W. Boyd—Second Diving, open.
- W. Boyd—Second Backstroke, 33 yards, Senior.
- The Senior Relay Team filled third place.

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BOXING.

During the term a large class has been undergoing boxing instruction in the Preparatory School grounds, and good all-round progress is reported. It is felt that boxing would be one of the many activities which would benefit from the use of a building.



OLD BOYS' UNION

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We publish below, mainly for purposes of record, a summary of the events in Jubilee Week.

THURSDAY, 4TH MAY.—On the 50th Anniversary of the School's Foundation, the Council is giving a Garden Party at the School, commencing at 3.15 p.m.

THURSDAY, 4TH MAY, 7 p.m.—The Union is combining with the School Council in organizing the Jubilee Dinner at Farmer's Blaxland Galleries at 7 p.m. for 7.20 p.m. Many distinguished guests, including His Excellency the Governor, have accepted the invitation to be present. The price of tickets is 10/6 each. Full dress with miniatures.

SUNDAY, 7TH MAY, 7.15 p.m.—The Chapel service for Old Boys on this date will be broadcast over Station 2BL. An Old Boy of the School, Ven. Archdeacon E. A. North-Ash, will preach.

WEDNESDAY, 10TH MAY.—Three football teams will be fielded against the School at Northbridge. The 1st XV.'s match will commence at 3.30 p.m.

THURSDAY, 11TH MAY.—The fourth Annual Golf Competition will be held at the Killara Golf Course.

THURSDAY, 11TH MAY, 9 p.m.—The Jubilee Dance will be held at the Trocadero. The ticket issue will be limited to 1200. Tickets, including supper, are 7/6 each.

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The Old Boys' Union wishes to thank the numerous Old Boys who have assisted in the arrangements for the Jubilee celebrations. A great deal of organization and hard work lies behind the various activities of Jubilee Week.

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The sketches which appeared as headings to the various sections in the last issue of *The Torch-Bearer* were the work of John Lipscomb, of the School. It is to be hoped that such drawings, replaced from time to time, will continue to grace these pages. The Old Boys' Union is grateful to the artist for the neat heading which he gave us for these Notes, and we shall look forward to his continued interest and assistance as an Old Boy next year. Our thanks also go to Fred. Catts, who supplied the blocks for these sketches.

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For this Jubilee issue, the Committee of the Union decided to have several photographs of the School taken. We have to thank Reg. Perrin, of Russell Roberts Pty. Ltd., for the excellence of the photographs appearing herein and for the generosity of his firm.

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We have been advised by the Department of Taxation that donations to the Jubilee Fund are allowable under the Income Tax Management Act (State), but that the provisions of the Income Tax Assessment Act (Federal) do not permit of a similar deduction.

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The original A.I.F. Cricket Team which played in Melbourne last month included Jack Gregory and Bill Trenerry. The latter batted confidently for 21 (second top score), but the former's increased weight militated against outstanding bowling success.

Four Old Boys gained a place in the crew which will compete in Grand Challenge Eights at the Royal Centenary Henley-on-Thames in July. John Burrell is stroke, and he has behind him Jim Barnes, Pat. Trebeck and Brin. Jay. The crew sailed for England on the *Orford* on April 22nd, taking with them our best wishes for success at Henley.

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University News.—Old Boys are taking a prominent part in the academic and sporting life of the University.

Maurice Kelly won the Classical Scholarship in second year Arts. Brian Smith and Brian Swire were well placed in Science II. and Engineering II. respectively. Numerous others gained distinctions and credits in last year's examinations.

Jack Chapman again captained the 1st XV., which included Max. Truscott, Jika Travers and Dave Walkom.

Peter Minnett, Geoff. Wansey and George Connor are playing football with the University, and Old Boys now have a strong representation in the Club.

Bill Pringle and Dick Hodgkinson are stroking the Paul's and Andrew's crews respectively. The Trial Eight contained three Old Boys—Bruce Geddes, Brian Smith and Bill Woodward. Rowley Holmes rowed in the Paul's crew.

Dave Walkom went to Melbourne over Easter as a member of the Sydney University team, which again won the Niall Cup for Inter-'Varsity Tennis. Norm. Stokes just missed inclusion in the team, and was selected as first reserve.

Lloyd Greenwell is again captain of the Sydney University Rifle Team, and will be off to Tasmania about May 19th for the Inter-'Varsity Shoot.

Barry Morrison, Brian Broadbent and Phil. Green have recently received their commissions in the S.U.R., making a total of eight Old Boys holding commissions in that regiment. Colin Swirles, Bill Epps and Reg. Epps are serjeants.

David Thurlow narrowly defeated Owen Edwards in the S.R.C. elections.

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The congratulations of the Union are extended to L. S. Beckett on being admitted to the degree of Master of Dental Surgery. He is one of the first group of Sydney University to obtain that degree by examination.

John Crouch, driving a 2.3 super-charged Alfa Romeo, came fourth in the New South Wales Motor Road Race held at Bathurst on Easter Monday. A number of Old Boys watched the race on the Mount Panorama circuit, and among many others we noticed Lloyd Greenwell and Clive Tilbury yarning with Stan. Welch, who is jackerooing in those parts.

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We publish opposite a photograph of the crew which won the Schools' Championship in 1898 from Sydney Grammar School and St. Ignatius' College.

From left to right : E. D. Kater, Mr. E. I. Robson, N. E. Giblin, H. S. Bland (cox), C. E. Murnin, C. E. Hale, Mr. G. H. Devonshire.

The following is a brief "history" of each member:—

E. D. KATER : Left 1899. Captain of Boats; 1st XI.; 1st XV.; South Africa, 1901-2 (Lieutenant). Grazier at Warren.

E. I. ROBSON : The first Headmaster of the School (1889-1900). Now living in Melbourne.

N. E. GIBLIN : Left 1898. Captain of Boats; 1st XV.; B.E. (Syd.); Sydney University XV. Left for Straits Settlements in 1904. Now mining engineer in Tasmania.

H. S. BLAND : Cox; 1st XV.; coxed University Eight. Retired solicitor; now on the land.

C. E. MURNIN : Left 1898. Captain of Boats; 1st XI.; 1st XV.; China Naval Contingent, 1900; South Africa, 1901 (Lieutenant); Captain of N.S.W. and Australian XV. Died 1921.

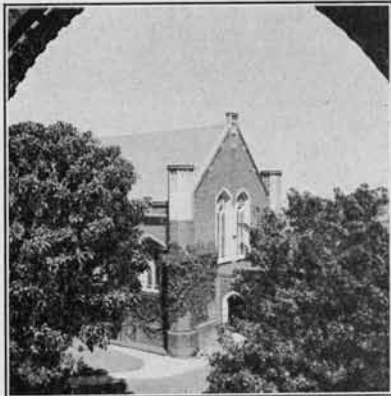
C. E. HALE : Left 1898. 1st XV.; 1st Crew; N.S.W. Intercolonial Eight, 1900. Manager of Bank of Australasia, Castlereagh Street, Sydney.

MR. G. H. DEVONSHIRE : Now in London, believed to be practising as a barrister.

The above information has been culled from various sources, including the Register, early *Torch-Bearers*, and members of the crew. We trust that there are no serious inaccuracies, but, of course, readers will appreciate that it is extremely difficult to ensure accuracy in all details. We should appreciate corrections of any misstatements.

In this connection, the editor of these Notes desires to extend an apology to Mr. E. R. Way, a member of an early Cricket XI., of which a photograph appeared in our last issue. Accepting as correct information given to him by two members of that team, the editor reported of Mr.

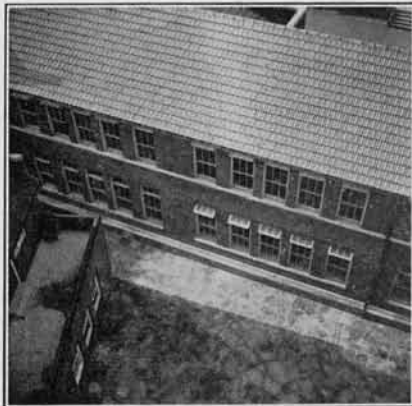
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The Chapel from School House.



The Entrance.



The School House Quangle from the Tower.



The School Ground.

Way, "believed to be dead." We have much pleasure in announcing that Mr. Way is alive and well, and we regret the unfortunate mistake.

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Several Old Boys from outside the State have been seen at the Club recently. One was Alec. Ripple, who is now a leading light in Toowoomba, where he holds the positions of President of the local Country Party Association and a captain of the Infantry Brigade. Another visitor was C. S. M. Walker from Adelaide. Reg. Walker, one of our earliest Old Boys, also passed through in January in the course of one of his many peregrinations.

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We hear from Rev. I. D. Armitage that his nephew, B. R. Lowick, now domiciled at Jesus College, Cambridge, is alleged to be doing a vast amount of work this year in and about the study of Law. He was last heard of at a very lively dinner held at Cambridge by the Australian Clubs of Oxford and Cambridge. Incidentally, it is interesting to know that Rev. I. D. Armitage was the first Old Boy of the School to be ordained to the Ministry.

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Melbourne.—Major L. H. Lemaire, our indefatigable representative in Victoria, has been extremely busy during the last few months on the recruiting secretarial work in connection with the "70,000 Campaign." He has also been engaged in the production of the Man Power and Women's National Register plans for the Government. Naturally, Major Lemaire was gratified to see his recommendation for a Compulsory Register adopted by the Commonwealth Government. He writes that he is acting *in loco parentis* to Jack Hipsley, who is now in Melbourne with Repco, where he will be for the next two years.

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Armidale.—Mervyn Paine, our correspondent and local representative at Armidale, has forsaken the profession of Law, perhaps temporarily, and is now a jackeroo on "Toa-Dolla," the station of another Old Boy, A. Leslie Cooper. As he is about 36 miles west of Armidale, Mervyn has been compelled to give up the position of local representative of the Union. The editor of these Notes remembers his regular newsletters with gratitude. Bill Uther has agreed to take over the position, and Old Boys in the district are asked to forward him any news they may have.

The Picnic Races brought several Old Boys into Armidale, including Captain McIntyre of Knockmany, Glen Innes; Jack Vivers, also from Glen Innes; and Rex. Turton, a keen picnic race rider in the meetings thereabouts and in Walcha, his home town. Rex's father—N. W.—is hopeful of starting a local Old Boys' branch, although Walcha Old Boys are few.

Also noticed in Armidale about the same time was Ken. Hanson, "looking quite devilish in green shirt, Hawley Tropper, and a noticeable coat of tan" (Mervyn Paine's description). Ken. had designs on the trout in one of Armidale's creeks, his appetite being whetted by having to stay three days in Kempsey waiting for the results of a pile-up to be repaired.

Malcolm O'Reilly, who is stationed at Scone, took over the Armidale and Glen Innes district while the regular Agrostologist was on sick leave.

Another entrant into the ranks of Armidale Old Boys is Bob Frewin, of Guyra, who has been appointed to the local branch of the Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney Limited.

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From the Tablelands we hear that Fred. Harris, after a successful run at "Wollogorang," Goulburn, is now with his father at Tumut, and has started a Light Horse Troop there. E. R. ("Bunny") Burnell, after spending several years as a jackeroo, has returned to his home at Walcha. Roy Cohen, who was with the same company, has transferred his services to "Midkin" Station, Moree, where Fred. Phillips was already instated. Together they are reported to be taking an active part in the social life of the district.

We shall be glad to hear more of the activities of such Old Boys.

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Tamworth.—Neville T. Wilson, of "Eulabah," Tamworth, is at present on a trip abroad. W. J. Treloar again had success with his team of horses at the Royal Agricultural Show.

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C. T. Webb, of the Lands Department, is at present Acting District Surveyor at Moree.

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F. W. Tavener, now a fully-fledged architect, sailed on the *Port Hobart* on March 21st to further his studies in England and on the Continent. His address till further notice will be : C/o Bank of N.S.W., 47 Berkeley Square, London, W.1.

R. L. Ellis has been appointed manager of the "Llanillo" Station, Walgett.

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R. J. Black was in Sydney for a few days during February, passing through from Melbourne to the Brisbane branch of the Mutual Life and Citizens' Assurance Co. His cousin, A. N. Black, moved from Melbourne about the same time to take up residence in Auckland with the Colonial Sugar Refining Co. Melbourne must be getting cold!

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G. W. Sapsford was down in Sydney for a short vacation during March. The same idea brought C. E. Wakefield from Canowindra. Another Old Boy we saw in town was F. N. Bell (Captain of Boats in 1926), who came down from Bananaland in April and waited for the Jubilee celebrations.

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R. E. B. Makinson, who won the Barker Graduate Scholarship in 1935, enabling him to continue his studies at Cambridge, has now been awarded a Doctorate in Philosophy by that University. Dr. Makinson arrived in Sydney on February 23rd, and has taken up an appointment as Assistant Lecturer in Physics at the Sydney University.

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John Makinson, who is with the Colonial Sugar Refining Co. at Lautoka, is to be married on May 6th at Ba, Fiji, to Miss Barbara Fenner.

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Two other Old Boys sailed in March, but their purpose was rather to recover from studying. Clive Weston and Ken. Tribe went with a small party of Law students for a trip abroad, visiting England and the Continent. Clive will return to take up a position in August, and Ken. is expected back in October.

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Bob Speirs has been appointed resident medical officer at the Lithgow District Hospital.

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E. B. H. Henning last year graduated Bachelor of Science of the Sydney University, and is now with the Main Roads Board.

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Kenneth R. Sands has been admitted into partnership in the firm of Sands, Junor & Co.

We are sorry to hear that Dr. Alfred Heath, who was Honorary Secretary of the Union in 1921 and 1922, has been in very bad health lately, and has been compelled to retire from practice permanently to the quiet of a grazing property at Yandilla, Queensland.

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E. O. Harding, notice of whose engagement appears in this issue, entered Moore Theological College this year to study for the Ministry. We congratulate him on both steps, and wish him all success in the work to which he has been called.

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F. W. Hill has been appointed a director of Tooth & Co. Limited.

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J. Busby, who left School to go to Winchester College, England, is now with the Newcastle Aero Club studying for his B Class commercial flying licence.

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We have received a letter from Lionel Miller, who has moved to "Bellbrook," Central Tilba, on the South Coast. He extends a welcome to all Old Boys who may be passing down the Coast, and would be glad to see them at any time. Lionel had a visit last month from Bill Oxenbould, who was on a tour of the South Coast during the Easter week-end.

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Lodge Torch-Bearer.—On May 8, 1939, at 7.30 p.m., the Lodge, which comprises Old Boys and masters, past or present, of the School, will hold its regular meeting at the Masonic Hall, Castlereagh Street, Sydney, when the Jubilee of the School will be celebrated. All Old Boys and friends of the School who are eligible are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

The eighth Annual Church Service of the Lodge will be held in the School Chapel on Sunday, 1st October, 1939, at 7.30 p.m. Canon Hulley, of Armidale, will be the preacher.

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We reprint the following article from the *Australian and New Zealand Ski Year Book* :—

CLUB REPORTS.

THE TORCH-BEARER SKI CLUB.

During 1937 and in previous years a great number of Old Boys of Sydney Church of England Grammar School stayed at the Hotel Kosciusko and at the

Chalet at Charlotte's Pass, and it is not surprising that someone at last conceived the idea of forming a "Shore". Old Boys' Ski Club.

The preliminary work in this direction was done by the present Captain, R. A. Swift, to whom great credit is due for the energy he put into the formation of the Club and for the keenness and enthusiasm with which he infected its first members. As a result of informal discussions late in 1937, the Torch-Bearer Ski Club came into being early in 1938.

To those who are not familiar with the School, perhaps we should explain that the "Torch" is incorporated in the School badge, and is symbolical of the School motto, "Vitali Lampada Tradunt." By choosing the name "Torch-Bearer," we have sought to establish ourselves as essentially a Shore Old Boys' Club.

We feel certain that the Club has a very strong future, at least as far as the numbers are concerned. We already have thirty members, with some thousands of Old Boys to choose from, and each year this number is considerably increased. The Club looks on the School as its ski nursery, and as a result has made provision for junior members, inaugurating a Langlauf race for the Annual School Party at the Hotel and presenting a trophy for this event.

The Club is particularly fortunate in having for its first President Mr. C. A. Alexander, who by reason of his wide experience of ski-ing administration has had much to do with the progress already made.

After the first general meeting the Club commenced to "get established." With our illustrious vice-presidents as a background, we heaped up a certain amount of tradition in the fortnight we were at Charlotte's Pass. As the weather was certainly not ideal—blizzard conditions existing most of the time—the results of our races were not as good as they might have been. While these conditions did not affect our outdoor work, they did much to further the Club spirit indoors.

The races were held on two consecutive days. Watson put up a fine show to win the Downhill, which was run over the third class course in a blinding snow storm. The Slalom Race was held in slightly better conditions, and McIlree showed clean technique to win this event. Platt, the winner of the Langlauf, put up an exceptionally good time. The course was set from the Chalet around Bett's Camp and back to the Chalet. Scarcity of snow affected the results of the Jump, which was also won by Platt. Watson, by his consistent ski-ing, won the Club Championship from Platt by a very close margin.

Out-of-season activities have included an interesting dinner at Petty's Hotel, when the 1938 trophies were presented; an exciting cricket match at Brookvale Oval, with the Alpine Club as our opponents; and a combined swim and cocktail party at Collaroy.

The Club proposes holding its 1939 season at the Chalet, Charlotte's Pass, from 17th to 30th June, 1939. Prospective members who desire to attend should forward their applications immediately to the Honorary Secretary, L. J. Richardson, 18 Martin Place, Sydney.

REMINISCENCES OF THE 'NINETIES.

Do you remember the occasion when Rats was a new House Master and was by himself one night; Caddie, Wally, Bega and others went tip-toeing down to the Master's room apparently trembling with fear to tell Rats that they thought there were burglars in the dormitory? Rats got his walking stick and led the way up the stairs, the fellows all holding hands and walking up behind him telling him to be careful. They turned the dormitory upside down, even pulling up the carpet squares by the bed-sides, but poor old Rats could not see that they were pulling his leg. These fellows were big enough to have tackled and disposed of half a dozen burglars. Rats has now been gathered to his fathers, and our blessings go with him.

Others will remember the day in Jerry's laboratory when Arthur was standing up on a chair yelling out "Jerry!" at the top of his voice, and the Chief, Mr. E. I. Robson, stood at the door behind him listening to the whole performance. As the rest of the class was facing the Chief they couldn't give Arthur the tip, but a dead silence caused Arthur to turn round and gaze into his eyes. He was commanded to interview the Chief in his room.

Do you remember the glorious fights between Ces. and Frosty of the Big Feet, Skeeter and Nigger, Clive and Elder and others? When they were too big for Clive to fight he would tell them that if he couldn't fight them he would "wrassle" them. Last, but not least, there was the glorious fight between Hoppy and John L.

Training on the Parramatta in the old days, staying at Cashman's Hotel, we used to swim in the Gladesville Asylum Baths. Dick, the cox, was only 3½ stone (for decency sake they made it 4 stone on the programme), and when they went in for a swim Robbie never left his side for fear he would get washed through one of the cracks in the baths, swimming round and round to protect his cox. Although he coxed for five years, he never exceeded 5 stone, but now, poor chap, he tips the beam at 11 stone 7 lbs.!

The glorious nights on the lead-covered floor of the bathroom should not be forgotten. We used to soap the floor, then sit down back to back and have races up and down the floor till someone either put the cold iron dumbbell down between the backs of the competitors or sprinkled sand on the floor.

Do you remember playing "scabby," a sort of cricket, in the top dormitory, with a rolled-up sock and a hair brush, the lower dormitory keeping "nit" and tapping the gas pipe of the dormitory above when danger in the form of "Square Jaws" was about?

Do you remember the School Concerts, when Bull used to sing and Taff sang "Taffy was a Welshman," and Arthur and Jack, dressed as girls, sang "I don't want to play in your yard," and Bullneck with his famous recitation of "The Heathen Chinese"?

Do you remember when George won the throwing of the cricket ball at All Schools, and Bega won the broad jump; and what about Bobby hitting a ball over the School Tower?

Knock-kneed Sarah is now the managing director of one of Australia's largest concerns. What became of Djin Djin? Sandy is still his cheerful old self—

badly injured in the War; Old Boys have a very soft spot for him. Of Jack, Wally, Chiller and Beau, Chiller is the only survivor to-day. Beau and George used to share one of the old studies, and they lost quite a number of billies by hanging them over the gas jet to boil and then forgetting all about them. Stud used to play cricket and football, and can still wield the willow to good effect. Norman, we are informed, now plays golf or gardens. You will remember the way Clem, the absent-minded beggar, would sometimes come to School minus a tie or even a collar and tie. One of his pals, Gordon, was killed in the War.

Do you remember riding the ponies that Jack used to ride from Mosman and Frank from Turramurra, and which they tethered in the School grounds?

Perhaps my contemporaries will recognise various Old Boys from these memoirs of what remain to me "the good old days."

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THE GENESIS AND GROWTH OF THE OLD BOYS' UNION.

The proposal to inaugurate an Old Boys' Union was first made at the Annual Dinner which followed the Old Boys' Football Match on May 19, 1894. The idea was warmly received, and arrangements were made for holding a general meeting of Old Boys to form a Union. This meeting took place at the School on August 23, 1894. A set of rules was drawn up, modified, and finally adopted by another meeting on October 27. Printed copies of these rules were sent to every Old Boy. The following officers were elected for 1894-5 :—

PRESIDENT : The Headmaster (*ex officio*) (Mr. E. I. Robson).

VICE-PRESIDENTS : N. Trevor-Jones and A. J. Kelynaek.

HON. SECRETARIES AND TREASURERS : Rev. D. Davies and A. H. Yarnold.

COMMITTEE : G. R. C. Clarke, W. B. Clarke, M. Dawson, N. Y. Deane, E. R. Holme, H. W. Kendall, W. J. Morson, H. C. Pockley, S. B. Wallace.

Sixty-one Old Boys joined during the first year.

The early practice was to hold the annual meeting after the Old Boys' Football Match. The meeting was always followed by a sing-song, at which the School Song was a favourite.

An "Old Boys' Prize Fund" was established and prizes given each year for School rowing, athletic sports, and, from 1898 onwards, for a School essay on some subject connected with the history or resources of Australia.

At first the annual subscription was 2/6, but members had also to pay 2/6 to obtain *The Torch-Bearer*, which was then published quarterly.

The second Annual Report shows a membership of 92. In this year, for the first time, the Union placed a cricket team in the field against The King's School Old Boys' Union. An attempt was made to form an

Old Boys' Cricket Club, but this was found impossible, as most members played grade cricket.

At a meeting held on March 23, 1897, it was proposed by Rev. D. Davies, "That the time has come when it is advisable that the Annual Reunion take the form of a Dinner." This Dinner, which was instituted to celebrate the enrolment of the first hundred Old Boys, took place at Quong Tart's on Saturday, May 8, 1897. The Dinner was followed by the Annual Meeting, after which members were entertained at a Smoke Concert.

New rules adopted in 1897 included the following:—

"That the annual subscription be 5/-, which covers membership, *Torch-Bearer* and Prize Fund."

"That *The Torch-Bearer* be the official organ of the Union."

An attempt was made to form an Old Boys' Album of Photographs; but apparently most were camera-conscious, and there was little response.

In 1899 Life Membership was instituted, the subscription being £4/4/-; increased in 1912 to £5/5/-. A. B. S. White was the first Life Member; there are now 382.

In 1900 the Smoke Concert was attended by representatives of the Old Boys' Unions of King's, St. Joseph's, Grammar, Riverview and Armidale.

In those days the finances of the Union were not in as sound a position as they are to-day. In 1903 the balance sheet showed a credit of 4/11; in 1905 the balance was 7d., and in 1907 there was a debit balance of £1/0/11.

The foundation stone of the School Memorial Library was laid on September 26, 1902. The Library was built to honour the memory of Old Boys who fell in the Boer War—at once a tribute to the past and an example to the future. M. L. Clarke gave loyal service as an Old Boy in gratuitously preparing the plans, and other Old Boys made so liberal a response to the appeal for funds that the building was opened in February, 1903, almost free of debt. The completed memorial took the form of a Library, Reading Room, and a new Vith. Form Class Room, built "to the great architectural benefit of the School and the complete satisfaction of the Union and the subscribers."

The Smoke Concert, which always followed the Annual Dinner, was done away with in 1904, so as to make more time for speeches. One might well question the popularity of this step.

We read in the 1905 Annual Report : "While there have previously been well over 100 members, this is the first occasion on which the Treasurer has been able to report that over 100 have paid their subscriptions."

The next step in the history of the School, the building of the Chapel, may also be regarded as a step in the history of the Old Boys' Union, so closely did the Union co-operate and so much did the Chapel mean to Old Boys.

In 1905 Mr. E. I. Robson, to whom the idea of a School Chapel had always been dear, forwarded the first subscription. Old Boys rallied round, and the fund slowly approached the necessary figure. The foundation stone was laid on May 4, 1914, the twenty-fifth anniversary of the opening of the School.

Then came the Great War, and to many Old Boys and their families the Chapel became the sacred centre of the corporate life of the School and its friends. Before long, memorial services were held, brass tablets were set in place, and the beautiful East Window was erected, in memory of those Old Boys who had fallen.

*Qui procul hinc,
Qui ante diem perit;
Sed miles, sed pro patria.*

The Committee of the Union decided that during the continuance of the War there would be no functions in connection with Foundation Day, except the Anniversary Service at the School Chapel and the Annual General Meeting. The vision of the torch of life shining far away in the ranks of war made those at home feel a new compelling claim to make life more earnest and more worthy of those who had fought and fallen.

During the years 1914-1918 the Old Boys' Notes in *The Torch-Bearer* consisted almost entirely of letters from Old Boys at the Front and names of those who had enlisted. The number of fresh distinctions won was usually greater by a few names than the number of honoured dead. In *The Torch-Bearer* of October, 1916, twenty-five pages were devoted to a list of Old Boys who had joined His Majesty's Forces.

In 1916 the Committee had a long discussion on the question of an Old Boys' Union Badge. Finally it was agreed that it should be made to the pattern submitted, with numbers on the reverse side, the numbers to be registered with the Honorary Secretary. Badges were sent to the parents of all Old Boys who fell in the War.

The S.C.E.G.S. Memorial Ground at Northbridge was officially opened on September 27, 1919. In this venture, too, the Old Boys' Union played an important part with regard to organisation and finance. The first match on the new oval was Old Boys XI. v. The School, won by the Old Boys.

The next noteworthy step in the history of the Union came in 1923, when it was resolved that an Old Boys' Club be formed. In 1924 the Club, with its premises at "Cromer," 91 Phillip Street, had 380 members. Dudley Williams was the first President; the first Honorary Secretary was G. C. Turnbull.

In 1926 we joined forces with the Old Boys' Clubs of Grammar, King's and Newington, and Schools' Club Ltd. was formed. Aided by the generosity of the Fairfax family, the Company secured a lease of the present premises in Warwick Buildings. From 380 members in 1924, our Club grew to 596 in 1927. There are now approximately 477 members.

In 1927, for the first time, an Old Boy was elected President of the Union. Since 1894 the President had always been the Headmaster (*ex officio*). In 1913 and in 1919 it was proposed that the President should be elected annually from among members of the Old Boys' Union. On each occasion the motion was defeated. In 1927, however, the proposal gained the support of members, and the Headmaster (Mr. L. C. Robson) became Patron. One of our earliest Old Boys, N. Y. Deane, was elected President.

On May 8, 1936, at a meeting held at the School, the "S.C.E.G.S. Association" was formed, with its object "to unify and render expressive the aspirations of all who believe that Shore is a force for good in the community." The objects of the Association were thus both national and educational, and it included not only Old Boys, but all friends of the School. During 1936 the Committee decided to adopt as its major activity the prosecution of the appeal for the Jubilee Fund, which, as we go to press, stands at the figure of £9307, plus interest accrued, £818/19/2.

A country tour in 1936 resulted in the formation of groups of Shore Old Boys in each town visited. A "key-man" was appointed for each district, his responsibility being to collect notes of Old Boys' activities, to co-ordinate local efforts on behalf of the Jubilee Fund, to arrange regular functions, and generally to bring together local Old Boys and strengthen their ties with the School.

There is but one other fact to chronicle. In London, on October 8, 1937, it was decided to form a branch of the Old Boys' Union in England. A committee was formed, consisting of a President (M. J. Dawson); a permanent resident Secretary (J. S. Bishop), and a visiting Secretary (K. N. E. Bradfield). The English branch was given the approval and support of "Head Office," and is now functioning splendidly.

That, so far as it can be ascertained from minute books, *Torch-Bearers* and hearsay, is the history of the S.C.E.G.S. Old Boys' Union. It is a story which may be of interest to present readers, and will certainly be of interest to those Old Boys who celebrate our Centenary.

From falling hands,
To you we throw the torch;
Be yours to hold it high.

The figures set out below will be useful as a numerical indication of steady progress; the names of past Presidents and Honorary Secretaries will (to those who think back as they read) represent a story of worthy achievement on the part of the Old Boys' Union, which has remembered the wish expressed by Mr. E. I. Robson at our first meeting: "That the Old Boys might long continue to love the old School, and that the School might long continue to deserve their love."

MEMBERSHIP.

1895	61	1920	870
1896	92	1926	1126
1897	100	1931	1451
1898	136	1935	1817
1911	210	1937	1903

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PRESIDENTS.

1894—1925, The Headmaster	1932—1933, G. C. Turnbull
(<i>ex officio</i>).	1934—1935, R. C. M. Boyce.
1926—1927, N. Y. Deane.	1936—1937, H. L. St. Vincent Welch.
1928—1929, A. B. S. White.	1938—1939, R. B. Hipsley.
1930—1931, D'Arcy F. Roberts.	

HONORARY SECRETARIES.

1894, H. W. Kendall (<i>pro tem.</i>).	1915—1916, K. B. Voss.
1895—1896 { A. H. Yarnold.	1917—1920, H. H. I. Massie.
} Rev. D. Davies.	1921—1922, A. A. Heath.
1897—1903, G. R. C. Clarke.	1923—1924, S. W. Crane.
1904—1906, H. P. Harriott.	1925—1927, N. R. Conroy.
1907—1908, A. B. S. White.	1928—1933, A. H. Curlewis.
1909—1914, Keith Williams.	1934 to date, R. W. Keegan.

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OLD BOYS' CLUB NOTES.

Annual Report for the Year ended 31st December, 1938.

(Presented to Members at the Annual Meeting held at the Club, Warwick Building, Hamilton Street, Sydney, on Thursday, 16th March, 1939.)

The Committee has pleasure in presenting its fifteenth Annual Report.

The position of the Club, both socially and financially, is satisfactory. The membership shows a slight increase. The reduction in the subscription payable by country members came into operation on 1st January, 1938. The Committee had hoped that by this reduction a considerable increase in country membership would result; it is disappointing to report that its hopes have not materialised.

Country membership is satisfactory, but there is a big avenue for improvement. Country members have expressed satisfaction with the improved facilities of the Club, and it is hoped that this coming year will show a considerable influx of new members.

It is most necessary for a bigger Club membership in order that additional plans may be put into operation.

Also the special inducement extended to boys joining within four months of leaving school, which is that the payment of one guinea is accepted to cover subscriptions for the current year and following one. There is no entrance fee for those under 21 years.

During the year substantial alterations were made to the Dining Room. The partition was removed, the room remodelled, and the lighting system improved. The room as it now stands is most attractive.

The Committee acknowledges with deep satisfaction the gift from Mr. J. Lee Pulling of a pair of buffalo horns.

During the year your Committee enquired into the possibilities of erecting a squash racquet court on the roof of Warwick Building, but it was found that the City Council would not allow any construction to be made. The directors of School Clubs Ltd. are making further enquiries.

A prospectus of the Club prepared last year has proved most useful, and can be forwarded to any Old Boy on application to the Secretary.

At the beginning of the year, Messrs. D'A. F. Roberts and G. C. Turnbull represented the Club on the Board of School Clubs Ltd. Mr. Turnbull resigned,

and Mr. C. R. Kelynack was appointed in his stead. The directors of School Clubs Ltd. again place on record the excellent work of Mr. D'Arcy F. Roberts as Honorary Treasurer of the Board.

Messrs. J. W. London, A. S. Simpson and P. C. B. Trebeck have given valuable assistance on the Entertainments Committee. Messrs. G. A. Fisher, of the School staff, and R. B. Sautelle were elected to the Committee as co-opted members.

Messrs. A. S. Simpson and R. Ludowici continue to collect contributions from members of the Club regularly for the School Jubilee Fund. To date the sum of £121/7/- has been donated.

The Monthly Luncheons arranged by younger members have been continued throughout the year, and many enjoyable meetings have taken place, guests on several occasions being masters of the School. Monthly billiards and ping-pong evenings have been held, also the annual billiards and snooker championships of School Clubs Ltd. Golf competitions have been arranged. Theatre evenings, when members can secure seats at a reduced charge, have proved very successful. The bookings for the Ballet were particularly heavy.

Your Committee has entertained the masters of the School at a bridge evening, also towards the end of the third term of the year School teams and senior boys were entertained.

The thanks of the members are due once again to Mr. N. E. Brooks, Chartered Accountant (Aust.), for his services as Honorary Auditor.

It is with profound regret that the Committee records the deaths of A. G. Arnott and J. N. Hoare in May last.

Members are reminded that they are entitled to bring guests for luncheon and dinner, and it is hoped that during the Jubilee Year more members will avail themselves of the privilege which, besides assisting the Club financially, makes it more generally known, and is a valuable aid in securing more members.

There have been twelve meetings of the Committee. Attendances were: S. D. Angus, 8; G. E. Browne, 10; J. E. M. Dixon, 10; A. N. Harding, 2; A. R. C. Hull, 10; J. T. Humphreys, 9; C. R. Kelynack, 11; H. J. Lewarne, 8; R. Ludowici, 10; D. M. MacDermott, 11; D'A. F. Roberts, 9; P. C. B. Trebeck, 8; G. C. Turnbull, 10; G. A. Fisher (elected April 21, 1938), 4; R. B. Sautelle (elected May 19, 1938), 7.

GORDON C. TURNBULL, President.
D. M. MacDERMOTT, Hon. Secretary.

At this particular time—the Jubilee of the School—it may be well to note a few features of the history of the Club when considering the above report.

Turning back a number of pages of our records, we find that the idea of forming an Old Boys' Club was actively canvassed during 1923, and minutes are recorded of a meeting in February, 1924, to discuss the drafting of a constitution. The work was carried out by Messrs. G. C. Turnbull, Dudley Williams, N. D. McIntosh, S. W. Crane and R. C. Cox, "with power to co-opt." It is very pleasing to see that Gordon Turnbull, who was

actively interested in the formation of the Club and its first Hon. Secretary, now occupies the presidential chair, and has greatly assisted in the Club's growth since its inception.

The first Annual General meeting took place on 6th March, 1924, when the Club was formally opened by the Headmaster, Mr. L. C. Robson. A. B. S. White was chairman, and the meeting was attended by Rev. D. Davies, J. Lee Pulling, N. D. McIntosh, G. C. Turnbull, G. E. Browne, M. M. and N. M. Goddard, J. K. Shirley, C. D. Eaton, V. Rhodes, H. and R. N. Lewarne, E. A. Goodall, W. J. S. Harding, A. Ludowici, G. Stevens, K. W. Rhodes, J. Sanderson, A. S. Kyle, S. W. Crane, R. C. Anderson, L. S. Beckett, G. R. Hamilton, H. M. and J. M. Ware, D. H. McBurney, R. Sinclair, J. Henderson, J. L. Murrell, J. H. White, A. H. Blythe, E. D. Thane, F. Alcorn, I. D. Armitage, K. H. Broome, J. G. Hill, A. D. Denne, R. Cowlshaw, R. D. Merrett, E. T. Robinson, N. C. Vogan, W. B. Eilbeck, M. C. Cox, J. Cadwallader, G. L. King, S. Campbell, G. B. Morgan, J. Fell, A. Maclachlan, C. S. Williams.

Dudley Williams was appointed first President; N. Y. Deane, Vice-President; G. C. Turnbull, Hon. Secretary; N. D. McIntosh, Hon. Treasurer; and the Committee—S. W. Crane, G. J. Hill, Dr. G. R. Hamilton, Dr. F. G. A. Pockley, W. J. S. Harding, D'Arcy Roberts, L. C. Hutchinson and G. E. Browne. D'Arcy Roberts is still working for the Club as Vice-President and G. E. Browne is still a committeeman.

And since that time the Club has advanced by steady steps along a route distinctly marked out by the original founders.

The present dining facilities had their origin in a "luncheon table reserved for members at a nearby tearoom." The canteen originated from the early days, when "an account should be opened with W. D. & H. O. Wills for the purchase of cigarettes," when special "Shore Club" cigarettes were ordered.

As soon as September, 1924, a sub-committee was formed "to go into details of finding larger premises."

In February, 1925, the Old Boys' Union accepted the invitation to hold its meetings on the Club premises, and has since been availing itself of this facility.

Early in 1927 the Club Rooms were transferred from "Cromer," Phillip Street, to Warwick Building in Hamilton Street.

These are only jottings from a series of lifeless words, recordings of regular doings by a small body of active committeemen. They do not tell

of the very real feelings and worries which the various committees have experienced from time to time, and of the time and trouble taken by men who have many other things to do and think about. The hours which were spent in the early days in organizing and the later days of carrying on have not been in vain, as the present Club testifies. And this has been achieved without an effective increase in the annual subscription.

"A MEMBER."

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BIRTHS.

- Ainsworth** : December 21, 1938, at War Memorial Hospital, Waverley, to Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Ainsworth—a daughter.
- Anderson** : March 26, at Denholm Private Hospital, to Rachel, wife of Graeme Anderson—a daughter.
- Cooke-Russell** (nee Edna May Littleton) : February 21, at Saba Private Hospital, Neutral Bay, to Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Cooke-Russell—a son (Peter John).
- Goddard** : March 19, to Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Goddard, Pennant Hills—a son.
- Gowing** (nee Kessell) : April 11, to Bettina, wife of Robert C. Gowing—a daughter.
- Howarth** (nee Marion Boag) : February 7, at Settercairn Private Hospital, Hamilton, to Mr. and Mrs. Laurence M. Howarth—a daughter.
- Ibbott** : March 11, at Seacombe Private Hospital, Drummoyne, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ibbott, Glendara, Rowena—a son.
- Kemmis** (nee Hislop) : April 1, at Roslyn Private Hospital, Lindfield, to Mr. and Mrs. C. de C. Kemmis, Florence Avenue, Pymble—a daughter.
- Kierath** (nee Norman) : April 7, at Delaware Private Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kierath, of Narromine—a son.
- Fairlie-Cunninghame** : April 7, at St. Luke's Hospital, to Margaret, wife of J. H. Fairlie-Cunninghame—a son.
- Lloyd** : February 12, at Yoi, Delungra, to Mr. and Mrs. David Sanderson Lloyd—a son.
- Bucknell** : January 13, to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bucknell, of Newstead North, Inverell—a son (Anthony).
- Ford** (nee Craig) : March 24, at Nurse Bonfield's Private Hospital, Lorn, to Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ford, Stuart Street, Lorn, West Maitland—a daughter (Jennifer Russell).
- Perks** : December 20, 1938, at Saba, Neutral Bay, to Mr. and Mrs. Warwick S. Perks, Crow's Nest Road, North Sydney—a daughter.
- Phillips** : April 7, at St. Monan's Private Hospital, Cremorne, to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Phillips, of Mosman—a daughter.
- Richardson** : October 25, 1938, at "Woodsdown," Kardella Avenue, Killara, to Marjorie, wife of Lawford Richardson—a daughter.
- Warden** : February 23, to Isabel, wife of Dr. Douglas Warden, of Edgecliff—a son.
- White** : April 21, at Saba Hospital, Neutral Bay, to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. White, Whitehill, Longreach—a son.

ENGAGEMENTS.

The following engagements have been announced:—

- Alexander—Brown** : Kathleen Myra, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell-Brown, of Gresford, to Dr. John Murray, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Alexander, of Wollstonecraft.
- Esplin—Stuart** : Daphne Jean, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Stuart, of Dumbarton, Roseville, to Thomas Donald, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Esplin, of Merricourt, Waverton Avenue, Waverton.
- Hanson—Trivett** : Jacqueline Rosemary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Trivett, of Killara, to Geoffrey Faviell, second son of the late Dr. Arthur C. Hanson and Mrs. Hanson, of Killara.
- Cooksey—Weymark** : Doris, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Weymark, of Mosman Bay, to Thomas Kenneth, elder son of Dr. Thomas Cooksey, of Mosman.
- Harding—Burrows** : Irene Florence, only daughter of the late Mr. W. H. Burrows and Mrs. Burrows, of Roseville, to Ernest Osbourne, only son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Harding, of Roseville.
- Marshall—Gosper** : Elizabeth, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Marsden Gosper, of Roseville and Windsor Farm, Windsor, to Reginald Grattan, younger son of Mr. A. J. H. Marshall and the late Mrs. Evelyn Marshall, of Pymble.
- Mitchell—Mawson** : Kathleen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Mawson, of Cooma, to Philip Otton, elder son of the late F. F. Mitchell and Mrs. Marion Mitchell, of Cooma, New South Wales.
- Montgomery—Howe** : Cecily, only daughter of the late Rev. H. G. J. Howe and Mrs. E. C. Howe, of Chatswood, to Ian Wilson Montgomery, of the University College, Armidale, only child of the late Dr. John Montgomery, of Tasmania, and the late Mrs. L. W. Corderoy, of Orange and Goulburn.
- Petherick—Holmes** : Beatrice Jean, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Holmes, of Bullerana, Moree, to Edward Bruce, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Petherick, of Ayrdrrie, Tenterfield.
- Rowe—Wall** : Helen Wrothlyne, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wall, of Narrandera, to Reginald Gordon, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rowe, of Orange.

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MARRIAGES.

- Beer—Seale** : January 12, 1939, at St. John's Church, Beecroft, by the Rev. Booth, Aubrey Harold, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Beer of Eastwood, to Isabel Mary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Seale of Cheltenham.
- Binnie—Angus** : March 15, 1939, by the Rev. George Milne, at St. Stephen's Church, Macquarie Street, Sydney, Alec., younger son of the late Mr. Richard Binnie, and of Mrs. Binnie of Point Piper, to Frances, only daughter of the late Mr. John H. S. Angus, and of Mrs. Angus of Bellevue Hill.
- Bruce—Coward** : February 15, 1939, at St. Mark's Church, Darling Point, Alexander, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bruce of Warrawee, to Joyce, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Coward of Birriwa.

McIlree—Blake : March 28, 1939, at St. John's Church, Ashfield, by Canon Barder, Eric, youngest son of the late Mr. A. McIlree, and of Mrs. A. McIlree of Cremorne, to Hazel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Blake of Ashfield.

Suttor—Rowe : March 22, 1939, at St. Philip's, Church Hill, Sydney, Dr. Rawdon Suttor of Wollongong, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Rawdon Suttor of Tamworth, to Rona, only daughter of Mr and Mrs. E. V. Rowe of Chatswood.

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OBITUARY.

Hordern : February 9, 1939, at Sydney (suddenly), Cecil Anthony Hordern, Lieutenant 1st Australian Light Horse, A.I.F., of Caringle, Brewarrina, beloved husband of Joan, and eldest son of the late Cecil and Mrs. Hordern of Kirribilli Point.

Julius : January 29, 1939, Roderick, younger son of Sir George and Lady Julius of Darling Point, aged 34 years.

Milson : February 14, 1939, at a private hospital, North Sydney (suddenly), Prosper Guy, younger son of the late J. J. A. W. and A. E. Milson, and fond brother of Victor and Hilda, aged 52 years.

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CHANGES OF ADDRESS.

Ayers, C. P. : 6 Clifton Street, Clifton Gardens.
 Alexander, Dr. J. M. : 4 Tryon Avenue, Wollstonecraft.
 Anderson, R. C. : 217 Burwood Road, Burwood.
 Arnott, E. C. : C/o C.S.R. Co. Ltd., 1 O'Connell Street, Sydney.
 Ball, A. B. : C/o Bushells Ltd., Flinders Street, Melbourne.
 Ball, K. A. : 17 Spofforth Street, Cremorne.
 Beit, D. C. : C/o A. H. Windeyer, Phillip & Co., Solicitors, Deniliquin.
 Boydell, R. M. : 69 Hunter Street West, Wickham, Newcastle.
 Bradford, E. L. : 15 Central Avenue, Mosman.
 Broinowski, J. H. : 7 Mansion Road, Bellevue Hill.
 Barnes, W. N. : 24 Cranbrook Road, Rose Bay.
 Beer, A. H. : 20 Railway Avenue, Eastwood.
 Black, A. N. : C/o C.S.R. Co. Ltd., Quay Street, Auckland.
 Black, R. J. : C/o M.L.C. Assurance Co. Ltd., Creek Street, Brisbane.
 Coates, W. R. : "Derrabong," Dandaloo, via Trangie.
 Coote, P. D. : C/o Burns, Philp & C. Ltd., Rabaul, T.N.G.
 Cracknell, W. T. : "Burringhat," Boggabilla, N.S.W.
 Cullis-Hill, G. : Architect, Pacific Highway, Crow's Nest.
 Dietrich, E. R. : C/o Sellgson & Clare (Aust.) Ltd., 404 Post Office Place, Melbourne, Victoria.
 Doherty, A. K. : Box 90, Cobar, N.S.W.
 Duncan, F. N. : Korangi Road, Pymble.
 Edwards, C. L. : 79 Barker Street, New Farm, Brisbane, Q.
 Ellis, J. S. : Flat No. 1, 174 Military Road, Neutral Bay.

- Ellis, R. L. : "Llanillo," Walgett.
 Emanuel, N. : Fairfax Road, Bellevue Hill.
 Field, D. B. : "Grayswood," Park Crescent, Pymble.
 Flashman, A. C. R. : C/o Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney Ltd., Mandurama.
 Ford, A. R. : 8 Stuart Street, Lorn, West Maitland.
 Fraser, A. I. : "Arnprior," 4 Provincial Road, Lindfield.
 Garrett, R. L. : C/o Bank of New South Wales, Bathurst.
 Greive, M. : "Nanderville," The Oaks, via Camden.
 Griffiths, L. A. : No. 2, Monterey Flats, Moira Crescent, North Randwick.
 Haxby, E. C. H. : Commercial Banking Co., Mudgee, N.S.W.
 Hambly, C. K. : 10 Gladstone Parade, Lindfield.
 Harding, E. O. : 3 Dulwich Road, Chatswood.
 Henderson, I. W. B. : C/o Ball & Welch Ltd., Box 532 E., G.P.O., Melbourne.
 Hipsley, R. B. : 34 Kardella Avenue, Killara.
 Hipsley, J. W. : C/o Repco Ltd., 618 Elizabeth Street, Melbourne.
 Hodgson, G. V. : "Studholme," Armatree.
 Holmes, L. B. : No. 3, "Carinthia," 3 Reed Street, Cremorne.
 Hore, K. V. : 14 Warwick Avenue, North Sydney.
 Kent, A. I. : 24 Terry Road, West Ryde.
 Lightfoot, W. V. : 18 Edgecliff Avenue, South Coogee.
 Mackay, R. C. : "Mullagalah," Bourke.
 Maclean, R. B. S. : 26 Cremorne Road, Cremorne.
 Marshall, B. C. : "Pine Lodge," Canowindra.
 Marshall, R. G. : C/o Gold Dumps Pty. Ltd., Ballarat, Victoria.
 Marten, J. C. : 21 Cambrian Place, Potts Point.
 Martin, G. J. : C/o International Harvester Co., Geelong, Victoria.
 Martin, J. W. : 2 Buckland Street, Broadway.
 Maxwell, F. A. : 8 Sinclair Street, Wollstonecraft.
 Mercer, W. J. : 6 Daintry Crescent, Randwick.
 Miller, L. R. : "Bellbrook," Central Tilba, South Coast, N.S.W.
 Myers, Dr. D. M. : C/o National Physical Laboratory, Teddington, Middlesex,
 England.
 Old, T. : 45a Stanhope Road, Killara.
 Purser, C. J. : "Valdemar," Millthorpe, N.S.W.
 Robinson, H. W. : "Wurama West," Condamine.
 Robinson, K. D. : Court House, Moree.
 Roseby, T. A. : No. 3, "Silverton," Bapaume Road, Mosman.
 Self, E. F. : "Euberta," Narrandera Road, via Wagga Wagga.
 Spence, W. M. : C/o Bank of New South Wales, Tingha, N.S.W.
 Strang, J. R. : C/o The Farmers & Graziers' Co-Op. Co. Ltd., Box 1600 BB., Sydney.
 Taveher, F. W. : C/o Bank of New South Wales, 47 Berkeley Square, London, W.1.
 Thompson, J. A. : C/o Sydney University Union, Parramatta Road, Sydney.
 Treatt, F. B. : Judges' Chambers, Supreme Court, Sydney.
 Welch, S. St. Vincent : Errowanbang Ltd., Carcoar, N.S.W.
 West, T. J. : 1 Burston Place, Brighton Beach, S.5, Victoria.
 White, K. M. : No. 4, Trinity Court, Telopea Street, Wollstonecraft.

REGISTER APPENDIX.**LEFT, 1938.****TERM I.**

5639. Allerton, Brian Sherbrook ; born 19/2/21 ; son of J. Allerton, Esq., Greyholme, Piambra. Entered Term I, 1936. L.C., 1937. (S.)
5952. Anderson, Alan George ; born 25/11/24 ; son of A. L. Anderson, Esq., 30 Narani Crescent, Northbridge. Entered Term I, 1938.
4466. Banyard, James Ralph ; born 30/7/19 ; son of F. R. Banyard, Esq., 13 Merri- vale Road, Pymble. Entered Term I, 1929 ; left Term III, 1933 ; re-entered Term III, 1934 G.S.C., 1938 ; B.C., 1938.
5474. Bowden, Bertram Hinds ; born 1/10/21 ; son of H. R. Bowden, Esq., 32 Tooke Street, Newcastle. Entered Term I, 1935. I.C., 1937. (R.)
5655. Brien, Clive Pierce ; born 7/4/22 ; son of P. H. Brien, Esq., Canberra, Darling Street, Cowra. Entered Term I, 1936. I.C., 1937 ; 1st XI, 1938. (R.)
4660. Brown, Lyle Arthur ; born 6/3/20 ; son of G. A. Brown, Esq., Waverton Avenue, Waverton. Entered Term I, 1930. I.C., 1935 ; Cpl., 1937.
5297. Cains, Robert William ; born 26/6/23 ; son of R. H. Cains, Esq., 59 Grand View Street, Pymble. Entered Term I, 1934.
5115. Cameron, Keith James ; born 2/5/21 ; son of J. Cameron, Esq., Edwards Bay Road, Mosman. Entered Term I, 1933. Sub-Prefect, 1938 ; 3rd A., 1936 ; B.C., 1938.
5314. Dean, John Conrad Henry ; born 1/7/21 ; son of J. R. Dean, 5 Gillies Street, Wollstonecraft. Entered Term I, 1934. I.C., 1937.
5948. Denniss, Derek Wright ; born 19/8/22 ; son of A. W. Denniss, Esq., 35 Mabel Street, Willoughby. Entered Term II, 1937.
5897. Morris, Walter John ; born 18/2/23 ; son of H. F. Morris, Esq., C/o Department of Trade and Customs, Canberra. Entered Term I, 1937. "Torch- Bearer" Sub-Committee, 1938. (S.)
5221. Starkey, William John ; born 6/5/19 ; son of W. A. Starkey, Esq., 325 Mow- bray Road, Chatswood. Entered Term I, 1933. Prefect, 1938 ; I.C., 1934 ; L.C., 1936-7 (Modern His. H2) ; A. H. Wade Memorial Prize (1937) ; B.C., 1938.

TERM II.

5453. Balcombe, Gordon Robertson ; born 1/9/21 ; son of W. G. Balcombe, Esq., Yeulba, Binnaway. Entered Term III, 1934. I.C., 1937 ; 3rd A., 1936 ; 3rd XI, 1937 ; 2nd XV., 1938. (S.)
5099. Barnes, William George ; born 24/7/20 ; son of W. J. Barnes, Esq., 94 The Boulevarde, Strathfield. Entered Term I, 1933. Sub-Prefect, 1938 ; I.C., 1935 ; L.C., 1937 ; Sports Executive, 1938 ; Vice-Capt. Football, 1938 ; F.C., 1937-8 ; G.P.S. 1st XV., 1938 ; B.C., 1938 ; Cdt.-Lieut., 1938. (S.)
5998. Evans, William Geoffrey ; born 12/7/23 ; son of G. J. Evans, Esq., West Wyalong. Entered Term I, 1938. (S.)

4509. Geddes, Ian Aubrey ; born 5/2/21 ; son of W. B. Geddes, Esq., 5 Hale Road, Mosman. Entered Term I., 1929. Sub-Prefect, 1938 ; Uther Prize, 1933 ; I.C., 1935 ; L.C., 1937 ; F.C., 1938 ; B.C., 1938.
5862. Graham, John Sedgwick ; born 14/8/22 ; ward of Miss E. Cooper, 13 Gerard Street, Cremorne. Entered Term I., 1937.
5457. Hore, Peter ; born 31/1/24 ; son of G. H. Hore, Esq., 8 Kardinia Road, Clifton Gardens. Entered Term III., 1934.
5004. Leitch, John Cockburn ; born 27/2/21 ; son of Mrs. E. R. Leitch, 2 Hall's Road, Mosman. Entered Term I., 1932. I.C., 1937 ; F.C., 1938. (S. : Term II., 1934.)
5611. Watson, Thomas Oswald ; born 21/5/24 ; ward of Mrs. E. Treewheeler, 12 Claude Avenue, Cremorne. Entered Term I., 1935. (J., then H.)
6091. Webster, Alexander Peebles ; born 13/1/27 ; son of T. T. Webster, Esq., 4 Mosman Street, Mosman. Entered Term I., 1938.
5613. Weekes, John Douglas ; born 16/2/23 ; son of D. W. Weekes, Esq., 1 Serpentine Road, Hunter's Hill. Entered Term I., 1935.

TERM III.

5641. Allerton, Robert Mervyn ; born 8/12/21 ; son of G. N. Allerton, Esq., Terilta, Kelburn Road, Roseville. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1938.
4805. Alexander, Norman Grahame ; born 5/1/21 ; son of J. Alexander, Esq., 88 Sydney Street, Chatswood. Entered Term I., 1931. Prefect, 1938 ; Sports Executive, 1938 ; I.C., 1935 ; L.C., 1937-8 ; C.C., 1937-8 ; G.P.S. 2nd XI., 1938 ; F.C., 1938 ; Sjt., 1938.
5273. Armstrong, Brian Andrew ; born 9/8/21 ; son of W. R. Armstrong, Esq., Kyoto, 4 Waimea Road, Pymble. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; Chemistry Prize, 1938.
5276. Badham, Charles David ; born 6/7/20 ; son of Dr. C. Badham, 9 Fleming Street, Wollstonecraft. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938.
5278. Baker, James Thomas ; born 13/6/20 ; son of W. J. J. Baker, Esq., Beta, Margaret Road, Orange. Entered Term I., 1934. Boys' Club Sub-Committee, 1937 ; Sub-Prefect, 1938 ; I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; Cadet-Licut., 1938. (S.)
4943. Barnes, Walter Norman ; born 5/5/20 ; son of W. C. Barnes, Esq., Breffny, Scone. Entered Term III., 1931. Sub-Prefect, 1938 ; I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; R.C., 1938. (J., then H.)
4656. Barton, Andrew Basil ; born 9/3/21 ; son of G. P. Barton, Esq., Dungowan Flats, Manly. Entered Term I., 1930. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; Cpl., 1938.
5100. Barton, Bernard Robert ; born 3/10/20 ; son of Mrs. B. V. Barton, C/o T. W. Bremner, Esq., Martin Place, Sydney. Entered Term I., 1933. Boys' Club Sub-Committee, 1937 ; Prefect, 1938 ; I.C., 1935 ; L.C., 1937-8 (H2 Maths.) ; 2nd XV., 1938 ; L/Cpl., 1937. (S.)
5106. Boydell, Arnold Mervyn Broughton ; born 15/1/20 ; son of G. M. Boydell, Esq., 26 Stanley Street, Chatswood. Entered Term I., 1933. I.C., 1935 ; L.C., 1938.

5654. Boyce, Richard Francis ; born 2/3/23 ; son of W. M. Boyce, Esq., 2 ——— Road, Artarmon. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1938 ; Roy Milton French Prize, 1938.
5478. Bracey, John Eric ; born 1/2/23 ; son of E. Bracey, Esq., Ordnance Avenue, Lithgow. Entered Term I., 1935. I.C., 1938. (J., then R.)
4952. Bradfield, John Edward de Marillac ; born 26/2/21 ; son of Dr. E. V. Bradfield, Belmont, Lake Macquarie. Entered Term I., 1932. G.S.C., 1938 ; Boys' Club Sub-Committee, 1938 ; 3rd XV., 1938. (S.)
5454. Brigden, Frank Rodney ; born 9/11/22 ; son of H. J. Brigden, Esq., Avonleigh, 32 Grosvenor Road, Wahroonga. Entered Term III., 1934.
5806. Briggs, George Stanley Lewis ; born 29/11/21 ; son of Mrs. E. L. Briggs, No. 1, Hillcrest Flats, 74 Fairlight Street, Manly. Entered Term II., 1936. (R.)
5480. Burggraf, Paul Rolf ; born 7/10/22 ; son of Mrs. K. M. Burggraf, Thuringia, 12 Philip Street, Neutral Bay. Entered Term I., 1935. I.C., 1938 ; 2nd XL., 1938.
5292. Burnett, Robert Carter ; born 21/2/22 ; son of W. B. Burnett, Esq., 73 Clanville Road, Roseville. Entered Term I., 1934.
5295. Butler, Sylvester Edward ; born 31/7/20 ; son of S. W. Butler, Esq., Eagle Farm, Mungindi. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938.
5661. Campbell, Peter Andrew Lawrence ; born 30/7/22 ; son of S. T. Campbell, Esq., 12 Chelmsford Road, Lindfield. Entered Term I., 1936.
5116. Carey, Desmond Randall ; born 16/12/22 ; son of R. W. Carey, Esq., Selwyn Street, Wollstonecraft. Entered Term I., 1933.
5828. Carr, James Eshott ; born 30/10/21 ; son of R. L. Carr, Esq., 4 Durham Street, Mayfield. Entered Term I., 1937. L.C., 1938. (H.)
5483. Chapman, Robert Herbert ; born 20/6/22 ; son of Mrs. F. C. Chapman, 1A Murdoch Street, Cremorne. Entered Term I., 1935. I.C., 1937.
5302. Clarkson, John Bowes ; born 28/6/21 ; son of L. B. Clarkson, Esq., 258 Walker Street, North Sydney. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938.
5485. Colwell, Rodney John ; born 19/4/19 ; son of T. E. Colwell, Esq., Winonah, Coonamble. Entered Term I., 1935. Boys' Club Sub-Committee, 1935-6-7 ; Prefect, 1938 ; Vice-Capt. Cricket, 1938 ; C.C., 1937-8. (R.)
5838. Connell, John Ormonde Moors ; born 13/7/21 ; son of Mrs. H. M. Connell, 16 Kinsale, Clanwilliam Street, Willoughby. Entered Term I., 1937. L.C., 1938.
4482. Connor, George Boyd ; born 8/11/19 ; son of G. S. N. Connor, Esq., Forest Road, Peakhurst. Entered Term I., 1929. Prefect, 1937 ; Sports Executive, 1937-8 ; I.C., 1935 ; L.C., 1937-8 ; Brian Pockley Memorial Prize, 1938 ; Capt. of Football, 1938 ; Capt. of Boxing, 1938 ; F.C., 1936-7-8 ; G.P.S. 1st XV., 1938 ; C.C., 1937-8 ; A.C., 1938 ; R.C., 1938 ; Cadet-Lieut., 1938. (J., then R.)
5308. Coward, Arthur Gregson ; born 24/3/22 ; son of A. M. Coward, Esq., 29 Cecil Street, Gordon. Entered Term I., 1934.
5675. Crawford, John David ; born 5/7/21 ; son of D. M. Crawford, Esq., Vaillma, 2 Johnson Street, Chatswood. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938.

4966. Creighton, Ronald Clarence ; born 1/6/22 ; ward of D. Nicholson Esq., 36 Osborne Road, Lane Cove. Entered Term I., 1932. I.C., 1938.
5676. Crook, Philip Paget ; born 10/10/21 ; son of Mrs. M. R. Crook, Karabar, Hanwood, via Griffith. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1938.
4968. Dalley, John Douglas ; born 16/1/20 ; son of W. Dalley, Esq., 9 Bent Street, Lindfield. Entered Term I., 1932. Prefect, 1938 ; I.C., 1935 ; L.C., 1938 ; A.C., 1936-7-8 ; 2nd XV., 1937-8 ; 3rd Crew, 1938 ; Sjt., 1938.
5680. Day, Warren Meridith ; born 13/11/21 ; son of A. T. Day, Esq., 9 The Grove, Mosman. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1936.
4592. Deane, Warwick Allworth ; born 6/10/22 ; son of V. J. Deane, Esq., 41 Dudley Avenue, Roseville. Entered Term I., 1935.
5316. Dent, John Roger Thorburn ; born 25/7/21 ; son of Dr. R. C. Dent Pratten Street, Warwick, Q. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1936 ; 1st XV., 1938 ; Cpl., 1938. (S.)
5317. Day, Philip Alexander ; born 13/6/21 ; son of Dr. Lindsay Dey, 310 Miller Street, North Sydney. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1937. (S.)
4945. Dickson, John Grant ; born 10/1/21 ; son of Dr. J. S. Dickson, 50 Bradley's Head Road, Mosman. Entered Term III., 1931. Sub-Prefect, 1938 ; Debating Sub-Committee, 1938 ; I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1933 ; 3rd XV., 1938 ; Debating Team, 1938.
5125. Digby, Everard ; born 22/7/21 ; son of J. L. Digby, Esq., Rouse Street, Tenterfield. Entered Term I., 1933. Boys' Club Sub-Committee, 1938. (J., then S.)
5319. Dunne, Langton Francis ; born 4/8/24 ; son of L. F. Dunne, Esq., 44 Arabella Street, Longueville. Entered Term I., 1934.
5321. Dyason, Wilton Henry Barker ; born 17/8/21 ; son of H. L. Dyason, Esq., 100 Prince Albert Street, Mosman. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1936.
5994. Easterbrook, John Nicholson ; born 18/7/22 ; son of C. C. Easterbrook, Esq., Royal Military College, Duntroon. Entered Term I., 1938. L.C., 1938. (H.)
5852. Evan-Taylor, Antony ; born 26/4/24 ; son of E. P. Taylor, Esq., Woodlands, Beaconsfield Road, Chatswood. Entered Term I., 1937.
4970. Falk, Keith Louis ; born 23/6/21 ; son of A. Falk, Esq., Dalecarlia, 25 Harrison Street, Neutral Bay. Entered Term I., 1932. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; 3rd XI., 1938 ; 2nd R., 1938.
4828. Farr, Albert Gordon ; born 18/11/21 ; son of A. L. Farr, Esq., Bell Street, Gordon. Entered Term I., 1931. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 (Maths. H2).
4972. Fewtrell, Ralph Douglas ; born 22/1/20 ; son of A. C. Fewtrell, Esq., Telfar, 29 Raymond Road, Neutral Bal. Entered Term I., 1932. I.C., 1936 ; 1st R., 1937 ; Cdt.-Lieut., 1938.
5327. Fraser, Peter Aird ; born 28/5/21 ; son of K. A. Fraser, Esq., 18 Middle Harbour Road, Lindfield. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1936.
6004. Frewin, Robert Wemyss ; born 12/12/22 ; son of N. W. Frewin, Esq., Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney, Dorrigo. Entered Term I., 1938. (H.)
4982. Goswell, John Kenneth ; born 11/4/22 ; son of J. Goswell, Esq., 36 Kenneth Street, Longueville. Entered Term I., 1932. I.C., 1938 ; 2nd XV., 1938.

5516. Gunning, John Phillip; born 21/4/21; son of Dr. A. P. Gunning, Victoria Avenue, Chatswood. Entered Term I., 1935. I.C., 1936; L.C., 1938; German Prize, 1938.
5445. Gunton, Peter Elliot; born 15/6/23; son of J. Gunton, Esq., Kanga, Rawhiti Street, Roseville. Entered Term II., 1934. I.C., 1938.
5710. Harrison, John Mosman; born 26/3/22; son of A. E. Harrison, Esq., 21 Shepherd's Road, Artarmon. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1936.
5711. Heath, Geoffrey Allen; born 10/7/21; son of G. Heath, Esq., Curlewis. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1936; L.C., 1938; Boys' Club Sub-Committee, 1938. (S.)
5338. Henderson, William George; born 19/7/19; son of Dr. W. A. L. Henderson, Cocinoo, Clarinda Street, Parkes. Entered Term I., 1934. Boys' Club Sub-Committee, 1937; Prefect, 1937; I.C., 1935; L.C., 1938; O.B.U. Bursary, 1938; Capt. Athletics, 1937-8; A.C., 1935-6-7-8; F.C., 1938; 2nd XI., 1937-8; Cdt.-Lieut., 1938. (S.)
5712. Hoddle, Gordon Bruce; born 23/8/21; son of G. J. Hoddle, Esq., 4 Chelmsford Avenue, Lindfield. Entered Term I., 1936. L.C., 1937-8.
4849. Horley, Stewart Percy; born 11/10/22; son of P. A. Horley, Esq., 13 Shirley Road, Roseville. Entered Term I., 1931. I.C., 1938.
4851. Howie, Eric Clark; born 30/6/21; son of C. E. Howie, Esq., 33 Nelson Street, Gordon. Entered Term I., 1931. Sub-Prefect, 1938; I.C., 1936; L.C., 1938; 3rd XV., 1938.
5152. Jackson, Henry Hugh; born 12/3/21; son of F. H. Jackson, Esq., Miramar, Napier Street, Drummoyne. Entered Term I., 1933. G.S.C., 1937; I.C., 1937; 3rd Crew, 1936; 2nd R., 1938.
5153. Jackson, William Arnold; born 22/8/20; son of E. L. Jackson, Esq., 2 View Street, Chatswood. Entered Term I., 1933. I.C., 1936.
5000. Jay, Brinley Pearce; born 12/5/19; son of A. H. Jay, Esq., 125 Oaks Avenue, Dee Why. Entered Term I., 1932. Senior Prefect, 1938; L.C., 1938; Brian Pockley Memorial Prize, 1938; Capt. of Boats, 1938; B.C., 1938; 1st XV., 1938; Cdt.-Lieut., 1937.
5158. Jones, William Booth; born 21/1/22; son of A. B. Jones, Esq., 51 Treatts Road, Lindfield. Entered Term I., 1938. 1st T., 1938.
5159. Jordan, Benjamin Rhys; born 19/5/23; son of B. Jordan, Esq., Stanton Road, Mosman. Entered Term I., 1933. (J.: Term I., 1935. S.: Term I., 1936; Term I., 1937.)
4858. Kerr, Graham Lennox Stirling; born 30/6/22; son of G. R. Kerr, Esq., Richardson Street, Osborne Park, Lane Cove. Entered Term I., 1931.
5169. Lloyd, George Alfred; born 15/12/20; son of G. A. Lloyd, Esq., Oliver Road, Roseville. Entered Term I., 1933. I.C., 1936; W.O.2, 1938.
5728. Loane, Owen Lawrence; born 14/1/22; son of K. O. A. Loane, Esq., Springmount, Whitton Road, Chatswood. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1936; L.C., 1938.
5359. Lovejoy, Douglas John; born 20/4/21; son of S. A. Lovejoy, Esq., C/o Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney Ltd., Cowra. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1935; L.C., 1937-8; 2nd XI., 1938; 3rd XV., 1938.

5552. Lyne, Cecil Buist ; born 16/8/22 ; son of Mrs. C. Lyne, 46 Moruben Road, Mosman. Entered Term I., 1935. I.C., 1938. (S. : Term III., 1936.)
5365. MacDiarmid, John Archibald Melrose ; born 4/9/20 ; son of F. M. MacDiarmid, Esq., Burra, Queanbeyan. Entered Term I., 1934. Sub-Prefect, 1938 ; 2nd XI., 1937-8 ; 3rd XV., 1938 ; W.O.2, 1938. (S. : Term I., 1935-1938.)
5556. Mackinnon, Charles Earl Oram ; born 18/3/21 ; son of Mrs. E. M. Mackinnon, Corry, Trangie. Entered Term I., 1935. I.C., 1937. (R.)
5807. Mailey, Norman Henry Charles ; born 10/11/22 ; son of A. Mailey, Esq., Mulwaree, 27 Nelson Street, Gordon. Entered Term II., 1936.
5370. Marshall, Joseph Hamilton ; born 7/5/21 ; son of A. O. Marshall, Esq., Bank of N.S.W., Moss Vale. Entered Term I., 1934. Boys' Club Sub-Committee, 1937 ; Prefect, 1938 ; I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; B.C., 1938 ; F.C., 1938 ; Sjt., 1937.
5734. Martin, Ronald ; born 24/5/23 ; son of Mrs. W. Martin, Swastika, Trundle. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1938.
5174. Massie, John Holtham Hamon ; born 18/3/20 ; son of R. J. A. Massie, Esq., 2 Holt Street, Edgecliff. Entered Term I., 1933. Prefect, 1938 ; I.C., 1935 ; L.C., 1938 ; 1st T., 1938 ; 3rd XI., 1938. (R.)
5740. McDowell, Wilfrid Phillip ; born 21/10/22 ; son of F. S. McDowell, Esq., 9 View Street, Chatswood. Entered Term I., 1936.
5564. McMaster, John Leslie ; born 8/6/21 ; son of L. J. McMaster, Binnia Downs, Coolah. Entered Term I., 1935. Boys' Club Sub-Committee, 1938. (S.)
5563. McNab, Paul Nicholson Murdoch ; born 9/12/20 ; son of L. M. McNab, Esq., Kyle, 43 Greengate Road, Killara. Entered Term I., 1935. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; Cpl., 1938. (S. : Day-boy, Term I., 1936-8.)
5567. Meyninck, John Livingstone ; born 26/5/21 ; son of H. R. Meyninck, Esq., 31 Telegraph Road, Pymble. Entered Term I., 1935.
5748. Moore, Hugh John ; born 14/8/21 ; son of H. T. Moore, Esq., 162 Crebert Street, Mayfield. Entered Term I., 1936. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938. History Prize, 1938 ; 1st T., 1938. (S.)
5572. Munro, Keith ; born 11/4/22 ; son of D. C. Munro, Esq., Gareelároi, Moree. Entered Term I., 1935.
5385. Nathan, Frank ; born 8/9/20 ; son of E. Nathan, Esq., 29 West Street, Manly. Entered Term I., 1934. G.S.C., 1936 ; I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; A.C., 1938 ; F.C., 1937-8 ; Cpl., 1938.
5079. Needham, Robert Edward ; born 8/9/21 ; son of R. Needham, Esq., 54 Shirley Road, Roseville. Entered Term II., 1932.
5902. Otton, Alan Keith ; born 21/10/20 ; son of V. K. Otton, Esq., 65 Sydney Street, Chatswood. Entered Term I., 1937. L.C., 1938.
5390. Parsonson, Alan Corrie ; born 21/6/20 ; son of A. R. Parsonson, Esq., 37 Roseville Avenue, Roseville. Entered Term I., 1934. 2nd R., 1938.
5907. Pedlingham, Perc Charles ; born 29/5/22 ; son of R. A. Pedlingham, Esq., 35 Cowles Road, Mosman. Entered Term I., 1937. I.C., 1938 ; 3rd XV., 1938.
5391. Penn, Laurence Edward ; born 26/12/22 ; ward of K. Bayley, Esq., 321 Miller Street, North Sydney. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1938.

5392. Perry, Eric Harry ; born 28/7/23 ; son of H. J. Perry, Esq., 31 Benelong Road. Entered Term I, 1934. I.C., 1938.
5760. Pincombe, Philip Sydney ; born 9/6/22 ; son of Mrs. V. Pincombe, 48 Hunter Street, Sydney. Entered Term I, 1936. I.C., 1938. (R.)
5395. Plackett, Frank ; born 23/9/21 ; son of F. Plackett, Esq., West Wyalong. Entered Term I, 1934. (J., then S.)
4572. Potter, David Edgar ; born 1/10/20 ; son of Rev. Edgar Potter, Rhodes Avenue, Naremburn. Entered Term I, 1929. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938.
5761. Powell, Henry Charles Richard ; born 18/4/23 ; son of Mrs. C. E. L. Powell, 3 Oberon Crescent, Gordon. Entered Term I, 1936.
5199. Pritchett, William Beale ; born 30/1/21 ; son of A. B. Pritchett, Esq., 11 Moruben Avenue, Mosman. Entered Term I, 1933. Prefect, 1938 ; Debating Sub-Committee, 1938 ; I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; J. S. Wilson Prize, 1938 ; 9rd XV., 1938 ; Debating Team ; Laurence Campbell Trophy, 1938.
5763. Raymond, Lysle Holdsworth ; born 21/6/21 ; son of L. L. Raymond, Esq., 28 Lueretia Avenue, Longueville. Entered Term L.C., 1937-8 (Maths. H1, Physics H2) ; Harold Dean Memorial Prize, 1938 ; H. S. Reid Memorial Prize, 1938 ; A. H. Wade Memorial Prize, 1938.
5583. Richardson, Peter Charles ; born 2/2/20 ; son of W. R. Richardson, Esq., Chalfont, Coleridge Road, Pymble. Entered Term I, 1935. Prefect, 1937 ; I.C., 1935 ; L.C., 1938 ; C.C., 1937 ; 1st XV., 1938 ; Cdt.-Lieut., 1938.
5401. Robertson, David Graham ; born 8/7/21 ; son of D. W. Robertson, Esq., 27 Stanton Road, Mosman. Entered Term I, 1934. Sub-Prefect, 1938 ; I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; R.C., 1938 ; Sjt., 1938.
5585. Rogers, Richard R. ; born 11/3/22 ; son of W. J. Rogers, Esq., Lochinvar, 12 Bradley's Head Road, Mosman. Entered Term I, 1935. I.C., 1936 ; L.C., 1938 ; 2nd XI., 1938. (R. : Term II, 1935-1938.)
5915. Rothwell, John Mailland ; born 22/8/23 ; son of Mrs. G. Rothwell, 134 Pittwater Road, Manly. Entered Term I, 1937. I.C., 1938.
5918. Sangster, Jefferson Sidney ; born 27/2/23 ; son of Mrs. M. Sangster, 20 Wolseley Street, Drummoyne. Entered Term I, 1937.
6073. Serisier, Patrick Bayliss ; born 11/10/22 ; son of Mrs. I. Serisier, The Gonyah, Hall Street, Gilgandra. Entered Term I, 1938. (R.)
5214. Shiels, Eric James ; born 16/9/21 ; son of A. J. Shiels, Esq., Braeside, Wattle Street, Killara. Entered Term I, 1933. I.C., 1938.
5593. Small, Norman Alfrid ; born 20/8/25 ; son of Mrs. G. M. S. Small, Kintare Street, Wahroonga. Entered Term I, 1935 ; left Term III, 1935 ; re-entered Term II, 1936.
5409. Smith, Neville Charles ; born 2/5/22 ; son of R. D. Smith, Esq., 28 Stuart Street, Longueville. Entered Term I, 1934.
5218. Smith, Roderic John Halliday ; born 28/2/21 ; son of H. Smith, Esq., Commercial Banking Co. Ltd. of Sydney, Pitt and Bathurst Streets, Sydney. Entered Term I, 1933. 3rd XV., 1938. (R. : Term III, 1933-1935.)
5776. Spreat, David Ashworth ; born 19/4/22 ; son of C. A. Spreat, Esq., 3 Godfrey Street, Artarmon. Entered Term I, 1936.

5595. Standing, Gordon; Prenton; born 23/2/21; son of Mrs. J. Standing, Green Park Hotel, Victoria Street, Darlinghurst. Entered Term I., 1935. I.C., 1936; L.C., 1938. (S.)
5412. Stanton-Cook, Peter Allan; born 25/10/20; son of O. Stanton-Cook, Esq., 108 Middle Harbour Road, Lindfield. Entered Term I., 1934. I.C., 1936; L.C., 1938.
5782. Stiffe, Ross Edward; born 4/6/20; son of W. J. Stiffe, Esq., Bruff, 31 Summer Street, Orange. Entered Term I., 1936. Prefect, 1938; L.C., 1938; F.C., 1938; W.O.2, 1938. (S.)
5233. Tindal, Richard Travers; born 18/6/22; son of Mrs. G. C. Tindal, Gattendon, Seelands, Grafton. Entered Term I., 1933. 1st R., 1938. (J., then R.)
5605. Tyson, Reginald Gordon; born 15/12/22; ward of Mrs. A. E. Clews, C/o Union Trustee Co. of Australia Ltd., O'Connell Street, Sydney. Entered Term I., 1935. I.C., 1938.
5263. Wallace, Scott Kennedy-Lewis; born 12/10/22; son of W. L. Wallace, Esq., 8 Marshall Avenue, Wollstonecraft. Entered Term II., 1933.
5793. Wearne, John Frederick; born 26/3/20; son of Mrs. C. H. Wearne, 68 William Edward Street, Longueville. Entered Term I., 1936. 2nd Prefect, 1938; L.C., 1937-8; O.B.U. Bursary, 1938; A.C., 1936-7-8; C.C., 1936-7-8; Capt. of Cricket, 1937-8; Capt. of Tennis, 1938; 1st T., 1937-8.
5945. Whittle, Bruce; born 12/8/22; son of C. E. Whittle, Esq., Wyalla, Mitchell Road, Mosman. Entered Term I., 1937. L.C., 1938 (Physics H1, Maths. H1); Burke Prize; United Services Prize; Physics Prize, 1938.
5244. Willsford, Philip Christian; born 11/3/19; son of C. Willsford, Esq., 37 Arnold Street, Killara. Entered Term I., 1933. Prefect, 1938; I.C., 1935; L.C., 1938; A.C., 1938; 2nd Crew, 1938; Cdt.-Lieut., 1938.
5246. Woodward, William Winslow; born 14/10/20; son of Dr. E. W. Woodward, Grafton. Entered Term I., 1933. Prefect, 1938; I.C., 1935; A. B. S. White Scholarship, 1938; L.C., 1937-8 (English H1, Latin H2, Greek H2); War Memorial Prize, P. J. Sharp Memorial Prize, Charlton Prize, David Mahlon Cowlshaw Prize and Greek Prize, 1938; B.C., 1938; F.C., 1938; 2nd R., 1938; Cdt.-Lieut., 1937. (S.)
5622. Wotton, Robert John Goldie; born 21/5/21; son of V. Wotton, Esq., 126 Spencer Road, Cremorne. Entered Term I., 1935. G.S.C., 1937; I.C., 1936; L.C., 1938; B.C., 1937-8; F.C., 1938; L/Sjt., 1938.
5247. Yuill, Colin Keith; born 27/3/20; son of W. K. Yuill, 3 Karranga Avenue, Killara. Entered Term I., 1933. I.C., 1935; L.C., 1937-8; 3rd XV., 1938.
5248. Yuill, Gordon John Ford; born 12/4/18; son of D. F. Yuill, Esq., 4 Lynwood Avenue, Killara. Entered Term I., 1933. Prefect, 1938; I.C., 1935; L.C., 1937-8; A.C., 1937-8; 2nd XV., 1938; W.O.2, 1938.
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KALENDAR—TERM II., 1939.

JUNE.

6 Tu.	Term begins.	19 M.	
7 W.		20 Tu.	
8 Th.		21 W.	
9 F.		22 Th.	
10 S.	v. C.B.C. (N.)	23 F.	
11 S.	St. Barnabas. 1st Sunday after Trinity.	24 S.	St. John Baptist. v. S.I.C. (A.)
12 M.		25 S.	3rd Sunday after Trinity.
13 Tu.		26 M.	
14 W.		27 Tu.	
15 Th.		28 W.	
16 F.		29 Th.	St. Peter.
17 S.	v. T.K.S. (A.)	30 F.	
18 S.	2nd Sunday after Trinity.		

JULY.

1 S.	v. S.G.S. (N.) (Comp.)	17 M.	
2 S.	4th Sunday after Trinity.	18 Tu.	
3 M.		19 W.	
4 Tu.		20 Th.	
5 W.		21 F.	
6 Th.		22 S.	v. T.K.S. (N.) (Comp.)
7 F.		23 S.	7th Sunday after Trinity.
8 S.	v. N.C. (A.) (Comp.)	24 M.	
9 S.	5th Sunday after Trinity.	25 Tu.	St. James.
10 M.		26 W.	
11 Tu.		27 Th.	
12 W.		28 F.	
13 Th.		29 S.	v. S.J.C. (N.) (Comp.)
14 F.		30 S.	8th Sunday after Trinity.
15 S.	v. T.S.C. (A.) (Comp.)	31 M.	
16 S.	6th Sunday after Trinity.		

AUGUST.

1 Tu.		17 Th.	
2 W.		18 F.	
3 Th.		19 S.	
4 F.		20 S.	11th Sunday after Trinity.
5 S.	v. S.I.C. (A.) (Comp.)	21 M.	
6 S.	9th Sunday after Trinity.	22 Tu.	
7 M.		23 W.	
8 Tu.		24 Th.	St. Bartholomew.
9 W.		25 F.	
10 Th.		26 S.	Athletic Sports. (N.)
11 F.		27 S.	12th Sunday after Trinity.
12 S.	v. S.H.S. (N.) (Comp.)	28 M.	
13 S.	10th Sunday after Trinity.	29 Tu.	
14 M.		30 W.	
15 Tu.		31 Th.	
16 W.			

SEPTEMBER.

1 F. Term ends.

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May 4, 1939.

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