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School Office Bearers



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House Prefects: A. G. Rosser, V. M. Shallcross, W. M. Loton, B. Waldeck, T. H. A. Draper, E. Sanders.

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Football, A. H. Christian.
Rowing, A. G. Rosser.
Swimming, E. H. Blackman.
Shooting, V. M. Shallcross.

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Camera Club: C. Burgess (sec.), H. R. Trenaman (treasurer); Committee, G. Gwynne, A. Curlewis, J. Witty, K. McGibbon, R. Officer.

Cadets: Capt. J. Roydhouse, M.C., Lieut. G. Thiel, Lieut. R. A. Cadd, Corp. A. G. Rosser.



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EDITORIAL.

THE year 1921 was one of a "golden age," in the history of the School. Without boasting it can be stated that in both the Athletic and Scholastic world the results were more than favourable in comparison with other schools. The gaining of two exhibitions in the one year was a worthy feature, and a sure indication of improvement.

This year it appeared as though the building up of efficiency in the sporting direction would have to be recommenced, so depleted were our senior ranks. So far the swimming and cricket have been up to last year's standard, and it is a part of the duty of Old Boys, no less than of the present scholars, to see that this success continues.

Many things stand to the credit of the Old Boys individually and generally—the greatest of all, without doubt, the completion of the War Memorial Wing, but now that we have come through the aftermath of the war we feel that there is a stronger call than even before for greater co-operation on the part of every Old Boy and supporter of the School.

There is such a healthy keenness in the School at present that has never been felt before, and we want that same essence of eagerness to spread to the Old Boys and friends around us.

During the past few years the growth of the School has been wonderful. Only a few days ago a prominent Old Boy remarked that he was most surprised and delighted when he saw the change that had been wrought in numbers and success since he had left to serve in the war. Such would be the opinion of many who have been long absent, and all past students when visiting Perth from the country should endeavour to

visit the School, and see it for themselves in full working swing. Then they would realise what a difference an efficient staff and firm support from Old Boys can make in such an institution.

This term has passed rapidly, and once more the examinations appear like a desert before us, with here and there in the back-ground a vague picture of a green oasis of holidays. However, before either of these events occur there is the race for "Head of the River," and as we go to press it is with the welcome news that our crew is in good form. May the best of success be theirs.

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1922.

Monday, 1st May.—11 a.m., Boat Race.

Tuesday, 9th May.—Proclamation Day.

Friday, 12th May.—First Term Ends.

Wednesday, 24th May.—Empire Day.

Tuesday, 30th May.—Second Term Begins.

Wednesday, 21st June.—Football Season opens. School v. C.E.G.S., at Loton Park.

Wednesday, 28th June.—School v. Scotch College, at Subiaco.

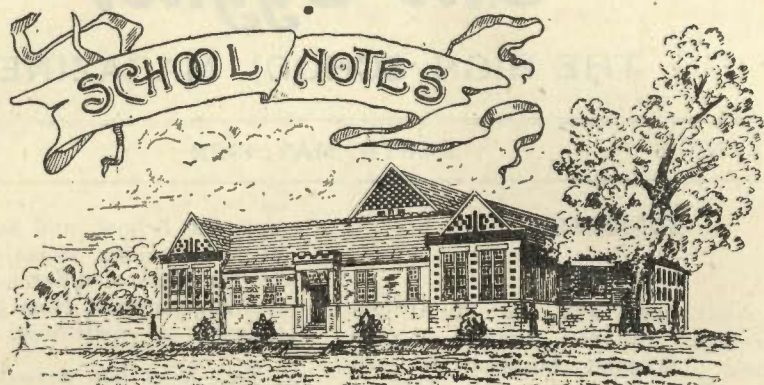
Wednesday, 5th July.—School v. C.B.C., at W.A.C.A. End of 1st Round. Prefects Ball.

Wednesday, 26th July.—School v. C.E.G.S., at Subiaco.

Wednesday, 2nd August.—School v. S.C., at Claremont.

Wednesday, 9th August.—School v. C.B.C., at Subiaco.

Saturday, 21st October.—Athletic Sports, W.A.C.A.



OWING to the lateness of the University examinations last year it was decided to hold over till the following term the second number of the "Cygnet." We hope to have our next number out by the time of the inter-school sports.

Heartiest congratulations to J. S. Battye, Esq., chairman of the Board of Governors, on his being the recipient of the degree of LL.D. from the University of Melbourne.

And also to another governor of the school, Dr. A. J. Saw, on his appointment as Consulting Surgeon to the Perth Public Hospital.

Remembering the seriousness of his recent illness, it was with much relief and pleasure that we noticed that Mr. E. W. Loton was able to witness this term's Darlot Cup matches.

On the eve of his marriage our sports master, Mr. J. Roydhouse, was made the presentation of a silver fruit stand as a token of good fellowship by the headmaster on behalf of the members of the staff.

We wish Mr. and Mrs. Roydhouse every happiness in their initial home, which is pleasantly situated in Mount Lawley.

Mr. J. A. Campbell has taken over the responsibilities of house-master.

We extend a hearty welcome to Mr. Brown, who joined us at the opening of the first term this year as resident master. For the past few years Mr. Brown has been on

Mr. S. Noake's staff at Christ Church School, Claremont.

The school register shows a total strength of 345 this term.

The presentation of University certificates gained in the 1921 exams. took place in the Assembly Hall soon after school re-opened.

To the members of last year's Rifle Team Miniature Pennants, worked in the school colours, were presented on the same occasion by the headmaster on behalf of the Old Boys' Association.

Early in September last year Mr. A. Moffat, President of the W.A. Football League, accompanied by Mr. W. Orr, secretary, visited the school. During an assembly he complimented the School XVIII. on their achievement of premier-ship honours and in recognition of which he presented the school with a monster pennant on behalf of the League.

The first pennant presented by the League was won by Christian Brothers' College 1920 XVIII.

The presentation of trophies won at the swimming carnivals held earlier in the term took place on Thursday in the week before Easter. The neat array of prizes showing a wonderful variety of choice made a conspicuous display on the rostrum of the Assembly Hall. Mr. T. A. L. Davy, an Old Boy and Governor of the School, was present and officiated in the presentation, after which he paid a warm tribute to the

splendid all-round progress achieved by the school of to-day. Lusty cheers were given for Messrs. Clarke and Roydhouse, who had ungrudgingly given up so much of their private time to the boys in their recreations.

On the 13th of March last we were honoured by a visit from Mr. Walter Gale, who comes from a very well-known and old West Australian family. He must still bear in mind visions of his own boyhood, for the only way that Mr. Wilson could prevail upon him to come was by promising that the school should be let off an hour before time in the afternoon. We were indeed fortunate in receiving a visit from Mr. Gale for, holding a very responsible position in the Government, he has very little spare time. Monday was a sweltering hot day and when Mr. Gale arrived speculation was rife as to the prospects of getting a half-holiday. But Mr. Gale was quite as pleased to see the school as the school was glad to see him, for he has many and strong ties to the school. An assembly was called and Mr. Wilson, in mentioning a few things about Mr. Gale's career, said that Mr. Gale had spent his school days at the High School and had afterwards gone to Exeter College at Oxford. After taking his degree he came out to the state once again and came back to the old school as a master. Mr. Wilson stressed the fact that Mr. Gale's days as a school boy were far different and infinitely more pleasant than his period as a master. In replying, Mr. Gale congratulated the boys on having a headmaster such as Mr. Wilson and remarked that our gain was Melbourne Grammar School's much regretted loss.

The magazine committee of 1921 deserve our heartiest appreciations for all the splendid effort they put into their work to make their last so decidedly a successful number. We wish them all personally, J. E. Virtue, M. D. Easton, J. Curlewis, H. Norman, E. Bird, G. Mann, G. Campbell and I. Anderson, every success in their various careers.

For records and reference purposes we still require the following back numbers of the "Cygnet": All the numbers of Volume I; No. 7 of volume II; Nos. 4 and 7 of

volume IV; No. 5 of volume V. to complete our collection of all the "Cygnet" that have been published.

When complete this collection will be bound and kept for reference in the Headmaster's study at School. Thanks to R. C. Dickson, A. M. P. Montgomery and M. D. Easton we have made considerable progress towards the achievement of this object since last going to press. Old Boys who can aid by supplying any of the above required numbers are asked to forward them to the assistant secretary (who has this matter in hand) of the Old Boys' Association, c/o the School.

To E. W. Loton, Esq., Messrs. Nathan and Thiel we are much indebted for the whole-hearted interest and support that they have constantly shown towards the School Eleven.

We acknowledge with warm appreciation the receipt of some valuable hints on high-jumping and hurdling from Mr. Herley, of Cunderdin.

It is most pleasing to note that the Junior Old Boys' Association is showing more and more a stimulating keenness to take an active part in supporting the School in its various branches of athletics. Our appreciation is whole-hearted.

Any Old Boy who feels called to perform a lasting tribute to an Old Boy fallen during the war by writing up a short biographical sketch is sincerely invited to forward the MSS, with a photo if possible, for publication in these columns.

VALETE.

GILBERT L. MANN.—Entered 1915; Junior; 1919; Leaving, 1919 and 1920; Prefect, 1919; Running, 1918 to 1921; Football XVIII. 1918-21; Swimming Team, 1918-21; First Reserve Crew, 1921; Life Saving Team, 1919; Captain Running Team, 1920-21; Champion Athlete, 1919 and 1920; Captain Football Team, 1921; Captain Swimming Team, 1920 and 1921; Captain of School, 1921.

"Gil" was one of the best sports and all-round good fellows that the School has ever had. He was the sort of chap you couldn't

help liking, and among the "kids" he was a regular tin god. He was not a brilliant scholar, but his iron will and grit pulled him through. In sport he is seen at his best in the running and football fields, and the way he used to "buck in" in the Cup matches was really good to watch—determination again. His rowing was distinctly good, and except for his misfortune in meeting a slightly better oar he would have represented the School in this branch. Although now departed, his influence in the School will be long felt, as he set a high standard in which we will do our best to maintain. We wish him good luck at the "Shop."

GEOFFREY H. THIEL.—Entered 1913; Junior, 1919; Leaving, 1921; Prefect, 1920; Running, 1917-1918; Cricket XI. 1919 to 1921; Football, 1920-1921; Captain Cricket XI. 1921; Head of Boarding House, 1920 and 1921.

For years Geoff. or, as he was more commonly called, "Duck," filled a useful place in School functions and life. Hailing from the country, his physique and admirable determination made him most adaptable to all kinds of sport. At different times his appearance in running, cricket and football teams made him a familiar figure to the other schools. Undoubtedly his chief success was in the world of cricket. For two years he led the School team with marked ability, and it will be years before School comrades forget his really brilliant batting in November, 1920. No matter how tired he himself might be he always played his hardest and also kept the other team members on the alert. Usually a boy of quiet ways, he had a great fund of humour, and made himself most popular in the social aspect of the School. Always ready to take part in a joke, he never permitted himself to forget that as a leading boy and prefect his conduct should be a model for the large crowd of youngsters who admired and respected him so highly. Now that he has gone into the world we all wish him the best of success with the firm conviction that he is worthy of it.

HUGH B. NORMAN.—Entered, 1915; Junior, 1919; Prefect, 1920; Running, 1916 to 1921; Crew, 1920 and 1921; Shoot-

ing VIII. 1919 and 1921; "Cygnet" Committee, 1920-21.

Hughie was a favourite with everyone from the time he entered school as a 'kid.' Always outspoken and not afraid of getting into a scrape, he was ever a sportsman. Some are inclined to think Hughie too Blase, but one has to go camping with him to know him properly. Hughie also seemed to have an uncanny knack of never seeming untidy, no matter where he was. He even looked quite serene after a fall into the Helena River.

FRANK E. MONEY.—Entered 1918; Junior, 1919; Leaving, 1921; Prefect, 1920; Cricket, 1920-21; Football, 1920 and 1921; Reserve Shooting VIII. 1921.

Golden "Ducats" basked in the sunshine of popularity that always justly bedazzles the all-round sportsman. Frank also had a sneaking regard for dances, and when he once started off fox-trotting time was of no account. He dabbled in boxing and rowing, but he seemed in his element roughing it at half-back. His faith was unshaken in the belief that no work was done on the first day after the holidays. Consequently he stayed away for the first week. We wish him the best of success at Roseworthy, where he is now continuing his studies.

CONRAD L. D. CHASE.—Entered 1913; Junior, 1920; Prefect, 1920-21; Running Team, 1915 to 1921; Swimming, 1920 and 1921; Shooting VIII. 1921; passed examination for Duntroon College, 1921.

"Con" was one of the principal and most popular of the really old identities. His pet little idiosyncrasy was wearing a super-annuated sombrero which had lost its first bloom of stiffness on the reefs at Rottnest.

Con. was a yachtsman who was a terror to run things down, especially when he had light cargoes aboard. He favoured extended camping holidays at Rottnest.

JOHN H. BROADHURST.—Entered 1916; Junior, 1920; Running Team, 1919 to 1921; Champion Athlete, 1921; Crew, 1921; Football XVIII. 1920-1921. Prefect, 1921.

Everyone liked "Wopper" and his smile. This smile was usually prevalent, except when he was having "forty winks" (which

was quite often), and when he was in one of his tearing rages (which is also quite often, worse luck). Although he developed a disinclination for brain fag, "Wop" made up for it in sport. His feats in running and football will be remembered for many a day. "Broadie" thinks himself shy, but no one else does. You never saw such a chap for dances. We wish him good luck in his business career and hope he will be a brilliant light in the South Fremantle football team with which he is practising.

RAYMOND N. COCKBURN.—Entered 1918; Junior, 1919; Matriculated, 1922; Prefect, 1921; Football, 1919-20-21 and vice-captain, 1921; Running Team, 1919-20-21.

"Coey" was another chap with a perpetual and fascinating grin. This proved so captivating that he was liked by masters and boys alike. Without his personality the VI. Form would have been rather dull. His wonderful marking and "catherine wheels" at footer will long be remembered. But "Coey's" better qualities are brought to the fore by the determined way in which he set about training for the Hurdles, and by the glorious achievement of his ambitions in the last Inter-School Hurdles.

JOHN B. CURLEWIS.—Entered 1913; Junior, 1918; Leaving, 1921; Running, 1917 to 1920; Football XVIII. 1920 and 1921; Cricket XI. 1921; Swimming, 1919 and 1920; Life-Saving, 1920; "Cygnet" Committee, 1921.

Perhaps Jack was best known to us on the football field. Some of his brilliant marking and goal kicking of last season won all-round enthusiasm. At the same time Jack was an intrepid yachtsman, always keen on negotiating perilous passages and sounds under head winds. We hear that Jack will be situated in Adelaide for the next few months. We are inclined to think that he will rather miss the splendid view from his old home in the Observatory.

MAURICE D. EASTON.—Entered 1913; Junior, 1919; Matric. 1921; Prefect, 1920; Athletics, 1914-17; "Cygnet" Committee, 1920-21.

"Skeet" had a longer stay at School than

most of us; simply could not make up his mind to leave. Well is he remembered by everyone on account of his rare good humour. Until lately a misogynist, he has suddenly blossomed out and developed quite a lively interest in the screen and morning tea. As secretary and Arts Editor on the School Magazine staff, Maurice displayed a fund of originality and a distinct artistic taste.

PHILLIP A. HENRIQUES.—Entered 1913; Cox of Crew, 1917 to 1921; Football, 1921; Life Saving, 1920.

"Squeaker" was in his best photographic mood when running about down town on some "extremely urgent official business" stunt or other. These rapid self-transit trips were periodical outbreaks. As a conversational terror of the melo-dramatic type he was said to be unrivalled. Five times cox to the School, "Squeak" talked us to Head of the Swan twice, in 1918 and 1919. This is surely a record. The Junior O.B.A. will find in our friend a Kimberley of enthusiasm and earnestness.

KEITH C. BROWN.—Entered 1915; Junior, 1919; Matric. 1920; Prefect, 1920; Running, 1920 and '21; Football, 1920 and '21; "Cygnet" Committee, 1921.

"Old Pie" and his inseparable smile were old familiar identities of the School. "Pie's" greeting was always a gloom-dispeller. We will long remember him on the football oval and the weary four-lap track. By those who knew him intimately he was regarded as a photographic experimenter of considerable originality and daring. "How 'Pie' snapped H.R.H. the Prince of Wales" is a tale waiting to give immediate and lasting fame to any would-be author who cares to apply for details. "Pie's" first venture on Life's Highway has taken him away into fields of golden grain, located somewhere out from Geraldton.

LLOYD A. LOTON.—Entered 1916; Cricket XI. 1919-21; Football XVIII. 1920-21; Athletics, 1921; Prefect, 1921.

Coming from a cricket family, "Dad" took to the game as a duck to water. Developing a prodigious blocking habit, he was always a trial and bete noir to the bowler and a slow scorer, but nevertheless

invaluable to the Eleven. At football he was inclined rather to terrorise his opponents rather than play the ball. He was unfortunate in sustaining injury to a leg and an arm which put him out of action during the main part of the football season. During his final year "Dad" surprised us by showing himself a dark horse on the hundred yards track.

MAX HALBERT.—Entered 1919; Football, 1921; Athletic Team, 1921; House Prefect, 1921; Commercial Junior, 1921.

Unfortunately Max did not stay at School as long as we should have liked, but while he was there he made a name for himself. He was extremely popular with everyone partly on account of his good nature and partly on account of his sporting capabilities. Without Max on the back line, the story of the 1921 XVIII. might have been very different. He jumped superbly in the Inters. When last we heard from him he had just had a ripping time, being deposited on a barbed-wire fence by an unbroken pony.

IAN W. ANDERSON.—Entered 1919; Junior, 1919; Leaving, 1920-1921; Classical Exhibition, 1920; Prefect, 1921; "Cygnet" Committee, 1921.

JOHN E. VIRTUE.—Entered 1918; Junior, 1918; Matriculation, 1919; Leaving, 1920 and 1921; Exhibition, 1921; Prefect, 1921; "Cygnet" Editor, 1921.

ERIC M. TYMMS.—Entered 1915; Junior, 1918; Matriculation, 1920; Leaving, 1921; Prefect, 1922.

ERIC P. BIRD.—Entered 1914; Junior, 1918; Matriculation, 1920; Leaving, 1921; "Cygnet" Committee, 1921.

NORMAN E. LEWIS.—Entered 1919; Junior, 1920; Matriculation, 1921.

HAROLD S. JOHNSON.—Entered, 1919; Football, 1921; Cricket, 1921.

NOEL DRUMMOND.—Entered, 1916; Football, 1921.

GEORGE J. CAMPBELL.—Entered, 1917; Junior, 1919; Matriculation, 1920; "Cygnet" Committee, 1921.

WILLIAM T. THORNTON.—Entered, 1919; Junior, 1919; Leaving, 1921.

JOHN L. GROVE.—Entered, 1920; Matriculation, 1920; Leaving, 1920.

ALFRED BOAS.—Entered, 1919; Football, 1921.

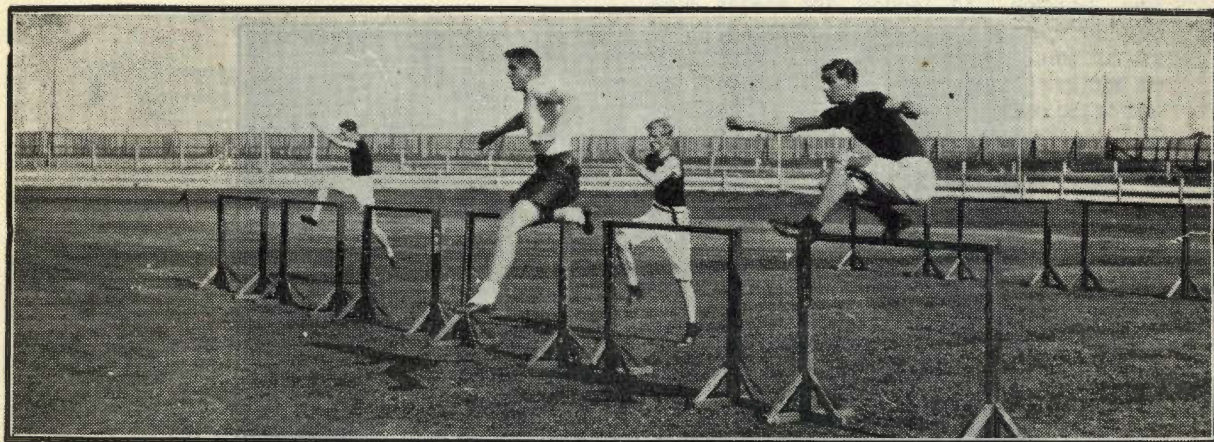
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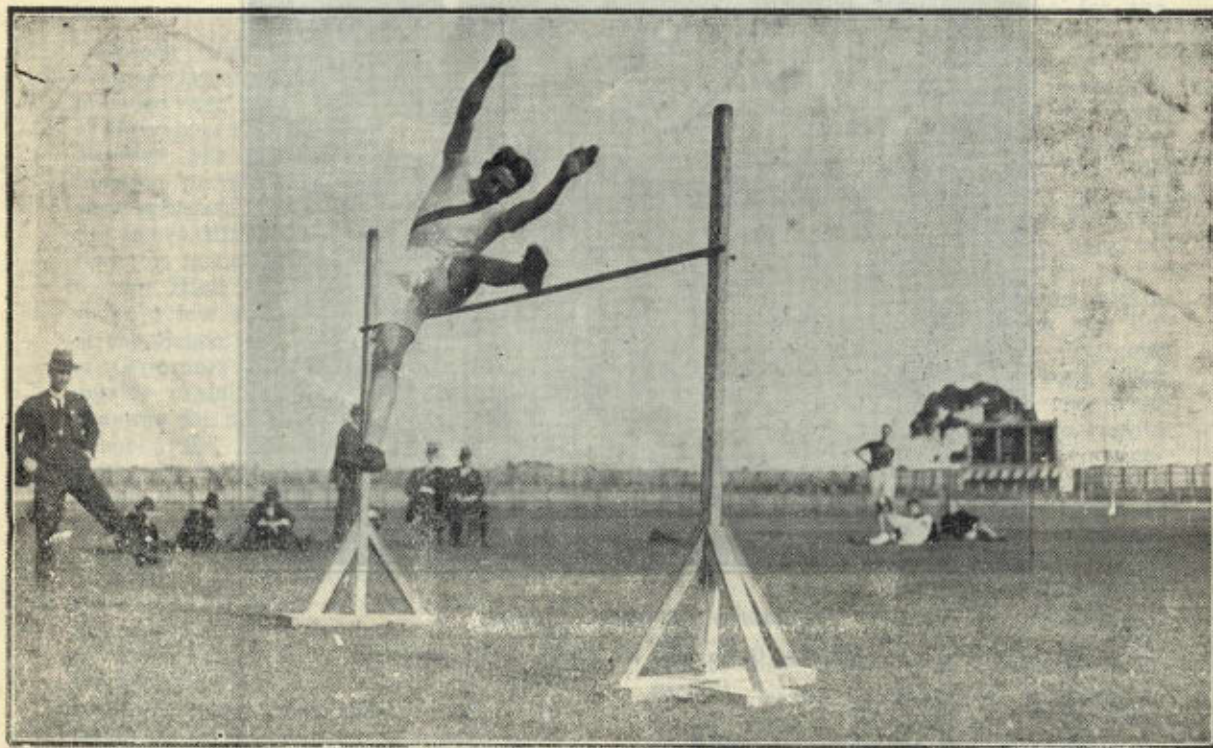
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LIFE SAVING TEAM

Inter-School Sports, 1921



H. Norman winning First Heat Hurdles.

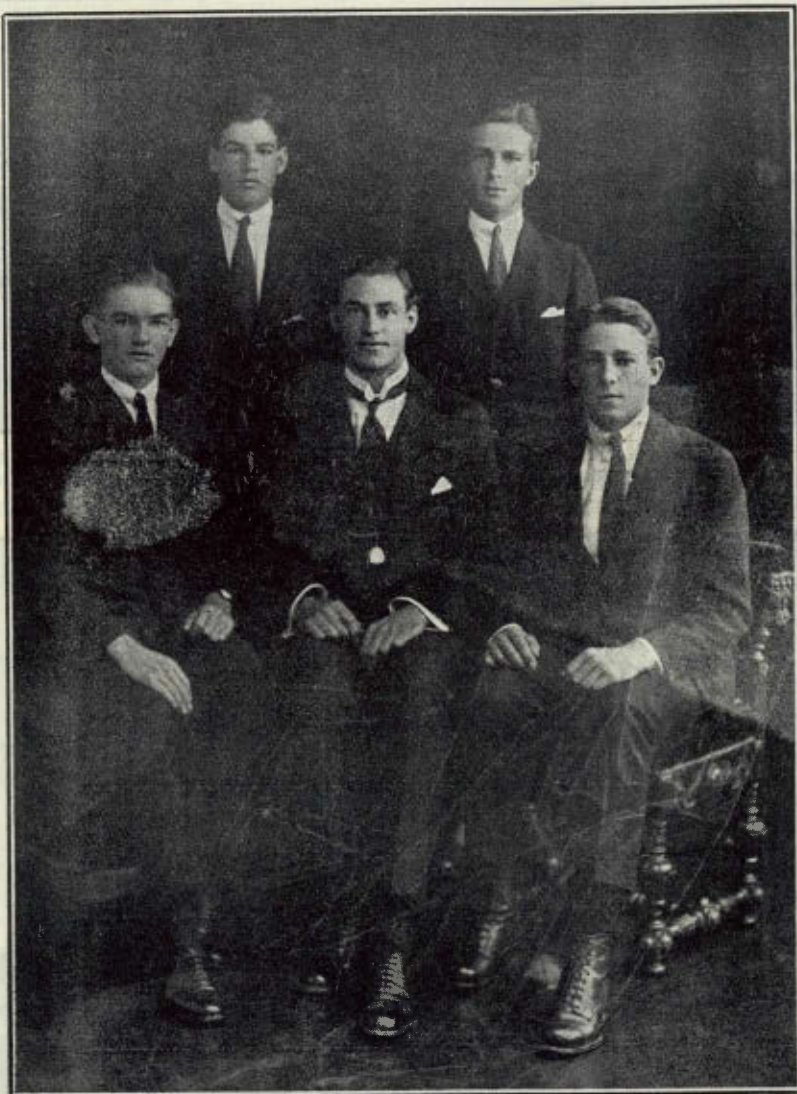


T. Hantke in the High Jump (under 16)

Blocks "Sunday Times"

LIFE SAVING TEAM

Runners-Up 1922.



Standing — R. Officer, J. Russell

Sitting — G. Gwynne, Mr. Clarke, T. Hantke

DRILL DISPLAY AND SPEECH NIGHT, 1921.

THE annual Drill Display took place on Tuesday evening, December 13th.

The lawn in front of the school was lighted with arc lamps, so that the 1,200 people present were all able to see the different gymnastic exercises and Swedish drill with advantage. The display was under the able supervision of Mr. J. Wells, to whose efforts during the year the all-round excellence of the performance was due.

On the previous Saturday and Monday the Assembly Hall was well filled with a crowd who watched the semi-finals and finals of the boxing competition. Dr. Kenny acted as referee, and expressed himself delighted with the fine exhibitions of boxing, which reflected credit on the instructor, Mr. Parker, professionally known as "Snow" Corbett.

Speech Night was held on Wednesday evening, December 14th. A large crowd was presided over by the chairman of the Board of Governors (Mr. J. S. Battye). Sir James Mitchell was present, and altogether the function provided an excellent finish to a very successful year. Mr. Battye welcomed Sir James Mitchell, and expressed the hope that this would be but the first of many visits to the High School. The chairman then spoke a few words about the rapid growth of the School in recent years. The Board of Governors had seen fit to appoint an outside examiner, Mr. G. Irving, M.A., to examine the middle and lower forms of the School. Mr. Irving had spent about eight weeks in observing the methods of the staff, taking classes himself at times, and supervising the examination work at the end of the term. His report had been most comprehensive, and it disclosed a very healthy state in the position of that portion of the School from which the future leaders were to come. Mr. Battye concluded by congratulating the Headmaster and staff on the excellent work being done in all departments of the School, and predicted a very bright future for the School generally.

After distributing the prizes, Sir James Mitchell spoke to the boys at some length

and with a cheery and kindly optimism. He congratulated them on the long and honourable career the School had enjoyed, and pointed to the number of leaders in the State who owed their early training to its influence. Although he, himself, was not an old boy, his sons had been, and he therefore felt a keen interest in the School. In addition there was the fact that as the oldest secondary school in the State, it formed a close link with the people of those old pioneering days, which offered many difficulties, undreamt of in these times of rapid and easy transit. The chief aim of life was to live happy and contented, and he hoped the boys would always remember with affection the days spent at their School.

In his report, Mr. Wilson dealt with the various activities of the School, and stated: "The numbers have steadily increased, and at one period of the year 340 boys were on the roll, the average attendance for the whole year being about 320. There were two special features which marked the year, one being the appointment of three more governors to the School Board, and the other the building and opening of a new wing at the School. The High School Act had been amended to permit of the further appointments, and Messrs. E. Lee Steere, T. A. L. Davy, and Rev. C. L. Riley had been selected by the Old Boys' Association to represent them. The new buildings are a great boon to the School, which was becoming overcrowded, and there is now ample room for a school of 400 boys. The School has had a very successful year from the scholastic point of view. The results of the recent University Public Examinations show that the exhibition in English and History was won by J. E. Virtue, while T. G. B. Allen carried off that given for Mathematics and Applied Mathematics. Each of the boys obtained three distinctions, while J. W. Anderson (who won the classical exhibition in 1920) obtained four. In addition to these three, A. H. Christian, E. P. Bird, J. Grove, F. Money, G. H. Thiel, J. W. Thornton, E. M. Tymms, J. B. Curlewis, J. Witty, also obtained leaving certificates, and fifteen distinctions were awarded to candidates from the School. C. L. Chase was successful in obtaining entrance to the

Royal Military College, Duntroon, taking the examination for candidates over 19. At the junior certificate exam., 31 boys were successful in obtaining certificates, viz., L. Agg, E. Blackman, B. F. Brown, J. Corbet, B. B. Curlewis, T. A. Draper, E. Eastman, F. Grove, M. Halbert, C. Harper, E. Limb, N. Joel, A. Murray, R. Officer, M. Purser, H. Rosman, P. Roberts, B. Simpson, R. Stawell, R. Spaven, L. Sutton, L. Watson, C. Zeck, S. Brumby, N. Cullen, J. Lefroy, R. Giles, K. Robertson, D. Ward, J. Witty, D. Wilson. Eight others passed in four subjects, thus requiring one more to complete a pass. In individual subjects, English, with 16 passes and 2 distinctions at the leaving, and 39 passes at junior; Mathematics, with 13 passes and 3 distinctions at leaving, and 41 at junior; History, 17 passes and 4 distinctions at leaving, and 24 at junior, held pride of place, although the results in other subjects were very satisfactory. Several Old Boys have finished their course this year. W. W. Saw and W. More each completed the B.Sc. course, O. Corr the medical at Melbourne, and F. B. Wood was dux of Roseworthy College. In addition to these, W. W. Seed and T. B. Seed are at Ormond, J. Ainslie at Trinity, G. Maitland at Queen's, and T. Barnett, are also doing medicine at Melbourne. At London the Montgomery brothers are hard at it, while A. Watkins, Malcolm Wright, and Keith Tepper are at Edinburgh. In the recent Accountancy exams., Evan Saw did very well, being head of the intermediate section for W.A. It is particularly encouraging to hear of the successes of the Old Boys of the School. In the athletic world the School has also done very well, holding at present three of the challenge cups. In swimming, a remarkably close contest took place, Scotch College winning from the School by 5 points. In the boat race our crew was second, but our football team, for the first time in the history of the School, won the premiership. This was followed by a remarkable performance in the inter-school sports, which the School team won with the record number of points. 169½. The shooting team was also successful, not only in winning, but also in putting up a record score. The final match for the Darlot Cup went in favour of Guildford

Grammar School, although the High School team did very well, winning five of the seven matches played. Thus a year of remarkable success all round has been completed."

PRIZE LIST.

Form IV.B. (in order of merit): K. Davis, G. Warren, H. Fahle, S. Mable, E. Clifton.

Form IV.A.: Form Prize, D. Cummins; Mathematics, E. Sewell; Science, F. McCay; French and Latin, J. Shillington; History, Geography, and English: H. Freedman.

Form V.C.: Form Prize, H. Moar; General Proficiency, H. J. Blake; French and Latin, V. Lyall; Mathematics, L. Chase; English, History and Geography, R. Moore; Science, A. J. Bird; Commercial, C. Readhead.

Form V. Remove: Form Prize, R. J. Cracknell and A. A. Merritt, equal; English, History and Geography, S. Compton; French, W. F. Stockwell; Mathematics, J. E. Sanders; General Proficiency, S. C. Weymouth, H. W. Kelly.

Form V.: Form Prize, M. Purser; Mathematics, B. B. Curlewis and N. Cullen; English, History, and Geography, A. W. Murray; Science, W. A. Robertson and Downing; French and Latin, A. Watson; Commercial, S. Brumby and R. Kelly; General Proficiency, H. Rosman, T. Draper, E. Eastman, C. Harper, R. Officer, L. Dean.

Form VI.: Geography, J. Thornton; History, R. Lewis; English (the Thiel prize), G. Campbell; Classics, J. W. Anderson; Mathematics, T. G. B. Allen; Science (the St. Barbe-More prizes), A. Christian, J. L. Grove, C. Allen; French (the G. Irving prize), E. Tymms; Dancing (gifts of Mrs. Rolls), G. Gwynne and E. Blackman; Head of the School, T. G. B. Allen and J. E. Virtue, equal.

1921 EXAMINATIONS.

For the last seven years the number of passes gained by the School in the University has been steadily increasing, but this year all previous records were broken. In the Leaving there were twelve complete passes with two exhibitions, B. Allen gaining the Mathematical and J. Vir-

tue the English and History. Six succeeded in passing the Matriculation. C. Allen was unfortunate in failing English, as he passed in five other subjects, but not having a language could not claim a Leaving or a Matriculation.

The Junior results were extraordinarily

good—with thirty-one passes and seven passing in four subjects.

This year the University decreed that the School should be an examination centre, and the Assembly Hall was utilised for that purpose. It was a great improvement on the Claremont Drill Hall, as not only was it exceptionally cool, but it created a homelike atmosphere.

LEAVING PASSES.

	English.	Greek	Latin	French	German	Mathematics	Applied Maths.	History	Chemistry	Physics	Geography
Allen, B.	P	—	—	P	—	P	P	—	P	—	—
Anderson, T.	D	D	D	—	—	—	—	D	—	—	—
Bird, E.	P	—	—	P	—	P	—	P	P	P	—
Christian, A.	P	—	—	—	—	P	—	P	P	D	—
Curlewis, J.	P	—	—	P	—	P	—	P	—	—	—
Grove, J.	P	—	—	—	—	P	P	—	—	—	—
Money, F.	P	—	—	—	—	P	P	P	—	P	—
Thiel, G.	P	—	—	—	—	P	—	P	—	—	—
Thornton, J.	P	—	—	—	—	P	D	—	—	—	P
Tymms, E.	P	—	—	P	—	P	—	P	—	P	—
Virtue, J.	D	—	—	P	—	P	—	P	—	—	—
Witty, J.	P	—	—	—	—	P	P	D	—	—	—

Matriculation.

Ambrose, T.	P	—	—	—	—	P	—	P	—	—	—
Cockburn, R.	P	—	—	—	—	—	—	P	—	—	—
Easton, M.	P	—	—	P	—	—	—	P	—	—	P
Lewis, N.	P	—	—	P	—	—	—	P	—	—	—
Moody, W.	P	—	—	P	—	—	—	P	—	—	—
Shallcross, V.	P	—	—	P	—	P	—	P	—	—	—

G. Campbell, R. Lawson, H. Norman passed in two subjects

JUNIOR.

	English.	Latin.	French.	Maths.	Geography.	History.	Chemistry.	Physics.	Drawing.	Com. Arith.	Com. Methods.
Agg, L.	P	—	—	P	—	P	—	—	—	—	—
Blackman, E.	P	—	—	P	—	—	—	P	—	—	—
Brumby, S.	P	—	—	P	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corbet, J.	P	P	P	P	—	—	—	P	—	P	—
Curlewis, B.	P	—	—	P	P	—	—	—	—	—	—
Draper, T.	P	—	—	P	—	P	—	P	—	—	—
Eastman, E.	P	P	P	P	—	—	—	P	—	—	—
Giles, R.	P	—	—	P	P	—	—	—	—	—	—

	English.	Latin.	French.	Maths.	Geography.	History.	Chemistry.	Physics.	Drawing.	Com. Arith.	Com. Mtds
Grove, F.	P	—	—	P	—	—	P	P	P	—	—
Halbert, M.	P	—	—	P	—	P	—	—	—	—	P
Harper, C.	P	P	P	P	—	—	—	P	—	—	—
Inglis, J.	P	—	—	P	P	P	—	—	—	—	—
Joel, N.	P	—	P	P	—	—	—	P	—	—	—
Lefroy, J.	p.	P	P	p.	—	—	P	p.	—	—	—
Limb, G.	P	—	—	P	—	P	—	P	—	—	—
Murray, A.	P	P	—	P	P	P	—	—	—	—	—
Officer, R.	P	P	P	P	—	—	P	P	—	—	—
Purser, M.	P	P	P	P	—	—	—	P	—	—	—
Robertson, K.	p.	—	P	P	p.	p.	—	P	—	—	—
Roberts, R.	P	—	—	P	P	P	—	—	—	—	—
Rosman, H.	P	—	P	P	P	P	—	—	—	—	P
Simpson, B.	P	—	P	P	—	P	—	—	—	—	—
Spaven, R.	P	—	P	P	—	P	—	—	—	—	—
Stawell, R.	P	—	—	P	—	—	—	P	P	—	—
Sutton, L.	P	p.	—	p.	—	—	p.	p.	—	P	P
Watson, A.	P	P	P	P	—	P	—	—	—	—	—
Wilson, D.	P	—	—	P	P	P	—	—	—	—	—
Witty, J.	p.	P	P	p.	—	p.	—	—	—	—	—
Ward, D.	p.	—	—	p.	p.	P	—	—	—	—	—
Zeck, C.	P	—	—	p.	p.	p	—	—	—	p.	p.
Brown, B.	P	p.	p.	p	—	—	p.	p.	—	—	—

K. Angel, C. Burgess, J. Breen, N. Cullen, V. Fabricius, T. Rathbone, S. Warnock, passed in four subjects.

"p." denotes a pass in the previous year.

THE CLOSE OF THE 1921 FOOTBALL SEASON.

Members of last year's eighteen have every reason to feel that they one and all did something big for their old school. Not having won a single Public Schools' match since 1916 and then very suddenly, as it were, running off with premiership honors is no common feat.

Our success is due mainly to Mr. J. Roydhouse's untiring efforts. The school owes Mr. Roydhouse a great debt of gratitude for his painstaking and unselfish work.

During the Cup matches Curlewis proved himself the best Inter-Schools forward last season. He scored seventeen goals.

FOOTBALL.

SCHOOL v. C.B.C.

Subiaco Oval.

Play started a few minutes after 3.15 in sunshine, but the ground was very wet and slippery owing to heavy rains earlier in the day. From the bounce the ball sped towards the High School goals, but soon found its way back without any score. The first goal was kicked for High School by Curlewis, who marked from Sanders. C.B.C. then had two shots in quick succession, but only scored points in each case. In the second quarter the game became faster and Christians had more of the game than in the first quarter. C.B.C. secured the knock-out and with quick passes got the ball to Burnett, who scored the maximum. Kennedy

scored again for C.B.C. after a hard tussle right in front of goals. Brumby then secured and passed to Curlewis, who scored High School's second goal. When the bell rang the scores were: H.S. 2 goals; C.B.C. 3 goals 4 points. After half-time, the game became fast and furious; a wind had sprung up and clouds were gathering. The play was very even, the ball being one minute at our goals and then the next minute at the other end of the field. The quarter was characterised by fine marks of Hantke, Cockburn and Blackman. After many tries, High School managed to pass to Boas, who scored a goal. Shortly afterwards Curlewis again scored a goal; during the rest of the quarter a few points were scored. C.B.C. did not score at all. In the fourth quarter the scores were: H.S. 4 goals 5 points; C.B.C. 3 goals 4 points. Intense excitement prevailed throughout while C.B.C. attacked again and again without success. H.S. had strengthened its back line, leaving only two men forward; similarly, C.B.C. had grouped its men forward. The play was thus mostly round the H.S. goals. Whenever the ball came out of a scrum it was instantly rushed by the H.S. backs, who played like heroes. Brown, as goalie, did excellent work, saving time and time again. C.B.C. had many tries, but only managed to score two points. The wind helped the C.B.C. men considerably at each kick, but High School was successful in defending its goals, and when the bell rang they had five points to spare. H.S. 4 goals 5 points; C.B.C., 3 goals 6 points. Thus we won the third match of the round.

HIGH SCHOOL v. SCOTCH (Second Round).

Claremont.

(The official record of this match has been mislaid).

This match was the first of the second round, and it remained to be seen if the School was going to show the fine form of the previous matches. When both teams, looking particularly fit and well, took the field, the sun was shining, but clouds were seen banking up to the westward. Shortly after 3.15 both teams were hard at it from the bounce of the ball.

In the first quarter our backs were kept busy as Scotch were attacking vigorously, although unsuccessfully. Towards the end of the quarter Curlewis set both flags waving for us.

In the next quarter the only noticeable feature of the game was the poor football played by both sides. Everyone was crowding the ball and interfering with each other. Up to half-time, however, it was an even game as far as actual scores were concerned. Our lead was a bare six points. Things, however, changed in the next quarter. From the bounce we got away and, playing a faster and more open game, our score increased proportionately. Curlewis and Cockburn were both responsible for good goals. By the end of the quarter we had a substantial lead.

The last quarter was spoilt by the rain, and once again both sides resorted to crowding tactics. The play was mostly round the centre and very little scoring was done. Bell played a great game for Scotch, but might have done better without so many acrobatic stunts. Money and Johnson played a sound game for us in the third quarter.—G.W.G.

REPORT OF MATCH, H.S. v. C.E.G.S.

Subiaco Oval, August 3rd, 1921

H.S. got away first, but G.G.S. repulsed the attack, and, forcing the play, they scored the first score of the day—a point. Then after some exciting play Gwynne scored H.S. first goal from a snap out of a scrum. G.G.S. next managed another point, and then Curlewis at the other end hit the post for H.S. Play continued round Guildford's goals, but no more goals were scored, a point and another poster being scored by H.S. Quarter-time scores were:

C.E.G.S.: 4 points

H.S.: 1 goal 3 points

C.E.G.S. attacked immediately, and a point was the result. Then some nice play saw the ball travel to the other end, and Curlewis from a free scored a goal. A few minutes later the same player scored another goal from a running shot. Yet again

Curlewis marked in front of the behind post, and passed quickly to Christian, who secured a goal. Then G.G.S. took a hand and after some good play Cowell scored their first goal. Up and down play followed for some time, but shortly before time Gwynne, from a free, secured a fifth goal for H.S. Half-time saw the scores:

C.E.G.S.: 1 goal 7 points

H.S.: 5 goals 4 points.

H.S. came to the attack straight away, but several chances went begging and others went astray, until Curlewis marked in front and secured a goal. Both sides in turn then had the play, and several points to each side were registered, but the play was chiefly round the centre. Three-quarter time found the scores:

C.E.G.S.: 1 goal 9 points

H.S.: 6 goals 6 points.

G.G.S. backs had a busy time for some minutes, but Cockburn, from a free, scored H.S. seventh goal with a nice long kick. Shortly afterwards Mann scored another for H.S. from a snap. Then the ball went from one end to the other in quick time until Peck, cleverly dodging several opponents, scored for G.G.S. Just before the bell Curlewis got a ninth goal for H.S. Final scores were:

H.S.: 9 goals 8 points (62 points).

C.E.G.S.: 2 goals 10 points (22 points).

Goal-kickers were—H.S.: Curlewis (4), Gwynne (2), Christian, Cockburn and Mann (1 each). C.E.G.S.: Cowell and Peck (1 each).

RECORD OF MATCH H.S. v. C.B.C.

W.A.C.A., August 12th, 1921.

C.B.C. attacked from the bounce, but a free to Brown relieved for H.S. However, Kennedy passed to Lightly, who kicked the ball through off the ground for the first goal of the match. Then H.S. took up the attack, and after one mis-shot Cockburn kicked our first goal. Play centred round our goals for some time before Kennedy dribbled through a second goal for C.B.C. After this the play was up and down,

C.B.C. securing two points in the interval until quarter time:

H.S.: 1 goal.

C.B.C.: 2 goals 2 points.

The second quarter began with a H.S. attack, but C.B.C. backs proved too strong at first. But at last our forwards broke through, and Cockburn had a shot for a goal and had bad luck in hitting the post. But Gwynne made up for this some minutes later by kicking through off the ground right on the goal line. C.B.C. then broke away and secured a point, followed soon after by another. They kept up the attack and Lightly booted their third goal before our forwards had another chance, of which they could make nothing. Just before half-time C.B.C. got another point. Half-time scores were:

H.S.: 2 goals 1 point.

C.B.C.: 3 goals 5 points.

C.B.C. broke away first and notched a point before Broadhurst, with a nice long kick, placed the ball right in front of the goals, and Brumby put it through. From the bounce Broadhurst marked, and got a nice goal from a long distance out, and another point was added to our score before C.B.C. broke away, and Kennedy kicked a point for them. After some centre play the ball went up into our forward lines again, M. Loton just missing securing a goal. But the ball stopped up forward, and M. Loton, securing again, kicked our third goal for the quarter. Three-quarter time scores were:

H.S.: 5 goals 2 points.

C.B.C.: 3 goals 9 points.

The beginning of the last quarter saw C.B.C. score two points in quick succession before McManus scored a goal for them. Our backs were still kept at it, and Boylson got another point for C.B.C. A short period of play round C.B.C. goals followed, but our forwards could not score, and C.B.C. took the ball down the field again. Shortly afterwards Kennedy got a mark from a short pass and kicked a second goal for the quarter for C.B.C. Then followed more C.B.C. attacks. Edelman hit the post, and Hornby secured another point. In the last few minutes our players made a

game effort to take the ball down to C.B.C. goals, but though it went right to the goal mouth, no score was registered. Final scores:

H.S.: 5 goals 2 points (32 points).

C.B.C.: 5 goals 16 points (46 points).

Goal-kickers for H.S. were: Cockburn, Gwynne, M. Loton, Brumby and Broadhurst (1 each).

Goal-kickers for C.B.C. were: Lightly (2), Kennedy (2), and McManus.

ANNUAL SCHOOL SPORTS.

W.A.C.A., Friday, 7th October

The weather was favourable, and there was a large gathering of friends and relatives of the boys attending the School. The proceedings were carried out very satisfactorily. The officials for the day were: Judges, Messrs. C. A. Law, E. A. Mann, P. W. Thiel, G. C. Money, A. H. Christian, J. H. Cockburn, H. D. Norman, L. H. Gwynne, L. B. Chase, E. E. Virtue and Dr. T. L. Anderson; timekeepers, Messrs. S. Chipper, A. McDougall, C. H. Guy, J. Veryard, A. Caris, T. Anthoness and Dr. Campbell-Wilson; starters, Messrs. J. Easton and H. B. Curlewis; clerk of course, Mr. E. P. Clarke; result stewards, Messrs. J. Campbell and F. Davies-Moore; committee, Messrs. G. L. Mann, G. A. Thiel, I. W. Anderson and A. L. Loton; honorary secretary, Mr. J. Roydhouse.

Broadhurst, with a total of 21 points, won the School Championship Cup, while Cockburn and Norman, each with 16 points, were equal for second place. Hantke, with 21 points, was under 16 champion, with Blackman (16 points) second and Parkes (12 points) third. Duncan, with 18 points, was champion under 14, with Veryard (14 points) second.

The following are the results:

High Jump, under 14: Duncan, 1; Veryard, 2; Officer iii, 3; height, 4ft. 5½in. 440 Yards Open Championship (cup presented by Dr. Tymms): Broadhurst, 1; Cockburn, 2; Shallcross, 3; time, 58½sec. 120 Yards Hurdles, under 16: Hantke, 1; Parkes, 2; Officer, 3. High Jump, open:

Christian, 1; Halbert, 2; Blackman, 3; height, 5ft. 1½in. 75 Yards, under 10: Forrest, 1; Fahle, 2; Hyem, 3. High Jump, under 16: Blackman, 1; Hantke, 2; Summers, 3. Headmaster's Cup, 100 Yards Championship, under 16: Hantke, 1; Blackman, 2; Watson and Moar, 3; time, 11sec. 100 Yards Handicap, Open: Loton, 1; Gwynne, 2; Sanders, 3; time, 10 9-10sec. Gold medal presented by Mr. Samuels for 75 Yards Championship, under 12: Lawson, 1; Basham, 2; Marris, 3. 220 Yards Handicap, under 16: Lough, 1; Robertson, 2; Giles, 3. 120 Yards Handicap, under 12: Joyce, 1; Temperley, 2; Dease, 3. 100 Yards Championship, Open (cup presented by Mr. E. W. Loton): Loton, 1; Norman, 2; Broadhurst, 3; time, 11sec. 100 Yards Championship, under 13: Milner, 1; Wilson, 2; Roberts, 3; time, 13 1-5sec. 440 Yards Handicap, under 16: Hantke, 1; Blackman, 2; Parkes, 3; time, 61sec. Sack Race, under 11: Forrest, 1; Dyer, 2; Buhler, 3. 220 Yards Championship (Open): Norman, 1; Broadhurst, 2; Cockburn, 3. Siamese Race: Milner and Ainslie, 1; Fahle and Drummond, 2; Wilson and Officer, 3. 100 Yards Championship, under 15 (cup presented by Mr. F. Cadd): Breen, 1; Ambrose, 2; Moar, 3. 120 Yards Hurdle Race (open): Cockburn, 1; Norman, 2; time, 17 2-5sec. Staff Cup for 100 Yards Championship, under 14: Duncan, 1; Veryard, 2; Thomson, 3. 75 Yards Championship, under 11: Newbery, 1; Davis, 2; Joyce, 3. Half-mile Handicap (open): Virtue, 1; Rosser, 2; A. R. Anderson, 3. Half-mile Championship: Broadhurst, 1; Brown, 2; Cockburn, 3. Half-mile Handicap, under 16: Kemp, 1; Parkes, 2; Hantke, 3. Half-mile Championship, under 16: Parkes, 1; Hantke, 2. 440 Yards Handicap, under 13: Pilgrim, 1; Ainslie, 2; Lefroy, 3. 300 Yards Handicap, under 15: Spargo, 1; Moar, 2; Seeligson, 3. Mile Handicap, under 14: Millen, 1; Male, 2; Humphries, 3. Mile Handicap, Open: Mann, 1; Brown, 2; V. Lyall, 3. Long Jump, open: Norman, 1; Mann, 2; Broadhurst, 3; distance, 19ft. 11in. Long Jump, under 16: Hantke, 1; Watson, 2; Blackman, 3; distance, 17ft. 11½in. Long Jump, under 14: Veryard, 1; Duncan, 2; Thompson, 3; distance, 14ft. 9in.

The School Sports Committee for 1921 express their very hearty appreciation for

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SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL INTER-SCHOOL SPORTS.

SCHOOL AGAIN SUCCESSFUL.

22nd October, 1921, W.A.C.A.

THE weather conditions were perfect, and the track was in excellent condition, so that the day's proceedings were very successful. The High School again succeeded in putting themselves at the top of the list, and won in easy style. During the course of the day two records were broken, when Hornby (C.B.C.) won the 300 yards under 15 in 36 2-5sec. and when Hantke (H.S.) won the 880 yards under 16 in 2min. 17 3-5sec. being 2-5sec. under the former record. There were one or two surprises during the day, when Christian (H.S.) won the high jump (open) by clearing 5ft. 4½in., beating Nunn (S.C.) the winner last year; and when Loton won the 100 yards open from Beigel (C.E.G.S.). School led from the start, and the ultimate issue was never really in doubt. At the conclusion Brother Nunan (Principal of the C.B.C.) presented the shield to Mann, champion athlete of the High School, and

congratulated the School upon its splendid performance, remarking that he thought that it would be a long time before the repetition of such a fine exhibition would occur.

The following were the results: 220 yards Open: First heat: Beigel (C.E.G.S.), 1; Mann (H.S.), 2; Burnett (C.B.C.), 3; time, 25½sec. Second heat: Lynni (C.E.G.S.), 1; Carson (S.C.), 2; Loton (H.S.), 3; time, 25 2-5sec. Final: Mann (H.S.), 1; Carson (S.C.), 2; Loton (H.S.) and Beigel (C.E.G.S.), 3; time, 24 4-5sec. 220 yards, under 14.—First heat: Duncan (H.S.), 1; Hawkes (S.C.), 2; Edmondson (C.B.C.), 3; time, 29sec. Second heat: Lefroy (C.E.G.S.), 1; Rodriguez (C.B.C.), 2; Allen (S.C.), 3; time, 30 3-5sec. Final: Lefroy (C.E.G.S.), 1; Duncan (H.S.), 2; Hawkes (S.C.), 3; Rodriguez (C.B.C.), 4; time, 29 2-5sec. 440 yards Open.—Mann (H.S.), 1; Broadhurst (H.S.), 2; Burnett (C.B.C.), 3; Watts (C.E.G.S.), 4; time, 53 1-5sec. 100 yards Open.—Loton (H.S.), 1; Beigel (C.E.G.S.), 2; Mann (H.S.), 3; Carson (S.C.), 4; time, 11 1-5sec. 100 yards, under 15.—Hornby (C.B.C.), 1; Ambrose (H.S.), 2; Breen (H.S.), 3; Kelly (C.B.C.), 4; time, 11 4-5sec. 100 yards, under 16.—Hantke (H.S.), 1; Hornby (C.B.C.), 2; Lancaster (S.C.), 3; Brockman (C.B.C.), 4; time, 11 1-5sec. Half Mile, Open.—Mann (H.S.), 1; Broadhurst (H.S.), 2; Bunning (S.C.), 3; Boylson (C.B.C.), 4; time, 2min. 11 3-5sec. 100 yards, under 14.—Hawkes (S.C.), 1; Duncan (H.S.), 2; Hanley (C.E.G.S.), 3; Roberts (S.C.) and Veryard (H.S.), 4; time, 13sec. 75 yards, under 12.—Merryweather (C.E.G.S.), 1; Ellis (C.B.C.), 2; Thompson (H.S.), 3; Lawson (H.S.), 4; time, 10 1-5sec. 300 yards, under 15.—Hornby (C.B.C.), 1; Ambrose (H.S.), 2; Kelly (C.B.C.), 3; Good (C.E.G.S.), 4; time, 36 2-5sec. (record). High Jump, Open.—Christian (H.S.), 1; Halbert (H.S.) and Nunn (S.C.), 2; Bell (S.C.), 4; height, 5ft. 4½in. 880 yards, under 16.—Hantke (H.S.), 1; Wansborough (S.C.), 2; Parkes (H.S.), 3; Jeffrey (C.B.C.), 4; time, 2min. 17 3-5sec. (record). 120 yards Hurdles, Open.—First heat: Norman (H.S.), 1; Smart (C.E.G.S.), 2; Bunning (S.C.), 3; time, 18 4-5sec. Second heat: Cockburn (H.S.), 1; Nunn (S.C.), 2; Edelman (C.B.C.) and Peck

Swimming Team — Runners-up 1922.

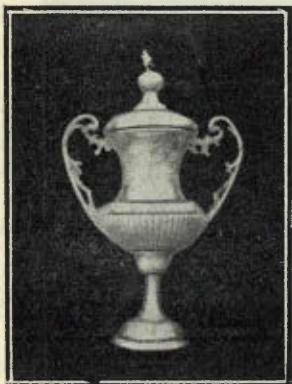


Back Row — B. Brown, J. Russell, G. Breen, L. Watson, W. Ambrose, R. Officer.

Second Row — T. Hantke, Mr. Wells, E. Blackman, Mr. Clarke, G. Gwynne, O. Baker.

Third Row — F. Oliver, J. Milner, F. Oliver, J. Officer.

Inter-School Trophies Held at Present
by School.



The Shooting Cup



The Alcock Football Cup



The Alcock Athletic Shield

Photos by R. Officer

We have discovered a paper maker; his name is—well, it's a secret.

We are a class of cricket enthusiasts this term and are splendidly represented in the under 12 XI. which has so far been unbeaten.

Frank Oliver, one of our new arrivals, has already caused a big stir in our swimming circles.

Lower III.

Our room is fairly well situated. It is No. 2 in the West Wing, whose windows look out upon the Gym. This reminds us that we are very lucky not to be drilling in the summer heat—not that we don't like it. In winter time everyone does his best to make the display a success, but in the summer you can't blame us for jibbing.

On the hot days we look forward to going to the baths in the afternoon where, under Mr. Wells and Mr. Clarke, those of us who can't swim (and we proudly say there are few) are taught, and those who can are shown better strokes.

We have some good swimmers with us, Forrest and Dean being the best.

But just at present we are very interested in the game of marbles. It is really a very exciting game, although nothing like football or cricket.

Newbury is our great cricketer and runner. We all think a lot of him and hope he will lead our team to victory this season.

This year several new boys came into our class and we quickly made friends with them all.

We do not give Mr. Campbell, our Form master, much trouble. We are well-behaved little boys, though you would not think so. Occasionally some of us have to see Mr. Wilson in the study—but it is soon over, and as we are told it makes us better later on we don't mind—much.

Lower I. and II.

Although we are now well into 1922, the self-denial of the old Forms I. and II. (1921) deserves a little space in this "Cygnet." For a month before the Christmas breaking-up the members of these Forms denied themselves portion of their pocket-

money and in this way were able to send £2 5s. to the Stricken Europe Fund.

We began this term with about 75 per cent. of us, new boys to the High School, and it is surprising how soon these people settled down. Quite a few are becoming well-known sports.

In the recent Swimming Carnival E. Lee Steere took first place, E. Hilton-Wood second and Bobbie Spence third in the under 10 championship, and Hilton-Wood first and Lee Steere second in the under 10 handicap.

W. Grant and J. Beresford are regular players in the Under 12 Cricket Team.

Mr. Roydhouse looks upon Dixie Hyem as a coming champion runner, and we all hope he won't be disappointed. Hyem lost his taste for study during the Christmas vacation, so must pick up after Easter.

At the mid-term test Len Ferguson came top of Form II.

Ferguson, Allen, Beresford, Gwynne, Grant, Lee Steere and Spence all scored 100 per cent. in arithmetic, and Ferguson, Allen, Burgoyne and Cuthbertson 100 per cent. for spelling and dictation.

In Form I. Hilton-Wood and Gerloff did well in arithmetic, while Strickland gained full marks for spelling.

On Thursday morning before Easter we were all very enthusiastic over a spelling bee, in which Burgoyne distinguished himself. Cuthbertson did well in upholding his side alone for some time against Burgoyne, who proved the better man.

ALCOCK CHALLENGE FOOTBALL CUP.

This cup has been won by C.B.C. ever since its institution. The School, however, managed to obtain possession of it in 1921.

ALCOCK CHALLENGE SHIELD.

This shield was first contested for in 1905, when Guildford Grammar School were the winners, as also on three other occasions. Since then Christians have won it eleven times, ten of their wins being consecutive. High School were successful in 1920-21.

food and the waters of Lette. Generally we are rescued rather abruptly from the waters of this stream, and it is even possible that the waters of another stream begin to take its place bathing and loving the adolescent downy walls of Intellect.

One day our English master, treating of the poet Keats, quoted the lines from Shelley—

“the curse of Cain.

Light on his head who pierced thy innocent breast,
And scared the angel soul that was its earthly guest!”

Shortly after the “curse of cane” did light upon the hands of twenty-one “angel souls” who had not learnt their poetry. There is nothing like doing things on a grand scale, and our master is ambitious to excel all others. Our algebraical powers have thus been quickened and we know—

$21 \times X \text{ equals } (wh) y (ne).$

We know our master is an admirer of Newbolt’s poem, “The Best School of All,” but evidently his favourite lines are:

“The men that tanned the hide of us,
Our daily foes and friends,
They shall not lose their pride of us
Howe’er the journey ends.”

On the afternoon of that auspicious day we believe the Headmaster had a win at golf.

That a “little knowledge” is a dangerous thing” was borne home upon us in the study of a few love lyrics (and nature lyrics) in the opening pages of Palgrave, although our South Perth quota, coming from the neighbourhood of the Zoo, were familiar with much included in the “nature lyrics.” One burly friend not from that district informed us that “mistletoe was incense which grew on the branches of oak trees.”

Among our famous lights are two members of the Crew, two or three of the Cricket Eleven, three of the Inter-school Swimming Team, the secretary of the Senior Swimming Club, the treasurer of the Junior and the world-famous dictionary—this time a walking one—containing all the longest words in the English language.

We regret that one of our number has been away several weeks in hospital after

an operation, but are glad he has recovered so well. Rumour hath it that he enjoyed hospital for various reasons. We feel that on one day he might have been in the goodly company of a score and one.

Now, Mr. Editor, we close, feeding our hearts in anticipation of the excellent revenge we hope to get in the Masters v. Boys cricket match, for cricket balls are hard.

Junior B.

Over on the east side of the Quad. we are happy as the day is long. Our inclination for work is startling, so declares our O.C., Mr. Brown, who also states that he hopes to have mercy for publication in a very short time on invaluable compilation of “Sound Excuses.”

The boy in the corner who raves about our “athleets” informs us that “we are well represented in all sports, even in dancing.”

We all have quite a liking for essays, for, like the man on the raft, we are full of romance and sagacity, and we are able to deal with the subjects mercifully.

One with a grievance admits that he knows that a “Tin Liz” makes a lot of noise even when well tyred, but suggests that our own Liz. of the Sou’-West need not follow suit. Here is perhaps a reason why “Dreamy” seems so often ruffled and disturbed.

We congratulate Maurice Loton on his election to Prefect, and Bernie Nathan to the 2nd XI. captaincy.

Our class room is admirably situated for the observation of many miniature whirlwinds which originate in the Quad.

“Shakespeare would turn in his grave if only he could hear his play read by some of you,” remarked our master in severe tones the other day. “There cannot now be much of him left to turn,” pleaded one of our “wall flowers.” In respect to the great poet, a two-page essay was inflicted as a penalty.

Junior C.

Our slogan: “If you can find a better ‘ole go to it.”

Our address is simply “The Dug Out,” School War Memorial wing. Should you ever care to visit our shell-proof and happy abode, you are respectfully advised to bring

along your own seating accommodation for, bluntly, we are "full up."

In full force we are thirty-eight, with an average attendance so far of 36.

One of our freshest arrivals is Aub., a fair blossom of the South-West which still retains its freshness.

We thought a nine-point-two had penetrated the Dug Out the other day when, during a moment when we could have heard the fall of a pin, one of the middle seats suddenly collapsed with four country heavyweights on top of it. All four are being treated for shell shock.

A perpetual source of annoyance to us is the grating raucousness of Muzzie's speaking tube. He is taking a tuck-shop liquorice-cure at present and we trust that the results will be melodious.

Jimmy Nathan and Sanders have been making a holiday tour of the S.W. lately during School periods, much to Aub's profound disgust.

Lost, one ordinary pot-marble, one liquorice-pipe, and one lasso, Nor'-West type. Finder please advise "Big Boss."

With Bob Reading we claim a solid one-fifth share of the School boat on its First o' May trip up the Swan.

"Digger" Lenton has dug himself well in this term.

Of the several pugs. in our Form, one has strayed up-country to the rabbit-proof fence. We heard with regret that it was flew—we mean 'flu.

To show you what size can do. Marshall captains the under 15 XI.

After spending the night tucking in restless little boarders our heavy-weight Prefect nearly had a nap in maths. the other afternoon.

"Minna" avows that he does not use Henna.

Middle School.

Between the Assembly Hall and the Quad. there are three forms comprising what is known as the Middle School. One of these Forms has evidently found Form Notes beyond their power this time, while the Second M. S. Form Notes were too painful. This leaves us with the

Fifth Remove.

It seems only a few weeks ago when we commenced school and now, behold! we are nearly through the first term.

This class is called the Fifth Remove because the boys have not yet been taught either Algebra or Geometry.

Being new boys, we are all very hard-working and conscientious (?), not as yet having time to become contaminated with the old-timers.

The cricket season is now drawing to a close, much to the consternation of the many keen followers of this ancient game. Although none of us are nearly good enough to shine in important matches, we hope that in the future some of us will have the honour to be one of the Eleven representing the School.

Great confusion often reigns in the class, resulting from three boys answering the same question simultaneously. It is thought that the three ought to procure new names, Brown, Broun, and Brougham being so similar.

Dave Stone is our Form jester, although he is not aware of this startling fact, but is happily unconscious of the merriment his remarks caused. His statements are very disturbing for one's peace of mind.

Lower School.—Lower IV.

Lower IV.

consists of forty-four boys and one dog—the well-known Chubby.

Our class room, which is next to the common-room, is one of the best-known in the School to outsiders, for it is used as the girls' cloak-room on dance evenings. We often find momentos such as hairpins and things.

The boy from sleepy-hollow-corner informed us that a certain incident in Sir Richard Grenville's last fight was a "rare specked potato." A very rare one, we should say.

Chubby is perhaps the most intelligent and obedient member of our Form. He has only to be told to make himself scarce and out he goes. "Jumbo" and "Rhino" take up a considerable lot of room.



FORM NOTES.

Upper School: Leaving I. and II.

"The old order changeth
Yielding place to new."

WE have hardly recovered from the stream of those who have taken our peace and quiet by storm. Still, time does wonders and we have no doubt that by the end of the year our "guide, philosopher and friend" will have transformed them into beings after our own heart.

Congratulations to the new prefects! They were elected not long after we came back and we may feel sure that they will be worthy of their position.

Many have left us and have gone out into life. Several have taken up their abode in the University, others are going East, while we still remain—soon to pass on in our turn.

One of the poets of Chaucer's time has come to life again in the person of "Long Will." His appearance certainly justifies his title. We wonder whether he, too, will in time become a poet.

L—, unable to keep away any longer, has at length returned to the fold. We feel that he has been longing for us and the look of joy on his face when he walked in showed us that he was pleased (?) to be back.

Several of our respectable English class no doubt aspire to the ranks of genius in literature. One of them describes biologies as forms of prose writings.

Everyone is trying to obtain a place in the history class. The one in existence now literally represents the survival of the fittest. We are told that this seat of learning is remarkable for the minimum of castigation inflicted when compared with other places. A certain wanderer was walking past a school in "other places" when there smote upon his ear a sound as of rattling. He took it to be a typewriter. It turned out to be, he said, the "fas-ces"

doing their duty. The disadvantage here, we are told, is the waste of time.

At present Lamb and Bacon seem to be the most popular diet. Those who partake of the Lamb are required to take their way into "Christ's hospital" to recover.

Our Latin Class continues to keep on its way. It has still the same numbers and seems to be popular.

We were discussing the other day, in our usual broad-minded thorough fashion, old maids and bachelors, which topic was brought about by an essay of Goldsmith. A certain one of us found the subject too delicate. In fact it rather wounded his susceptibilities. He asked permission to withdraw from the room.

To close, we may mention that some old-timers have looked in upon our toil. Keith, or, as he is more well known, "Pi," has paid us a visit. Curlewis followed not long after. Frank, too, could not resist surveying for the last time the "old familiar faces." The others we see at drill. They all like drill as much as we do.

Upper School: Junior A.

Out of the frying pan into the fire! How eloquent is that one line and how aptly it describes our fate! We are now members of the well-known Junior form.

"We little thought when first we viewed
the room

What piles of work and depthless vales of
gloom

Did there await him that cares not to be
great

Save as he neglecteth work or cometh late." Alas! but "all is not lost," even though "the unconquerable will and courage never to submit or yield" belongs only to the majesty of the god (or devil) that therein presides. There are times when Joy breaks in upon us as when the weekly bulletin announces "No essay on account of the prevailing hot weather; or when joyful thoughts flow fast and free during French period and our minds are wafted away to fields far distant to feed upon ambrosian

swimming, all of which contributed to the success of the school and the boys generally.

100 yards, Open.—Jones (C.E.G.S.), 1; Howson (C.B.C.), 2; Paterson (S.C.), 3; Blackman (H.S.), 4. Time, 62 2-5sec.

424 yards, Open.—Jones (C.E.G.S.), 1; Howson (C.B.C.), 2; Fernandez (C.E.G.S.), 3; Paterson (S.C.), 4. Time, 6min. 5sec.

212 yards, under 16.—Watson (H.S.), 1; Breen (H.S.), 2; Walsh (C.E.G.S.), 3; Demasson (C.E.G.S.), 4. Time, 3min. 11 3-5sec.

75 yards, under 14.—Nunn (S.C.), 1; Oliver (H.S.), 2; Paterson (S.C.), 2; Miller (H.S.), 4. Time, 52 1-5sec.

50 yards, Open Breaststroke.—Stevens (S.C.), 1; Howson (C.B.C.), 2; Jones (C.E.G.S.), 3; Browne (C.E.G.S.), 4. Time, 36sec.

50 yards, Open Backstroke.—Jones (C.E.G.S.), 1; Hantke and Gwynne (H.S.), 2; Grasby (C.E.G.S.), 4. Time, 37 2-5sec.

100 yards, under 15.—McKenzie (C.E.G.S.) and Breen (H.S.), 1; Demasson (C.E.G.S.), 3; Nunn (S.C.), 4. Time, 70 3-5sec.

SCHOOL CARNIVAL

Saturday, March 18th

The fifth annual swimming carnival of the Perth High School took place at Crawley Baths on Saturday morning, March 18, and proved an unprecedented success. Under good weather conditions the boys raced with much zest, and all the championships were keenly contested. In the handicap events as many as a dozen sometimes reached the rope almost together. Messrs. C. H. Curlewis, J. Brown, H. B. Curlewis, J. Wells, J. Brown, J. Roydhouse, J. Campbell and Rev. C. L. Riley acted as judges, with Mr. F. Curran as diving judge and Mr. E. P. Clarke as starter and referee. The success of the day was largely due to the efforts of the boys' committee. During the morning Mrs. L. H. Gwynne presented gold badges of the club to P. A. Henriques, B. F. Brown, C. O. Baker, and F. B. Oliver for swimming a series of test races ranging from 50 yards to half a mile under certain given times.

ANNUAL INTER-SCHOOLS SWIMMING

50 yards, Breast, under 13.—Fahle, 1; Thompson II, 2; Ainslie, 3.
50 yards, under 12.—Dease, 1; Braham, 2; Noble, 3.
50 yards, under 11.—Oliver II, 1; Forrest, 2; Dean, 3.
25 yards, Breast, under 11.—Forrest, 1; Macartney, 2; Oliver II, 3.

Once more we come from the battle honoured in defeat. For the last five years we have been either first or second in this competition; last year we were defeated by 5 points by Scotch College, the margin of defeat being the equivalent of one second place in any event; this year we were unfortunate to be vanquished by a still narrower margin—1 point—by C.E.G.S. At the beginning of the contest few people would have given us a chance, competing as we were against "Brusher" Jones, the State champion, who was in the ranks of the favorites. But with a grit, earnestness and reserve that spoke well for the team, our boys tackled the task and, alternately with Guildford, we were leading at the end of the races. The final scores were Guildford 50½ points, High School 49½ points. The slightest turn of fortune and the tables might have been reversed, but there we are as the score stands beaten by a good team, whom we heartily congratulate. Scotch College were next with 39 points and Christians fourth with 15 points. Of Guildford's total more than half the score was gained by Jones (27½ points), an excellent record, and his hundred in 62 4-5sec. is a performance to be proud of. Our points were more evenly distributed among a greater number, only two boys competing in two races and the others in one only. In the under-age championships we were particularly strong, winning three of the four, with seconds in two of those three, and in the fourth we secured second and third. Amongst a team who did so well and fought so truly it is impossible to pick out any for special mention. The School is proud of them all.

We have to thank Mr. Wells for his demonstrations, lectures, and coaching in

In asking Mrs. Gwynne to present the badges, Mr. Clarke said the club were trying to show their appreciation of the keen interest and good work of George Gwynne who, with P. A. Henriques last year and this year with A. C. Curlewis, had done most of the work in the conduct of the club. All the committee had worked well and a finer group of boys would be hard to find, but certain boys did more than others and deserved greater thanks. Mr. Clarke drew attention to a few happenings this year which were well worthy of remembering. Gwynne and Blackman, in the Senior Club, and Breen in the Junior Club had all wished to refuse positions of honour as vice-captain in order to continue in positions of greater work and more importance as secretary or treasurer. Again every boy considered it a very great honour to compete in an Inter-School event, yet one boy, Bessell Brown, who had won his place in the team, was willing to give his position to another who on the day of the Test Races was not in the best of condition. They raced again a few days later and Brown once more beat Sutton and kept his place in the team. Such a spirit spoke well for the boys, as did also the sportsman-like way in which they raced, and all this helped to create a good school spirit. Lastly, Mr. Clarke drew attention to the fact that with few exceptions the swimmers were proving themselves to be the runners of the school, too, and expressed his thanks to all parents who had so willingly contributed to the prize fund. Alf. Curlewis then called for three cheers for Mrs. Gwynne, and somebody three for Mr. Clarke.

Breen was school champion (28 points), with Blackman runner-up (14) and Watson (12 points). Watson annexed the under 16 championship. Fred Oliver was champion under 15 and 14, with Tomlinson runner-up under 15. Frank Oliver carried off the under 13 and 11 honours. Russell won the life-saving race and the 50yds. breaststroke, Hantke the backstroke, and M'Gibbon the neat dive. There were 84 entrants in the 100yds. under 16 and over 50 in several other races.

Following are the results:

50 yards Back Stroke.—Ambrose ii, 1;

K. Thompson, 2; Chase, 3. Time, 49 1-5sec.
864 yards.—Oliver, 1; Tomlinson, 2;
Thompson, 3; Hales, 4. Time, 15min. 15sec.
(record).

Under 14, 75 yards.—Oliver, 1; Hales, 2;
Milnes, 3; Downie, 4. Time, 67 3-5sec.

Under 13, 50 yards.—Oliver ii, 1; Officer,
2; Noble, 3; Draper, 4. Time, 41 3-5sec.

Under 11, 50 yards.—Oliver, 1; Forrest,
2; Dean, 3. Time, 38 4-5sec.

Diving Events.

Open Neat Dive.—M'Gibbon, 1; Russell,
2; Grove, 3.

Open High Dive.—Oliver, 1; Blackman,
2; R. Officer, 3.

Open Long Dive.—Rathbone, 1; Russell,
2; Trenaman and Hantke, dead heat. 3.
Distance, 91 feet.

Distance Plunge.—Farmer, 1; Curlewis, 2;
Draper, 3. Distance, 40ft. 2in.

Open Fancy Dive.—Sutton, 1; Oliver, 2;
Hantke and Officer, dead heat, 3.

•Neat Dive, under 15.—Oliver, 1; Hales,
2; Thompson, 3.

Handicap Events.

436 yards, Open.—Tomlinson, 1; Russell,
2; Hales, 3; Hantke, 4.

100 yards.—G. Law, 1; Curlewis, 2;
Brown, 3.

50 yards Breast Stroke.—Irving, 1; White,
2; Kemp, 3.

100 yards, under 16.—Summers, 1; Dempster,
2; Coughlan, 3.

75 yards, under 15.—Matthews, 1; Tomlinson,
2; Thompson, 3.

50 yards, under 14.—Braham, 1; Pilgrim,
2; Saw, 3.

50 yards, under 13.—Fahle, 1; Nicol, 2;
Saw, 3.

50 yards, under 12.—Noble, 1; Draper, 2;
Hall, 3.

50 yards, under 11.—Oliver, 1; Forrest, 2;
Dean, 3.

25 yards, under 10.—Wood, 1; Lee Steere,
2.

Other Events.

Fancy and Scientific Swimming.—Sutton,
1; Hantke, 2; T. Draper, 3.

Championship Events.

(Open.)

100 yards.—Blackman, 1; Watson, 2;
Sutton, 3; Breen, 4. Time, 74 3-5sec.

216 yards.—Breen, 1; Watson, 2; Blackman, 3. Time, 3min. 1sec.

432 yards.—Breen, 1; Sutton, 2; Baker, 3; Watson, 4. Time, 6min. 34 1-5sec.

864 yards.—Breen, 1; Baker, 2; Russell, 3; A. O. Curlewis, 4. Time, 13min. 45sec. (record).

50 yards Breast Stroke.—Russell, 1; Gwynne, 2; Officer, 3; Draper, 4. Time, 41 3-5sec.

50 yards Back Stroke.—Hantke, 1; Gwynne, 2; Breen, 3. Time, 44 3-5sec.

Life Saving Race, 25 yards (second method).—Russell, 1; Gwynne, 2; Curlewis, 3. Time, 49 1-5sec. (record).

Under 16.

50 yards.—Watson, 1; Breen, 2; Morrison, 3; Trenaman, 4. Time, 37sec.

Under 15.

50 yards.—Oliver, 1; Tomlinson, 2; Ambrose, 3; Milner and Hales, dead heat, 4. Time, 37 1-5sec.

50 yards Breast Stroke.—Fred Oliver, 1; Ambrose, 2; Chase and Thompson, dead heat, 3. Time, 47 2-5sec.

SWIMMING PRIZES.

The committee of both clubs wish to thank all the following for their generous and kind donations to the prize fund. This year financially both clubs have had a record year, and we all tender our sincere thanks to our many well-wishers and friends. Those names marked with an asterisk receive the thanks of both clubs: Mrs. Helworth Watson, V. F. Shallcross, Esq., G. R. Brown, Esq., *R. O. Law, Esq., *W. Robertson, Esq., *B. Lee Steere, Esq., P. A. Henriques, Esq., B. H. Darbyshire, Esq., W. B. Oliver, Esq., Mrs. Ellison Dyer, *J. C. Varyard, Esq., T. Eyres, Esq., H. Wood, Esq., L. J. Forrest, Esq., Dr. T. Ambrose, T. J. Breen, Esq., F. Strickland, Esq., R. Noble, Esq., J. Marris, Esq., D. Morrison, Esq., T. Hantke, Esq., J. E. Cecil, Esq., H. A. Corbett, Esq., Burrige and Warren, Ltd., C. H. Terry, Esq., H. Baker, Esq., H. Plaistowe, Esq., Mrs. O. W. Blackman, Dr. J. A. Campbell Wilson, *I. Roydhouse, Esq., *J. Campbell, Esq., C. Zeck, Esq., C. H. Sutton, Esq., T. Matthews, Esq., L. H. Gwynne, Esq., Mrs. C.

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JUNIOR SWIMMING CLUB DANCE.

The third Saturday in July last saw the inauguration of an annual dance given by the Junior Swimming Club. At the outset many were dubious of the success it would be, but our committees never fail, and the evening of that day saw one of the happiest dances held in the School Hall, and certainly the most tastefully decorated supper room and hall. Several parents kindly sent along donations to the supper, and in the afternoon Mesdames Curlewis, Breen, and Milner helped in the preparation of the supper.

The thanks of the committee are due to Mrs. Officer, who acted as hostess for the evening; her son, the captain of the club, acting as host; to Mrs. McGibbon, the Misses McGibbon and Miss Officer, for their tasteful decoration of the supper room. Wreaths of roses of the softest hues covered the windows, festoons of roses connected the electric lights covered with pink paper, and over the archway at the entrance to the school a triangular archway of fern and roses led to the main hall. The excellent success of the first dance was mainly the work of the energetic club secretary, Ken McGibbon.

THE LAW SHIELD.

This year there were seven teams entered in the Inter-Schools Competition repre-

senting Scotch (the holders), Modern School and High School.

The crowd at Crawley was the greatest ever seen in the baths, as this year the girls' competitions were also held there. The weather was excellent—very favourable for fast times.

As the teams lined up there was considerable speculation as to which would run out winners. We had great hopes of our team, but we eventually had to give way to Scotch, who won by 28 9-10ths seconds.

Our team was somewhat handicapped by lack of training. They were all Inter-Schools representatives and consequently were unable to spare any time for life saving until after the "Inters." However, we met a better team.

Scotch were represented by H. Patterson, Carnin, Forman and Stevens, who broke the record for individual fastest time. His total was 116 4-5—a fine performance.

We were represented in the first team by G. Gwynne (total time 131 11-20sec.), J. Russell (fastest time 129sec.), T. Hantke (134 7-20sec.) and R. Officer (141 1-5sec.).

The second team did well considering they obtained a substitute at the last moment. They were: A. Curlewis (139 3-5sec.), J. Breen (141 1-5sec.), G. Law (159sec.) and K. McGibbon (164sec.).

The actual times in the competition were: Scotch College No. 1, 507 1-5sec.; High School No. 1, 536 1-10sec.; Modern School No. 1, 547sec.; High School No. 2, 603 4-5sec.

A VISIT TO CUMING SMITH'S.

Superphosphates in the Making.

ONE of the most interesting excursions which the science boys of the school made during 1921 was that to Cuming Smith's fertiliser works at East Guildford. It is this factory which divides with Mount Lyall the honour of supplying to the farmer those superphosphates which remedy many of the defects in his soil, and which enable him to obtain a high yield.

From Christmas Island, a small speck on the map of the Pacific, is obtained the supply of phosphatic rock which is required for the manufacture of the fertiliser. This

contains all the constituents required by the soil, but, as it is an insoluble substance, and the roots of plants can only assimilate soluble substances, it has to be converted to another form in which it is of benefit to the plants.

This is done by treating it with sulphuric acid in definite proportions, which not only reduces it to a soluble state but also gives a slightly acid salt which is of peculiar value to the plant.

On arrival at the factory the phosphatic rock is first ground up to a fine powder so that the sulphuric acid may penetrate to all parts of it, and is then sent direct to the mixers.

Here it is put into a revolving drum, and the required quantity of acid having been passed into it, the whole is set revolving for half a minute when the phosphate thus formed is dropped on to a dump. After six months exposure to the atmosphere it is ready to be bagged and conveyed to the farmers in all parts of the State.

The Making of H_2SO_4 .

Perhaps the more interesting than the process for making superphosphates is that for making the sulphuric acid used for the former purpose, which is carried on in an entirely different part of the works. The whole of this part of the works was permeated with the pungent and stifling smell of sulphur dioxide emanating from the furnaces in which would be seen the beautiful blue flame of burning sulphur.

After looking at the furnace we went on to the Glover and Gay Lussac towers, which show various stages in the process of manufacture, and thence onward to the lead chambers which give a name to the process, and in which the pure sulphuric acid is finally produced. In a smaller plant we were shown how the pure acid was manufactured for commercial purposes.

Although perhaps rather pleased "to breathe the pure serene" atmosphere of the country once again after the sulphurous odor which had assailed our nostrils in the factory, the interesting nature of the visit quite made up for such petty discomfortures, and we may safely advise our successors at the science classes to persuade Mr. Newberry to organise once again a visit to the Cuming Smith works at East Guildford.—J.V.



**"ARE YOU READY? HALF PADDLE—
FORWARD!"**

IT is rude and insubordinate to laugh long and loudly at the coxswain, but that is what happened when, early in the season, the crew was given this astounding order. This is the sort of thing we have to put up with from new rowers—"land-lubbers" is, I believe, the correct nautical term for them. Next year we are expecting to hear something of this sort: "On your marks—wait for the bounce—get set—march!" We hope nothing like this will happen. It would be terrible to have to return home and report the burial at sea of the coxswain.

The necessity of making rowers of the hordes of new men who turned up at the sheds soon became painfully apparent, and in view of bettering affairs a meeting of the Initiation Committee was called, from which meeting the secretary has the honour to submit the following resolutions:—

1. That all new members were to be well and truly initiated.
2. That they were to be well annointed.
3. That they were to be thrown in from the platform by four of the committee.
4. That the green paint was to be applied tastefully and fairly generously.
5. That any resistance was to be dealt firmly with, and the offender doubly dosed.

Over a dozen new members were thus initiated without remarkable incident, except that Spaven's hair, when greased, turned a sickly green colour.

We also report the throwing in of several sarcastically criticising cricketers, who visited us during the season.

Shortly after these ceremonies a number of the new rowers left the sheds and took up swimming. One or two returned after the swimming sports, but the others seemed suddenly afraid that their hearts might go "dicky," and were seen no more at the sheds.

Of last year's First Crew only A. G. Rosser (stroke) remains, and the other seats in the boat were filled by P. A. Trouchet (bow), V. M. Shallcross (2), R. Reading (3). There was a great deal of competition for the places in the second boat, and these eventually went to W. Moody, A. Anderson, R. Mussared, and T. A. Draper. There was also much difficulty in choosing the coxswain for the Firsts, both Tomlinson and Stockwell being excellent. Tomlinson was finally selected, and Stocky went to the second boat.

Mr. A. A. Strickland, our old coach, was unable to look after us this year, as he was away from Perth, but luckily Mr. A. H. Mettam consented to coach us.

In obtaining the services of Mr. Mettam the School is very fortunate, as he has been for five years a member of the West Australian Eight, and was bow in the crew which, last year, put up such a splendid record at Launceston. So with Mr. Mettam as coach we are expecting great things of our crew in the coming race.

This year Mr. Mettam is setting the crew to a much faster stroke, and is giving them plenty of hard work. Going over a mile course the crew strikes up 40 to the minute in the first minute, and then lengthens out to 36, and hitting it up a bit at the finish. We expect to carry out these tactics in the race, and whether they will be successful or not we shall soon know.

The Crew and a Few Personal Remarks.

Bow (9st. 10lbs.)—Rows a good stick, and sits up well, but is not quite as nippy as he could be in this position.

Two (10st. 9lbs.)—Does not sit up as well as he might, but applies his weight strongly and effectively.

Three (10st.)—A new rower this year, who quickly gained his seat in the boat. Rows excellently, though he is inclined to swing out from his rigger.

Stroke (11st. 6lbs.)—Stroke in last year's crew and 2 in the 1920 crew; has had considerable experience, and rows well. Is setting a much faster stroke this year, but still retains a good long swing.

The Second crew have been doing a fair amount of work, and, as a result of the time they spent in tubbing at the beginning of the season, their blade work is fairly good. Now they are in the four they manage to get a nice swing and good time, but they must learn to apply their weight to better effect. The average weight of the Seconds is about 9st. 10lbs., and by next year they will most likely be a good strong crew.

BOARDERLAND.

House Prefects.

A. G. Rosser, M. Loton, Wm. Shallcross, B. Waldeck, E. Sanders, T. Draper.

Farewell to Mr. Roydhouse.

We were all very sorry to lose Mr. Roydhouse at the end of last year for during the last two years the boarding-house has progressed very favourably, due to his work for us. A few nights before the end of the term, Geoff Thiel, at tea, presented Mr. Roydhouse, on behalf of the boarders, with a silver entree dish and a silver casserole as wedding gifts. Mr. Roydhouse responded and expressed his regret that he could not remain with us when he was married. Mr. Dodd and Mr. Campbell also spoke, and after three hearty cheers for Mr. Roydhouse we dispersed.

The Staff, 1922.—We were joined this year by Mr. J. V. Brown, recently of

Christchurch, who has taken up residence in place of Mr. Campbell, who succeeded Mr. Roydhouse as house-master. We take this opportunity of welcoming Mr. Brown, and hope his stay with us will be mutually pleasant.

Library.—The School library is at present very small, and little availed of by the senior boys, as the literature is mainly juvenile. The librarian, Mr. Campbell, would be very grateful for any contributions, and the co-operation of the boys in building up this important factor in the boarding-house social sphere.

Outstanding Characters.—

Albert Woo—A high brow celestial; a skilled bridge player; also frequents the Park on Sundays; favourite literature Injun yarns; door-mat over either eye.

Minna—Looks; gingery; pet aversion, spinifex; became greatly excited over the recent return of a well-known clown; as a rule, timid, but capable of being reckless.

Maggie—A brilliant essayist worthy of being placed with Bacon or Lamb. Treats his subjects with a delicate satire. e.g., his famous treatise on the genus of Colombrowse. Favourite expressions, "O'no," and, "Good evening sir." An example of the fact that innocence, like beauty, can be only skin deep.

Orb—An expert cricketer with a brilliant past career (lectures upon it—any time, anywhere). The zenith of his career was the famous Test between Preston and Ferguson. Excels in bowling; looks; supercilious. Portraits may be obtained 12 a penny from T.H., South Perth.

Muzzie—Hails from Tinpot, a thriving Wheat Belt town; excels in—everything; self-acclaimed billiardist, wheat-belt champion; gifted with a most extraordinary sense of humour, which is consequently often misunderstood; a caterpillar without a butterfly future.

Jessie—A devotee of literature (concerning the wild and woolly West); favourite pastime, chortling; pet aversion, bandits; favourite expression, "Get below hatchies"; a skilled pugilist; aspect, pathetic.

Dave—A singer of old-fashioned ballads, such as "Soap and Water"; once had some connection with a trotter of renown, Wilkes G; looks prepossessing, and sometimes intelligent; prominent feature, number tens.



DARLOT CUP MATCHES.

V. CHRISTIAN BROTHERS' COLLEGE.

W.A.C.A. Ground, November 30

OUR initial match of the second round was played against C.B.C. on the west wicket. School opened the batting. Loton i and Money opened, while Lambert took the first over, which resulted, as did many others, in a maiden, thanks to Loton's stonewalling. Money, however, was hitting hard and the partnership was responsible for 92 when Money was bowled by Chesson, having made 76, including 12 fours (1-76-92). Thiel joined Loton i and the score had reached 130 when Thiel put his leg in front of one from Burnett (2-29-130). Christian added 14 before he was caught by Dillon off Burnett (3-14-144). The next two wickets fell in quick succession, M. Loton being caught by Chesson at square leg for 2, while Nathan was bowled by Lloyd (5-0-146). Brumby joined Loton i, who was still batting in a fine style, and the score was 220 before Brumby was bowled by Lambert, having made 55 (6-55-220). Loton ii joined "Dad" and added 45, being caught by MacMannus off O'Brien (7-45-271). Blackman added 9 when caught by Kennedy off Boylson (8-9-289). The next two men, Johnson and Sanders, were dismissed for nil, and School was all out for 291. Loton i was not out, having gone in first and batted for 4½ hours, making 50.

Lightly and Lloyd opened for C.B.C. In the second over Brumby caught Lloyd off Christian (1-0-4). Lightly was the next man to go and was caught by Brumby, bowled Christian (2-26-47). O'Brien only made 11 when Christian bowled him, making (3-11-59). MacMannus, the next man, was bowled first ball by Christian. Boylson and Kelly took the score to 77, when the latter was run out (5-35-77). It was doubtful whether we would get C.B.C. out before 6, but after Boylson was caught and bowled by Chris-

tian for 8 (7-8-105). Burnett was caught quickly fell. Kennedy was bowled by Christian for 8 (7-8-105). Burnett was caught by Nathan off Christian (8-3-106), while Chesson was bowled by Thiel for a duck, and Lambert was not out (10-0-110). For us Christian had bowled well, taking 8 of the 10 wickets, Thiel taking one, while the other was run out. Christian Brothers failing to reach our score we thus won our first match.

SCHOOL. 1st Innings.

Loton i, not out	50
Money, c Chesson	76
Thiel, l.b.w. Burnett	29
Christian, ct Dillon, b Burnett	14
Loton M, ct Chesson	2
Nathan, b Lloyd	0
Brumby, b Lambert	55
Loton C. ct MacMannus, b O'Brien	45
Blackman, ct Kennedy, b Boylson	0
Johnson, ct Kelly, b Boylson	0
Sundries	11

Total .. 291

Bowling for School : Christian 8 for 43; Money 0 for 17; Thiel 1 for 6; Johnson 0 for 31.

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS' COLLEGE.

1st Innings.

Lightly, ct Brumby, b Christian	26
Lloyd, ct Brumby, b Christian	0
Kelly, run out	35
O'Brien, b Christian	11
MacMannus, b Christian	0
Boylson, ct and b Christian	20
Burnett, ct Wathan, b Christian	3
Kennedy, b Christian	8
Dillon, b Christian	1
Lambert, not out	0
Chesson, b Thiel	0
Sundries	6

Total .. 110

V. CHURCH OF ENGLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

W.A.C.A. Ground, December 2nd

Clark won the toss and decided to bat. Clark and Field opened the innings of C.E. G.S. and Clark at once began to score freely off Johnson and Money. At 25 Field was dismissed, being caught behind the wickets by Loton iii off Money—1 for 5/25. Clark was then joined by Cantwell, who was soon

bowled by Thiel—2 for 0/27. When Clark was 37 he was bowled by Christian; in his innings he hit 3 sixes and 2 fours—3 for 37/67. Peck and Greateorex kept a longer partnership, until Peck was bowled by Christian when he had scored 15—4 for 15/83. Brown then joined Greateorex, and took the score to 94, when Greateorex was bowled by Nathan—5 for 19/94. Jones was the next man in, but was soon caught by Christian off Nathan—6 for 4/98. Brown and Malloch continued a partnership until Brown was bowled by Thiel for 14—7 for 14/122. Malloch stayed in until his score was 17 when he was caught by Nathan off Thiel—8 for 17/131. Calder and Cook made a stand until the former was bowled by Thiel—9 for 8/134, and Fernandez, who then joined Cook, was bowled by Thiel for a “duck”—10 for 0/139.

The High School then opened their innings with Loton and Christian, but when Loton was 2 he ran himself out—1 for 2/4. Money then joined Christian, who was bowled by Peck when his score was 2—2 for 2/5. Brumby then came in, but was bowled first ball by Peck—3 for 0/5. Thiel then joined Money, and the two kept up the partnership and advanced the score to 47, when Money was caught by Clark off Malloch when his score was 28—4 for 28/47. M. Loton was the next man in, and when he was 8 was bowled by Malloch—5 for 8/58. Nathan then joined Thiel, and at 69 Thiel was caught by Malloch off Peck—6 for 19/69. Nathan continued his innings until he was caught by Peck off Thiel—7 for 11/81. Loton and Blackman were the next two batsmen, but Blackman was bowled by Malloch for a “duck”—8 for 0/81, and the last two wickets fell quickly, and the innings closed with all out for 82.

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

Clark, b Christian	37
Field, ct Loton 3, b Money	5
Cantwell, b Thiel	0
Peck, b Christian	15
Greateorex, b Nathan	19
Brown, b Thiel	14
Jones, ct Christian, b Nathan	4
Malloch, ct Nathan, b Thiel	17
Calder, b Thiel	8
Cook, not out	5
Fernandez, b Thiel	0
Sundries	15
Total	139

Bowling for H.S. : Johnston 0 for 12; Money 1 for 43; Thiel 5 for 36; Christian

HIGH SCHOOL. 1st Innings.

Loton, A., run out	2
Christian, b Peck	2
Money, ct Clarke, b Malloch	28
Brumby, b Peck	0
Thiel, ct Malloch, b Peck	19
Loton, M., b Malloch	8
Nathan, ct Peck, b Field	11
Loton, C. V., not out	9
Blackman, b Malloch	0
Sanders, b Malloch	0
Johnston, b Peck	1
Sundries	2

Total ... 82

HIGH SCHOOL v. SCOTCH COLLEGE.

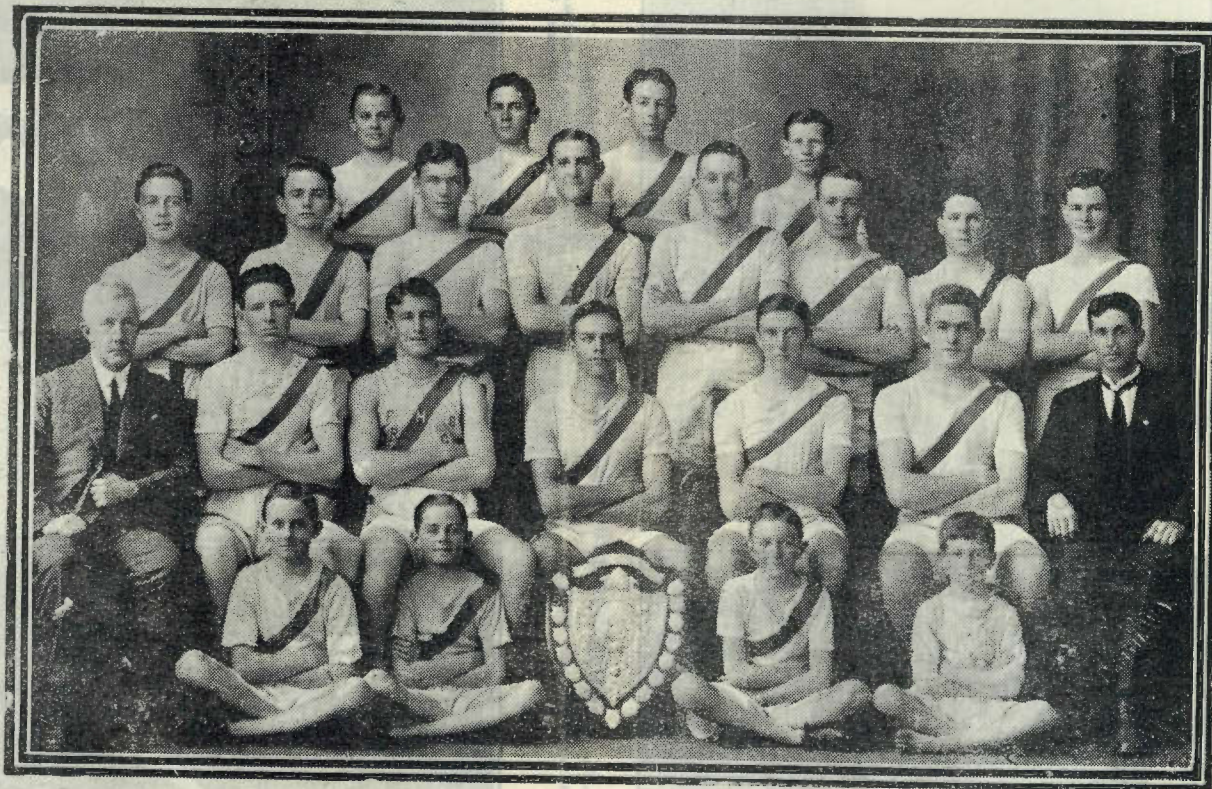
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Thiel won the toss and Loton i and Money opened to the bowling of Munro and Wansbrough in very threatening weather. The latter batsman soon opened out and made the cricket very interesting until being caught at leg off Stevens for 37, with the total at 76, only to be followed soon after by “Dad” Loton, who was run out as the result of a fine piece of fielding. With three wickets down for 122 matters looked fairly promising, but after the departure of Loton iii, who scored 25, none of the other batsmen succeeded in making a stand, and the innings closed for 163, just on the luncheon adjournment.

During this period rain had begun to fall and when at 2 o'clock Hoffman and Inverarity opened for Scotch College it was coming down fairly heavily. Mainly owing to Johnson's fast bowling, which jumped dangerously, the first four wickets fell cheaply. Stevens and Brown, however, made a good stand in spite of several protracted adjournments in consequence of the weather, but on loss of the former's wicket for the (under the circumstances) very fine innings of 37, none of the other members of the team offered much resistance, and the last wicket fell at 78, leaving us victors by 85 runs.

For us, Johnson did invaluable service in disposing of the three first wickets, while Nathan broke what promised to be several stubborn partnerships, and Christian also bowled well. A word of praise should be said for the fielding work of the

Running Team 1921 — Winners Alcock Shield.



Back Row — V. Veryard, H. Moar, T. Hantke, H. Duncan.

Second Row — G. Breen, M. Parkes, E. Blackman, R. Cockburn, A. Christian, M. Halbert, L. Loton, W. Ambrose.

Third Row — Mr. Wilson, K. Brown, J. Broadhurst, G. Mann, C. Chase, H. Norman, Mr. Roydhouse.

Sitting — J. Milner, R. Wilson, E. Lawson, A. Thompson.

School Celebrities, 1921.



G. L. MANN,
Inter-School Champion Athlete. 1920-21.



C. L. CHASE,
Passed Open Examination for Entrance to
Royal Military College, Duntroon, 1921.



J. VIRTUE,
Classical Exhibition, 1921.



T. B. ALLEN,
Mathematical Exhibition, 1921

Winners Vicoock Shield
Running Team 1921

Head of the River, 1922.



G. Rosser (Stroke). 3—H. Heading 2—V. Shallcross Bow—P. Trenchet
L. Tomlinson (Cox)



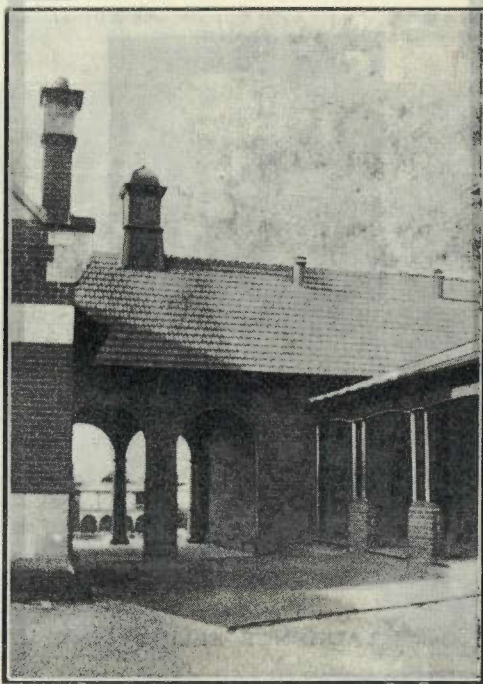
THE LATE
LAURENCE ELLIOTT



Attractions of the Boxing Shed



The West-End Lower School.



The School Cloisters

Photos by C. Burgess

team, which was excellent throughout in spite of the slippery nature of the ground.

HIGH SCHOOL. 1st Innings.

Loton (i), run out	12
Money, ct Bunning, b Stevens	57
Loton (iii), ct and b Stevens	26
Christian, ct Stevens, b Henry	12
Loton (ii), run out	3
Thiel, b Henry	12
Nathan, ct Bunning, b Brown	3
Brumby, b Stevens	8
Blackman, ct Bunning, b Stevens . . .	5
Airey, b Brown	4
Johnson, not out	0
Byes	20

Total 162

Bowling: Stevens 4 for 22; Henry 2 for 43; Brown 2 for 14.

SCOTCH COLLEGE. 1st Innings.

Hoffman, ct Loton (i), b Johnson . . .	0
Inverarity, ct Loton (iii) b Christian .	1
Henry, ct Airey, b Johnson	4
Munro, b Johnson	0
Stevens, b Nathan	37
Brown, b Nathan	7
Wansbrough, st Loton (iii), b nChristia	16
Todd, ct Loton (iii), b Money	0
Cursin, b Nathan	0
Bunning, ct Nathan, b Christian	8
Brown, not out	3
Sundries	2

Total 78

Bowling: Johnson 3 for 22; Christian for 16; Nathan 3 for 10; Money 1 for 12.

H.S. v. C.E.G.S.

Subiaco Oval, December 21st

As both School and C.E.G.S. had won five games in the Inter-schools cricket matches a play-off was necessary to decide the winner of the Alcock Cup for 1921. Owing to the Association Ground not being available this took place on the Subiaco Oval on Monday, December 13th.

Our opponents won the toss and naturally decided to bat on a fine wicket, Clark and Field opening up to the bowling of Johnson and Christian. Disaster early befell the batsmen, as Field was bowled without scoring by Johnson, while Clark was caught in the deep slip off Christian, the first two wickets falling for 6. Cantwell and Brown, however, made a good third wicket stand until at 59 Brown was out l.b.w. to John-

son. After this wickets fell steadily until the position stood at 7 wickets for 107, when Jones and Davies made a splendid eighth wicket stand for 76, which enabled Grammar School to attain the fairly high score of 222.

Though the task set our team did not seem impossible, our hopes fell when Loton i went second ball and Loton iii a few minutes later, the first two wickets falling for 17. A splendid partnership between Money and Morris Loton altered the position of affairs, bringing the score at the conclusion of the afternoon's play from 17 to 109, neither being separated. On Tuesday morning, when the match was continued, a further good partnership was realised before Money was bowled by Jones for a splendid 88 with the score at 142. On the fall of Money's wicket the whole side seemed to collapse, the last wicket falling at 169.

Frank Money's effort was perhaps the finest innings of the year. There had been higher scores made before, but his invaluable innings on this occasion helped to make our score respectable, while if there had been anyone else on the side to fight the uphill struggle in which he so greatly succeeded, the result might have been different.

For Guildford, Davies, Jones and Cantwell played invaluable innings, and our opponents ought indeed to be grateful to the tail-enders, who really brought victory to their side.

Money, Christian and Johnson were the most successful bowlers on our side, while Peck and Jones divided the wickets for C.E.G.S.

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

Clark, ct Thiel, b Christian	4
Field, b Johnson	0
Cantwell, ct Brumby, b Money	41
Brown, l.b.w., b Johnson	18
Peck, b Money	11
Greatorox, st Loton (iii), b Money . .	16
Malloch, thrown out	5
Davies, ct Christian, b Money	44
Jones, b Christian	42
Cook, ct Loton (i), b Money	24
Calder, not out	5
Sundries	12

Total 222

HIGH SCHOOL.

Loton, A, c Clark b Peck	0
Money, b Jones	88
Loton, C., b Peck	4
Loton, M., c Greateorex b Peck	32
Christian, c Greateorex b Jones	3
Brumby, b Peck	1
Thiel, b Peck	15
Nathan, c Calder b Jones	1
Blackman, b Jones	0
Sanders, b Jones	6
Johnson, not out	0
Sundries	19

Total 169

Bowling: Peck 5 for 60, Jones 5 for 14.

FINAL ROUND OF 1921 AND OPENING OF 1922 CRICKET SEASON.

NE feels that an introduction for the 1922 season should fittingly commence with a short paragraph on the conclusion of last year's competition. C.E.G.S. and ourselves were both successful in winning five matches, so that a play-off was necessary. In this match, chiefly owing to the fine batting of the "tail," Guildford set us the good total of 222. With 3 wickets down for 142 our chances looked fair, but the strain proved too great, and a collapse followed. Such is a brief resume of our defeat and Guildford's triumph. We heartily congratulate them upon their success.

This year we found that four of the Eleven in Thiel (captain), Money, A. Loton and H. Johnson were missing. Thiel showed himself to be a good captain and an all-rounder of class. A forcing batsman, he was responsible for a good century against Scotch in 1920, and as a bowler he developed a "googly" which brought him a number of wickets. Frank Money was another all-rounder who was remarkably successful in his last term. He was a batsman with great driving powers and made a capital 88 in the play-off. In this match he also took 5 wickets for 75, thus establishing a notable double performance. A. Loton was a prolific run-getter, but his runs took a long time in the making. A remarkable defensive batsman, his average at one time in the year rose to 99.5. To the other schools he was always a source of worry when at the wickets. H. Johnson was a

bowler slightly faster than the average trundler in the W.A. Schools. He was not as successful in Cup matches as expected, but was always a hard trier.

Lyall, Harde, B. Johnson and Roberts replaced the missing members in the team. They each to a great extent justified their inclusion and helped towards our success this term.

One noticeable fact on the grounds this season has been the essential need for more net practice facilities. With increasing numbers and the ground space a constant quantity this is inevitable.

In conclusion reference should be made to the success of the team in winning the first three matches. It must be seen, that this standard is maintained later. So long as all the players go on to the field with the settled determination to do their utmost for the School, there should be every prospect of our once more gaining the Darlot Cup. In particular the younger members of the team are to be complimented on their performances to date.

FIRST ROUND, 1922.

H.S. v. C.B.C

W.A.C.A., East Wicket, April 5th, 1922

We commenced our first round of Cup matches with C.B.C. as our opponents. The wicket was good, so on winning the toss we elected to bat. Loton i and ii opened the batting, the former facing Boylson. The score was only 13 when Loton ii, attempting to cut Boylson, nicked the ball and was well caught by Giles standing well back. Johnson, a new boy of small physique, followed, and presenting the full face of his bat to everything soon caused a change in the bowling. Kennedy took Chesson's place with the ball and Boylson gave way to Herbert. The scoring was monotonously slow, even the loosest of balls being quietly played. Ten minutes before the luncheon adjournment Loton i was caught behind on the leg side off Kennedy—2—37—68. Christian was next, but the third ball beat and bowled him. Blackman, who joined Johnson, spooned an easy catch over the bowler's head, but owing to a misunderstanding

the ball dropped safely. Resuming at 2 o'clock Blackman was soon bowled by Kennedy and the score then showed 4-1-69. Brumby, the next batsman, opened carefully, but later played some sound shots. Johnson had till now been batting faultlessly, but he also was caught behind off Kennedy, 5-36-135. Hardie partnered Brumby, who was now nearing 50. With the total at 146 Brumby succumbed l.b.w. to Kennedy. He had showed improved form for his 59. With Nathan and Hardie together the scoring was again slow. When 23, Nathan played one back to Leahy, and was out, 7-23-178. Lyall opened briskly, and with Hardie put on some 40 runs for the eighth wicket. Lyall batted well for 30, being caught off Brockman. Sanders joined Hardie, only to see the latter stumped off O'Brien for a careful 32, 9-32-236. Roberts was last man, but Sanders mishit one and was caught in the slips off Leahy. Thus the total score was 238.

Owing to difficulty with regard to the ground C.B.C. were unable to bat until Monday, April 10th. O'Brien and Boylson were the opening batsmen. They found the wicket difficult, so that Lyall's first two overs were maidens, while from the opposite end Nathan was responsible for four consecutive maidens. With the score at 16 O'Brien tipped one off Lyall to slips and was out, 1-3-16. The Captain (Kennedy) joined Boylson, but the latter, in attempting a cut, sent the ball straight into the hands of Loton at point, 2-11-8. Lightly was the next to face the bowling. The two batsmen were content to play the accurate bowling with care, and the score slowly mounted. With his score at 24 Lightly was out l.b.w. to Christian, 3-24-51. Herbert continued the same slow tactics, playing most solidly. Kennedy, who had been lucky before through the slips, was taken at second slip off Hardie. A dangerous-looking partnership was thus broken, 4-26-86. Leahy, the newcomer, was bowled first ball by a good one from Hardie, while Daly, who then joined Herbert, just nicked the following ball off his wicket. Soon afterwards he was well caught by Hardie in the slips off Nathan, 6-6-93. Cusack, the eighth man, carried the score with Herbert to 107 before lunch.

Upon resuming Hardie and Christian took up the bowling. The two batsmen were playing steadily, but at 130, after a change in bowling, Cusack was caught in slips off Lyall, 7-24-130. Brockman in the next over was foolishly run out, and Chesson, his successor, was caught at point off Christian. Giles, the last man, came in but had only made two when he tipped a ball from Nathan and was taken by the wicket-keeper. We thus won by 105 runs on the first innings.

H.S. 1st Innings.

Loton, C. V., ct Giles, b Boylson ..	1
Loton, M., ct Giles b Kennedy ...	37
Johnson, ct Giles, b Kennedy ...	36
Christian, b Kennedy ...	0
Blackman, b Kennedy ...	1
Brumby, l.b.w., b Kennedy ...	59
Hardie, std. Giles, b O'Brien ...	32
Nathan, ct and b Leahy ...	23
Lyall, ct Cusack, b Brockman ...	30
Sanders, ct Kennedy, b Leahy ...	9
Roberts, not out ...	0
Sundries ...	10

Total ... 238

Bowling : Kennedy 5 for 53, Leahy 2 for 18, Brockman 1 for 21, O'Brien 1 for 23, Boylson 1 for 34.

C.B.C. 1st Innings.

O'Brien, ct Christian, b Lyall ...	3
Boylson, ct M. Loton, b Christian ...	11
Kennedy, ct Christian, b Hardie ...	26
Lightly, l.b.w., b Christian ...	24
Herbert, not out ...	25
Leahy, b Hardie ...	0
Daly, ct Hardie, b Nathan ...	6
Brockman, run out ...	0
Cusack, ct Christian, b Lyall ...	24
Chesson, ct M. Loton, b Christian ...	0
Giles, ct C. Loton, b Nathan ...	2
Sundries ...	12

Total ... 133

Bowling : Christian 3 for 29, Hardie 2 for 25, Nathan 2 for 25, Lyall 2 for 27.

H.S. v. C.E.G.S.

W.A.C.A., 7th April, 1922

Guildford won the toss and decided to bat. Cantwell and Bolton opened. The scoring was slow until the latter was caught by Nathan off Christian for 8. Greatorex was next and with Cantwell livened the play. However, Cantwell's wicket fell to Nathan, who bowled a straight ball which Cantwell tried to pull. He missed and was

consequently out l.b.w. for 33. Field and Cook followed in quick succession, both wickets falling for the cost of 14 runs. Canny joined Greatorex, who was batting slowly but surely, and he batted well for 12, when he was clean bowled by Lyall. Guildford's next three wickets fell for the cost of 1 run. Jones was smartly caught at point by M. Loton, Calder was run out and Kelsall was caught at mid-off by Blackman. Davies and Cornish for the last wicket added 22 runs, to which Davies contributed 17 not out.

C. V. and M. Loton opened for the School and they were not separated until 78 was shown on the board, when V. Loton was caught at mid-off by Davies after a forceful innings of 54. Christian followed and off the first two balls hit two fours and on the third was out l.b.w. to Field. Brumby joined M. Loton, who was unfortunately run out for 33. Nathan and Brumby batted well, until the former was caught by Calder for 35. Johnson followed, but was not long there when Brumby was stumped by Greatorex after an excellent 52. The next three wickets went for 0 runs, and for the last wicket Airey and Roberts added 30 runs, Airey 18 not out and Roberts 14.

Guildford batted again and at the drawing of stumps were 0 for 26. Scores:—

C.E.G.S. (1st Innings).	
Cantwell, l.b.w., b Nathan	33
Bolton, c Nathan, b Christian	8
Greatorex, run out	37
Field, c C. V. Loton, b Lyall	6
Cook, c M. Loton b Nathan	8
Canny, b Lyall	12
Jones, c M. Loton, b Christian	1
Calder, run out	1
Kelsall, c Blackman b Christian	0
Davies, not out	17
Cornish, b Nathan	4
Sundries	1

Total 128

H.S. (First Innings).	
Loton, M., run out	33
Loton, C. V., c Davies, b Field	54
Christian, l.b.w., b Field	8
Brumby, stpd. Greatorex, b Calder	52
Lyall, b Cantwell	0
Nathan, c Calder, b Canny	35
Johnson, l.b.w., b Davies	6
Blackman, c Cook, b Bolton	9
Hardie, b Bolton	0
Airey, not out	17
Roberts, c Cook, b Calder	14
Sundries	10

Total 238

SCOTCH COLLEGE v. HIGH SCHOOL.

W.A.C.A., 12th April, 1922

Bunning, the Scotch captain, after winning the toss and inspecting the wicket, decided to bat. Henry and Hoffman opened for Scotch. Henry was caught by Christian in the slips on the second ball of the match off Lyall. Sanders was next, but was run out in the next over for 4. Inverarity joined Hoffman, but was caught in the slips by Christian, after he had been there for three overs. Bunning followed, and was soon dismissed, being caught in the slips by Hardie, off Christian. Munroe joined Hoffman, who was batting steadily. Munroe never looked safe, and was caught at mid-off with a pretty catch by Sanders. Todd then faced Christian, and for one over livened the game, putting Christian for two fours and two in three successive balls, but he was too eager, and was caught by Nathan at cover. Anderson accompanied Hoffman, who was run out by an excellent throw-in from Nathan. Wansborough joined Anderson, who was dismissed at point by Loton in taking a brilliant catch. For the last wicket Carson and Brown batted well, bringing the score from 42 to 57, when Brown was caught by Brumby over the bowler's head.

With an hour to bat before lunch we opened with the two Lotons, as usual. Henry and Munroe were the bowlers. Both were accurate, with the result that scoring was slow. The score was only 7 when Munroe bowled M. Loton with a good one. Brumby followed, and the score slowly rose to 25. At this stage C. Loton, who had been glancing well, put one into Anderson's hands at fine leg. 3—17—25. Nathan joined Brumby and at lunch the score was 29.

Upon resuming Brumby was soon out, being caught behind off Henry. 3—13—34. Christian and Nathan were next associated, and by careful play they carried the score past that of Scotch. Nathan was batting finely in quite his best form, when a ball from Munroe cannonned off his leg on to the wicket. The partnership had realised 106. 4—52—140. Johnson was the next batsman. Quiet play followed until Christian, attempting to pull Henry, skied the ball and was caught by the keeper. 5—73—162. Hardie and Johnson batting steadily next carried

the score to 184, when Johnson was out l.b.w. to Inverarity. Lyall joined Hardie, and with good hard shots, reached 10. He was then caught behind off Wansborough. Airey, who followed, provided some of the best batting of the day. The score ran quickly to 240, before Hardie was caught at 3rd man by Carson off Brown. He had batted patiently and well for his runs. 8—31—240. Sanders was bowled first ball by Brown. The last pair added fifteen before Roberts was bowled by Munroe, 10—1—256. Airey remained not out with 42, made in first class fashion.

We thus won our 3rd match by 199 runs.
S.C.

Henry, c Christian, b Lyall	0
Hoffman, run out	9
Sanders, run out	4
Inverarity, c Christian, b Lyall	7
Bunning, c Hardie, b Christian	4
Munroe, c Sanders, b Lyall	2
Todd, c Nathan, b Christian	11
Anderson, c M. Loton, b Christian	0
Wansborough, c M. Loton, b Lyall	4
Carson, not out	9
Brown, c Brumby, b Christian	6
Sundries	1

Total 57

Bowling: Christian, 4 for 25; Lyall, 4 for 32.

H.S.

Loton, M., b Munroe	1
Loton, C., c Anderson, b Henry	17
Brumby, c Hoffman, b Henry	13
Nathan, b Munroe	52
Christian, c Hoffman, b Henry	73
Johnson, l.b.w., b Inverarity	11
Hardie, c Carson, b Brown	31
Lyall, c Hoffman, b Wansborough	10
Airey, not out	42
Sanders, b Brown	0
Roberts, b Munroe	1
Sundries	5

Total 256

Bowling: Munroe, 3 for 51; Henry, 3 for 61; Brown, 2 for 33; Wansborough, 1 for 33; Inverarity, 1 for 69.

OTHER MATCHES. 1st ELEVEN. 1922.

v. Eastern Districts. Feb. 20th.—Won. Districts, 85 (White 17, Fowler 11). Bowling: Nathan 2 for 10, Witty 3 for 23, Lyall 2 for 19, Hantke 1 for 9, Christian 1 for 2. H.S., 161, Blackman 57, Sanders 40, Nathan 23). Bowling: Fowler 4 for 50, Hammersley 2 for 54, O'Mara 1 for 13.

v. Beverley. Feb. 21st.—Drawn. Beverley,

162 (Fleay 35, Lodge 19, Minchin 19, Jones 17). Bowling: Nathan 2 for 23, Witty 1 for 36, Hantke 1 for 18, Christian 2 for 28. H.S., 9 for 104 (Christian 34, Nathan 21, Blackman 17). Bowling: Brown 3 for 12, Humphries 2 for 4.

v. Union Bank. Feb. 25th.—Drawn. Union Bank, 124 (Hocking n.o. 70, R. Bott 17, Lorton 13). Bowling: Witty 3 for 12, Christian 3 for 23, Hantke 2 for 18, Ryan 1 for 24. H.S., 6 for 78 (Johnson 22, Brumby n.o. 18, Hardie 14). Bowling: Milne 1 for 23, Lorton 2 for 5, Bott 1 for 17, Hedley 2 for 16.

v. Modern School, March 1st.—Won. H.S., 122 (Christian 54, Nathan 21, Blackman 12). Bowling: Jones 7 for 38, Helson 1 for 11, Miller 1 for 1. M.S., 111 (Grigg 33, White n.o. 28, Smith 14, Helson 11). Bowling: Nathan 4 for 29, Christian 3 for 26, Witty 2 for 45).

v. Education Department. March 4th.—Won. H.S., declared at 8 for 136 (Lyall 34, M. Loton 29, Witty 16, C. Loton 13). Bowling: Clayton 3 for 29, Skipworth 2 for 29, Teer 1 for 12, Millington 1 for 15, Smart 1 for 19). Ed. Dpt., 94 (Millington 27, Skipworth 15, Johnson 12, Halliday 10). Bowling: Nathan 2 for 18, Witty 3 for 29, Christian 3 for 20, Lyall 2 for 3.

v. Modern School. March 8th.—Lost. H.S., 81 (Loton C. 19, Brumby 18, Blackman 19). Bowling: Miller 6 for 18, Grigg 3 for 26. M.S., 8 for 140 (Miller 51, Jones 19, McCrae 18, Helson 17). Bowling: Witty 3 for 13, Nathan 3 for 29, Christian 1 for 37.

v. Westralian Farmers. March 18th.—Won. H.S., 9 for 177 (Hardie 27, Blackman and Johnson 25, Loton, M. and Sanders 21, Mr. Roydhouse n.o. and C. Loton 20). Bowling: Phillip 2 for 34, McLean 1 for 50, Moyle 1 for 54. W.F., 128 (Drummond 70, Dunman 31, Arnott 12). Bowling: Roberts 5 for 55, Hardie 4 for 13, Nathan 1 for 30.

v. Claremont Training College, March 22.—Won. C.T.C., 83 (McLeod 49). Bowling: Nathan 6 for 28, Christian 4 for 39. H.S., 7 for 12 (Christian 46, Sanders n.o. 23, Brumby 15). Bowling: Dolan 2 for 9, Crutchett 1 for 12, O'Dwyer 1 for 18, Jones 1 for 19, McLeod 1 for 22.

v. N. Perth Social. March 25th.—Drawn. N. Perth, 178 (Mr. Johnson 73, H. Johnson 42, Gillick 34). Bowling: Brumby 3 for 16, Airey 2 for 10, Roberts 2 for 42, Hardie 1 for 29. H.S., 4 for 78 (M. Loton 23, Black-

man n.o. 21, Hardie 14). Bowling: Gillick 2 for 21, H. Johnson 1 for 25.

v. Naval and Military Club. April 1st.—Won. N. and M. Club, 1st innings, 84 (Lauch 30, Carter 17). Bowling: Roberts 6 for 42, Hardie 4 for 40. 2nd innings, 3 for 171 (Bryant n.o. 61, Carter 31) Bowling: Lyall 3 for 52. H.S., 124 (C. Loton 36, Hardie 21, M. Loton n.o. 20). Bowling: O'Grady 3 for 18, Unmack 1 for 4, Compton 1 for 2, Lauch 1 for 10.

2nd XI. MATCHES, FINAL TERM, 1921.

Drawn at Swanbourne. S.C. (185). Brown not out 66; Sanders 44. School (2 for 103). Sanders 66 not out; Hardie 26 not out.

Won at Claremont. School (84). Sanders 33. Bowling: Drummond 3 for 46. C.C.S. (65). Giles 12. Bowling: Lyall 4 for 16.

Drawn at King's Park. Modern School (7 for 89). Whittier 25; Owen 29 not out. Bowling: Reading 5 for 22. High School (91). Roberts 23; Halbert 19. Bowling: Watson 5 for 22.

Lost at King's Park. C.E.G.S. (9 for 84). Calder 26, Johnson 21. Bowling: Lyall 5 for 31, School (80). Nathan 20. Bowling: Bolton 2 for 8.

MATCHES THIS YEAR.

22nd. February (Lost). C.C.S. (8 for 85). Drummond 26, Giles 16. Bowling: Sparko 2 for 7. School (79). Johnson 25 not out, Spargo 15.

4th March (Drawn) Scotch College (6 for 50). Sanders 19. Bowling: Roberts 4 for 24. School (6 for 88 declared). Hardie 26 not out, Lyall 19. Bowling: Keightly 2 for 21.

8th March (Won). School (45). Perkins 11. Bowling: Cooper 4 for 14. Modern School (39). Bowling: Roberts 7 for 22.

15th March (Lost). C.E.G.S. (137). Canny 29, Wilkie 31. Bowling: Ryan 3 for 48. School (7 for 108 declared). Grant (i) 28 not out, Perkins 22. Bowling: Renouf 2 for 8.

8th April (Drawn). C.C.S. (6 for 32). Lovegrove 8 not out. Bowling: Lyall 3 for 14. School (96). Perkins retd. 32, Lyall 18, Grant 17. Bowling: Drummond 7 for 20.

3rd XI. MATCHES.

Owing to the vogue of under age matches and the lack of grounds, only one match has been played so far this year, resulting in a loss against Scotch College.

THE UNDER 15 XI.

Among under 15 players the following stand out: G. Parker, with 48, to score for them, Marshall (Captain), Smith, who with more pains at practice will be a bat hard to shift; Thompson and Veryard, who have been useful bowlers. C. Hales is promising, likewise Treacy, Duncan and Wilkins.

Out of the four matches we have lost three. The next season we hope to find ourselves a much stronger team.

UNDER 15 MATCHES.

Lost. v. C.S.C. (9 for 140). School (54); Marshall 29, Duncan 10 not out. Bowling: erVeryard 2 for 8, Tracy 3 for 30, Marshall 3 for 40.

Won v. C.C.P.S. (93). School (9 for 114). Parker 46, Smith 13, Marshall 12, Tracy 10. Bowling: Thompson 6 for 30.

Lost v. C.B.C. (120). School (97); Parker 40, C. Hales 16. Bowling: Thompson 5 for 14, Veryard 2 for 15, Marshall 2 for 19.

OTHER XI's.

The under 14 have done fairly well, winning three out of six matches. The only boy to show any marked distinction is Dudley Law, who has proved himself an excellent wicket-keeper and made the highest score, 35.

The under 12 have, under the captainship of Colin Newberry, done excellent work, winning 5 out of 6 matches. Hall did some very good work all through—his highest score being 21. Colin Newberry deserves great credit not only as a good, unselfish captain but also for continuous good batting and bowling. His highest score was 35.

BATTING AVERAGES FOR CUP MATCHES 1922.

Batsman.	No. of Times Highest			Total.	Avg.
	in'gs.	not out.	score.		
Airey	2	2	42*	59	—
Brumby	3	—	59	124	41.3
Nathan	3	—	52	110	36.6
Christian	3	—	73	81	27.0
Loton, C.	3	—	54	72	24.0
Loton, M.	3	—	37	71	23.6
Hardie	3	—	32	63	21.0
Johnson	3	—	36	53	17.6
Lyall	3	—	30	40	13.3
Roberts	6	1	14	15	7.5
Blackman	2	—	9	10	5.0
Sanders	2	—	9	9	4.5

*Signifies not out.

BOWLING.

Bowler.	Wickets.	Runs.	Overs.	Mdns.	Avg.
Christian	10	92	38	13	9.2
Nathan	5	51	23.5	7	10.2
Lyall	8	90	37	10	11.25
Hardie	2	41	11	1	20.5
Roberts	0	52	16	1	—

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BATTING AVERAGES.

Batsman	Total Runs.	Inn'gs.	Times not out.	Av'ge.
Loton, A.	263	7	2	52.6
Money, F.	274	7	—	39.14
Loton, C. V.	150	6	2	37.5
Christian, A.	171	7	—	24.42
Brumby, S.	142	6	—	23.6
Loton, M.	123	7	1	20.5
Thiel, J.	105	6	—	17.5
Nathan, J.	92	6	—	15.3
Johnson, H.	23	6	3	7.6
Blackman, T.	40	6	—	6.6
Airey	4	1	—	4.
Sanders	6	3	—	2.

BOWLING AVERAGES.

Bowler.	Runs.	W'kts.	Average.
Christian, A.	212	22	9.63
Thiel, G.	186	18	10.3
Nathan, J.	102	7	14.5
Johnson, H.	152	8	19.
Money, F.	229	11	20.8

CRITIQUE OF 1st ELEVEN.

M. LOTON.—A fine opening batsman with strokes all round the wicket. Inclined to be stodgy and would do well to utilise his cover shot more often. Fields at point and is an excellent catch.

C. LOTON.—Our other opening batsman. Bats freely, but when going properly is inclined to pull good length balls off the leg stump. As wicketkeeper is fair, but not up to his last season's form. With M. Loton is to be congratulated for a fine opening stand against C.E.G.S.

S. BRUMBY.—A left-hander, who struck form for the Cup matchers. His best stroke is a cover drive. Has a tendency to draw back from balls on the leg stump. A fair field and good catch.

J. NATHAN.—With the bat has shown signs of his best form. Hits very hard and is one of our most useful bowlers. As a cover point is probably the best in the Public Schools.

E. BLACKMAN.—A greatly improved batsman who drives hard. However, did not bat as well as expected in Cup matches. At mid-off is an excellent field and very safe catch.

E. SANDERS.—A batsman who makes runs in unorthodox style. With careful practice should make a fair change bowler.

An excellent out-fielder. Fielded brilliantly in play-off last year.

B. JOHNSON.—A most correct left-hand batsman. Plays all his strokes properly, but his small stature prevents him from scoring quickly. In the field is afraid of nothing and is very safe.

A. HARDIE.—Won his place by hard practice. Has improved wonderfully with the bat, but would do well to punish half volleys more. Bowls well, although at times keeps a bit short. Good slip field.

N. LYALL.—Another improved bat. Drives hard and is a very fair length bowler. Has proved himself very keen, and is a good field.

AIREY.—An improved batsman with good driving capabilities. Should be a fair bowler. When in the field he should keep his attention fixed on the game.

ROBERTS.—Has shown himself a good leg-break bowler. Also bowls the off-break and keeps a good length. Will do better later in the year. As a bat he comes out well to meet the ball and should improve. A good field.

A. CHRISTIAN.—The captain of the team. He is a very good general who handles his team remarkably well, and does much to enthuse the team with keenness. His batting is very forceful and his 73 against Scotch College was a very fine effort indeed. He has secured 99 wickets in Cup matches, which fact speaks for itself.

2nd XI.

Lyall, Hardie and Roberts having graduated into the 1st XI. a new captain was elected in the person of Bernie Nathan, who has already shown considerable ability in his new position. Although matches won are out-balanced by those lost, the cricket has been remarkably keen throughout the term, and in each case our loss was by only a slight margin.

During the latter end of 1921 Sanders, Hardie, Lyall, Roberts and Halbert distinguished themselves with the bat, while Hardie, Lyall, Roberts and Reading did best with the ball. During this term Perkins, a fresh arrival, has shown on several occasions sound batting and always alertness on the

and Curlew, Draper, and Officer deserve complimenting.

The best swimmers were Breen, champion of the club, with Ambrose (captain) runner-up, Oliver, 1 and 2 champions under 14, 13 and 11, with Milner, Officer and Forrest runners-up.

Championship Races.

Results:

75 yards, under 15.—Breen, 1; Tomlinson, 2; Oliver, 3; Ambrose, 4. Time, 54 4-5sec.
424 yards, under 15.—Breen, 1; Tomlinson, 2; Thompson, 3; C. Angell, 4. Time, 7min. 12sec.
75 yards, under 14.—Oliver, 1; Milner, 2; Hales, 3; Downie, 4. Time, 58 2-5sec.
50 yards, under 13.—Oliver, 1; Officer, 2; Reay, 3; Noble, 4. Time, 38 1-5sec.
50 yards, under 12.—Oliver, 1; Draper, 2; Noble, 3; Dean, 4. Time, 39sec.
50 yards, under 11.—Oliver, 1; Forrest, 2; Dean, 3. Time, 43sec.
25 yards, under 10.—Lee Steere, 1; Wood, 2; Spence, 3. Time, 35sec.
Wading Race.—Dease, 1; Officer, 2; Walters, 3.

Diving Events.

Neat Dive.—Officer, 1; Hales, 2; Marshall, 3.
High Dive.—Breen, 1; Oliver, 2; Hales, 3. Distance Plunge.—Ambrose, 1; White, 2; Treneman, 3. Distance, 40ft. 8in.
Long Dive.—Sara, 1; Chase, 2; Baxter, 3.

Handicap Events.

75 yards, under 15.—Tomlinson, 1; Thompson, 2; Milner, 3.
212 yards, under 15.—Thompson, Oliver, 1; dead heat, 1; Breen, 2; Tomlinson, 3; Draper, 4.
50 yards, Breast, under 15.—Baxter, 1; Treneman, 2; Shillington, 3.
50 yards, Back Stroke, under 15.—Law, 1; Thompson, 2; Ambrose, 3.
50 yards, under 14.—Sewell, 1; Law, 2; Cummins, 3.
75 yards, under 13.—Mills, 1; Alpinie, 2; Reay, 3.

14 records, while Oliver, 2, broke the records of the 50 yards under 12 and the 50 yards under 11. The neat and high diving was of a high standard and the racing was very interesting.

We take this opportunity of saying farewell to Brian Curlew, our late club secretary, who has left the West for St. Peter's College, Adelaide. He was popular and had already shown his value as an organiser and secretary, but our loss will be St. Peter's gain. We wish Brian the best of good luck and hope to see him back here even yet.

THE JUNIOR CLUB CARNIVAL.

Under almost ideal weather conditions the sixth annual carnival of the Junior Club was held in the baths on Wednesday morning, March 8, Mr. Wilson having kindly granted a half-holiday in the morning for the occasion. Messrs. H. B. Curlew, L. J. Forrest, R. Noble, H. V. Treneman, J. Roydhouse and J. Campbell acted as judges. During the morning Mrs. T. J. Breen presented the club's gold badges to C. Angell, J. Milner, C. Hales, Fred Oliver, K. Thompson and L. Tomlinson. In asking Mrs. Breen to present the badges, Mr. Clarke paid a tribute to the enthusiastic interest she, along with other parents, had taken in the welfare of the boys, and spoke in appreciative terms of the splendid work done by the boys in the organising and conduct of the club's activities. Foremost among the workers were Ambrose, Breen, Milner and Angell, while a share of the responsibility fell upon the shoulders of one boy of eleven. It was an excellent training and part of their equipment in life. He drew attention to the number of boys competing in the championships and said that even though they might not be able to win inter-schools swimming they could put into the field more competent swimmers perhaps than any other school in Australia in proportion to their numbers. A noticeable feature of the day was the excellent way in which the senior committee relieved the juniors who were competing by managing the actual programme,

field. B. Nathan has decidedly improved and has been showing every promise of a brilliant career next season. Reading left us for the call of the river half-way through the team, just when his cricket was getting interesting. Grant i would be much more reliable if he were to practice with some definite object in mind. Ryan is a valuable field, but he must eradicate the scoop and substitute more swing into his batting. Kelly and Spargo are in a stage of development and must still learn how to punish loose balls instead of feebly poking at them. Fowler has proved himself a useful bowler. Irving has shown a steady improvement.

THE PREFECTS' BALL.

ON Saturday, August 13, the prefects held their first of what is to become an annual ball in the School Hall. A committee had previously been elected by the prefects from amongst their numbers, with M. D. Easton as secretary and C. H. B. Norman as treasurer. The prefects owe in a large measure the undoubted success of their function to Mr. D. D. Rankin, at whose suggestion the ball was undertaken, and whose advice was exceedingly helpful throughout.

There was a lot of initial work to be undertaken, but with such an energetic secretary and able treasurer all the arrangements were completely satisfactory.

The hall was beautifully decorated with light blue and dark blue streamers, the school colours, and the floor, having been carefully prepared, was ipso facto a temptation irresistible when it was coupled with the delightful strains of Sheridan's best jazz efforts.

Then the dresses—ah! At this juncture my pen can only falter when I essay to describe individually the charms of any one of that dazzling array.

The supper was all that could be desired in all aspects, and for this we wish to thank the prefects' mothers for kindly carrying out all the arrangements; and the display of delicacies was enhanced by the tastefulness of the decorations of the supper room.

Mr. Wilson, our headmaster, during the

evening spoke a few words in praise of the prefects' efforts, and expressed the hope that it would become an annual fixture, in which hope he has been justified.

Finally, all the company dispersed with a feeling of satisfied enjoyment derived from what was a most successful evening in all respects.

CAMERA CLUB NOTES.

THE Camera Club this year promises to be more of a success than it has been in the past, owing to the small increase of much-needed enthusiastic members.

The annual general meeting was held on March 20th for the election of officers. This election resulted in C. Burgess being elected secretary, H. Trenaman treasurer, and A. Curlewis, G. Gwynne, R. Officer, K. McGibbon and Witty to form a committee.

The thanks of the club are due to Mr. Newbury for the use of the lecture room. The room will be used for developing photos during dinner hour or after school, and will be a great help towards the success of the club.

An open competition will be held on April 27th, divided into two grades. All members are asked to exhibit in this competition, and even if they are unsuccessful in gaining a prize they will receive points for their best photo, thus having a chance of a big prize at the end of the year.

EXCHANGES.

The Editor wishes to acknowledge with many thanks the receipt of the following:—Victorian:—The Melburnian, Scotch Collegian, The Pegasus, Corian.

N.S.W.:—Armidalian, Torch-bearer, Royal Australian Naval College Magazine, Royal Military College Magazine, The Sydneian, Newingtonian, and King's.

S.A.:—St. Peter's College Magazine, Prince Alfred Chronicle, Adelaide High School Magazine, The Student.

Queensland:—Ipswich Grammar School, Southportian.

Overseas:—The Sylvian (from Washington, U.S.A.).

Local:—The Swan, Reporter, Sphinx, and Sheaf.

THE INTER-SCHOOLS COMPETITION.

Swanbourne Range, December 3rd

Except for an occasional slight southerly breeze the weather conditions were excellent. The light was clear and only a vague upward mirage was apparent from the five hundred yard dump. Guildford Church of England Grammar, as last year, was unrepresented.

We gained first choice of position and chose the outside left target, with C.B.C. between us and S.C. The match began at 10 o'clock at the 200 yards range and here we established a lead of 7 points, Scotch College running second. The spectators consisted of a crowd of Scotch College supporters with a sprinkling of High School and Christian Brothers' barrackers.

At the 500 yards range we put ourselves well in front with the record score of 458. Scotch College came second with 435 points.

The Cup was handed over by Mr. Anderson, of Scotch College, who expressed regret in having to part with it, and congratulated the school team on its excellent score and the determination to win which it had shown throughout the year by its hard work. The day ended in a round of cheers for the winners, and three more for the unsuccessful competitors.

The individual scores were:

V. Shallcross (capt.)	53
A. Anderson (champion shot)	61
C. Chase	57
A. Rosser	57
G. Gwynne	61
H. Norman	56
H. Mussared	59
R. Reading	54

Total 458

The scores consisted of 42 bulls, 45 inners, 19 magpies, 6 outers, and 0 washouts.

Anderson and Gwynne were the best shots of the day, each scoring 61 out of a possible 70. As Anderson had ended his shoot with better shots than the last ones of Gwynne, the title of champion shot was given to him. The Mines Department pre-

sented both Gwynne and Anderson with trophy spoons for their great shooting.

H. Norman, by putting up the score of 66 during practice shooting, won the Carris Spoon for the highest score of the season. No one, however, succeeded in getting the £1 offered by two members of the staff to the first to score a "possible."

The team fully recognises that their success was in a large measure due to the untiring efforts and keenness of their coach, Mr. Davis-Moore, and as a token of their regard for him the members of the team presented him with a small memento to emphasise their appreciation.

We are hoping to see a larger crowd roll up this year for shooting and school teams will be picked. Perhaps we can arrange a cup match between day boys and boarders—the cup to be shot for three times a year. At all events we are looking forward to a successful year.

Winners of the shooting since 1910:	
1910	High School
1911	Scotch College
1912	Scotch College
1913	High School
1914	Scotch College
1915	Scotch College
1919	Scotch College
1920	Scotch College
1921	High School

TENNIS NOTES.

LAST year we made a start in the tennis line, and, for the first time for some years the School entered a team for the Slazenger Cup, a competition for junior clubs and schools of this State. At first we were hampered by not having any courts on which to practice, and also by having no funds. But finally a few boys who were keen on the game supplied the latter, while the boys were kindly allowed to practice on Dr. E. A. Officer's court. To him our thanks are sincerely offered.

With quite raw material at the beginning we had little hope of victory, but after the perseverance of Mr. Clarke, and the unexpected improvement, our boys were only

beaten in the semi-finals by the University team, who were more experienced than our team. To them and to the final winners, Modern School, we offer our hearty congratulations.

Our team was composed of Bessel Brown (captain), R. Officer, T. F. Hantke, and E. V. Blackman, and G. Law. In our last match, the play of Brown and Officer was worthy of praise. It is a pity that, with so many boys interested in the game of tennis of whom several played for other clubs, there is no opportunity within the school itself for one of the best and most recognised games in the world, to be encouraged, especially as tennis is one of the very few games which a lad is able to keep playing after he leaves school. A boy, who at school does not take up cricket, football, or swimming, is not a true boy, but there is room for other sports as well, and with school courts it would be possible to control the playing, so that it would not interfere with any other sports. We look forward to the day and hope that it will not be long in coming when the School will follow the examples of other secondary schools of this State, and, if not able to put down six grass courts, will at least make an effort to put down two. Of course the School cannot do anything as yet, for it has too many other calls upon its finances, but some people may feel like helping, and many hands make light work.

The following are the matches played by our team in the Slazenger Cup last year:—High School v. Scotch College (won).

Singles.—Brown (H.S.) beat Munro (S.C.), 6—1; Officer (H.S.), beat Camm (S.C.), 6—3; Hantke (H.S.) lost to Lamb (S.C.), 9—11; Blackman (H.S.) lost to Johnson (S.C.), 3—6.

Doubles.—Brown and Officer (H.S.) beat Munro and Camm (S.C.), 6—1, 6—2. Hantke and Blackman (H.S.) lost to Lamb and Johnson (S.C.), 6—1, 5—6, 7—9. Total: High School, 5 sets 54 games; Scotch College, 4 sets, 40 games.

High School v. Technical School (won).

Singles.—Brown (H.S.) beat Hoskins (T.S.), 6—1; Officer (H.S.), beat Shields (T.S.), 6—0; Hantke (H.S.) beat Hopkins (T.S.),

6—0; Law (H.S.) beat Cterckekeo (T.S.), 11—9.

Doubles.—Brown and Officer (H.S.) beat ——— and Shields (T.S.), 6—2, 6—4; Hantke and Law (H.S.) beat Cterckekeo and ——— (T.S.), 6—1, 6—4. Total: High School, 8 sets 71 games; Technical School, 0 sets 21 games.

We regret to state that the names of the 1st and 3rd players' names from the Technical School have not been obtainable. High School v. University (lost).

Singles.—Brown (H.S.) lost to Stewart (U.), 1—6; Officer (H.S.) beat Johnson (U), 6—3; Hantke (H.S.), lost to Medcalf (U), 4—6; Blackman (H.S.) lost to Munt (U); 4—6.

Doubles.—Brown and Officer (H.S.) lost to Johnson and Stewart (U.), 6—1, 5—7, 3—6; Hantke and Blackman (H.S.) lost to Medcalf and Munt (U.), 5—6, 2—6. Total: University, 7 sets 47 games; High School, 2 sets 36 games.

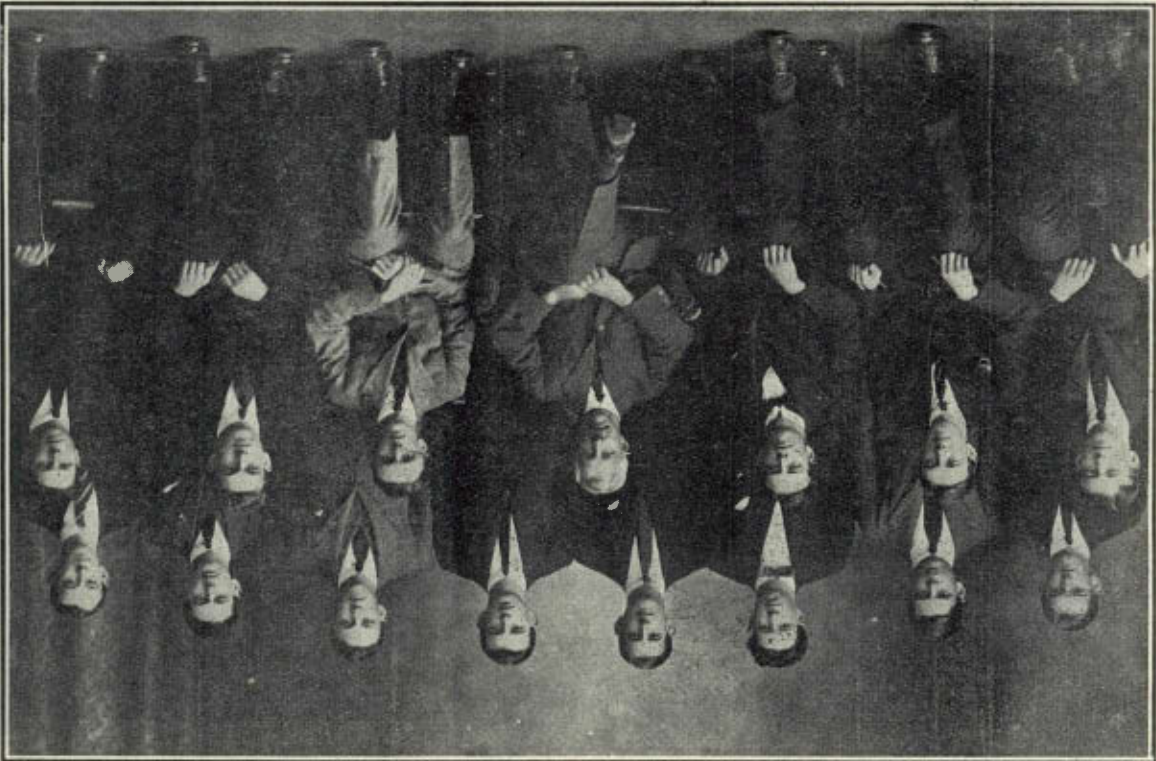
JUNIOR SWIMMING CLUB.

BESIDES our Annual Carnival we have been very active training those of promise and teaching non-swimmers. Last year at the beginning of the season we had series of handicap races, a points competition, and our annual river excursion per motor launch to Claremont to compete against Christ Church.

The competition against Christ Church, held in Claremont Baths, resulted in a win for the club by 7 points. The racing was interesting and the quality of the diving was very good. The morning on the river was enjoyed by all the club members and several parents who made the trip.

Again this year we have followed out our usual programme, and once more held our points competition and bi-ennial contest with Christ Church. Again this competition resulted in a win for the club, but this time by a larger margin of 24 points. Highly creditable was the swimming of the two Olivers; Oliver i. breaking the 100 yards under 14 and 50 yards breast stroke under

PREFECTS, 1921



Standing — G. Gwynne, F. Mooney, K. Brown, R. Cockburn, J. Virtue, S. Christian, I. Anderson, M. Easton
Sitting — J. Broadhurst, C. Obase, G. Mann, Mr. Wilson, G. Thiel, H. Norman, L. Loton.

(C.E.G.S.), 3; time, 18 2-5sec.; run-off, Peck defeated Edelman. Final: Cockburn (H.S.), 1; Norman (H.S.), 2; Nunn (S.C.), 3; Smart (C.E.G.S.), 4; time, 17 2-5sec. High Jump, under 16.—Hantke (H.S.), 1; Blackman (H.S.) and Cummins (C.E.G.S.), 2; Hornby (C.B.C.), 3; height, 5ft. 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. 440 yards, under 16.—Hantke (H.S.), 1; Langley (S.C.), 2; Jeffrey (C.B.C.), 3; Wansborough (S.C.), 4; time, 58 1-5sec. Long Jump, Open.—Chase (H.S.), 1; Norman (H.S.), 2; Watts (C.E.G.S.), 3; Taylor (C.E.G.S.), 4; distance, 20ft. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. Old Boys' Relay Race, 660 yards.—C.E.G.S., 1; C.B.C., 2; S.C., 3; H.S., 4; time, 1min. 12 2-5sec. 100 yards, under 13.—Roberts (S.C.), 1; Huddleston (C.E.G.S.), 2; Milner (H.S.), 3; Oldham (C.E.G.S.), 4; time, 13 1-5sec. One Mile, Open.—Mann (H.S.), 1; Brown (H.S.), 2; Boylson (C.B.C.), 3; Bunning (S.C.), 4; time, 5min. 1 4-5sec.

RIFLE NOTES FOR THE YEAR 1921.

FOR many years the school has been amongst "those who also ran" in the competition for the Challenge Cup; but it has not been until the last few years that real interest has been taken in the event by the schools in general. This is noticeable by the fact that, on the day of the shoot, there was a considerably greater crowd of spectators than on previous years. Many others who might have turned up did not even know of the event until it was over.

In the two years before 1921 we came third in each competition, and it was felt that the cause of our not doing better was not the lack of the right material in the way of marksmen, but want of practice and wider experience in the vagaries of wind, mirage, and light.

Having sized up the situation as this, Mr. Davies-Moore commenced organising, and, at the beginning of the second term he got together our shooting enthusiasts and arranged matters. So that on every

Tuesday afternoon and on an occasional Thursday musketry classes were held, and beginners were initiated into the mysteries of the modern service rifle, its uses and parts, and were put through the complete military course—consisting of aiming exercises, triangle of error tests and musketry exercises. In this way over sixty boys became familiar with the use of the rifles, and after a few weeks, miniature rifle shooting was organised and on Thursday afternoons small squads of six practised at the King's Park range. Then there was held for the title of Miniature Champion Shot a competition, which excited great enthusiasm, as is shown by the number of entries—over forty.

The competition on the first shoot resulted in a draw between G. Gwynne, R. Reading and A. Nicolls, each scoring 24 out of a possible 35. At the final shoot-off Reading came to the front with the excellent score of 34, just one point off possible. Gwynne was second with 24.

Then a big advance in the efficiency of the team took place owing to the kind offer of the Mines Club to provide opportunities for the school team to practice at the Swanbourne open ranges.

Needless to say this offer was eagerly seized upon, and about eight boys went down to the range every Saturday. Thanks to the help of the members of the Mines Club, and of Mr. Breen in particular, the team became surer in its shooting and more confident. We are also very grateful to the range sergeant for accommodating us with ranges on various occasions. It was not long before the determination to win was in the mind of the whole team, and the average shooting prior to the match was excellent, as the following figures show:—Monday, 414; Tuesday, 432; Wednesday, 417; Thursday, 426; Friday, 452 (record); Saturday, 458 (record).

On the results of the practices before them, the team, though the practice had to a large extent been interfered with by the exams. and the Cup matches, felt that, bar accidents, they had a very good chance of winning the Cup, and the results justified this assumption.

Shooting Team — Premiers 1921



Standing — C. Chase, A. Rosser, R. Reading, H. Mussared

Sitting — Mr. Davies-Moore, A. Anderson, V. Shallcross, G. Gwynne, H. Norman.

SOAP AND CANDLES.

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent by the Leaving Chemistry Class at Burford's soap works at North Fremantle, on Monday, August 15th of last year. The class was shown round by Mr. Hill, who took the place of the manager, who was away with influenza.

The works consist of three main parts—those in which soap, candles, and washing soda are made. The first part of the works inspected was the soda plant. The dry soda ash is imported from England and this is treated and left in vats for about six days to crystallise. When crystallised it is then sold as washing soda. A very interesting machine was that which nailed the cases. It is the only one of its kind in the State. The boards to be nailed are held under a stamp, on the top of which is a tray full of nails. A pedal is then pressed, the nails drop down a small pipe and are hammered into the boards. Another machine was that used for stamping the trade mark and the name of the firm on the case boards. The boards are put in a pile and the bottom one is automatically shoved under a revolving cylinder on which is the stamp. The board is then pushed out of the machine and is ready to be nailed into a case. The wood used is mostly jarrah, as this wood is cheap, and it is helping a W.A. industry to use it. The only thing against jarrah is its tendency to warp if used when green.

Then the candle part of the works were inspected. A molten liquid of paraffin wax and stearate is poured into moulds fixed in a machine. There is an upper and lower mould and as soon as the upper mould is dry, the wicks, which are continuous from top to bottom, can be cut. The whole machine is cooled by water circulating from a tank outside to tanks under the floor of the building. The wax used comes from the Eastern States and has to pay a duty of 2d. per lb. The Kalgoorlie branch owned by Burford's has a monopoly of mining candles which are supplied to the mines. A device for calculating the time which each man worked was then seen. This consisted of a large round disc on which were numbers. Each man in the works has a number

and as he comes in and goes out he presses a punch in his number. This shows the exact time that he has worked.

When the soap is taken from the moulds to be cut up, it is first cut into immense blocks, then into slabs by machines which force the soap through wires, then again through wires until the required length and breadth. When in the proper shape the soap is loaded on trolleys and run into drying chambers which are heated to dry. Once dry it is stamped by a patent stamping machine, passed along by a belt to another machine which is fed with paper wrappers and the soap, and this machine wraps the soap up ready for packing. On the top floor of the works are the tallow vats. The tallow is run into the tanks below by a steam pipe being inserted into the vat and the tallow is forced out. Resin, which is imported from U.S.A. is also dropped down a chute into the pans, as is the caustic soda which is used in making soft soap. A pan holds 16 tons of soap, and the resin used in this is necessary as a colouring matter and as a binder. In the making of toilet soap, analine dyes are used as colours. In this process it is necessary to stir the soap till stiff, so as to prevent the oleates and stearates from separating and forming veins in the soap.

In the manufacture of the ordinary soaps the mass when molten is treated with salt. Soap is insoluble in brine and therefore comes to the top. This is run off, leaving impurities. The impurity is then treated with hydrochloric acid and then with ferric alum. The glycerine forms a valuable by-product. This is a syrupy black liquid and is sold to Eastern States merchants, who remove the colouring with animal charcoal and use the white glycerine.

The visit ended by Mr. Newbury calling for three hearty cheers for Mr. Hill, which were cordially given. The class then proceeded to catch a train home, each with a cake of soap in his pocket as a memento of the visit.

THE SHOOTING CHALLENGE CUP.

Two Schools only have ever had possession of this cup—Scotch and ourselves. High School were the victors in 1910, 1913 and 1921. Scotch held it for the remaining years.

A DAY OF TORTURE.

ONE wakes up in the morning to find it bitterly cold, and wishes it were possible to stay comfortably in bed with good warm rugs to keep out the bleak morning.

Then—it seems very remarkable how it comes about—it is nearly fifteen minutes past eight, and that is long past rising time.

Reluctantly one crawls out of bed and, with a heavy heart, goes to face the frigid attentions of a cold shower. When clothed, however, in the warm garments provided by a thoughtful mother, one's spirits begin to rise.

Having breakfasted in a great hurry, for it is going on for nine o'clock, the journey to school is begun.

Then dismay grips one as the rat-tat-tat of Chipper's drum is heard, and many plans are made to elude "Janet," who is waiting grimly at the gate for late-comers. Somehow this is generally managed and, receiving a cheery "Good-day, Joe" from the maths. master, one settles down to work.

It is still very cold, and everybody is blowing in their hands to warm them. The two sinister sticks in the "Boss's" study have an added significance, and one wishes regretfully that there had been time to copy out the French essay again. Also, perhaps, it would have been better to learn up the English instead of reading that thrilling pirate story. The essay is collected, **however, and with** a considerably lighter heart one trots off to the "tuck shop," where the inner man is regaled with hot pies and reconciling pasties.

Kindly — has not much fault to find with the chemistry homework, and so, by this time feeling quite cheerful, one passes with springy step into the English class room.

There, O the bitter irony of Fate! a "Grand Test" awaits us. With a sinking heart the blackboard bristling with questions is scanned. With shaking hands the paper is ruled, and furious dabs made at

one question after another, until a stern and terrible voice announces that time is up and papers must be given in.

With tearful eye one regards the paper with its few jumbled incoherent answers, and mentally resigns one's self to the inevitable.

The master's eye runs over the answers on the paper and then fixes its owner with a glassy, terrifying stare.

In an utterly dejected frame of mind one creeps home to dinner. The afternoon passes away and, no dreaded summons coming, one even dares to hope.

In the evening homework is done—plus another chapter of the pirate story, and then one seeks the comfort of a warm bed, there to forget all daylight troubles in the arms of Morpheus who understands.

—Petit Leo.

A DWELLING OF DOOKS.

There is a dwelling of Dooks now that the world waxes wild

Where mathematics are taught, science and languages mild.

Taught by such masters who show stern academical pose,

Never a chance do the Dooks find of attempting a dose.

Surely a gift of the gods must be the hope of the great,

Taking the good and the bad meted out hourly by Fate.

Athletics strengthen their minds while in the study of men

Whose eloquence is prescribed yearly by 'Varsity pen.

Happy the times of the Dooks; nevertheless do they feel

Longings arise within them, longings for noon and the meal.

But at the close of the day, hail they the happiest time;

Strong is the calling of sports, strong to the Dook in his prime.

—RUE FUSS.

"MISERABLE BACK ROW."

(By "Agricola.")

I Camped with an old school mate the other night; he was going through the run with fat wethers, while I was out mustering cattle from the open country.

We sat yarning over the embers until far into the night, smoking numberless pipes, and talking, always about the Old School. About masters and their endless eccentricities, boys' sports, hoaxes, fights and the endless amazing adventures of some two hundred assorted youths.

How it all came back! That terrible first day, when we take our first plunge from the snug paternal barque into the strange terrifying and wonderfully new waters of life. All the swishing smack that a pliant malacca cane can make when it meets tight-stretched trousers. Even yet I have vivid (and painful) recollections of it.

Then there was the "milk shake," a most terrifying initiation ceremony for new boys that only barbarians—or schoolboys—could have thought of. The Old School was surrounded by huge pines, and these, some young savage discovered, had very springy boughs. A squirming, terrified new boy would be thrust aloft onto a thick, springy limb, especially selected for the purpose and which was a sort of sylvan "chevant de pise," with short, jagged wooden spikes sticking out all round, where the small branches had been broken off. A dozen willing hands would seize the down-drooping hands. A yell, and down it would come with a swish, leaving the wildly clutching new boy suspended in mid-air. Another blood-curdling yell, and the released bough would spring upward, meeting the down-coming victim with a rending bump. O, those prickles! They also have left a vivid and very painful recollection. Whenever I think of the "milk shake" I can imagine generations of small infants beseeching to be sent to some less brutal seminary, while their sympathetic and indignant mothers mend rent nether garments.

And Johnnie! We youngsters need to think him half ogre, half tyrant, wholly

terrifying. His dungeon (or class room) was gloomy and dark; the walls, the desks, the dais, everything was black: a dismal cavern in whose dim corners the rustling, fearsome shades of Euclid, Cicero and a dozen other schoolboy horrors might have lurked.

And Johnnie! We youngsters used to enter, opening the glass-panelled doors with awful carefulness and hugging our books and pencils to palpitating "buz-zums" for fear of dropping something. But we always DID drop something, and Johnny's cold, piercing, sarcastic eyes would make us wish we had remained in the comparative comfort and geniality of the third form.

The old forms were black with age and grime and ink and had been carved and whittled away by the idle and careless generations of a dim and distant past when Johnny was unknown. Furtively we used to trace out the worn names that had been carved there by illustrious Old Boys. Sometimes we found scraps of paper hidden away under some splinter or tight-fitting lid that dated 'way back to the eighties.

Johnny used to bombard us with barbed shafts of irony and sarcasm, most of which passed harmlessly over our heads. "The meeserable back row" (with what a world of ironic fierceness he used to imbue those few words) used to come in for most of it. Those unfortunates would bury their heads into books and try to look fearfully and wonderfully absorbed while Johnny plied them with mordant wit and satirical abuse. They had one compensation, however; they never got any "impots." The scuffling infants and unsophisticated babes of the "meeserable back row" couldn't be expected to know or understand anything whatsoever. They were helpless and hopeless and utterly outside the pale. They remained lonely and apart and lived a harassed life, always being in a state of fear and trembling lest some movement or voice would call down upon their unprotected heads a rhetorical whirlwind.

One day Johnny became human for some few moments; we would not have been more surprised had Jove come down from high Olympus.

From Johnny's room one could watch proceedings in the next class room through high glass panels. Our neighbouring master was somewhat hot-headed, and a certain yokel, yclept Pinky, whose only brilliant part was his hair, was as a thorn in his side.

Johnny paused, one day, in his measured silent prow and looked into the next class room. "Ha! Ha!" quoth he, a grim smile furrowing his thin cheeks. "Our friend is going," as the enraged dominie next door made a rush for the obtuse "Pinky."

"Still going," as "Pinky" was piloted across the room by the slack of his breeches and his collar. "Ho! Ho! He's gone," and "Pinky" disappeared through the doorway materially assisted from behind. Then Johnny turned round and one rash youth, who had imposed on his rare good humour to creep up and look over Johnny's shoulder, was led, by the topmost hair of his sleek head, to the "meeserable, back row," there to contemplate in harassed leisure his fall from the seats of the elect.

THE PARADE THAT WASN'T.

'Twas very hot and sultry—one hundred in the shade
And all the chaps from High School were waiting for Parade.
And someone was grumbling about the heat and sun,
When "Fall in," roared the captain, all ready for the fun.
The scramble for places was quickly at an end;
The chap from Lord street shouted: "Your ways had better mend.
And made us "dress" and "dress" to establish some control,
Which being fairly hopeless, he began to call the roll.
Then spake our gallant captain, in his military way
"You've got to do some work now, and I'll see that you obey,
To the grounds I'll straight-way march you for a full two hours parade,"
(A most appalling prospect with a hundred in the shade.)
Then all the saddened soldier boys, with wry and ugly looks,
Awaited the instruction to pick up all their books;
But all their expectation was changed from woe to bliss
By the unexpected order—"Company, dismiss."
PTE. L'OISEAU.

A DAY ON THE RIVER.

FOUR miles out of Pinjarrah, on the Mandurah Road, Ravenswood, a small fishing hamlet, snugly situated on the Murray, affords an ideal place for a day's outing. There is an excellent hotel there, where boats may be hired at a moderate fee per hour.

On a certain mild day in May, Colin Simpson and I cycled to Ravenswood. We had no less than three mishaps en route. The first and second were punctures, but the third was more serious.

We were cycling at a good pace over a ruined culvert, when a board "see-sawed" as I rode over it and hurled me against the ramshackle railing, which being about ten years old gave way. I was precipitated into the stagnant waters of the creek below. I luckily sustained no injuries, but my machine had a twisted handle-bar.

On arriving at our destination, we hired a small rowing boat, adapted for angling purposes, and proceeded up the river.

We rowed up to a suitable overhanging tree, where we had our lunch, which consisted of sandwiches and spot lager.

After lunch we commenced to fish, but the fish were not hungry, so after half-an-hour we mutually agreed to have a sleep.

When we awoke, we saw that the boat, which had been insecurely moored, had broken loose, and was drifting down the current at four knots an hour!

We both seized our oars, and managed to diminish the boat's pace to two knots an hour. But in spite of efforts, I would not be here to relate this story but for the timely interference of a small but powerful motor boat. The pilot threw out a hawser, which Colin deftly caught. He made it fast and we were towed into comparative safety.

We then hauled up our lines, which we had thrown out before our siesta, and found a three-pound tailor on mine.

After having paid for the loan of our boat, we mounted our machines and set off homewards. Nothing worthy of relating occurred on the return journey, and we arrived home after a very satisfactory day.
—K.H.

BANTER-BURY TALES.

(In publishing this lay we beg to point out what dire effects too much work may have on a candidate for the Leaving. The perpetrator of the following has now recovered, but denies any remembrance of having written it.—Ed.)

When that Decembre with his sweet vacation
Had displac'd all thoughts of examination,
Bifel it in that season on a day,
As in the Lab. on comfy chair I lay
The Editor to me in much haste came
And sayde 'a column space doth yet remaine.'
Thus have I told you shortly in a clause
The resoun of this tale and eek the cause.
A 'Ray' there was and that a worthy man
Although too much his tongue he oft let ran
Of history questions did he know the rate.
But strange to seyen did not know the bote.
With him there was his bosom pal clept "Pie"
And if once sene you would not wonder why.
To the piano was he truly rough,
For hymns he lov'd and also ragtime stuff.
On Monday would these two pals quietly talke
Of what bifel them Sonday in their walke.
With us there was a man at cricket happe
"Twas seyde his bowling set hir alter cappe.
No berd hadde he, ne never sholde have.
As smothe it was as it were late y-shave.
A "HUGH" there was, that was a young
sonne
To be at height of fashion was his wone.
His trousers ev'ry night leyde he in presse
While suits hadde he at least a dozen I gesse.

With us there was a man whom all clept "Skeet"
As secretary him no man coulde beat,
And at the flag-pole did he oft performe,
Thus he was late for French ful many a morne.

A "Christian" in the Lab did love to dwell
And there with chemicals he made much smell,
A better ericketer or one more kene
Was on the grounds at King's Park never sene.

The "Curlew" with us ne'er had worn felt hat
And tho' he was right tall, he was not fat.
Ful longe were his legges, and ful lene,
Y-lyk a staf, ther was no calf y-sene.

The sleepe man with us did often snore
He was the laziest man I eva saw.
But now he coulde and football player well
Yet in the arms of Morpheus liked to dwell.
Fain would I tellen you of all our classe,
But over some through lack of space I passe.
Anon my talen to an end I bringe
And of my comrades I no longe singe.

—UNOME.

DURING THE HEAT-WAVE.

May we leave the room, please?

Why not take it with you?

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Go and see if Mr. P— has a duster.

Message received: Thank you, Mr. P—
has one.

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—And the Great Barrier Reef running
down the Queensland coast makes the climate
very hot.

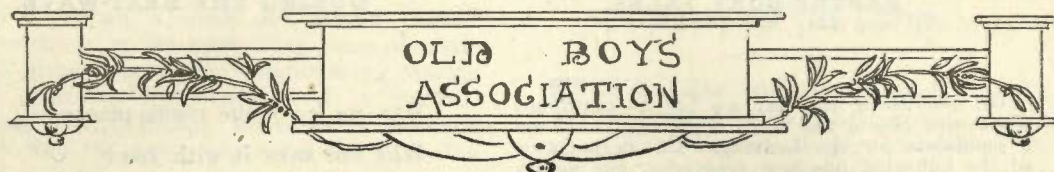
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Have you Hearder, Reading, Wright in
here, Sir?

No, she has ~~not~~ been reading right here;
shut the door, please.

THE BOAT RACE.

Shortly after eleven the four crews were
seen to be lining up, and when the pistol
was fired all got away well together. Our
crew in the outside berth soon settled down
to work and setting a fast stroke Rosser
soon had his crew in the lead. From the
quarter-mile mark the race was never in
doubt, our crew drawing further ahead at
every stroke. At the brewery, Christians
made a great effort, but could make no
impression. Scotch were still rowing gamely
but gradually losing ground, and Guildford
some way behind them were very ragged.
The School crew, rowing perfect time and
sitting their boat like veterans, made a
final effort and crossed the line a good three
lengths to spare, thus gaining the title of
"Head of the River" for 1922. The School
and everyone connected with the School
are justly proud of them.



President: Sir Walter James.
 Vice-Presidents: Dr. Saw, F. W. Loton,
 Esq., R. H. Rose, Esq
 Hon. Secretary: Rev. C. L. Riley, St.
 Mary's Rectory, West Perth.
 Assistant Secretary: F. Davies-Moore, c/o
 the School.
 Hon. Treasurer: Roy Saw.

EXTRACTS FROM THE ANNUAL REPORT.

NEVER before has the Association been in touch so regularly with Old Boys, nor with so large a body of them, and the repeated circularising for various things means a heavy drain on the slender resources disclosed by the Treasurer's statement. It is essential that more members should keep up to date with their payments.

War Memorial Appeal.—This embodies a small pamphlet sent out by the committee—but the response so far has been far from satisfactory. The buildings at the School have proved a vital factor in the growth of the School, and Old Boys should realise that in this they have a unique chance of showing their gratitude for benefits they themselves received from their old School.

The Junior Old Boys.—These are now included in our numbers, and are a live and vital part of this Association. They cater for the more social side of the Old Boy's life, and do not forget to help the School as well. The various trophies they provide from time to time for the School, as well as their promise of £50 per annum to the War Memorial Fund for five years, is sufficient proof of this.

Finally.—The committee wish to thank the Headmaster for the real interest he finds time to take in the doings of Old Boys, and to wish him, his staff, and our old School every possible success.

STATEMENT TO 31st DECEMBER, 1921.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Subscriptions	63	8	0			
Boat Race (sale of tickets)	9	19	0			
Day	3	3	0			
Cricket Luncheon, Old Boys'						
Sale of Rule Books	0	17	0			
				77	7	0
Dr. Balance W.A. Bank ..				22	5	10
				£99	12	10

PAYMENTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Balance Previous Year				17	6	1
Hire of Ground, O. Boys'						
Matches	2	2	0			
Hire of Hall, O. Boys'						
Social	2	5	0			
Old Boys' Cricket Luncheon	9	17	6			
Soldiers' Sandwich Supply ..	1	0	0			
W. Zimpel	1	16	0			
Church Book Depot	8	13	6			
W.A. Newspaper Co.	3	15	0			
"Daily News"	1	1	0			
"Sunday Times"	0	12	0			
Howard and Kemp	2	5	7			
Hire of S.S. Perth	10	0	0			
				48	7	7
B.C.D. and Piesse, Ltd. ..	4	3	5			
Sheridan's	6	4	0			
J. V. Ferguson	3	2	3			
Webster and Richardson ..	4	0	0			
Junior O. Boys' Assoc. ..	3	1	0			
				20	10	8
V. K. Jones, Printing ..				1	1	0
Postage and Petty Expenses	15	8	7			
Bank Charges and Interest	1	9	0			
				16	17	6
				£99	12	10

THE SCHOOL WAR MEMORIAL FUND.

Opened 5th July, 1920.

	£	s.	d.
H. A. Lee Steere	100	0	0
Frank Trigg	50	0	0
Dr. A. J. H. Saw	50	0	0
Sir E. H. Wittenoom	50	0	0
Frank Wittenoom	50	0	0
Ernest Lee Steere	250	0	0
C. H. Wittenoom	10	0	0
Sam Mackay	100	0	0
E. W. Loton	100	0	0
J. H. M. Lefroy	5	0	0
Junior Old' Boys' Assoc. .	10	10	0
F. D. Slee	2	2	0
R. Crommelin	1	0	0
H. F. Cooke	3	3	0
H. W. Crommelin	2	0	0
S. H. Williams	1	0	0
Les Craig	1	0	0
T. A. L. Davy	5	5	0
School Prefect 1921	1	0	1
C. H. Terry	2	0	0
C. E. H. Mitchell	5	5	0
F. B. Wood	1	1	6
Noel St. Barbe More	1	0	6
C. B. Williams	1	1	0
C. Adkins	1	0	0
Junior Old Boys' Assoc. .	11	6	0
A. Veryard	1	0	0
C. J. Veryard	1	0	0
R. P. Mead	5	5	0
G. W. Eyres	1	0	0
J. L. Walker	3	0	0
J. Courthope	1	1	0
C. L. Riley	2	2	0
F. B. Riley	2	2	0
S. J. Chipper	1	0	0
J. Caris	3	0	0
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Total to the close of 1921,			
less 1s. exchange ..	£885	3	1
1922 Carried Forward ..	885	3	1
F. Craig	50	0	0
W. Burgess	25	0	0
F. Craig	10	10	0
S. E. Guy	5	5	0
W. L. Brine	25	0	0
T. Cooke	5	0	0
C. A. Saw	5	0	0
H. P. Turnbull	2	0	0
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Total to date	£1012	18	1

PERSONAL NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. L. Davy, of Colin Grove, West Perth—a son. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brine, of Claremont—a son.

Richard Marychurch-Jenkins to Miss Rona de Castilla; present address, Corrigin. L. G. W. Browning to Miss Doris Wilson; present address, Pithara. R. C. Dickson to Miss Haydon; present address, c/o Elder Smith.

The following engagements have been announced: Geo. B. Maitland, D.C.M., to Miss Olga Stenber.

Oswald W. Corr to Miss Beryl Robertson.

Old Boys at home or abroad are cordially invited to keep in touch with the Association by communicating with the Secretary. Contributions in the shape of fees, articles or paragraphs for the "Cygnet" will be duly acknowledged.

The total strength of the Association is now 352. This is an increase of 132 during the year.

T. A. L. Davy has been re-elected to the Board of Governors for a further term of three years as from the 30th April, 1922.

The secretary of the Junior Old' Boys' Branch, L. Fairfax Allen, is to be heartily congratulated on his excellent work. In the last number of the "Cygnet" it was stated that he had resigned the secretaryship. This was an unaccountable mistake.

During the latter part of last year Basil Riley, who was on a three months' furlough from Bagdad, Mesopotamia, visited the School on several occasions during his stay in Perth. Prior to his return to the Middle East he was entertained at the Karrakatta Club, where he gave an interesting discourse on "International Government." This has been Basil's first visit to his home town since he went off to Oxford as Rhodes Scholar for 1912.

Athol Caris is back among us again after a trip to the cinema centres of U.S.A. Being thoroughly tired of the self-estimation of the Yank in general and of the real life of the screen star in particular he hurried on to New York and booked for the U.K. where he found the environment and conditions much more congenial. Old Boys thinking of taking up the cinema life should surely first consult Athol.

We have located T. S. Parry. He is busy managing a survey camp down near Denmark.

F. H. Sherlock is happily situated on the staff of the Perth Modern School. He lives in Subiaco.

A. M. P. Montgomery has been appointed secretary to the Children's Hospital, Perth.

We are glad to hear that S. P. Mackay is recovering from a serious illness.

J. H. Max Lefroy has moved from Ventnor-avenue to St. Winnols, Guildford.

Ben Joel ('20) has taken up a course of Practical Agriculture at Roseworthy College, S.A. Besides being a goal-kicker, he is finance officer for the College journal.

A. Rudduck is also doing splendidly in at the same College.

D. Latta has gone up into the Wheat Belt near Brookton.

For purposes of making a more familiar acquaintance of the topography of W.A. Rex Moore ('21) started out from Eucla chaperoned by an Overland Telegraph Survey Company.

Captain J. Marychurch-Jenkins now resides at 68 Subiaco-road. The brilliant success of the School Rifle Team last year should be of particular interest to the Captain.

O. W. Corr is a hard-working doctor on the staff of the Perth Public Hospital.

Both G. O. and S. K. Montgomery are now leading members of the cricket team of the London University Hospital, and the former has had the distinction of playing for the University of London against the M.C.C. at Lords. He made top score for his side in the first innings, 75, and 10 in the second, and also took two wickets for 20 runs.

If you are a Scot, and one interested in Home Rule for Scotland, you are invited to communicate with R. E. Muirhead, secretary Scottish Home Rule Association, 109 Hope-street, Glasgow.

Kim Male ('20) sends greetings; address Ida Valley Station, Menzies.

Writing from 366 Carlisle-street, East St. Kilda, Wally Price says: "Old Boys are not

numerous over here; only two that I know of besides myself—Roy Curthoys on the "Argus" staff and Maitland, who is at the University." Wally is classical master at the Trinity Grammar School, Kew.

Fred Price is still in Adelaide—so we hear—and has a bonnie son of some nine months old.

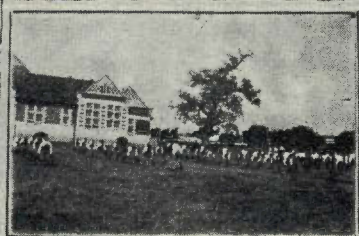
In an interesting letter dated 18th June last, University of Edinburgh, A. O. Watkins says, "I am 'digging' here with Keith Tepper. Malcolm Wright is here also. He is going in for dentistry. There are several Westralians at the 'Varsity. I know over a dozen, but don't think that there are any more 'High' representatives. If there are, any other School fellows who would like to have information regarding the medical course, etc. here I would be only too pleased to supply it. In Australia it is very difficult to get full information regarding this University. The cost of living is about ten to twenty per cent. higher here than in Australia. It may be of interest to those of a studious frame of mind that the climate here is much more conducive to study than the Perth climate, and there are much fewer distractions. University dances run into twenty-one shillings per double ticket, so the average student does not go to them too often.

Writing from Day Dawn, A. W. Barnett tells of a tough wrestle with "an old mill, and a water shaft 80 feet deep and a home garden about half a mile east of Day Dawn." We believe A. W. Barnett holds the record as being the oldest ex-A.I.F. Old Boy, for he celebrates his fifty-fifth birthday this May. Many happy returns.

F. Burton Wood, who is now back at Wylacatchem, graduated from Roseworthy with record results, to wit: Gold Medal; Old Students' Cup; Morphett Prize for Dairying, Agriculture and Farm Diaries; Ploughing; Chemistry, Surveying; Fruit Culture; Veterinary Science. Heartiest congratulations.

Also to Herzel House, who has had a successful course at the same College.

H. P. Turnbull ("Tuppy") was in town last month, after another year out on Woolgolong Station, Mullewa.



PHYSICAL DRILL

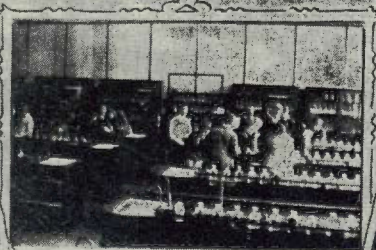


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CAMERA CLUB



SET FOR THE 440



IN THE LAB.



SCHOOL SUPPORTERS

Football Team — Premiers 1921.



Back Row — G. Gwynne, E. Sanders, P. Henriques, M. Halbert, T. Hantke, S. Brumby, N. Drummond.

Second Row — Mr. Roydhouse, W. Farmer, L. Loton, E. Blackman, J. Curlewis, A. Boas, H. Johnson, Mr. Wilson.

Sitting — K. Brown, G. Thiel, R. Cockburn, G. Mann, A. Christian, F. Money, J. Broadhurst.

Letters addressed to J. P. Shimmin, E. S. Sanders, and Harry Wilson have been returned through the Dead Letter Depot. We shall be glad to hear of their welfare and whereabouts.

Frank Wittenoom intends to spend the best part of this year over in the U.K. We wish him a very interesting time.

The following have been elected as 1922 committeemen of the O.B.A.: T. A. L. Davy, C. A. Saw, S. J. Chipper (secretary of the Junior Branch), C. H. Guy, J. L. Walker, E. A. Lee Steere, G. G. S. James, W. L. Brine and K. MacDougal. Auditors: C. H. Passmore and A. M. P. Montgomery.

We are greatly indebted to R. C. Dickson and A. M. B. Montgomery for packages of past numbers of the "Cygnet," sports day programmes, boat race cards, and School reports, which are all extremely useful for reference work.

Congratulations to Geo. Maitland on his splendid results at Melbourne University.

F. Burton Wood, S. H. D. Rowe, Tom H. Rose, R. H. Rose, C. L. Clarke ("Yorkie"), and H. B. Stone, who coached the School crew for many years, were among those who were at the Old Boys' social evening this year.

Walter and Tom Seed are back from Ormonde College, Melbourne.

Walter Roberts is at Sydney University.

We have also heard from the following: Geo. H. Burt, Brickhouse, Carnarvon; Jack D. Caris, Adelaide; "Teddy" de C'Leboy, Youanmi; C. E. Moore, Kirrup; C. E. Shenton, Harvey; Ivan R. Gibbs, S. Perth; H. L. Fowler, Claremont Training College; Noel St. Barbe More, the South-West; Frank D. Slee, Bunbury; Fred Pearse, manager Bank of N.S.W., Kellerberrin; Frank Trigg, Geraldton; C. J. Lee Steere, Mullewa; A. H. Guy, Katanning; Roy Phillips, Coleambally Station, Geraldine, N.S. W.; Phil Leeming, Northam; G. F. Moore, Fremantle; Morten F. Thruston, Dumbleyung; D. G. Forrest, Cottesloe.

OLD BOYS' DAY, 1922.

105deg. IN THE SHADE.

Once again the W.A.C.A. grounds were chartered for the occasion which was arranged for the 15th March.

Cricket, the annual luncheon, meeting, and evening's smoke social constituted the routine for the day.

It was not until an hour after the scheduled time that a beginning was made.

Past v. Present Boys.

As usual this match, greatly looked forward to by the School team, was played at the W.A.C.A. ground. It took place on Wednesday, March 15th. Mr. Frank Wittenoom, as keen as any of the boys, captained the Past team. His side went into the field first. For the School the Loton cousins opened the batting, and before a separation was made there were some 70 runs on the board. V. Loton was the first to fall for a well-made 39. Nathan did not last long, being well caught at point by Mr. Wittenoom. At lunch time the score was two wickets for a few over the hundred. Upon resuming M. Loton soon gained his fifty and retired. After that the scoring rate became faster, but no individual high scores were made. The total was 209. For the Old Boys, H. Guy was the most successful bowler.

The Past team opened with Guy and Parry. The latter was soon out, but Guy and Harwood made a stand, and then Harwood and Riley carried on the good work. After Harwood had retired for 32 and Riley had been caught for 43, Mr. Wittenoom came in. He showed that all his batting knowledge was not forgotten. His 27 were made by good, clean hits, and when he retired there was general applause. None of the following batsmen did much and at time the score stood at 9 for 167. Thus the game was drawn, the detailed scores being as follows:

PRESENT BOYS.

Loton, M., retired	50
Loton, C. V., c Hardie, b Guy ..	39
Nathan, c Wittenoom, b Guy ..	5
Johnson, run out	10
Christian, c Harwood b Guy ..	16
Blackman, b Riley	6
Brumby, run out	10
Sanders, c Bolton, b Spencer ..	8
Lyall, c Burgess, b Guy	7
Hardie, b Guy	14
Roberts, not out	8
Sundries	30
Wides	6

Total

209

Bowling Analysis: Bolton, 0 wickets for 53; Guy, 5 for 69; Harwood, 0 for 8; Walker, 0 for 19; Spencer, 1 for 21; Riley, 1 for 3.

OLD BOYS.

H. Guy, b Lyall	22
H. Parry, c Loton ii., b Roberts ..	5
L. Harwood, retired	32
C. L. Riley, c Blackman, b Christian ..	43
F. Wittenoom, retired	27
W. Spencer, c Blackman, b Nathan ..	3
G. James, b Nathan	0
L. Walker, c Sanders, b Christian ..	9
K. Bolton, c and b Christian	1
P. Jenkins, not out	12
W. Saw	7
Sundries	5
No balls	1

Total

167

Bowling Analysis: Lyall, 1 wicket for 25; Roberts, 1 for 39; Hardie, 0 for 14; Nathan, 2 for 32; Christian, 3 for 41.

THE TOWN v. COUNTRY OLD BOYS' MATCH

WAS KEENLY CONTESTED ON THE EAST WICKET.

Winning the toss from Harold Rose, the country captain, W. Brine, sent Roy Saw and G. Thiel, last year's School captain, to open the batting for the "Townies." The former slashed the country skipper's opening ball to the boundary, but being a trial no score was registered. Catastrophe came early, however, with the next ball. Irwin, another new old boy, early settled down to old Cup match habits until W. Burgess held a stinging catch at cover with his score at 39. W. Brine from the outset treated the country bowling with considerable contempt until caught by H. Rose when 44. "Taddy"

Davy also showed slight respect for the yokel bowling until at 22 Burgess suddenly took another hot catch. Nothing of note happened until Harold Rowe stepped to the crease. Finding himself in a very happy mood he carried his autograph for 27 and the total score to 148.

The country innings opened with a Loton Brothers partnership, Thorley and Lloyd. The latter immediately stolidly blocked and consequently brought the entire field crowding in on top of his wickets. Davy and Thiel took charge of the bowling, but failing to make any effect resigned in favour of Rowe and McDougall, who soon succeeded in having L. Loton snatched up by Morrison. T. Loton, however, carried on cleanly for 14. Harold Rose, who went in first wicket, treated the bowling with small mercy and went on gaily, piling up 75 before falling as last wicket to Saw. G. Burt scored a six and four and fell to Rowe. T. H. Rose and S. Lodge played useful innings, scoring 15 and 17 respectively. The scores read:

TOWN OLD BOYS.

R. Saw, b H. Rose	0
G. Thiel, c Burgess, b H. Rose ..	4
R. Irwin, c Clarke, b Lodge ..	39
W. Brine c. Rose, b Lodge ..	44
K. McDougall, c Rose, b Lodge ..	0
L. McDougall, c Rose b Lodge ..	0
T. A. L. Davy, c Burgess, b Rose ..	22
J. Morrison, b Rose	5
S. H. D. Rowe, not out	21
O. Corr, b Rose	0
F. Davies-Moore, b Rose	1
Sundries	8

148

Bowling: H. Rose, 7 for 48; Clarke, 9 for 11; W. Burgess, 0 for 11; Lodge, 3 for 68.

COUNTRY OLD BOYS.

T. Loton, b Rowe	14
L. Loton, c Morrison, b Rowe ..	5
R. H. Rose, b Saw	67
G. Burt, b Rowe	10
C. L. Clarke, b Rowe	0
W. Burgess, c Saw, b Rowe ..	4
T. H. Rose, c Saw, b Rowe ..	15
J. Lodge not out	17
Y. Witty, b Rowe	4
Sundries	18

Eight wickets for

154

Bowling: Davy, 0 for 25; Rowe, 7 for 43; Thiel, 0 for 19; McDougall, 0 for 20; Saw, 1 for 14.

ANNUAL OLD BOYS' LUNCHEON AND MEETING.

At noon the cricketers adjourned for the Annual Old Boys' Luncheon, which was neatly set out in the W.A.C.A. pavilion. Owing to a slight hitch in the preparations—an under-estimation of numbers—twenty or more members, including some of the Present Boys' Eleven, the secretary, and the treasurer, had to undergo the unpleasant trial of controlling an appetite nicely sharpened by the morning's cricket until another table was set in order.

Sir Walter James, who occupied the president's chair, announced the receipt of telegrams from Sir Edward Wittenoom, Dr. Saw, and E. W. Loton, Esq. expressing regret of absence.

In proposing the toast of the Headmaster, Sir Walter paid him a warm tribute. In replying, the Headmaster stated that over eighty new boys had enrolled this term, which exceeded the previous year's record by twenty. He heartily invited especially up-country old boys to re-visit the old School and see the boys in the full swing of the School routine.

In responding to a toast proposed by T. A. L. Davy, Frank Wittenoom expressed in most enthusiastic terms his hearty appreciation of the marked success of the School.

The luncheon at an end, the secretary, C. L. Riley, and the treasurer, H. Guy, were called upon to read their reports, extracts of which appear elsewhere in these pages. The election of officers then took place. It was decided that an expression of sympathy should be forwarded to the family and children of the late Laurence Elliot. The meeting was then adjourned until the evening.

THE EVENING'S SMOKE SOCIAL.

A PLEA FOR MORE ORGANISATION.

There were about thirty Old Boys in attendance at this function, held in St. George's Hall.

The meeting begun earlier in the day and was continued with intervals pleasantly filled in by vocal items and refreshments.

During the course of the evening attention was drawn to the fact that there were yet many Old Boys who had not contributed to the War Memorial Fund in spite of the wide circularisation of appeals.

It was also remarked that Old Boys' Day was not so popular a function as it should be. It was agreed that the School be granted a half-holiday for the occasion in future in order that all the Present boys might have the opportunity of entering into the spirit of the Day as a Day of Re-union.

A suggestion that met with considerable approval was that Old Boys in various country districts should form sub-branches of the Association, and that each country branch hold an annual reunion in that district, and that the President and the Headmaster make it their duty to be present at such reunions.

The trend of the talk that followed showed that Old Boys were beginning to realise that the time had come when greater effort must be exerted to make Old Boy functions in future vastly more successful financially and socially. Frank Wittenoom in particular spoke with admirable vim urging this year's committee to make this one of their special objects.

JUNIOR BRANCH OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION.

President: The Headmaster.

Hon. Secretary: F. Lloyd-Allen, 6 Richardson-street, West Perth.

Hon. Treasurer: Q. R. Stowe, 35 Richardson-street, West Perth.

Our active membership is now 130. Less than three years ago it was only 25.

The last annual general meeting was held on February 28, 1922, when nearly fifty Old Boys were present. In the absence of the president (Mr. M. Wilson) the chair was taken by Mr. Chris. Ewing. After the formal business had been dealt with, the work of the branch during the period July 1 to December 31, 1922, was explained by the

hon. sec. The balance sheet prepared by the treasurer (Q. R. Stowe) showed a satisfactory credit in the bank which at the time of writing amounts to over £30. The following were elected office-bearers for the year 1922: President, Mr. M. Wilson, B.A.; vice-presidents, Rev. C. L. Riley, M.A., LL.B., O.B.E., Mr. J. Roydhouse, M.C., Mr. H. B. Curlewis, B.A., F.R.A.S.; hon. secretary, L. F. Allen; hon. treasurer, Q. R. Stowe; committee, E. J. Nicholson, J. Hargrave, H. B. Summers, W. Saw, B.Sc., P. Dunstan, J. Morrison, G. Mann and R. Irwin; hon. auditors, E. A. Saw and A. G. Scholar.

One gold and three silver medals were given to the School Football Club by the J.O.B.A. at the conclusion of the last season. We congratulate the first XVIII. on its success.

Our winter dances maintained their popularity last year. We would, however, like to see more Old Boys patronising them.

The collection of money for the Memorial Building Fund is now being done exclusively by the senior branch. The juniors collected over £25 during the year and promises of a similar amount for the next four years. It is hoped that the dances during the forthcoming winter will be big financial successes, as it is proposed to donate all profits to the Memorial Fund.

Roy Saw, for sometime a prominent committeeman of the J.O.B.A., has been elected treasurer of the senior branch.

One of our foundation members, "Punch" James, has also become a member of the executive of the "seniors"—a committeeman. From the inception of the J.O.B.A. "Punch" was a live wire and largely responsible for placing the branch on its present satisfactory footing.

The committee lost the services of Dug. Taylor last year, on his being transferred to the Melbourne office of the Commonwealth Bank. We are glad, however, to see him back in the West again.

Congratulations to Walter Saw and Billy More, who have passed their finals for the degree of B.Sc. Walter remains in the West, but Billy sailed early in the present year for South Australia, where he is chemist to the Adelaide Cement Works. His

address is c/o. Mrs. Critchfield, Coppin-street, Semaphore, S.A.

During the Xmas vacation several Old Boys who are students at the Melbourne University spent their holidays in Perth. Among them were Walter and Tom Seed, Jim Ainslie and Geo. Maitland. Jim again shone out at the top of his College, and we expect him to be numbered amongst our local medicos before long.

Quinton Stow was successful in passing his intermediate law examinations last year. Congratulations.

Alec James has been seen often in Perth lately. There are few country roads in the State which Alec and his Indian power plus don't now know.

Jack Morrison, another petrol-cyclist, now takes Mount-street on a Sunbeam, having changed his B.S.A. for the English machine.

Jack Dent has passed in his clutch and gear box to take the tiller of a lugger. He is now amongst the pearlers of Broome.

Seen in Perth lately, Murray Wilson and Shirley Mears, both down from the bush for a glimpse of the "gay city."

Congratulations to Tom Vincent. His engagement to Miss Molly Mitchell, of King's Park-road was recently announced. Tom is one of our earliest members.

Dick Mead is well and fit at Minderoo Station, via Onslow. He has found another Old Boy—G. C. Tuckfield—who is also on the same sheep run.

Max Halbert is farming at Cunderdin, and C. A. Dungey is at Burekup.

Keith House writing recently from Marrow Station, Carnarvon, says the weather is very cool, the temperature seldom passing 100 deg. Fah. Can anyone name the freezing point in this locality? Keith asks to be remembered to all his old pals.

H. R. Francisco is now at Bryah Station. He recently dropped us a line wishing the Association success.

Norman Anderson continually keeps in touch with members of the J.O.B.A. He is always a champion "mine host" at Broome-hill to Old Boys.

Amongst successful dental students at the

last examinations was H. B. Summers, of South Perth. Congrats. and good luck.

Hughie Norman left early in the year for Hawkesbury Agricultural College. He joined the "Juniors" before leaving Perth.

Henry Cooke and Mother Angus were amongst recent country visitors to Perth. Henry arrived per Buick "Six" and Angus in a Dodge.

Someone at Kellerberrin was good enough to send us a sub. during March, but failed to enclose his name. The P.N. has been cashed and we would like to know the donor.

Although our membership is increasing there are still a number of Old Boys who have not yet joined up. All members are asked to look out for this "floating population" and rope them in. All particulars of the Junior Branch of the Old Boys' Association may be obtained from L. F. Allen, hon. secretary, 6 Richardson-street, West Perth, or Q. R. Stowe, hon. treasurer, 35 Richardson-street, West Perth.

CADET NOTES.

There seems to be an inexplicable reluctance among the bigger 1905 boys to wear their uniforms. Why is it? We can't understand it at all. They have good canvas shoes, nice comfortable "shorts," brown jerseys and smart hats. Even if some of them have been used to long 'uns, we can assure them they needn't be shy about showing their knees.

Without doubt the drill authorities have been somewhat lenient towards us this year, as the parades have all been short. The wearing of uniforms, thank goodness, has not been enforced, partly owing to their scarcity and partly owing to a humane sympathy. They were evidently keeping it all in store for Anzac Day. Horrors! For on the 25th April the whole company had to turn out in uniform, excepting, of course, those who have sold their boots, or who have worn out their pants riding.

However, we are consoled with the information that all cadet training is cancelled until further notice. Many were the long faces observed when this terrible fact was fully realised.

CORRESPONDENCE.

"Frab."—No thanks. Much rather utilise something of your radiant originality. Why leave it dormant?

"Good Evening, Sir."—A gentlemanly greeting certainly. Why abuse it and glory in making a farce of it. See your English Form-master and have your literary tastes adjusted.

"Igh Society."—More than one man to make a society, surely.

"Alf."—Your description of such a wonderful tour was too disappointingly ungosippy. Besides we wanted to hear more about our own school reps.

"Sight-seer."—Masters v. School match indefinitely postponed. Your snaps would have been appreciated.

"G.R.L."—Crowded out.

WE ASK YOU.

How long will our flag official keep on keep on being Moody.

Could there be a form with more ginger in it than Leaving Latin.

What the "Dug Out" will be like during the winter strafe.

Why "Pride and Prejudice" was set for the Junior.

What happened to the shooting pennants on speech night.

Why no one claims the responsibility of their strange disappearance.

And what has become of the boxing medals.

Why our super-camera ultra-fiend is such a hypo-crite.

If "Dad" has ever heard of the "Stick-fast Bat."

Are brilliantly-hued ties suitable birthday gifts.

How quite recently "Loot" Cadd was mistaken for Norman Brookes.

Have you as an Old Boy done your duty towards the School War Memorial.

To do something for the "Cygnet"—your own school magazine.

Obituary

February 22 was a sorrowful day for all boys of the School, for upon that day died Mr. Laurence Elliot, who held the unique distinction of being the first boy enrolled on the School register, and who in after years was destined to become one of the foremost of State pioneers. The School flag was flown half-mast for the day.

In those early days—the mid-sixties—education was rarely thought of, and still less taken advantage of by those much pre-occupied sons of the bush. The boys of the back blocks who wished for some slight gleaning of education had many and severe obstacles to overcome, a great number of which would not appeal to the present-day youth in the slightest degree. A journey on horseback lasting four or five days and covering a hundred miles of practically trackless country had to be accomplished by the up-country boys of those days as a “grand finale” to every Christmas holidays. All the glamour of the long free days in the bush being worn off by the necessity of carrying on their saddles their kit and enough rations to last them out the journey. But it was such schooling as that turned out the men who

were to do the pioneer work in Western Australia—strong, open-hearted and optimistic men who could not fail to carry everything before them.

The School in its infancy was called “Bishop’s College” after its founder, Bishop Hale, a man who gave up a splendid appointment in the Old Country to come out to the dreariness and monotony of a little-known corner of the British Empire. A splendid tribute to his energy and zeal is the long list of boys who passed through his hands, whose names will ever live in the annals of the State.

Mr. Elliot was a member of the Civil Service for fifty years, during which time he held many honourable and trustworthy positions, which included the posts of Under-Treasurer and Assistant Colonial Secretary. Towards the end of his public life he received various marks of honour and esteem, that not only manifested a strong admiration for the man personally, but were equally striking tributes to the services of one who from the very first time he entered public life was prompted always by a desire to help his State.—K.F.

A PAGE OF SUNDRIES

ADVERTISEMENTS

Found.—A chip of the old block of stone. Apply No. 10, This Office.

Lost.—Paul. No reward. Detainer Prosecuted. Apply John.

Lost.—A bunch of gumnuts, valueless to loser. Finder amply rewarded. Apply 28, This Office.

Wanted.—Some extra-special ink in large quantities. Apply, Boarders in general.

Wanted.—Two Ford charabancs, suitable for the conveyance of boarders to and from school. Also competent mechanic to keep same in order. Send credentials with application to School Garage.

Wanted.—A corner to let in the Prefects' room.

Wall-cleaning a specialty. Apply Boarding House.

Those desirous of knowing where to obtain fine furry felt hats, apply R.I.M., Boarding House.

Recent Publications.—

"When the Forests are Ablaze," by Capo.

"Nine O'clock," (the most intoxicating book of the hour), by Spinifex.

"Jokes" (humourous and otherwise—mostly otherwise), by Muzzie Bros.

"Cricket and How I Play It," by Orb.

"Turf Certainties (weekly), by Scoot.

"G.J., the Leather Merchant's Castoff," by Muzzie.

We Wonder—

Why a certain bobbie awoke to discover he was blowing bubbles.

Why a table of boys resolved that thirteen was a luckless and incidentally puddingless number.

How an ambitious lad is going to have a Smith's wheel with a Ford body when he leaves school.

How a member of the 1921 swimming team was leading until he got kicked on the head.

How it was that the thing that impressed the new boys most was the gauntlet.

How it was that the bathroom walls were clean on Easter Thursday afternoon.

How certain P.H.S. members of the Y.A.L. finished their education in other than scholastic channels during the recent tour.

Why the prep. room was occupied at midnight on the night of the shooting.

Why some boys do not consider the tap quite harmless.

Why the day-boys are not represented in the crew this year.

Remarks Overheard.—

"The next pair of boots I get will be shoes."

"Good evening, sir."

"At it again."

"Where's the boy with the extra-special ink?"

At dinner (steam roller in sight):

Old Timer (to O.T.): "That — ? — * stuff again."

New Boy (to N.B.): "Isn't this simply delicious?"

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