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School Calendar

1949

- FEBRUARY 8—First Term commenced.
24—School Swimming Sports.
- MARCH 5—Interschool Swimming Sports.
16—First Round Cricket, School v. A.C.
23—School v. S.C.
30—School v. G.G.S.
- APRIL 15-19—Easter Vacation.
20—Interschool Tennis
21—End of Term Examinations begin.
23—Interschool Rowing.
24—University Service at St. George's
 Cathedral.
25—Anzac Day.
29—Confirmation.
30—Cadet Camp.
- MAY 5—End of Term.
23—Boarders return.
24—Second Term begins.
- JUNE 22—First Round Football, School v. G.G.S.
29—School v. S.C.
- JULY 6—School v. A.C.
9-11—Long Weekend.
21-22—Senior School Plays.
27—Second Round Football, School v.
 G.G.S.
28—School Boxing.
29—Second Term Examinations begin.
- AUGUST 3—School v. S.C.
10—School v. A.C.
12-13—Junior School Plays
18—Second Term ends.

School Calendar

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SEPTEMBER 6—Third Term begins.
24—Hobbies Exhibition.

OCTOBER 5—School Athletic Sports.
22—Interschool Athletic Sports.
24—Final Exams. for Leaving and Junior
Forms begin.

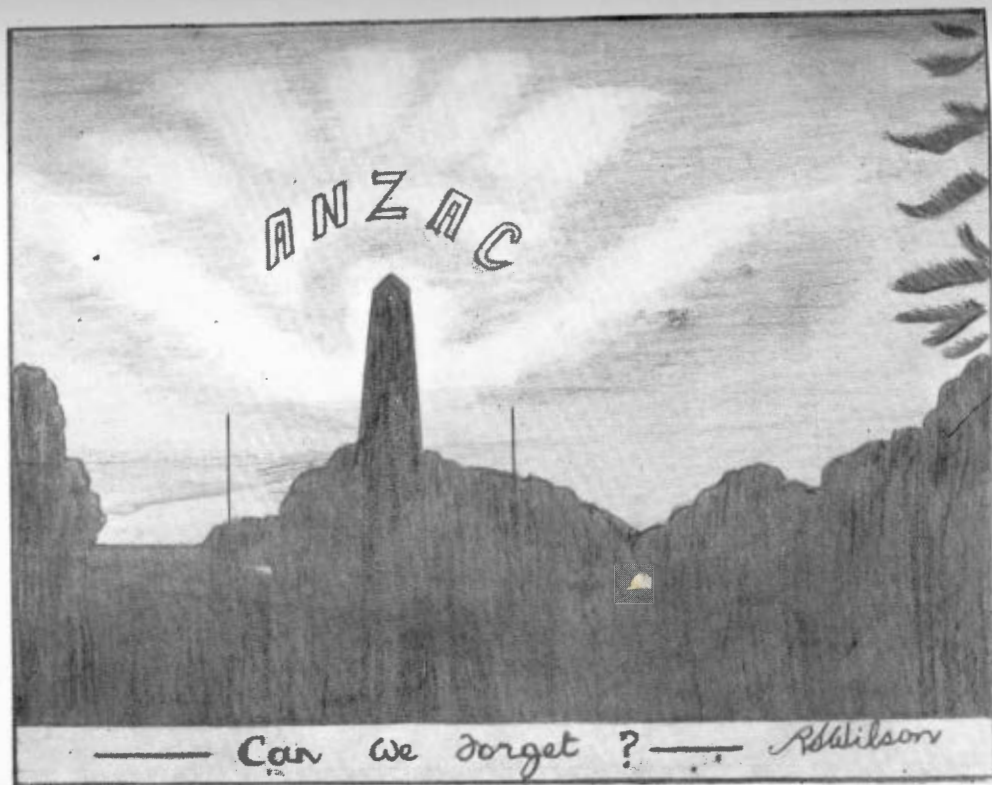
NOVEMBER 2—Second Round Cricket, School v. A.C.
9—School v. S.C.
16—School v. G.G.S.
19—School Scholarship Exams.
21—Public Examinations and Final School
Exams.

DECEMBER 3—Interschool Shooting Competition.
8 (tentative)—Speech Night and Break-up.

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FEBRUARY 14—School resumes.





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play, in every administrative activity, they are found helping our school.

The saying "Wake up and live, Australia," aptly applies to us in our present situation of lack of self-responsibility and enthusiasm. Even the stalwart hearts often lose enthusiasm, and can we blame them when they are not getting the support that is essential for a school to work constructively? Are we living? Living in the sense that we gain happiness from working for our school and country; gain happiness from doing a job, and doing it well? The question is directed at us. It is our duty to ourselves, our parents, and our school to be honest by correctly answering the question "Are we doing our bit?"

A busy person is said always to have time and energy to enter more activities. Let us all take a lesson from that statement and throw ourselves more actively into the spheres of interest offered to us. Let us make the flames of opportunity warm our whole being and reflect brightly in our eyes that we may see what are the things of truest worth and follow them up with the whole-heartedness which is the secret of the happy personality.



SCHOOL NOTES



SECOND TERM, 1948

The long week-end was July 10th, 11th and 12th.

A football match between the School and the Old Boys was played on July 14th, at Subiaco Oval, and resulted in a victory for the Old Boys by a very narrow margin.

The School Boxing Tournament was conducted in the school hall on July 15th and although there were fewer bouts this year, they were all well matched and keenly fought. The main bout of the evening, between H. T. Loton and C. R. Heathcote, resulted in a win for the former on points.

On July 20th Major-General Whitelaw addressed the senior boys on the army as a career.

At Scotch College on July 22nd an interschool debate was held. Our school just defeated Scotch College after a very keen debate.

A good crowd of parents and their friends were entertained by the Junior School on July 23rd and 24th. The junior boys performed creditably both in their acting and singing.

In conjunction with a State-wide collection, an appeal for funds was conducted throughout the school to aid the United Nations Appeal for Children. A sum of £52 was raised.

The second term examinations commenced somewhat earlier this year, on July 29th.

On August 10th, the school had two visitors at assembly, who were connected with Hutchins Tasmania, the Headmaster's former appointment, and were visiting this State with a sporting team. Later in the day Sergeant Edwards of the Police Department spoke to the junior boys on traffic rules.

Mr. K. Nicholson, an undergraduate of the University of Western Australia, visited the school on August 11th in connection with a scheme for providing boys with knowledge of University life.

The 1st XVIII played the last match of the Alcock Cup Competition on August 12th and was defeated by Aquinas College. The school finished only 3rd in the competition.

A debate was held at St. Hilda's on August 12th, in which our team, the more experienced of the two, won comfortably.

The Senior School Dramatic Society presented "The Housemaster" on August 17th and 18th. On the first night the Governor of the State, Sir James Mitchell, and Lady Mitchell, whose grandson had a part in the play, honoured the school with their presence. A full account will be found under Dramatic Society Notes.

Unfortunately, owing to an outbreak of poliomyelitis in this State, the Annual Prefects' Dance, which was to have been held on the 7th August, had to be postponed until December 3rd.

During the latter part of this term the school lost the services of one of the members of the staff, those of Mr. W. T. Rowlands. Mr. Rowlands served the school not only on the scholastic side but also in the sporting field. All members of the school and all who have been associated with him in past years wish him a speedy recovery from his ill-health.

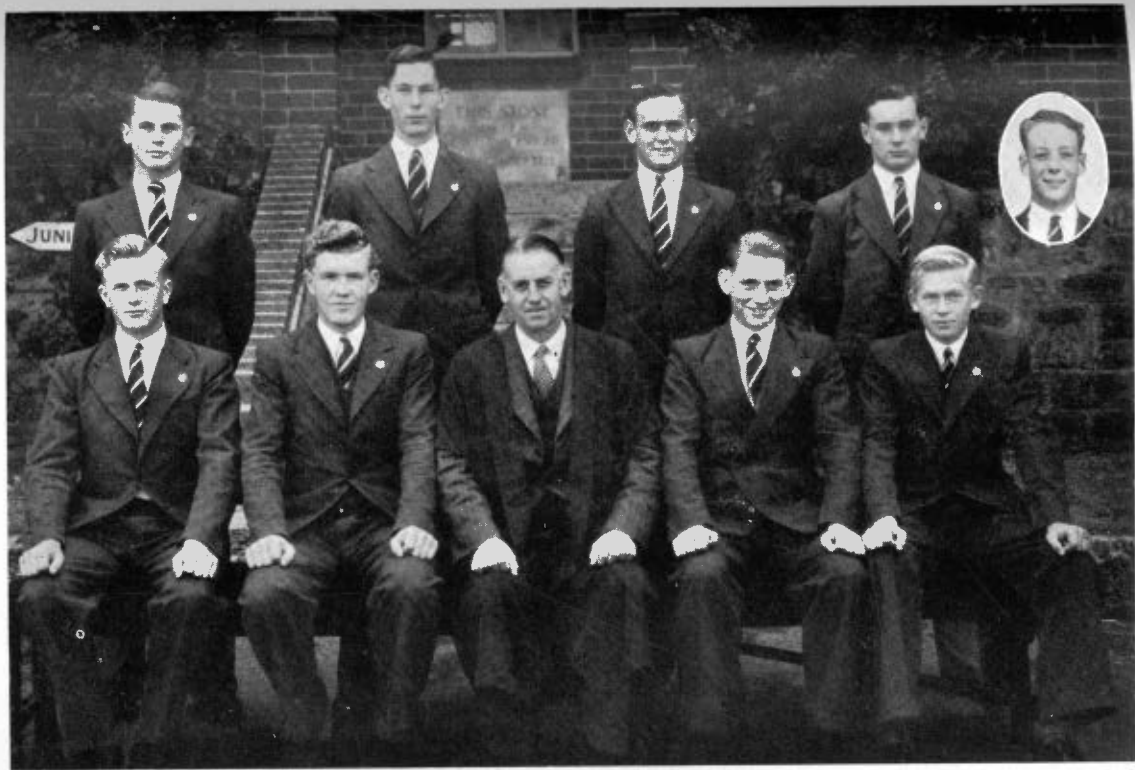
The term ended on August 19th.

THIRD TERM, 1948

The term began on Tuesday, 7th September.

Consequent upon Mr. Rowlands' resignation we welcomed two new members of the staff in Mr. Pirrett, who came part time to help with Senior English, and Mr. Clarke, an old boy of the school, who joined the staff as a full time master.

The Hobbies Exhibition was held on Saturday, 18th September, and the Junior School, Science Department and Cadet Corps are to be complimented on their good exhibits. There was, however, a lack of material from the Senior School.



PREFECTS

Standing : T. C. M. Senior; J. F. Cruickshank; P. T. Layman; H. S. Radden.
 Seated : R. C. Cooke; R. Reid (Captain of School); V. S. Murphy, Esq.; V. L. C. Murphy; I. F. Packham.
 Inset : I. St. B. Cruickshank.

On October 13th, the School Sports were held at Subiaco Oval, and, but for one event, the programme went smoothly. The Open School Champion was P. F. Anderson.

The third term exams for the Junior and Leaving candidates began on October 21st.

The school was well beaten in the Interschool Athletic Sports which were held on Saturday, 23rd October. The school extends its congratulations to Scotch College on their fine win. Congratulations go also to G. Christian and H. Radden for their good running.

The school was very sorry to hear on October 24th of the death of one of our prominent old boys, Mr. G. G. S. ("Punch") James. He was very prominent in the affairs of the Old Boys' Association and a Governor of the School, as well as being known to a number of the present boys of the school.

The Junior and Leaving Public Examinations began at the same time as the school exams for other forms, on Monday 22nd November.

The Prefects' Dance, which had been postponed from earlier in the year because of the poliomyelitis epidemic, was held on 3rd December. Congratulations go to all who contributed to its success.

Speech night was held on Monday, 6th December. Professor N. S. Bayliss, the acting Vice-Chancellor of the University, presented the prizes.

FIRST TERM, 1949

The first assembly of the school for 1949 took place on Tuesday, 8th February. The Headmaster welcomed all the new boys and introduced to the school two new members of the teaching staff, Mr. Edwards and Mr. Tomlinson.

Mr. Loton, Chairman of the Board of Governors, was present at the school assembly on the second day of term, 9th February, and he also welcomed everyone to school.

On Monday, 14th February, the Annual Old Boys' Day was celebrated. The school was pleased to see so many old boys at the morning assembly. The school was more pleased however, when it received a half-holiday to see the annual Old Boys v. School cricket match which the Old Boys won comfortably.

The first main sporting fixture of the year was the school swimming carnival which was held at Crawley Baths on Wednesday, 23rd

February. When the school 400 metres championship had been swum on the following Friday, R. S. Wilson was announced school champion.

In the Interschool Swimming Carnival held at Crawley Baths on Saturday, 5th March, the school fared very badly indeed. The honours of the day went to Scotch College whose good all round swimming deserves congratulations. Well done, Scotch!

On Sunday, 13th March, the senior boys of the school attended a service in the Guildford Grammar School chapel. The sermon was given by Mr. P. H. B. Lyon.

Mr. Lyon, the former headmaster of Rugby School, visited the school on Monday, 14th March. He gave a short talk to the seniors on life in the English public schools in general and in Rugby in particular.

On Thursday, 17th March, the Prefects of the school attended a dinner given by the Rotary Club.

On Monday, 21st March, the first of a series of talks by members of the Rotary Club on various occupations was given by Mr. Bosisto, manager of the Rural and Industries Bank. Mr. Bosisto's talk was on banking activities in this State.

Major General Whitelaw visited the school on Monday, 28th March, and spoke to the seniors on the army as a career.

The last Cup Match of a very exciting season was played at King's Park against Guildford Grammar School. The 1st XI has done well so far and has a lead of two points or a half match from Guildford.

On Monday, 4th April, Mr. Simonsen, another member of the Rotary Club, gave the seniors a very interesting talk on "Snap-freezing of Fish."

In the afternoon of Monday, 4th April, several boys from school attended a music recital at Presbyterian Ladies' College.

The 14th April marked the second and final round of the unofficial interschool tennis tournament. The school won fairly easily from Guildford.

On 21st April, the end of term exams started.

The Interschool Rowing Regatta was held on Saturday, 23rd April. Although the 2nd and 3rd rowing crews fared badly, the 1st VIII rowed well to be narrowly beaten by Aquinas and Scotch. The Annual Rowers' Dance was held that evening in the West Australian Rowing Club's rooms.

On Wednesday, 27th April, the following prefects were inducted for the year 1949:—R. Reid, Captain of the School; R. C. Cooke, J. F. Cruickshank, P. T. Layman, V. L. C. Murphy, I. Packham, H. S. Radden, T. C. M. Senior.

The following boys from the school were confirmed by His

Grace the Archbishop of Perth, at St. Mary's on April 29th, in the presence of a large number of their school fellows:—N. S. Bickford, J. Blake, J. de Burgh, W. Brockman, J. H. Cope, M. Dungey, J. M. Gibbs, J. Hendrick, F. O. House, W. A. Hutchinson, N. D. Jack, B. W. A. Jacobs, M. M. Johnston, J. Y. Langdon, P. Lefroy, D. T. Lewis, R. E. O'Connor, I. R. Oldham, J. B. Percy, B. Randell, D. P. Reid, D. B. Roberts, R. A. Slee, K. W. Smith, E. J. Sutherland, M. L. Thornett, M. R. Watson, D. J. West, C. F. Williams.

The annual cadet camp began on 30th April.

Mrs. Blyth, after 5 years' loyal service in the Junior School, resigned at the end of term and we wish her every happiness in her new life. An appreciation will be found elsewhere in this issue.

The end of term holidays began on Thursday, 5th May.

The School offers its congratulations to the following who have been honoured by His Majesty the King:—The Hon. A. F. Watts, Minister for Education, C.M.G.; Professor A. D. Ross, C.B.E.; Sister Rosalie, of Perth College, O.B.E. It is gratifying to note that for their services in the field of Education these have been so honoured.

Staff Cadet Jack Skipper, writes from Duntroon of his and Russell Lloyd's successful negotiation of their first year. They are in the Arts Class with the present intention of graduating into the infantry.

Speech Night was held on the lawn between the Junior School and the Boarding House on December 6th.

The Rev. R. W. Hamilton said the opening prayer after the National Anthem had been played. The Captain of the School, Bernard Dymock, presented his report of the school year and was followed by the Headmaster, who gave his annual report on the year 1948.

The Headmaster introduced to the gathering the acting Vice Chancellor of the University of Western Australia, Professor N. S. Bayliss, B.A., B.Sc., Ph.D., who delivered a most interesting speech. He then distributed the Sports trophies and school prizes. The Chairman of the Board of Governors, Mr. E. Thorley Loton, moved a vote of thanks to the Professor.

CAPTAIN OF SCHOOL'S REPORT

Professor Bayliss, Governors of the School, Mr. Murphy, Members of the Staff, Ladies and Gentlemen,—

This evening it gives me very much pleasure to welcome to our Annual Speech Night Professor Bayliss, the Acting Vice-Chancellor of the University of Western Australia. On behalf of the School, I would like to extend to you, sir, a most cordial welcome and I hope that this will not be the last of your visits.

This year has proved to be a most interesting one both in sport and in work.

Interschool competitions were keenly contested and all schools congratulate Scotch College on their first win in the Athletic Sports, and on their other successes. School teams have been successful in the Tennis Competition and in the Cricket, where we have once again achieved the distinction of winning the Darlot Cup for the second successive year.

In Swimming and Athletics our teams have not been up to past standards, and in these sports in particular more solid organisation is needed by the boys themselves. The good performance of the Life Saving Team, who came second, showed the value of hard training.

In Rowing our crew were unfortunate enough to meet with a mishap during the race and so had to be content with fourth placing. However, we do not begrudge Guildford Grammar School this success as they certainly did have a very good crew.

We here again offer our congratulations.

The Football team were unable to reproduce the form of which they were capable, and finished third, while our Shooting Team could not finish in a better position than fourth.

Throughout the year a series of most successful Junior House Matches have been conducted under the careful supervision of Mr. Mill. There have been Junior Inter-School Sports Meetings in Athletics and in Swimming, and in each case School teams have been successful.

The Boxing Tournament in second term was the scene of many evenly contested bouts, H. T. Loton proving School Champion.

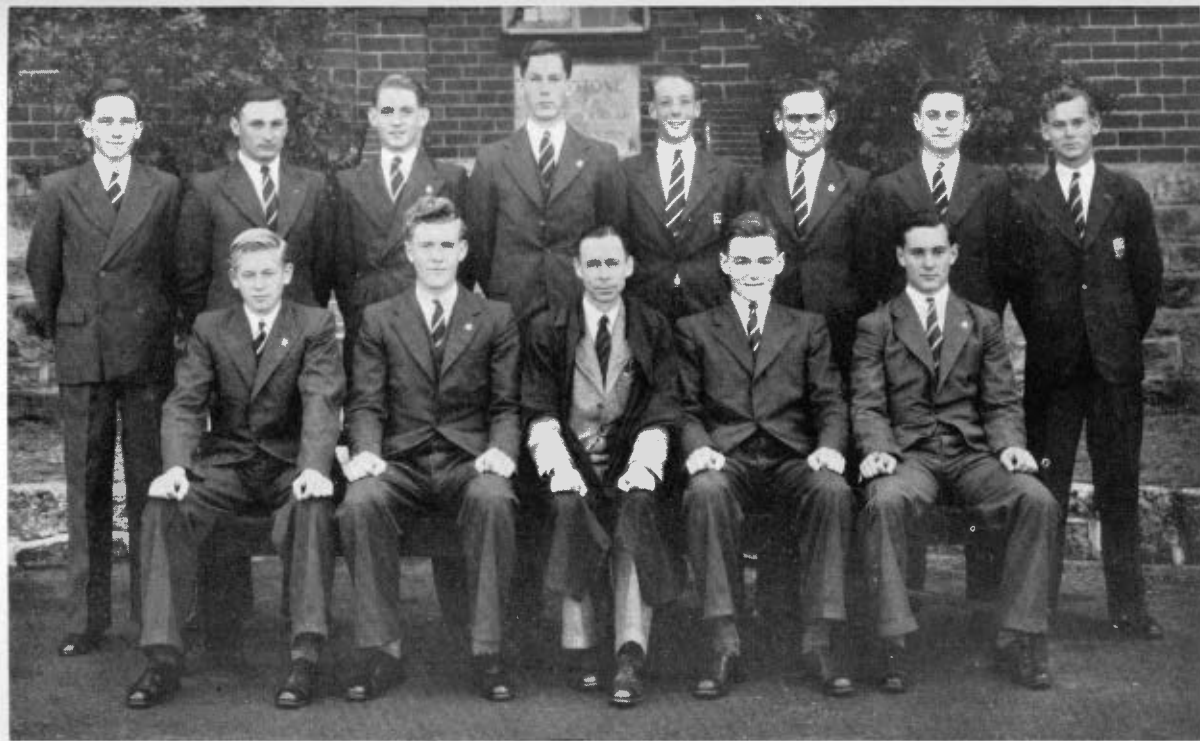
The Debating Society has had a most successful season and teams representing the School have been successful in Debates with Scotch College and St. Hilda's.

The School Dramatic Society play, "The Housemaster," was a truly outstanding performance and I personally would like to congratulate the whole cast and in particular W. H. McCausland for his splendid performance.

The Junior School produced three short and successful plays and also took a large part in the Hobbies Exhibition. However, I feel that this exhibition would be more successful if it had the backing of all Senior boys.

The School magazine, "The Cygnet," was published in second term. I would recommend that contributions for the Original Column be sent in early and a special effort be made to raise the standard of this section.

On the invitation of the A.S.C.M. the Headmaster, Masters and Prefects attended a most impressive Church Service of University Students at St. George's Cathedral.



CYGNET COMMITTEE

Standing : C. O. Simpson; J. H. G. Maitland; V. L. C. Murphy; J. F. Cruickshank; I. St. B. Cruickshank; P. T. Layman;
J. C. M. Slee; A. J. M. Drysdale.
Seated : I. F. Packham; R. Reid (Editor); A. C. Marshall, Esq.; A. C. N. Anderson (Secretary); H. S. Radden.

It is pleasing to note that the numbers in both the Cadet Corps and Air Training Corps have increased and successful training camps have been held at Swanbourne and Pearce respectively.

An appeal to raise funds for the United Nations Appeal for Children was well supported during second term while the usual collections for the Blind have been made.

On account of the polio epidemic that broke out during the second term, the Prefects' Dance was postponed to last Friday evening (December 3rd). Its success was in no small way due to the well prepared supper by the mothers of the senior boys. I would like to thank Mrs. Murphy and her helpers most heartily for the good work they did.

At the beginning of the third term we were all sorry to hear that Mr. W. T. Rowlands — a master at this school for nearly twenty years — had been forced to resign on account of ill-health. The value of the work of Mr. Rowlands both in the class room as well as on the sports field cannot be too strongly expressed.

All were grieved to hear of the sudden death of Mr. James, an Old Boy and a member of the Board of Governors.

In conclusion, I would like to take this opportunity of thanking all those people connected directly with the well-being of all in the school. In particular I would like to refer to the masters for their continued efforts. They have not spared themselves in helping all the boys of the School with matters both internal and external.

This year, I am pleased to say, the senior boys of the School have shown a better sense of responsibility in their school life, but we look forward to a still more conscientious attitude towards their work.

This evening marks the conclusion of not only another year in the history of Hale School, but for some of us the end of our School life and it is "with faith in our hearts and hope on our lips" that we pass on to play our part in the larger community beyond the School bounds.

And last, but not least, I would like to thank my fellow Prefects for the way in which they have supported me throughout the year. We, the Prefects of 1948, have done our best to uphold the traditions and honour of Hale School and what we have done we have done, inspired by our motto "Duty."

HEADMASTER'S REPORT

This year has seen a further increase in numbers. The average enrolment has been nearly 380, while for a time in the First Term there were 384 boys at the school. For the most part the numbers were fairly evenly divided, but the two highest forms in the Junior School have been somewhat overcrowded. Despite this, good work has been done in the Junior School, and all boys have been able to join in the various school activities. At present there are only a few vacancies for new boys. In the Preparatory Form and First Remove some places remain to be filled; there are one or two only in the Third Forms, but, apart from a few in the Upper Sixth, where normally we do not expect to have new boys, there are no other vacancies in the School. Of course, there may be last minute changes, but I do not expect many of these.

The position in the Boarding House remains the same. We have our maximum of 105 enrolled for 1949. I would once again urge upon parents and upon Old Boys particularly, the necessity of making early application for their sons if they wish them to be certain of places in the old school.

The health of the School has been very good. Early in the year, before there was any indication of an epidemic, one of our day boys contracted poliomyelitis, but I am very pleased indeed to be able to report that he is making excellent progress towards a complete recovery. As the year advanced, many parents naturally felt alarmed and were fearful for the health of their boys. Two or three only, however, had their sons taken away from the metropolitan area during the Second Term, and these returned to school this term. We, of course, were worried too, and the school constantly sought advice about precautions that should be taken. The school dance was postponed from the Second Term and Boarders' leave was restricted for a time. The whole of the School was sprayed with D.D.T., and advice issued by the Public Health Authorities was passed on to pupils. There have been seasonal colds, a few cases of influenza and the usual minor ailments and injuries, but the school has been free again from any sort of epidemic. For the good health of the Boarders we owe much to Matron Cairnes, Sister Shenton, Miss Gordon and Miss Melbourne.

The general standard of work in the various classes during the present year has, I believe, remained high. There were greater numbers in the Junior and Leaving forms, and at the top of these sections are some very able boys. Thirty boys, including two who left during the term, have just sat for the Leaving, while sixty-eight boys have just taken the Junior Examination. Last year, fifteen candidates were successful in the Leaving, twenty-three passed the Junior and there were a number of "near misses." Hurst and Lange did best in the

leaving, with two distinctions each, though they were close to distinction in other subjects. Two of our boys were awarded scholarships at the Duntroon Military College, J. H. Skipper and R. D. Lloyd. There has been very keen competition this year in the 6A and 5A forms, and a very narrow margin separates the leading boys in each class.

But we are not concerned only with the progress of the more gifted boys. In a School such as this, where there is no qualifying examination for entrance, there are boys of all ranges of ability and of varying tastes. A schoolmaster must not only try to give boys a good grounding in the basic subjects, but he must observe the boys' aptitudes, so that at the appropriate time he can advise boys, and their parents too, on the choice of subjects and even on the choice of a career. Independent tests of ability have been carried out by Mr. Langley, and we have a table of the relative abilities of boys from twelve years of age upwards. While we realise that such tests are not infallible, it is pretty evident that a boy who scores high marks in such tests must have a good deal of ability. These ability tests do not measure a boy's capacity for work or his will to work. If a boy is rated high in intelligence, but ranks low in class, we try to find the cause. The boy may be just downright lazy, but there are often other causes, such as home troubles. In general, if a boy scores low marks in these external tests, we may infer that he is not likely to be successful in higher academic work, but there are cases of boys with low ratings who consistently occupy high places in their classes. Such boys, by doggedness and determination, have mastered difficulties, while more able boys have given in too easily. When a boy is constantly low in class, and when he is also rated low in the independent ability tests, then it is evident that, despite an ambitious parent's desires, the boy will not be able to go through a professional course, say, in law or medicine.

Ability in purely academic work is not everything. There are other abilities of a high order in art, in music, in manual work of all kinds, and these abilities may be possessed by those who show little aptitude for ordinary scholastic subjects. Such people should be allowed to cultivate their strong points, but at the same time, they should be made to realise the value of a good general education.

Many boys who have apparently done well in primary courses, do not maintain their early promise when they begin secondary work of a much more varied type; work which includes mathematics and languages. Parents are often disappointed and cannot understand why the boy has fallen behind others in class. They are often inclined to blame the master, forgetful of the fact that the boy's contemporaries have exactly the same masters and class conditions, and yet they are doing extremely well. There may be many reasons for the boy's lack of progress: he may not really have the ability to do higher work in mathematics or languages; he may be developing too rapidly physically,

and though possessed of ability, may lose for a time his power of application to book work; change of environment affects some to a marked degree; and so on. If a boy does fall behind relative to his fellows, parents and masters should co-operate to find the cause.

It is in the senior school that many latent weaknesses become apparent, and many weaknesses hitherto not regarded as serious, develop. Much of the failure to cope with mathematical work is due to lack of confidence in dealing with numbers. I am sure that a good number sense is developed when the pupil is quite young. We intend, next year, to carry out diagnostic tests in the Junior School to find where weaknesses lie, and then to apply all possible remedial measures. We, as teachers, have not been without blame. We have often tended to gloss over failures with such remarks as "too careless," "would do better at arithmetic if he concentrated." We must make an effort to find out if a particular type of error constantly recurs. It may not be just carelessness; it may be a faulty number combination that has become habitual. And parents are not altogether without blame. How often do we find a parent condoning a boy's weakness by saying: "Well, I wasn't any good at arithmetic either." And what I have said about number work applies equally to words.

While but a few have a real genius for mathematics or for languages, many, many more could be proficient in those branches of learning. I know that our teaching staff is capable and is keen to help the less gifted, but there is a limit beyond which no teacher can go if a boy really resists learning. The full co-operation of the parent must be obtained. Too many parents ask that boys be allowed to give up subjects because they meet with immediate difficulties. Neither they, nor their boys, look beyond the immediate difficulties to the future benefits which may come when these difficulties have been mastered. I do not maintain for a moment that just because a thing is difficult it is good for a boy. But I do deplore the general tendency to "softness," which seems to be permeating our whole national life.

The classroom is but part of a school like this. Games loom large in the eyes of the normal boy, and rightly so. The school is proud of its record in the more manly sports. The Captain of the School has told you of these. In some of the Inter-School Contests we have not done well this year, but in these our teams have done their best. There are seven Inter-School competitions, six official and one unofficial — the tennis. Of these we won the cricket, with a fine all round team, under a very able captain in Dymock, and the tennis. Since there are four schools, you must admit that our share of success is not unreasonable. Our Juniors in all sports have more than held their own, and in general, there is a very fine spirit down through the school. I say "in general," for that "softness" of which I spoke above is I fear apparent, in some degree, in out-of-class activities.

The value of such activities cannot be too strongly stressed. The greatest tragedy of the shorter working week is the utter inability of the average young man to make use of his leisure hours. Parents should insist that their boys enter whole-heartedly into school games, or cadets, or dramatic, or debating society, or cultivate some worthwhile hobby or interest. The boy who shirks school activities loses the respect of his fellows; worse, he loses his own self-respect and manliness and later will drift into that crowd of useless young men who have neither the urge nor the ability to do more than hang round the street corners, listen to the races, or, at the best, look on while others play football or the like.

This year the Cadet Detachment under Mr. Drake, has maintained its usual high standard. The Platoon Cup was won by No. 3 Platoon under Lt. J. M. Love and Sgt. J. B. Truscott; the Tobruk Trophy was awarded to Sgt. R. Reid, while the champion shot of the school is T. C. Senior. The Air Training Corps, under Mr. Adams, has developed into a very efficient body. The course is a very strenuous one and, as I expected, a few weaklings have fallen by the wayside. We are more than sorry that Their Majesties will not visit Australia next year, for a special Guard of Honour would have been selected from all Cadet Detachments and other Cadets would have marched past.

Physical training was again in the capable hands of Mr. Gorringe. There was a record number of entrants for the Ferguson Memorial Trophy.

The boxing classes under Mr. D. Ryan reached their maximum in the Second Term, when the School Tournament was held. Bouts were vigorous, and keenly contested. The school champion is H. T. Loton. We appreciate the continued interest of Mr. George Thompson, who again refereed the contests.

On the other school activities, special mention should be made of the Dramatic Society and of the Debating Society. The former, under the direction of Mr. Wakeford, presented Ian Hay's "The House-master," to large and appreciative audiences, while the Junior School section also provided first-rate entertainment in its play nights. There is plenty of talent in the school. The Debating Society was more active this year, and a number of boys showed ability above the average. Debates were held with Scotch College and with St. Hilda's School in which our teams showed to advantage. The magazine "The Cygnet," under Mr. Marshall, has maintained a very good standard on the whole, though I feel the original section is the weakest feature at present. No doubt there are budding authors and poets in our midst. I hope they will contribute worthily in the near future. Good progress has been made by Mrs. Nottage's pupils, while the Junior choirs under her direction have developed well, and their singing at the Junior plays was very pleasing. Mr. C. Hamilton has stimulated a keen interest in and appreciation of art. There are some gifted boys

whose work was outstanding at the Hobbies Exhibition, but I am more than pleased with the progress of the ordinary boys. Handicraft of various types was again done in the Junior School under the direction of Mr. Mill.

The Junior School is a very live section of the school. Its House competitions have been keenly contested; the names of the winning Houses are printed in the programme. There is no doubt that the special facilities provided for Junior School games are bearing fruit. On the other side we are developing the Junior School's own library. This has benefited by many generous gifts, the most notable being that of Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Hill. The school appreciates their continued interest and help.

With regard to general school equipment, I have to report further improvements in the Science Department. The School's work in the field of visual education is well known, and parties from the Teachers' Training College have been interested spectators at teaching demonstrations at the school. A new S.V.E. projector for film strips has been added to our equipment. The Victor Projector is used also for the entertainment of boarders. We have entered a contract with M.G.M. for a regular supply of feature films.

Though this is an undenominational school we fully recognise that for a full and complete life, more is needed than mental and physical development. The school is indebted to Rev. R. W. Hamilton for his work in connection with the spiritual side. Despite ill-health he has conducted his classes regularly in the Senior School, and we all hope that he will be able to continue next year. Canon Jones prepared boys for confirmation and twenty-two were confirmed by His Grace the Archbishop. Mr. Heighway Bates has had a keen audience at his weekly Crusader Union Meetings.

Former members of the school are playing their part in all sections of the community, in politics, in the professions, and in business. At the Universities many are distinguishing themselves. A list of those doing courses is printed in the programme. Perhaps I may mention a few here. C. C. Clarke, Rhodes Scholar for 1940 was awarded First Class Honours in English this year at Oxford, where our last Rhodes Scholar, J. R. Clarke, is beginning his second year. Others abroad are B. Green, G. Ross, Blakey and Traill-Nash. B. Rosier has topped off a brilliant academic career by being elected President of the Guild of Undergraduates for 1949. In another field Dr. Charles Green was honoured by being made captain of the Athletic Section of the Australian Olympic Team. J. M. Harries has just passed out of the Naval College with high distinction, and has been selected for a special course in England. Last year D. R. Chappell and R. H. Clement finished their

courses at Duntroon, and T. C. Edmondson and B. T. Luscombe will graduate in a few days' time.

The Old Haleians' Association has had a most successful year under the Presidency of J. Jackson, with T. E. Eyres as Hon. Secretary. The Committee is in close contact with the school and is keenly interested in its welfare. Once again they have made a generous donation to the prize funds, and are exploring ways and means of helping the school still further. It is with regret that we record the passing of one of our oldest Old Boys, E. H. Angelo, a well known figure in this State for many years. To the last he associated himself with Old Boys' activities, and though in ill health was present at Assembly on last Old Boys' Day.

The school suffered a great loss with the untimely death of Gordon James. "Punch," as he was affectionately known to his friends, was an Old Boy of distinction in his profession and he was a member of our Board of Governors. Few Old Haleians have maintained a closer connection with their old school. He was an active member and an office-bearer in the Old Haleians' Association. As a Governor, he always had the welfare of the school at heart. I found his advice and help invaluable. We shall miss him greatly, for the school was never more in need of men of vision like Gordon James.

To the Board of Governors, of which Mr. E. Thorley Loton is again chairman, I am grateful for solid support and encouragement in the conduct of school affairs. The Board is keen to build up and maintain an efficient staff. To this end it has instituted a salary scheme for masters which will bear favourable comparison with any other in Australia. The school is faced with great problems. Our present site, though one of the most attractive and valuable in Perth, is barely adequate for a school of this size, and is certainly not adequate for a school with the number we would have if we accepted all applications for places. The Governors will need generous and practical support of Old Boys, of parents, of all friends of the school, if they are to develop this school to its utmost in the next few years.

I would like to record my thanks to all who have helped the school during the year. There are the numerous Old Boys and parents, friends of the school and business firms who have given generously to sports funds, prize lists and library. Mr. Ottoway and Mr. Evans of Kodaks visited the school regularly and gave much interesting and instructive information on photography. In games, our teams appreciate the help given by many coaches, other than members of the staff: in rowing Messrs. Gra Rosser, H. D. Norman and S. Stephens; in swimming, Mr. Percy Oliver; in shooting, Mr. H. B. Norman; in Cricket, Mr. J. Frazer. I cannot let the occasion pass without referring to Mr. W. T. Rowlands, who resigned from the teaching

staff in August, owing to ill-health. For nearly twenty years Mr. Rowlands was in charge of games at the school, and many boys have to thank him for the excellent foundation he gave them in both cricket and football. At all times he insisted that boys do the right thing. He developed in those under him a true spirit of games.

To all members of the teaching staff the school owes a great deal. Nearly every man has shared in the general activities of the school, and has given freely of his own time. There is no 40 hour week for the good schoolmaster. I wish to express my personal thanks to all for their loyal and whole-hearted co-operation. While I cannot name all here, I know the others will not take it amiss if I pay special tribute to Mr. Altorfer, who has been entirely responsible for the supervision and administration of the boarding house, and to Mr. Marshall, who as first assistant, has relieved me of many worries during the school year. The office staff, and particularly Miss Twine, have rendered invaluable help. Miss Lilley came back to help us out and we appreciate her action. She is to be married in a few days. I know the good wishes of all at school go with her. Finally, I should like to thank the boys themselves, and especially the prefects, for all they have done to make the year such a good one. The school owes a great deal to the captain of the school, B. H. Dymock. Few boys I have known have had the welfare of the school so much at heart as Dymock. The excellence of the present cricket team is due in no small measure to his keen captaincy, and his personal example. He was imbued with a keen sense of duty, and never spared himself on behalf of the school in all its various activities, cadet corps, cricket, football, tennis and general affairs. To him, and to all who are leaving, I wish every success in their post school life.



School Prizes

PREPARATORY SCHOOL

DIVISION I

Dux P. D. E. Phillips

DIVISION II

Honour Prize D. G. K. Cannon

Third S. M. Williams, T. H. Readhead

Second C. J. E. Phillips

Dux of Prep. W. St.C. Brockway

JUNIOR SCHOOL

1st REMOVE

Honour Prize J. K. Dorrington

Special Prize L. Peet

Fourth L. H. S. James

Third H. D. Long

Second J. W. Sketchley

Dux of Form R. J. Turkington

2nd REMOVE

Honour Prize M. J. Murray

Fourth A. S. Johnson

Third C. E. Clifford

Second D. T. Lewis

Dux of Form M. M. Vinnicombe

3rd REMOVE

John Bradner Leworthy Hill Memorial

Prize P. J. Thompson

Sixth J. F. O'Meehan

Fifth D. G. S. James

Fourth A. J. Garland

Third M. H. Wainwright

Second J. M. Hyde

Dux of Junior School H. V. Shotter

MIDDLE SCHOOL

III b

Honour Prize A. O. Lodge

Third B. G. Twine

Second J. B. Percy

Dux of Form J. A. James

III a

Music Prize R. Foyel

Honour Prize J. E. T. Haynes

Fifth H. De H. Hamersley

Fourth M. J. Rosier

Second P. R. Mitchell, L. A. Kellam

Dux of Form M. L. Thornett

IV b

Honour Prize (Piesse Memorial)

. P. T. Horley

Third J. S. Wheatley

Second R. P. Camm

Dux of Form P. J. Gordon

IV a

Honour Prize (Piesse Memorial)

. J. A. Howe

Fifth J. B. Morrison

Fourth B. S. Sanders

Third I. K. Brandenburg

Second M. G. McCall

Dux of Form R. L. Chase

THE CYGNET

SENIOR SCHOOL

V b (Junior Certificate)

Honour Prize (Piesse Memorial) . . .	
Third	M. P. J. Roberts
Second	A. A. T. Burt
Dux of Form (the Gift of the Old	R. W. Rees
Haleians' Association) D. J. Williams	

V a (Junior Certificate)

Honour Prize (Piesse Memorial) . . .	
Sixth	H. L. Mitchell
Fifth	J. D. Arrow
Fourth	J. F. Cruickshank
Third	W. R. Robinson
Second	D. W. Watts
Dux of Form (the Gift of the Old	R. S. Crisp
Haleians' Association) . . .	I. St.B. Cruickshank

School Junior Certificates are presented to:—G. A. Airey, D. G. Anderson, J. D. Arrow, A. A. T. Burt, R. S. Crisp, J. F. Cruickshank, I. St.B. Cruickshank, K. W. Gibbs, H. C. Hughes, J. A. Hunt, F. W. King, S. L. Kirkby, C. J. McQueen, H. L. Mitchell, H. S. Radden, R. W. Rees, P. W. Reitze, W. R. Robinson, M. B. Seed, T. C. M. Senior, D. W. Watts, D. J. Williams, R. S. Wilson.

VI b (Sub-Leaving)

Music Prize (the Gift of Mrs. H. L. Nottage)	A. C. N. Anderson
Raphael Memorial Prize for Photography	A. F. G. Campbell
John Vetter Memorial Prize	R. Reid
Third	R. Reid
Second	A. C. N. Anderson
Dux of Form	C. O. Simpson

VI a (Leaving Certificate)

General Proficiency	B. G. Radden, R. A. Pearse
History, Geography and Economics	J. C. Clapin
Physics and Chemistry	R. B. Summers
Mathematics and Applied Mathematics, Aeq.	J. B. Truscott, R. B. Summers
Proxime Accessit	J. B. Truscott
Dux of School (the gift of the Old Haleians' Assn.)	R. B. Summers

Guy Ward Memorial: J. C. Clapin.

Aubrey Hardwicke Memorial: B. H. Dymock.

SPORTS TROPHIES

SWIMMING

Trophies for Championship events were presented to the following boys: N. A. Morlet, A. G. Rosser, L. R. Barwise, E. P. G. Brand, R. W. Buttenshaw, R. W. Rees, J. A. G. Brand, B. G. Radden, J. M. Love, R. S. Wilson.

ATHLETICS

Trophies for Championship events were presented to the following boys: E. J. Powell, R. A. R. Slee, A. G. Saw, M. G. McCall, B. J. Short, H. R. Holland, H. S. Radden, J. M. Gibbs, J. Bedford-Brown, G. H. Christian E. P. G. Brand, T. C. M. Senior, T. C. Loton, N. I.

Williamson, I. St.B. Cruickshank, T. P. Rogers, J. F. Cruickshank, K. W. Gibbs, R. D. Cassidy, R. A. Pearse, M. J. Monteath, C. W. Thomson, J. Staniforth-Smith, C. J. Grove, P. F. P. Anderson.

SPECIAL TROPHIES

H. T. Loton (School Boxing Championship), P. T. Layman (Most Improved Footballer), B. L. Woods (Most Effective Footballer), B. G. Radden (Lattice Cup), B. H. Dymock (Bat for Outstanding Performance), A. O. Lodge (Bat for Century in Cup Match), T. C. M. Senior (Champion Rifle Shot), Sergt. R. Reid (Tobruk Trophy), W. I. Leslie (Old Boys' Cup), J. B. Cooke (Physical Training).

JUNIOR HOUSE TROPHIES

The following boys received trophies for captaining the winning House Teams: F. O. House (Football, Cricket, Tennis Cups and Cock House Shield)—Buntine House; J. O'Meehan (Athletic Cup)—Faulkner House; D. Reid (Swimming Cup)—Le Couteur House.

Colours

HONOUR BLAZERS

Prefects—R. Reid (Captain of the School); R. C. Cooke, J. F. Cruickshank, I. St. B. Cruickshank, P. T. Layman, V. L. C. Murphy, I. F. Packham, H. S. Radden, T. C. M. Senior.

Athletics—J. B. Brown, R. B. Wood.

Cricket—J. C. Clapin, A. O. Lodge, C. J. McQueen, B. G. Radden, V. B. Webb.

Football—J. C. Clapin, P. T. Layman, B. G. Radden, T. C. M. Senior, B. L. Woods.

Rowing—J. D. Arrow, I. R. Brandenburg, L. Durston, P. T. Layman, I. F. Packham, R. Reid, M. R. Watson (Cox).

Swimming—R. S. Wilson, L. E. Chrystal.

Tennis—J. B. Eastwood, G. Fotios, B. W. Nevard, H. S. Radden.

SPORTS BLAZERS

Athletics—J. D. Arrow, J. B. Cooke, J. A. Fawcett, J. M. Gibbs, C. J. Grove, G. W. McCausland, R. A. Pearse, T. P. Rogers, J. Staniforth-Smith.

Cricket— P. F. P. Anderson, J. B. Cooke, A. J. M. Drysdale, R. B. Summers, B. L. Woods.

Football—J. A. G. Brand, R. D. Cassidy, J. B. Cooke, C. R. Heathcote, M. J. Monteath, V. L. C. Murphy, A. O. Lodge, T. C. Loton, H. S. Radden, M. C. Roberts, T. P. Rogers.

Swimming— G. H. Christian, F. O. House, G. W. McCausland, I. M. Parkes, D. P. Reid, I. G. Robinson, W. R. Serventy, M. V. Shallcross, B. G. Twine, R. B. Wood.

Shooting— A. R. Ball, J. B. Cooke, R. C. Cooke, J. A. G. Brand, F. A. R. Moseley, S. H. Parker, T. C. M. Senior, J. C. M. Slee

THE NEW SPORTS BLAZER

The Sports Council has decided to adopt a plain light blue blazer with dark blue edging as the new sports blazer. This is necessary as the previous patterned material is unavailable. The original pocket will be retained; and the alternate dark and light blue bar under the appropriate sports symbol will signify a colours award.

VALETE

1948

DYMOCK, B. H. (1943-48)—Captain of School 1948; Prefect 1947-48; Football 1st XVIII 1945-48; Captain 1948; Colours 1946; Committee 1947-48; Cricket 1st XI 1945-48; Captain 1947-48; Colours 1947; Committee 1947-48; Cadets 1944-48; Lieutenant 1948; Tennis 1947-48; Captain 1947-48; Colours 1947; Sports Council 1947-48; Colours Committee 1948; Cygnet Committee 1946-48; Editor 1948; Debating Society 1947-48; Secretary 1947; Junior 1946; Leaving 1948.

CLAPIN, J. C. (1944-48)—Prefect 1947-48; House Prefect 1947-48; Captain of House 1948; Football 1st XVIII 1947-48; Colours 1948; Committee 1948; Cricket 1st XI 1947-48; Colours 1948; Committee 1948; Cadets 1945-48; Lieutenant 1948; Sports Council 1947-48; Secretary 1947; Colours Committee 1948; Cygnet Committee 1947-48; Debating Committee 1947-48; Junior 1946; Leaving 1948.

ANDERSON, P. F. P. (1943-48)—Prefect 1948; House Prefect 1948; Football 1st XVIII 1947-48; Cricket 1st XI 1948; Athletics 1947-48; Champion Athlete 1948; Captain 1948; Cadets 1945-48; C.S.M. 1948; Shooting 1947-48; Tennis 1947-48; Col-

ours 1948; Sports Council 1948; Cygnet Committee 1948; Debating Committee 1947-48; Junior 1945; Leaving 1947.

BRAND, J. A. G. (1942-48)—Prefect 1948; House Prefect 1948; Football 1948; Swimming 1947-48; Captain 1948; Committee 1948; Colours 1948; Life Saving 1948; Captain 1948; Shooting 1948; Cadets 1947-48; Corporal 1948; Sports Council 1948; Cygnet Committee 1948; Secretary 1948; Junior 1946; Leaving 1948.

RADDEN, B. G. (1946-48)—Prefect 1948; Football 1948; Colours 1948; Committee 1948; Cricket 1947-48; Colours 1948; Committee 1948; Swimming 1948; Committee 1948; Sports Council 1948; Colours Committee 1948; Cygnet Committee 1948; Secretary 1948; Debating Committee 1948; Leaving 1948.

TRUSCOTT, J. B. (1944-48)—Prefect 1948; Rowing 1st VIII 1948; Colours 1948; Cadets 1945-48; Sergeant 1948; Sports Council 1948; Cygnet Committee 1948; Dramatic Society 1948; Librarian 1947; Proxime Accessit 1948; Junior 1946; Leaving 1948.

LOTON, H. T. (1943-48)—Prefect 1948; House Prefect 1947-48; Rowing 1st VIII 1948; Colours 1948; School Champion Boxer 1948; Cadets 1945-48; Lieutenant 1948; Junior 1946.

GUHL, K. M. (1943-48)—Football 1st XVIII 1946-48; Colours 1947; Committee 1948; Athletics 1943-46; Colours 1946; Cadets 1945-47; Sports Council 1948; Cygnet Committee 1948; Librarian 1946-47; Junior 1946; Leaving 1948.

LOVE, J. M. (1944-48)—Football 1st XVIII 1947-48; Rowing 1947-48; Colours 1947; Swimming 1948; School Champion Swimmer 1948; Committee 1948; Cadets 1945-48; Lieutenant 1948; Cygnet Committee 1948; Junior 1946.

STANIFORTH-SMITH, J. (1947-48)—House Prefect 1948; Rowing 1st VIII 1948; Captain and Stroke 1948; Colours 1948; Sports Council 1948; Athletics 1948; Cadets 1947-48.

ROBERTS, M. C. (1943-48)—Football 1st XVIII 1948; Cadets 1945-48; Corporal 1948; Librarian 1947; Sports Council 1948; Dramatic Society 1947-48; Junior 1946; Leaving 1948.

PARKER, S. H. (1942-48)—Swimming 1942-43; Rowing 1st VIII 1948; Colours 1948; Shooting 1948; Cadets 1945-48; Corporal 1948; Junior 1946.

COATES, R. E. (1941-48)—Football 1st XVIII 1946-48; Life Saving 1948; Colours 1948; Swimming Committee 1948; Cadets 1946-48; Lance Corporal 1948; Sports Council 1947-48; Head Librarian 1947.

- COOKE, J. B. (1947-48)—House Prefect 1948; Football 1st XVIII 1948; Cricket 1948; Athletics 1948; Cadets 1947-48; Sergeant 1948; Shooting 1948.
- THOMSON, C. W. (1944-48)—Football 1st XVIII 1946-48; Athletics 1945-48; Committee 1947-48; Cadets 1945-48; C.Q.M.S. 1948; Junior 1946.
- MOSELEY, F. A. R. (1941-48)—Cadets 1945-48; Shooting 1948; Debating Committee 1948; Cygnet Committee 1947-48; Dramatic Society 1948; Junior 1946.
- PEARSE, R. A. (1944-48)—House Prefect 1947-48; Athletics 1948; Cadets 1945-48; Rowing 1st VIII 1947; Debating Committee 1946-48; Dramatic Society 1948; Junior 1946; Leaving 1948.
- SUMMERS, R. B. (1944-48)—Cricket 1st XI 1948; Cadets 1945-47; Cygnet Committee 1948; Sports Council 1948; Junior 1946; Dux of School 1948; Leaving 1948.
- DURSTON, I. A. S. (1942-48)—Rowing 1st VIII 1948; Colours 1948; Football 1st XVIII 1948; Junior 1946.
- HARTLEY, W. H. (1945-48)—Rowing 1st VIII 1947; Colours 1947; Debating Committee 1948; Cadets 1945-46; Junior 1946; Leaving 1948.
- HEATHCOTE, C. R. (1947-48)—Tennis 1948; Colours 1948; Cricket 1947-48; Football 1st XVIII 1948.
- BAMFORD, V. W. (1944-48)—Swimming 1946, 48; Cadets 1945-48; Lance Corporal 1948; Junior 1946.
- GEARY, J. S. (1945-48)—Athletics 1945; Librarian 1948; Junior 1946.
- WOODS, B. L. (1942-48)—Football 1st XVIII 1947-48; Colours 1948; Cricket 1948.
- LOTON, T. C. (1946-48)—Football 1st XVIII 1948; Athletics 1946; Cadets 1948.

The following boys also left:—

Allen, D. N.	Flower, P. S.	Morrell, B. C.
Ball, A. R.	Forrest, J. H.	Plunkett, D. G.
Ballard, F. J.	Foulkes-Taylor, M.	Reading, R. H.
Birley, R. C.	Fritch, J. R.	Rees, R. W.
Broad, M. C.	Gardner, E. B.	Robertson, A. F.
Burt, A. T.	Graves, W. R.	Robertson, P. W.
Campbell, D. R.	Gregson, R. B.	Robinson, J. A.
Cassidy, R. D.	Grove, C. J.	Rogers, T. P.
Chester, R. H.	Hard, D.	Rutter, J.
Cousins, W. J.	Henderson, J.	Sim, D.
Curleris, K. H.	Illingworth, J.	Stafford, N. D.

Davies, J. R.
Dean, R. R.
Deykin, J. D.
Durrant, I. C.
Fawcett, J. A.

Kitto, J. B.
Knowles, C. O. R.
Lowe, R. J.
McCausland, H. W.
McQueen, C. J.

Stevenson, J. K.
Stockler, P. T.
Turner, R. D.
Tydeman, A. A.

The following boys left 1st Term, 1949:—

Allsop, F. L.
Fisher, G. W.

Long, H. D.

Watkins, R. M.

SALVETE

Anderson, L. I.
Anderson, R. A.
Ashdown, A. W.
Barr, J. B.
Beech, M. R.
Blades, G. C.
Broun, D. M.
Brown, W. J. A.
Burns, I. B. G.
Cerini, G. V.
Clark, B. D.
D'Arcy, N. T. L.
Donaldson, A. R.
Donaldson, N. K.
Douglas, M. S.
Dungey, B. M. N.
Edwards, D. D.
Good, P. M.
Gordon, D. J.
Gugeri, M. A.
Harris, J. C. E.
Hill, A. N.

Hodby, K. J.
Hooper, O. B.
Jack, N. D.
Kerridge, R. F.
Kirkby, K.
Law, A. D.
Leeder, J.
Lefroy, G. A.
Lefroy, P. deC.
Leggatt, R. K.
Le Plastrier, R. D.
Lewis, J. L.
Linton, R. R.
McQuoid, M.
Merritt, J. A.
Miles, W. O.
Minchin, R.
Moore, P. R.
Officer, E. A.
Roberts, B. L.
Roe, B. W.
Rowe, C. S.

Shallcross, V. R.
Shapcott, R. H.
Silvester, W. H.
Sutherland, E. J.
Taylor, W. J. F.
Thompson, R. F.
Trewin, C. A.
Trewin D. G.
Wager, G. M.
Walton, S. J.
Warnock, C. S.
Watt, R. S.
Williams, P. J. K.
Wood, B. J.
Zempilas, C.

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MacMillan, I. deG.
Phillips, C. J. E.
Phillips, P. D. E.
Weekes, J. J.

MRS. BLYTH

It was with great regret that we said good-bye, at the end of last term, to Mrs. Blyth, who has left us to be married. She had been on the Junior School Staff for five years, and, during that time, had been in charge of First Remove. A most capable teacher, she had that happy gift of maintaining complete control over the boys, and at the same time winning their confidence and affection. All those boys who have passed through her hands will retain, throughout their lives, happy memories of their year in her form. She took a great interest in all the activities of the Junior School, producing plays most successfully for our Dramatic Society, and teaching some of the younger boys to swim. The Junior School Staff, who appreciated her willing co-operation in and out of school, will miss her as much as the boys.

On the last Wednesday of last term, a very pleasant afternoon tea party was held in Matron's sitting room, to enable the members of the staff to say goodbye to Mrs. Blyth. We were very glad to have Mr. Richardson with us on that occasion. After afternoon tea, the Headmaster and Mr. Marshall presented Mrs. Blyth with gifts on behalf of the Board of Governors and the Staff. Then, on the last morning of term, the boys were glad to have their opportunity of showing their appreciation of her efforts when David Rathbone presented her with a pressure cooker, on behalf of the whole of the Junior School.

Although she is no longer with us, we know that she will continue to take an interest in us, and we look forward to seeing her at our plays and other functions. In thanking her for all that she has done for us, we take this opportunity of wishing her every happiness in her future life.

To her successor, Mrs. De Rouffignac, the School offers a very warm welcome. She already has links with the School, and we hope that she herself may become as strongly attached to us as we know her predecessor was.

DRAMATIC SOCIETY NOTES

1948

This year the control of the society passed to Mr. Wakeford, who decided to produce "The Housemaster," by Ian Hay.

The first meetings were held near the end of first term, as the play was to be performed at the end of second term, instead of early in third term as in previous years. At these meetings everyone interested was able to read different parts and the cast was chosen before the end of term. After regular rehearsals right through second term, the dress rehearsal was held on Sunday, August 15th. The play was publicly performed on two nights — August 17th and 18th, in the School Hall and was a great success.

The cast of "The Housemaster" was:—

Charles Donkin (the Housemaster)	Harry McCausland
"Bimbo" Faringdon	John Norman
Victor Beamish (a House tutor)	Ian Packham
Frank Hastings (a Housemaster)	Jim Frith
Ellen (a maid)	Laurie Kellam
Barbara Fane (Aunt to the Faringdons)	Severin Crisp
"Button" Faringdon (twin sister to "Bimbo")	Allan Hutchinson
Matron	John Chapman

Rosemary Faringdon	Michael McCall
Chris Faringdon	Sydney Deykin
Philip de Pourville (a music teacher)	Colin Simpson
"Flossie" Nightingale	John Olden
The Rev. Edmund Ovington (the Headmaster)	Francis Moseley
Sir Berkeley Nightingale (uncle to "Flossie")	Richard Anketell
Travers	Bruce Truscott
"Pop"	Dudley Allan
"Old Crump"	John Kitto

Robert Reid was stage manager, the property managers were Peter Layman and David Anderson, and the play was produced by G. F. Wakeford, Esq.

For their invaluable help, the Society would like to thank the following:—

Mr. Drake, who supervised the erection of the stage and proscenium; all the VIB boys who helped him; Mrs. Murphy, Mr. Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCall, who did the make-up; Mr. Altorfer, who was in charge of the booking; Ken Cuming, who supplied most of the electrical fittings and controlled the stage lighting on the nights of the play; and all those who lent furniture or other properties.

HOBBIES EXHIBITION

Last year on September 18th, the parents and friends of the boys saw another of the annual Hobbies Exhibitions. There was a marked improvement on the standard of the previous two exhibitions, as a much more extensive and interesting range of exhibits was shown, and it is gratifying to see that more interest is being taken in this annual event.

In the hall and junior school classrooms were exhibits of various types of handwork, such as woodwork, plasticine work, plaster models, and basket work, as well as a large number of drawings. We thank all those boys who contributed and Mr. Hamilton for the help he gave in the art section.

A display of equipment used in the Cadet Corps was set out in 3A classroom, by Layman, Drysdale and Loton.

In the laboratory some chemical processes were exhibited, the best of which was put on by Reid, Cooke and Layman, who showed us how Sulphuric Acid and Superphosphate were manufactured at the Bassendean factory. We welcome always this class of exhibit for its educational value to all those boys who take science subjects. It is

hoped that next year more groups of boys will put on exhibits of this type. Thanks are due to the Stoneware and Pottery Co., for allowing Frith and Packham to be shown over their factory. Samples from different stages of the process were set out on a bench to form an interesting exhibit showing how tiles were made.

Ken Cuming exhibited his emergency lighting plant and gave frequent demonstrations on how it worked, to all those who could bear the noise. The power generated by this plant was used to drive several neon signs.

An exhibit on distillation was displayed by Simpson and Anderson, who distilled, so we are told, eucalyptus and lemon scented gum leaves. There was, however, some doubt as to what the products were. Other smaller exhibits such as silica gardens, photography and electroplating were also shown.

In the lecture theatre, educational films were shown by Mr. Altorfer and Mr. Drake on the school's movie projector.

Special credit goes to the 6B boys who helped with the Exhibition and by whose efforts the Science Section is once more flourishing. We hope that 1949 will see the Exhibition an even greater success than before.

MUSIC NOTES

The number of boys learning music has not dropped off since last year and it is hoped that all those now learning will continue to do so as long as possible so that they may gain an appreciation of music, even though they may not intend to take music as a profession.

All Mrs. Nottage's pupils would like to take this opportunity of thanking her for her patient teaching and understanding throughout the year.

Boys are still encouraged to try to form a school orchestra. Last year, owing to many difficulties, it was unfortunately found necessary temporarily to shelve the idea of one.

Under Mrs. Nottage's direction, two Junior School choirs each rendered a group of songs at the Junior School plays in second term last year. We thank Mr. Wakeford for his able accompanying of these songs on the piano.

A number of boys from school are attending this year's series of celebrity concerts held in the Capitol Theatre, and have attended musical functions held at the University.

Before Easter a musical afternoon was held at P.L.C., and a group of boys from school was invited to it. Unfortunately, as it was held in the afternoon a lot who wanted to go were unable to, owing to practices, but a few went and enjoyed a programme of items given by boys and girls from a number of schools. The refreshments provided were much appreciated. We take this opportunity to thank the P.L.C. girls who organized the entertainment.

At the music exams. held in May last year, Tony Anderson gained honours, obtaining 88 per cent. for Grade IV theory. In September he got 82 per cent. a credit for Grade III practical, and Ross Foyle, in Grade V, also passed with a credit of 82 per cent. Both boys received encouraging reports from the examiner.

EXAMINATION RESULTS, 1948

LEAVING CERTIFICATE

(D) DENOTES DISTINCTION

- ANDERSON, P. F. P.—English, French, History, Geography, Maths A (D).
- ANKETELL, R. J.—History, Industrial History and Economics.
- BALL, A. R.—English, French, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry, Applied Maths.
- BAMFORD, V. W.—Physics.
- BRAND, J. A. G.—English, Maths A (D), Maths B., Physics, Drawing B (D), Applied Maths.
- CLAPIN, J. C.—English, History, Geography (D), Commercial, Industrial History and Economics.
- COATES, R. E.—Commercial.
- DURSTON, L.—Geography.
- DYMOCK, B. H.—English, History, Geography, Industrial History and Economics.
- GUHL, K. M.—English, History, Geography, Industrial History and Economics.
- HARD, D. A.—English, Maths A., Physics, Chemistry, Applied Maths.
- HARTLEY, W. H.—English, History, Geography, Industrial History and Economics.
- HEATHCOTE, C. R.—English, History.
- LOTON, H. T.—History, Geography, Industrial History and Economics.
- LOVE, J. M.—Maths A., Physics.
- MOSELEY, F. A. R.—English, Geography, Industrial History and Economics.
- MURPHY, V. L. C.—English, Maths A., Physics.
- PARKER, S. H.—English, History, Industrial History and Economics.
- PEARSE, R. A.—English, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry, Commercial, Applied Maths.

- RADDEN, B. G.—English, French, Maths A. (D), Maths B., Physics, Chemistry, Applied Maths.
- ROBERTS, M. C.—English, French, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Applied Maths.
- STANIFORTH-SMITH, J.—English.
- SUMMERS, R. B.—English, French, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry, Applied Maths (D).
- THOMSON, C. W. L.—Commercial.
- TRUSCOTT, J. B.—English, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry (D), Applied Maths.
- TURNER, R. D.—English, German, History, Geography (D), Industrial History and Economics.

JUNIOR CERTIFICATE

- AIREY, G. A.—English, Geography, Maths A., Maths B., Drawing A.
- ALLAN, D.—English, History, Geography, Maths A., Drawing A., Woodwork.
- ANDERSON, D. G.—English, French, Maths A., Maths B.
- ARROW, J. D.—English, History, Maths A., Maths B., Drawing A.
- BLAKE, D.—English, History.
- BRAND, E. P. G.—English, Drawing A.
- BROAD, M.—Drawing A.
- BURT, A. A. T.—History, Geography, Maths A., Drawing A., Commercial.
- CASSIDY, R. D.—Geography, Drawing A., Woodwork.
- CATLING, T.—Geography, Maths A., Drawing A., Woodwork.
- CHESTER, R. H.—English, Maths B., Physics, Drawing A., Drawing B.
- CRISP, R. S.—English, Latin, French, German, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry.
- CRUICKSHANK, I. St.B.—English, Latin, French, German, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry.
- CRUICKSHANK, J. F.—English, Latin, French, History, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry.
- CURLEWIS, K.—Drawing A.
- DAVIES, J. R.—English, History, Physics.
- DEYKIN, J.—English, French, Maths B., Physics, Woodwork.
- DURRANT, I.—Drawing A.
- EASTWOOD, J. B.—English, French, History, Geography, Maths A., Maths B., Drawing A.
- FAWCETT, J. A.—Drawing A.
- FISHER, G. W.—English, History, Maths A., Maths B., Drawing A.
- FLOWER, P. S.—Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Commercial.
- FORREST, J. H.—English, Geography, Maths A., Drawing A., Commercial.
- FOTIOS, G.—English, German, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry, Drawing A.
- GARDNER, E. B.—English, Maths B., Drawing A.
- GIBBS, K. W.—English, History, Geography, Maths B., Drawing A., Commercial.
- GROVE, C. J.—English, History, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry.

HICKS R. T.—English.

HUNT, J. A.—English, French, History, Maths A., Maths B., Physics.

HUGHES, H. C.—English, German, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry, Woodwork, Commercial.

LINGWORTH, J. A.—English, German, Maths B., Drawing A.

JOHNSON, R. H.—Physics.

HNSTON, P. B.—History.

KING, F. W.—English, French, History, Maths A., Maths B., Drawing A.

KIRKBY, S. L.—English, French, German, Geography, Maths A., Chemistry.

LOTON, T. C.—English, Drawing A.

CAUSLAND, G. W.—English, History, Maths B., Chemistry, Drawing A.

CGUFFIN, I. G.—English, History, Maths A., Maths B., Drawing A.

CQUEEN, C. J.—English, Latin, French, German, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry.

ITCHELL, H. L.—English, French, History, Geography, Maths A., Maths B., Drawing A., Commercial.

NEVARD, B. W.—English, Maths A.

PARIS, D. B.—Geography, Maths B., Drawing A., Music.

LUNKETT, D. W.—English, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Drawing A., Drawing B.

RADDEN, H. S.—English, French, Maths A., Maths B., Chemistry, Drawing A.

REES, R. W.—English, French, History, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry,

REITZE, P. W.—English, French, History, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry, Drawing B.

ROBERTS, M. P. J.—Drawing A., Commercial.

ROBERTSON, A. E.—English, Drawing A., Drawing B.

ROBERTSON, P. W.—English, Geography, Drawing A.

ROBINSON, W. R.—English, Latin, French, History, Geography, Maths A., Maths B., Chemistry.

ROGERS, T. P.—English, History, Drawing A.

RUTTER, J. M.—English, History, Maths B., Physics, Drawing A.

SEED, M. B.—English, French, History, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry.

SENIOR, T. C. M.—English, History, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Commercial.

HALLCROSS, M.—English, History, Physics.

TOCKER, P. M.—English, History, Physics.

THOMAS, N. M.—English, History, Maths A., Maths B., Drawing A., Drawing B.

WATKINS, R.—English, Drawing A., Woodwork.

WATTS, D. W.—English, Latin, French, German, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry.

WEBB, B.—English, History, Maths A., Maths B., Drawing A., Drawing B., Woodwork.

WATSON, M. R.—English, French, German, Maths A., Maths B., Physics, Chemistry.

WILLIAMS, D. J.—English, History, Geography, Drawing A.

WILSON, D.—History, Drawing A., Drawing B., Woodwork.

WILSON, R. S.—English, French, History, Maths B.

Passed an additional subject:—

ACKHAM, I. F.—Maths B.



DARLOT CUP CRICKET

SECOND ROUND — THIRD TERM, 1948

HALE SCHOOL v. SCOTCH COLLEGE

PLAYED AT W.A.C.A., WEDNESDAY, 3rd. NOVEMBER, 1948.

On the commencement of the second round of the Darlot Cup Competition, the two leading teams provided one of the most interesting and exciting games seen for some time. The standard of Hale's batting and bowling was very high and the Scotch fielding was a feature of the game.

The school, having won the toss, elected to bat on a true wicket. Radden 23 and Clapin 34 figured in a sound opening stand of 43. Woods' 13 and Dymock 14 carried the score to a respectable total of 78 for 3 wickets. A disturbing collapse then occurred and we were 6 wickets down for 102.

Getting runs when they were badly needed, Lodge and Webb added 75 in good time, the latter unlucky to be dismissed for 41. Two more wickets fell before Dymock declared and Lodge, who had batted steadily and soundly, remained undefeated for 50.

At first Scotch showed signs of chasing our score with Kyle batting confidently, but as time wore on and Kyle was dismissed the backbone of the Scotch batting was broken and they became the stubborn team we met first term. Good bowling by Webb, Cooke and McQueen, who took 2 wickets for 19, kept the scoring down. A varied attack with Summers as spearhead, succeeded in removing a few stubborn defenders.

As a result of this match, Hale were still leading, with 6 points, and Guildford, who just defeated Aquinas, equal second with Scotch with 4 points, and Aquinas 2 points.

THE CYGNET

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HALE SCHOOL

FIRST INNINGS

Radden, b Allen	23
Clapin, std Kyle b Watson	34
Woods, c Smith b Leschen	13
Lodge, not out	50
Dymock, c MacBean b Vincent	14
Anderson, c and b Allen	1
Drysdale, b Allen	0
Webb, c Skinner b Watson	41
Summers, lbw b Evans	3
McQueen, b Evans	0
Sundries	11

Total for 9 wickets (declared) ... 190

Bowling: Allen, 3 for 25; Evans, 2 for 9; Watson, 2 for 34; Vincent, 1 for 19; Leschen, 1 for 19; Smith, 0 for 16; MacBean, 0 for 26 Skinner, 0 for 31.

SCOTCH COLLEGE

FIRST INNINGS

Smith, c Cooke b McQueen	5
MacBean, c Clapin b Cooke	13
Kyle, c Anderson b McQueen	14
Vincent, c Dymock b Summers	13
Tweedie, c McQueen b Dymock	0
Leschen, std Lodge b Drysdale	20
Watson, not out	7
Small, c Webb b Summers	11
Allen, not out	1
Sundries	3

Total for 7 wickets ... 87 *

Bowling: McQueen, 2 for 19; Summers, 2 for 22; Dymock, 1 for 7; Drysdale, 1 for 5; Cooke, 1 for 15; Woods, 0 for 3; Radden, 0 for 3; Webb, 0 for 5; Clapin, 0 for 5.

HALE SCHOOL v. AQUINAS COLLEGE

PLAYED AT W.A.C.A., WEDNESDAY, 10th. NOVEMBER, 1948.

Dymock won the toss and sent Aquinas in to bat on a good wicket. McQueen, bowling superbly, dismissed 5 of the first 6 batsmen and at that stage Aquinas had lost those wickets for only 42. A low score seemed inevitable, but Walker 31 and Woodman 40, and later Ivankovitch 15, combined to increase the total to 128 in a really fine fightback. The fielding of Hale was slack towards the finish and chances were missed.

Hale's confident openers, Radden and Clapin shaped well until Radden was run out by the bowler for 4, for carelessly backing up too soon. At afternoon tea, with Clapin dismissed for 30, Hale had

lost 4 wickets for 75, with Anderson and Lodge batting well. However, when Lodge was dismissed for 18, it appeared to be a difficult situation for the School. With the following batsmen trying to get moving and failing, the score went to 8 for 97. At this exciting stage Anderson and McQueen played fighting cricket until the former was dismissed for 32.

The last two batsmen failed to reach the Aquinas total by 3 runs. As a result of this match, and the draw between Scotch and Guildford, Hale still led with 6 points, Guildford and Scotch had 5 each and Aquinas 4.

AQUINAS COLLEGE

FIRST INNINGS

Sindel, lbw b Dymock	9
Morris, b McQueen	5
O'Meara, lbw b McQueen	1
Moore, lbw b McQueen	7
Walker, c Clapin b McQueen	31
Cullity, lbw b McQueen	10
Drabble, b McQueen	2
Woodman, b Webb	40
Paule, lbw b Webb	1
Ivankovitch, hit wkt b Webb	15
Cameron, not out	2
Sundries	5

Total 128

Bowling: McQueen, 6 for 35; Webb, 3 for 31; Dymock, 1 for 22; Cooke, 0 for 21; Clapin, 0 for 5; Summers, 0 for 9.

HALE SCHOOL

FIRST INNINGS

Radden, run out	4
Clapin, b Moore	30
Woods, b Moore	8
Lodge, b Ivankovitch	18
Dymock, c Walker b Moore	2
Anderson, b Ivankovitch	32
Webb, c and b Ivankovitch	5
Heathcote, c Sindel b Moore	6
Summers, lbw b Moore	0
McQueen, run out	8
Cooke, not out	0
Sundries	12

Total 125

Bowling: Moore, 5 for 46; Ivankovitch, 3 for 48; Drabble, 0 for 19.

HALE SCHOOL v. GUILDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

PLAYED AT W.A.C.A., WEDNESDAY, 17th. NOVEMBER, 1948.

The outcome of this match was very important to Hale as both Guildford and Scotch had a chance of winning or gaining a playoff.

Dymock won the toss once more and sent Guildford in to bat on a difficult wicket after umpires had decided to postpone play till after lunch. Penn and Wahlsten opened Guildford's innings and were soon dismissed by Webb, who with McQueen, was keeping a good length. After an hour's eventful cricket, Guildford were all out for 19, the opening bowlers having bowled unchanged, Webb taking 7 for 14 and McQueen 2 for 4. The fielding was extremely keen and every run was gruded.

A solid opening stand by Radden and Clapin enabled us to pass our opponents' score with no loss and the first wicket fell for 41. The later batsmen were untroubled by the bowling. Woods 36, Lodge 61 and Anderson 38 not out, were in control of a varied attack. At stumps 4 wickets had fallen for 195.

Aquinas defeated Scotch, so that final points were: Hale 16, Aquinas 12, Guildford and Scotch 10 each. Dymock is to be congratulated on being captain of the winning Hale first XI for two years in succession

GUILDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

FIRST INNINGS

Penn, c Cooke b Webb	4
Wahlsten, b Webb	2
Sewell, c and b Webb	6
Johnson, c Anderson b McQueen	0
Tunbridge, c Cooke b Webb	0
Chester, std Lodge b McQueen	3
Butler, c Clapin b Webb	1
Everett, run out	0
Ferrier, c McQueen b Webb	0
Scott, std Lodge b Webb	1
Sounness, not out	1
Sundries	1
Total	19

Bowling: Webb, 7 for 14; McQueen, 2 for 4.

HALE SCHOOL

FIRST INNINGS

Radden, c Tunbridge b Scott	16
Clapin, c Johnson b Scott	22
Woods, c Ferrier b Sounness	36

Lodge, c Butler b Chester	61
Anderson, not out	38
Dymock, not out	0
Sundries	22

Total for 4 wickets 195

Bowling: Scott, 2 for 15; Chester, 1 for 25; Sounness, 1 for 40; Sewell, 0 for 13; Ferrier, 0 for 15; Penn, 0 for 38; Johnson, 0 for 10; Tunbridge, 0 for 4.

OTHER CRICKET RESULTS, 1948

FIRST ELEVEN

- v. Incogniti. Lost. School, 98 (Radden 24, Webb 20, Lodge 14, Dymock 12); Incogniti, 2 for 106 (Clapin 1 for 8, Dymock 1 for 33).
- v. Midland-Guildford B2. Drawn. School, 9 for 118 declared (Anderson 35, Clapin 31, Woods 13 retired); Midland-Guildford B2, 8 for 109 (McQueen 1 for 5, Dymock 1 for 9, Summers 1 for 14, Webb 1 for 21, Radden 1 for 25, Cooke 1 for 27).
- v. Muresk. Lost. School, 43 (Lodge 12, Radden 7, Woods 7) and 3 for 81 (Woods 46, Radden 14 n.o., Lodge 14); Muresk, 88 (Dymock 3 for 42, Clapin 2 for 3, Webb 2 for 22, Drysdale 1 for 0).

SECOND ELEVEN

- v. Scotch. Won. School, 8 for 66 (Gibbs 15, Curlewis 11); Scotch, 5 for 55 declared (Guhl 2 for 10, Senior 1 for 5, Curlewis 1 for 10).
- v. Aquinas. Drawn. School, 80 (Radden, H.S. 21, Gibbs 10, Curlewis 10); Aquinas, 8 for 46 (Senior 6 for 22, Fotios 1 for 5, Curlewis 1 for 12).

THIRD ELEVEN

- v. Scotch. Won. School, 77 (I. Cruickshank 15, Brand 12, Monteath 11, de Burgh 11); Scotch 53 (Monteath 4 for 3, Blake 4 for 6, Gardner 2 for 10).
- v. Aquinas. Won. School, 81 (Loton 17, Blake 17, Christian 10); Aquinas, 77 (Christian 4 for 23, de Burgh 2 for 10).
- v. Guildford. Drawn. School, 8 for 146 (I. Cruickshank 58, Brand 21 n.o., G. Cruickshank 18, Blake 16, Williamson 15); Guildford, 9 for 97 (de Burgh 4 for 7, Blake 3 for 14).

FOURTH ELEVEN

- v. St. Louis 2nd XI. Won. School, 80 (D. Wilson 15, Morrell 16, G. Fisher 16); St. Louis 64 (Rutter 5 for 20, Gardner 4 for 27).
- v. Aquinas. Won. School 8 for 62 declared (Wilson 21, Rutter 15); Aquinas, 30 (Darge, 6 for 5; Gardner, 3 for 12).

FIFTH ELEVEN

- v. Scotch. Won. School, 4 for 105 declared (Christian 64, G. Cruickshank 25); Scotch, 35 (Hicks 3 for 3, Christian 3 for 9, Sanders 2 for 12, G. Cruickshank 1 for 10).

SIXTH ELEVEN

- v. St. Louis. Lost. School, 37 (Ball 14); St. Louis, 58 (B. Wood 7 wks).
- v. Scotch. Won. School, 73 (Howe 20, Carr 11); Scotch, 42 (Carr 3 for 3, Johnston 3 for 8, Allen 1 for 11).

v. Guildford. Won. School, 9 for 144 (Howe 38, Oldham 21 ret., Thornett 20, Mitchell 16); Guildford, 106 (Mitchell 3 for 5, Thornett 3 for 15, Wood 3 for 20).

UNDER 13 ELEVEN

v. St. Louis. Won. School, 63 (Murray 17, B. Evans 13, Kellam 12 n.o.) and St. Louis, 48 (Kellam 6 for 6).

v. St. Louis. Lost. School, 44 (Wright 10, Shotter 9) and St. Louis, 58 (A. O'Meehan 4 wkts, Giambazi 3 wkts).

BATTING AND BOWLING AVERAGES, 1948

Batting	Times Highest			Runs	Average
	Inns.	Not Out	Score		
Lodge	6	2	129*	307	76.75
Clapin	6	—	69	185	30.83
Anderson	6	2	38*	123	30.75
Dymock	6	1	39	114	22.80

Bowling	Wkts.	Runs	Average
Webb	10	47	4.70
McQueen	12	83	6.93
Dymock	11	94	8.54

* Denotes Not Out.

DARLOT CUP CRICKET

FIRST ROUND — FIRST TERM, 1949

HALE SCHOOL v. AQUINAS COLLEGE

PLAYED AT KING'S PARK OVAL, WEDNESDAY, 16th. MARCH, 1949.

The first Cup Match was played at King's Park Oval, the W.A.C.A. ground being unavailable. Lodge, the Hale captain, won the toss and sent our opponents in to bat on a good wicket, Ivankovitch and Cullity putting on 33 runs in 38 minutes before the latter was out, lbw to Webb, who had Walker caught by Christian, without scoring, only a few balls later. Hogue was in good form with his spinners and 4 wickets fell for only a few runs. However, McMullen hit powerfully to add 44 runs in 20 minutes with a quieter Laurie, who was only a short time later caught by Webb off Christian. The last wicket fell at 101.

Our opening batsmen failed before lunch and 3 wickets fell for 13. After the break, Drysdale and Blake were out in the first few overs for only 29. At this stage, Webb joined Lodge in a stand of 84, which completely turned the result in our favour. These two batsmen batted with courage to pull the game out of the fire, Webb 34, being

dismissed by Cullity 95 minutes after his arrival at the crease. Lodge increased his rate of scoring, but playing forward to Ivankovitch, was caught by Johnston, when 86.

Aquinas batted rather unsteadily for 63 in their second innings, 6 wickets being down. Our bowling was good in both innings, Webb, Lodge, Hogue and Blake forming the spearhead. Lodge handled h's attack with evident success and the fielding, especially of Radden, was enthusiastic.

Guildford defeated Scotch in their game, gaining 4 points and sharing the lead with us.

AQUINAS COLLEGE

FIRST INNINGS

Ivankovitch, run out	22
Cullity, lbw b Webb	13
Walker, c Christian b Webb	0
O'Meara, b Hogue	2
Morris, b Hogue	5
Laurie, c Webb b Christian	18
Flynn, b Hogue	0
McMullen, lbw b Webb	28
Oxenham, c Christian b Lodge	6
Dowsett, b Lodge	3
Johnston, not out	1
Extras	3

Total 101

Bowling: Webb, 3 for 32; Fotios, 0 for 13; Blake, 0 for 23; Hogue, 3 for 12; Lodge, 2 for 12; Christian, 1 for 6.

SECOND INNINGS

Ivankovitch, c Christian b Fotios	6
Cullity, run out	6
Walker, c Radden b Hogue	5
O'Meara, c Webb b Blake	6
McMullen, c Fotios b Blake	6
Laurie, c Webb b Webb	6
Morris, not out	8
Johnston, not out	13
Extras	7

Total for 6 wkts 63

Bowling: Christian, 0 for 11; Fotios, 1 for 12; Blake, 2 for 8; Hogue, 1 for 10; Lodge, 1 for 15.

HALE SCHOOL

FIRST INNINGS

Radden, c Oxenham b Johnston	2
Gibbs, c O'Meara b Ivankovitch	0
Cruikshank, c Cullity b Johnston	1
Blake, b Johnston	10
Drysdale, b Ivankovitch	8
Lodge, c Johnston b Ivankovitch	86
Webb, c Flynn b Cullity	34

Fotios, c Oxenham b McMullen	13
Christian, lbw b Laurie	1
Hogue, b Ivankovitch	0
Brand, not out	0
Extras	11

Total 166

Bowling: Ivankovitch, 4 for 46; Johnston, 3 for 29; O'Meara, 0 for 15; Flynn, 0 for 11; Cullity, 1 for 26; Laurie, 1 for 9; McMullen, 1 for 3; Dowsett, 0 for 16.

HALE SCHOOL v. SCOTCH COLLEGE

PLAYED AT W.A.C.A., WEDNESDAY, 23rd. MARCH, 1948.

Vincent, the opposing team's captain, elected to bat on a perfect, overprepared batsmen's wicket and the two Scotch openers attacked our bowling from the start, the first wicket falling at 39. Fifteen minutes later Lodge had Dry beaten by an inswinger for 32. Just before lunch, the scoring rate diminished and 5 wickets were down for 90. After lunch Lodge, bowling very well with Webb, Blake and Hogue, dismissed the remaining batsmen for 33 runs. Our fielding was not up to standard and several runs and wickets were lost through bad mistakes in the field.

Radden and Drysdale opened Hale's innings at 2.40 p.m. and both gave a chance before Evans trapped Radden lbw for 10. Brand arrived at the crease and remained not out till the afternoon tea interval, but was dismissed in the first over after it by Evans. Lodge batted strongly to reach 24 before he was bowled, again by Evans. Drysdale compiled a patient 35 and on his dismissal the school needed 47 runs in 70 minutes to win. Webb, who hit out attractively, and Fotios added 32 until the former was run out by bad calling. However, with five wickets for 110 the game appeared to be ours. But the remaining batsmen were dismissed, mainly through lack of concentration, and when we had drawn level with their score, Hogue was run out, attempting to make the winning run.

Guildford defeated Aquinas, so we were relegated to second position, ahead of Scotch and Aquinas.

SCOTCH COLLEGE

FIRST INNINGS

Watson, lbw b Lodge	16
Dry, b Lodge	32
Gooch, c and b Lodge	5
Evans, lbw b Webb	6
Vincent, lbw b Webb	14
Hill, b Hogue	4
Saggers, c and b Lodge	19
Paterson, lbw b Lodge	7
Abbott, b Blake	9

THE CYGNET

Hiller, c Hogue b Lodge	2
Reynolds, not out	1
Extras	8

Total 123

Bowling: Lodge, 6 for 19; Webb, 2 for 21; Hogue, 1 for 23;
Blake, 1 for 36; Christian, 0 for 9; Fotios, 0 for 7.

HALE SCHOOL FIRST INNINGS

Radden, lbw b Evans	10
Drysdale, b Hill	35
Brand, b Evans	5
Lodge, b Evans	24
Webb, run out	20
Fotios, b Evans	11
Gibbs, lbw b Vincent	0
Blake, b Vincent	2
Christian, c Dry, b Evans	2
Monteath, not out	5
Hogue, run out	3
Extras	6

Total 123

Bowling: Evans, 5 for 55; Vincent, 2 for 41; Hill, 1 for 7;
Abbott, 0 for 6; Reynolds, 0 for 13.

HALE SCHOOL v. GUILDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

PLAYED AT KING'S PARK OVAL, WEDNESDAY, 30th. MARCH, 1949.

On winning the toss, Lodge sent Guildford in to bat on a perfect wicket. In Webb's second over of the day, Brand ran to leg to catch Sewell, who had glanced a fast delivery on the leg side. Butler added 28 with Grant before the latter's dismissal for 11. Eccleston 21 and Johnson 25, run out, continued untroubled for Guildford and the tenth wicket fell for 112. Webb finished with 4 wickets for 10 runs off 10.3 overs, 3 maidens. Lodge continually beat the batsmen and Fotios and Blake at times bowled well.

In our turn we opened our innings a few minutes before lunch and Radden turned Padbury to the fine leg fence for 4 in his first over. After the break, Radden played very steadily, but Drysdale was troubled and unsettled by the fairly accurate attack, after giving an easy catch to square leg, who fumbled. The following batsmen appeared safe and we carried our total to 112 with 7 wickets in hand. Lodge 32, Cruickshank 29, scored well, but the remaining batsmen became over-anxious and our total was only 150.

This result left us at the head of the points table with 10 points, Guildford 8, Scotch 6 and Aquinas yet to score. The fielding was at times slack and at times bright. Our overall improvement is in no small way due to our coach, Mr. Edwards.

GUILDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

FIRST INNINGS

Grant, run out	11
Sewell, c Brand, b Webb	2
Butler, lbw b Webb	20
Eccleston, c Brand b Lodge	21
Johnson, run out	25
Clark, lbw b Lodge	1
White, b Fotios	2
Schuler, c and b Blake	4
Cripps, b Webb	9
Padbury, not out	8
Roe, b Webb	0
Extras	9
Total	112

Bowling: Webb, 4 for 10; Christian, 0 for 8; Fotios, 1 for 19; Blake, 1 for 11; Lodge, 2 for 31; Hogue, 0 for 23.

HALE SCHOOL

FIRST INNINGS

Radden, c Eccleston b Cripps	21
Drysdale, c and b White	14
Cruickshank, c White b Johnson	29
Lodge, lbw b Johnson	32
Webb, b Sewell	14
Fotios, hit wkt b Roe	14
Gibbs, run out	14
Christian, lbw b Johnson	0
Brand, c White b Johnson	0
Blake, lbw b Roe	6
Hogue, not out	2
Extras	4
Total	150

Bowling: Padbury, 0 for 33; Sewell, 1 for 31; Cripps, 1 for 13; White, 1 for 24; Johnson, 4 for 8; Butler, 0 for 15; Schuler, 0 for 9; Roe, 2 for 13.

FIRST ELEVEN v. OLD BOYS

This annual match was played at the W.A.C.A. ground on 21st. of February. Taylor, the opposing captain, won the toss and elected to bat. The school did well to dismiss them for 111, to which Clarke 37, Murphy 31 and Summers 10, were the chief contributors. For the School, Fotios took 5 wickets for 37 runs, Blake 2 for 19 and Hogue 1 for 10.

In our turn we could only compile 52, of which Lodge made 27 not out, and Cruickshank 9. Sent in again we had lost 3 wickets for 39, Radden making 17 and Lodge 9 not out. For the Old Boys Clarke took 2 for 14, Hingley 1 for 9 and Summers 1 for 9, while Chrystal, playing for the Old Boys captured 4 wickets for 12.

Apart from the disappointing result, the game was an enjoyable one, and it definitely helped to stress our weaknesses in batting and fielding concentration.

FIRST ELEVEN v. Mr. LOTON'S ELEVEN

The team journeyed to Herne Hill to play the annual match against Mr. Loton's eleven and although the school received at the hands of our hosts one of our very decisive defeats, the fruit and lunch entirely made up for it.

Our opponents batted quickly to score 209, Hogue taking 5 wickets for 50, Webb 3 for 39 and Fotios 2 for 39. We were dismissed for 82, the fast attack and slow spinners completely taking control of an almost meek succession of defensive batsmen.

Results:—

School, 82 (Lodge 26, Sanders 21 not out Drysdale 16);
Mr. Loton's Eleven, 209 (Hogue 5 for 50, Webb 3 for 39,
Fotios 2 for 39).

OTHER CRICKET RESULTS, 1949

FIRST ELEVEN

- v. Incogniti at King's Park. Drawn. School, 8 for 132 (Radden 79 not out, Drysdale 22, Webb 107; Incogniti, 9 for 187 dec. (Fotios 3 for 25, Christian 3 for 35, Drysdale 2 for 49).
- v. Wesley at King's Park. Lost. School, 9 for 97 (Lodge 27, Webb 17, Gibbs, J. 15); Wesley, 4 for 111 (Webb 2 for 33, Fotios 1 for 23).
- v. Modern School. Lost. School, 86 (Radden 26, Christian 13, Fotios 10, Blake 10); Modern School, 5 for 199 (Blake 3 for 39, Hogue 1 for 36, Sanders 1 for 7).
- v. Muresk Agricultural College. Won. School, 4 for 151 (Drysdale 52 retired, Lodge 51 retired, Radden 27); Muresk, 88 (Lodge 3 for 12, Blake 3 for 16, Hogue 2 for 19).
- v. Parliamentarians. Won. School, 6 for 202 dec. (Lodge 56 retired, Cruickshank 54 retired, Webb 26 not out, Gibbs 26 not out, Drysdale 15, Brand 13); Parliamentarians, 57 (Fotios 3 for 9, Hogue 2 for 7, Lodge 2 for 14, Blake 1 for 11, Christian 1 for 3).
- v. Christchurch. Drawn. School, 7 for 110 declared (Drysdale 36 not out, Senior 18, Fotios 12); Christchurch, 3 for 79 (Lodge 2 for 20, Webb 1 for 20).

SECOND ELEVEN

- v. Guildford. Won. School, 8 for 87 (Blake 38, Wilson 12, Monteath 11, J. Cruickshank 11); Guildford, 21 (Williamson 6 for 8, Monteath 2 for 8, Blake 2 for 5).
- v. Wesley. Won. School, 5 for 96 (Wilson 50, Monteath, J. 18, West 15); Wesley, 9 for 86 (Hislop 3 for 23, Darge 2 for 16, G. Cruickshank 2 for 17, Snee 2 for 24).
- v. Modern School. Lost. School, 97 (Senior 38, Darge 15, Monteath 12, Brand 10); Modern School, 4 for 126 (Monteath 1 for 7, Darge 1 for 14, Hislop 1 for 22, Williamson 1 for 26).

- v. Aquinas College. Drawn. School, 8 for 103 declared (M. Monteath 37, Slee 12, Sanders 9, J. Monteath 9); Aquinas, 9 for 82 (Sanders 3 for 25, G. Cruickshank 2 for 16, Chrystal 2 for 17, M. Monteath 1 for 11).
- v. Scotch College. Won. School, 3 for 144 (I. Cruickshank 56 retired, Senior 40 not out, West 28 not out, Wilson 20); Scotch, 63 (Senior 5 for 17, Williamson 2 for 17, Monteath 1 for 7, Hislop 1 for 10).
- v. Guildford. Lost. School, 23 (Sanders 8); Guildford, 39 (Hislop 5 for 12, Sanders 5 for 16).

THIRD ELEVEN

- v. Guildford. Won. School, 8 for 125 (Hicks 45 not out, D. Anderson 22, J. Monteath 15, Roe 12); Guildford, 6 for 109 (Morrison 2 for 30, Shallcross 1 for 5, Smith 1 for 8, Catling 1 for 14, Roe 1 for 15).
- v. Scotch College. Won. School, 78 (Fisher 16, Robinson 12, Hicks 11, Morrison 10); Scotch, 61 (Robinson 7 for 9, Shallcross 1 for 5, Catling 1 for 6, Hicks 1 for 9).
- v. Scotch College. Drawn. School, 97 (Catling 36, Smith 26, Hicks 20). Scotch, 5 for 78 (Denny 3 for 13, Seed 2 for 15).
- v. Aquinas College. Lost. School, 72 (Roe 28 not out); Aquinas 6 for 79 (Hicks 3 for 23, Denny 1 for 7, Williamson 1 for 30).

FOURTH ELEVEN

- v. Guildford. Won. School, 5 for 156 (Oldham 100, Thornett 25, J. Brown 14 not out); Guildford, 81 (B. Johnston 5 for 9, J. Brown 4 for 1).
- v. Scotch College. Won. School, 6 for 108 (Oldham 29, Howe 20, Carr 14 not out, Ball 12 not out); Scotch, 87 (Turner 5 for 17, Brown 2 for 12).
- v. Scotch College. Drawn. School, 6 for 91 dec. (Oldham 21 not out, Howe 10); Scotch, 4 for 47 (Johnston 2 for 10, Oldham 1 for 9, Le Plastrier, 1 for 12).
- v. Guildford. Lost. School, 43 (Oldham 9, Thornett 8, Turner 8); Guildford, 48 (Le Plastrier 5 for 29, Thomas 2 for 4, Johnston 2 for 13, Wood 1 for 0).
- v. Aquinas College. Won. School, 7 for 100 declared (Carr 46, R. Slee 14, Oldham 12); Aquinas, 73 (Thornett 4 for 5, Johnston 2 for 10, Oldham 3 for 8).

FIFTH ELEVEN

- v. Scotch College. Won. School, 59 (House 25 not out); Scotch, 23 (McCall 6 for 14, Camm 2 for 4).
- v. Guildford. Drawn. School, 7 for 68 (O. Randell 21, Kellam 10); Guildford, 73 (McCall 4 for 32, House 3 for 12, James 2 for 4).
- v. Scotch College. Won. School, 8 for 84 (J. O'Meehan 31, Slee 14); Scotch, 72 (Slee 5 for 9, House 2 for 12, McCall 2 for 17, Davies 1 for 2).
- v. Aquinas College. Lost. School, 56 (J.O'Meehan 19); Aquinas, 8 for 159.
- v. Guildford. Drawn. School, 9 for 48 (J. O'Meehan 10, P. Anderson 10); Guildford, 5 for 91 declared (McCall 2 for 19).
- v. St. Louis. Won. School, 48 (J. O'Meehan 14); St. Louis, 36 (McCall 4 for 7, O. Randell 3 for 5, House 2 for 6).

SIXTH ELEVEN

- v. Scotch. Lost. School, 29 (Thompson 6, Parker 6); Scotch, 66 (Garland 3 for 7, Wheatley 2 for 6).
- v. Scotch. Lost. School, 56 (Parker 16, Garland 8 not out); Scotch, 6 for 107 (Thompson 2 for 12).
- v. Aquinas. Lost. School, 39 (Mitchell 12); Aquinas, 49 (Wheatley 4 for 11).
- v. Guildford. Won. School, 9 for 156 (L. Burges 51, Parker 33, Thomas 33); Guildford, 6 for 154 declared (Menogue 2 for 25).

- v. St. Louis. Lost. School, 42 (Evans 21); St. Louis, 55 (Thompson 5 wkts, Seventy 2 wkts).

UNDER 14 ELEVEN

- v. Wesley. Won. School, 6 for 63 (Turner 21, Oldham 13); Wesley, 39 Thornett 5 for 11, Kellam 3 for 0).

UNDER 13 ELEVEN

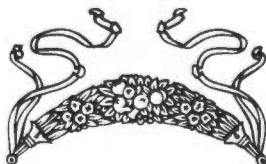
- v. Scotch College. Drawn. School, 9 for 58 (A. O'Meehan 17, Wright 12); Scotch, 9 for 113 (Douglas 3 for 19, Giambazi 2 for 7, Lewis 2 for 29).
 v. Guildford. Lost. School, 92 (Douglas 31, B. Randell 26 not out, Wright 14); Guildford, 6 for 94 (Lewis 3 for 37).
 v. C.B.C., Leederville. Lost. School, 36 (A. O'Meehan 16); C.B.C., 64.
 v. Scotch College. Lost. School, 41 (B. Randell 12, Powell 10); Scotch, 56 (Merritt 5 for 16, Lewis 2 for 13).
 v. St. Louis. Won. School, 7 for 72 (B. Randell 18, Giambazi 13, Merritt 12, Powell 9); St. Louis, 25 (Merritt 6 for 10, Lewis 4 for 14).

UNDER 12 ELEVEN

- v. Christchurch. Tie. School, 30 (J. Harris 11, Yeo 4, Murray 4, Dorrington 3) and 3 for 42 (Murray 14); Christchurch, 30 (Draper 5 for 8, Murray 4 for 7) and 8 for 26.
 v. Christchurch. Won. School, 66 (J. Harris 9, Beech 9, Hyde 7, Draper 5); Christchurch, 60 (Murray 3 wkts, Draper 3, Yeo 2).

UNDER 11 ELEVEN

- v. Christchurch. Won. School, 55 (Yeo 16, Turkington 12, Carmichael 6. Evans 5 not out); Christchurch, 19 (Yeo 5 wkts, Beech 4).



CRITIQUE

At the end of the first round of the Darlot Cup Competition, although they are only half a match ahead in the points table, Hale First XI are undefeated. This has been mainly due to the excellent improvement in the fielding of the XI and the match-winning bowling efforts of Lodge, Webb and Hogue. The batting is full of hope, as every boy is capable of getting runs and with the experience of another few matches, larger scores should result.

A pleasing feature of the XI was their ability to fight back after a poor start in practice matches. A new and inexperienced XI, they were soundly defeated early in the year by mainly men's XIs, and later overcame their poor fielding and hesitant batting by hard practice and enthusiasm. The XI shows promise but has yet a lot to learn, and by next year should develop into a really good side. At present, many shape nicely, but spoil a good innings by a shockingly bad shot and thus, except for two or three, there are no reliable batsmen, and consequently a collapse is always a possibility.

A. LODGE (Captain)—Has a cricket "brain." Although an excellent wicketkeeper, has strengthened the XI by his spin bowling and fielding. Has handled bowling and fielding competently. A left-handed bat who should go a long way in cricket, if he uses his feet more freely, especially on the "on side."

J. DRYSDALE (Vice-Captain)—An outstanding schoolboy cover point; has developed into an attractive, hard-hitting batsman; one or two weaknesses will be overcome by experience; fair spin bowler.

H. RADDEN—Splendid fieldsman; although now another attractive, hard-hitting batsman, unfortunately has had to bear brunt of attack as opener and one or two weaknesses will take experience to "iron out."

V. B. WEBB—Has makings of a good all-rounder. Very good slip fieldsman. Lion-hearted opening swing bowler; also has makings of a natural, hard-hitting bat, but is afraid to use his feet and power in matches, which is in contrast to his net form.

G. FOTIOS—Useful medium swing bowler who will develop; has probably made most progress of XI in batting and fielding.

I. CRUICKSHANK—Steady type of bat with right tempera-

ment as opener, who will develop once he overcomes his weakness of "leaning" on the ball.

D. BLAKE—Has makings of a good allrounder and will develop this year.

J. M. GIBBS—A natural, hard-hitting, but temperamental batsman and next year will be a decided asset to XI.

G. CHRISTIAN—Gives much promise as an allrounder; fair opening bowler; uses his feet well except for a weakness to walk across his wicket.

D. HOGUE—A young, natural left hand spin bowler who, with experience, will go a long way. Most improved in field.

P. BRAND—Wicket-keeper who shows promise and determination. Decided improvement in batting.

J. MONTEATH—Young and promising batsman.



SWIMMING NOTES

SCHOOL SPORTS, 1949

On Thursday, February 24th, 1949, the School Swimming Sports were held at Crawley Baths. Except for a rather cool easterly breeze, weather conditions were favourable. Times were slow owing to the lack of outstanding swimmers and no records were broken.

The School Champion was R. S. Wilson (11 points), whilst J. H. G. Maitland (5 points) was runner-up.

R. S. Wilson swam well to record 39.6 seconds for the 50 metres open Breast-stroke.

In the under 16 section, P. Brand and R. W. Buttenshaw tied for Champion Swimmer, each gaining 6 points. L. P. Barwise was runner-up.

Mr. Altorfer and his committee are to be congratulated on their excellent organising and handicapping.

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Open

100 metres freestyle—R. S. Wilson, 1; V. L. C. Murphy, 2; J. H. G. Maitland, 3; time 77.6 secs.

50 metres breast-stroke—R. S. Wilson, 1; V. L. C. Murphy, 2; J. H. G. Maitland, 3; time 39.6 secs.

50 metres backstroke—J. H. G. Maitland, 1; R. S. Wilson, 2; G. W. McCausland, 3; time 41.5 secs.

Neat dive—J. A. N. Olden, 1; T. Catling, 2; R. W. Buttenshaw, 3.

400 metres freestyle—R. S. Wilson, 1; L. P. Barwise, 2; J. St.C. Brockway, 3; time 6 mins 43.0 secs.

Under 16

200 metres freestyle—P. Brand, 1; L. P. Barwise, 2; R. W. Buttenshaw, 3; time 2 mins 58.8 secs.

100 metres freestyle—P. Brand, 1; R. W. Buttenshaw, 2; L. P. Barwise, 3; time 77.8 secs.

50 metres breast-stroke—R. W. Buttenshaw, 1; C. H. Ball, 2; I. Cruickshank, 3; time 44.0 secs.

50 metres backstroke—P. W. Reitze, 1; L. E. Chrystal, 2; L. P. Barwise, 3; time 46.0 secs.

Under 15

100 metres freestyle—L. P. Barwise, 1; P. S. Jordan, 2; B. R. Wood, 3; time 86.3 secs.

50 metres breast-stroke—G. Christian, 1; I. M. Parkes, 2; P. S. Jordan, 3; time 48.3 secs.

Neat dive—P. James, 1; A. G. Rosser, 2; R. Slee, 3.

Under 14

100 metres freestyle—L. E. Chrystal, 1; W. Serventy, 2; D. P. Reid, 3; time 87.6 secs.

50 metres breast-stroke—W. Serventy, 1; J. A. Merritt, 2; A. G. Rosser, 3; time 48.8 secs.

Under 13

50 metres freestyle—J. A. Merritt, 1; N. A. Morlet, 2; C. C. Chase, 3; time 41.0 secs.

Under 12

50 metres freestyle—J. Olney, 1; J. Harris, 2; B. Roberts, 3; time 43.8 secs.

HANDICAP EVENTS

Open 100 metres freestyle—J. A. N. Olden, 1; W. Robinson, 2.

Open 50 metres freestyle—W. Robinson, 1; J. Drysdale, 2; M. Monteath, 3.

Open 50 metres breast-stroke—W. Robinson, 1; J. Slee, 2; J. A. N. Olden, 3.

Under 16, 50 metres freestyle—P. B. Johnston, 1; P. J. Fuller, 2; R. L. Chase, M. S. Gregg, 3.

Under 15, 50 metres freestyle—J. Blake, 1; F. Clapin, 2; G. Burges, 3.

Under 14, 50 metres freestyle—H. M. Wainwright, 1; M. G. McCall, 2; J. Hyde, 3.

Under 13, 50 metres freestyle—J. A. O'Meehan, 1; C. C. Chase, 2; R. J. Simmons, 3.

Senior form relay—6A, 1; 5B, 2; 6B, 3; 5A, 4.

Junior Form relay—4A, 1; 3A, 2; 3B, 3.

JUNIOR SCHOOL SWIMMING SPORTS

The Junior School Sports were again held this year at Crawley Baths. It was a very successful morning's sport and all those who participated thoroughly enjoyed it.

Results:—

50 metres, under 13—Simmons, 1; Lewis, 2; O'Meehan, 3; time 45.7 secs.

50 metres, under 12—Olney, 1; Harris, 2; Gamba, 3; time 41.9 secs.

50 metres, under 11—Turkington, 1; S. Evans, 2; Buttsworth, 3; time 47.6 secs.

25 metres, under 10—Williams, 1; Walton, 2; Brockway, 3; time 22.1 secs.

25 metres, under 9—P. Phillips, 1; Law, 2; Hodbury, 3; time 31.3 secs.

75 metres, under 11—Turkington, 1; Negus, 2; Buttsworth, 3; time 76.9 secs.

75 metres, under 12—Olney, 1; Harris, 2; Cameron, 3; time 70.7 secs.

75 metres, under 13—Lewis, 1; Simmons, 2; O'Meehan, 3; time 73.6 secs.

Junior House Relay, under 11—Buntine, 1; Le Couteur, 2; Faulkner, 3; Wilson, 4; time 1 min. 56.1 secs.

Senior House relay, over 11—Buntine, 1; Wilson, 2; Faulkner, 3; Le Couteur, 4; time 1 min. 43.3 secs.

25 metres Junior House breast-stroke—Buttsworth, 1; Evans, 2; Turkington, 3. time 29.0 secs.

25 metres Senior House breast-stroke—Roberts, 1; Olney, 2; Farmer, 3; time 25.6 secs.



SWIMMING, 1949

Back Row : L. E. Chrystal, W. R. Serventy, D. Reid, B. G. Twine, F. C. House, P. S. Jordan.
 Centre Row : L. R. Barwise, R. W. Buttenshaw, I. M. Parkes, R. B. Wood, G. H. Christian, M. V. Shallcross, E. P. G. Brand,
 O. M. Williams.
 Seated : G. W. McCausland, K. W. Kibbs, R. S. Wilson (Capt.), G. N. Altorfer, Esq., V. L. C. Murphy, I. St. B. Cruickshank
 T. C. M. Senior.
 Absent : J. A. Merritt, N. A. Morlet, I. G. Robinson, J. H. G. Maitland.

Neat dive, under 11—Cannon, 1; Turkington, 2; Ferguson, 3.

25 metres Senior House backstroke—Olney, 1; Yelland, 2; Wilson, 3; time 24.5 secs.

Frog on back, under 11—S Evans, 1; Buttsworth, 2; Williams, 3; time 33.9 secs.

Neat Dive, under 12—Roberts, 1; Olney, 2; Harris, Sketchley, 3.

Frog kicking on back—Olney, 1.

25 metres backstroke, under 11—Williams, 1; Turkington, 2; Ferguson, 3; time 26.2 secs.

Distance plunge (Novelty)—J. Mitchell, 1.

Paddle Steamer race (Novelty)—Wilson, 1.

Neat dive, under 13—J. Mitchell, 1; Rathbone, 2; Walsh, 3.

Beginners' race—Jennings, 1.

House points—Buntine, 118½ points, 1; Le Couteur, 93 points, 2; Wilson, 67 points, 3; Faulkner, 27½ points, 4.

On Wednesday, 9th March, 1949, a Swimming Carnival between the Junior Schools of Hale and Christchurch was held at Crawley Baths. There were many close races and the morning's sport resulted in a win for Hale School.

Good performances were registered by Kerby and Holt (Christchurch) and Merritt and Morlet (Hale School). We are pleased to find that this Inter-Junior School Carnival is being retained as a permanent fixture.

Results:—

Under 13, 50 metres freestyle—Holt (CCGS), 1; Morlet (HS) 2; Merritt (HS), 3; Chase (HS), 4; time 39.4 secs.

Under 12, 50 metres breast-stroke—Kerby (CCGS), 1; Roberts (HS), 2; Anderson (CCGS), 3; Olney (HS), 4; time 51.2 secs.

Under 11, 25 metres backstroke—Simonsen (CCGS), 1; Turkington (HS), 2; Buttsworth (HS), 3; Negus (HS), 4; time 23.5 secs.

Under 10, 25 metres freestyle—Williams (HS), 1; Fitzhardinge (CCGS), 2; Walton (HS), 3; Brockway (HS), 4; time 20.5 secs.

Under 13, 50 metres breast-stroke—Merritt (HS), 1; Holt (CCGS), 2; Morlet (HS), 3; Chase (HS), 4; time 49.3 secs.

Under 12, 50 metres backstroke—Kerby (CCGS), 1; Olney (HS), 2; White (HS), 3; Hallo (CCGS), 4; time 50.0 secs.

Under 11, 25 metres freestyle—Carroll (CCGS), 1; Simonsen (CCGS), 2; Porter (CCGS), 3; Buttsworth (HS), 4; time 20.2 secs.

Under 10, 25 metres breast-stroke—Brockway (HS), 1; Fitzhardinge (CCGS), 2; Williams (HS), 3; Schupp (CCGS), 4; time 25.7 secs.

Under 9, 25 metres freestyle—Keenan (CCGS), 1; Holt (CCGS), 2; Hazlitt (CCGS), 3; Phillips (HS), 4; time 27.0 secs.

Under 13, 50 metres backstroke—Merritt (HS), 1; Holt (CCGS), 2; Simmons (HS), 3; Watson (CCGS), 4; time 47.0 secs.

Under 12, 50 metres freestyle—Kerby (CCGS), 1; Harris (HS), 2; Olney (HS), 3; Anderson (CCGS), 4; time 40.6 secs.

Under 11, 25 metres breast-stroke—Evans (HS), 1; Simonsen (CCGS), 2; Buttsworth (HS), 3; Turkington (HS), 4; time 25.1 secs.

Under 10, 25 metres backstroke—Williams (HS), 1; Brockway (HS), 2; Walton (HS), 3; Fitzhardinge (CCGS), 4; time 26.8 secs.

Under 13, relay—Hale School, 1; Christchurch, 2; time 71.1 secs.

Under 12 relay—Christchurch, 1; Hale School, 2; time 76.5 secs.

Under 11 relay—Hale School, 1; time 85.4 secs.

Under 10 relay—Hale School, 1; Christchurch, 2; time 95.9 secs.

Final Points—Hale School, 156 points, 1; Christchurch, 138 points, 2.

THE INTERSCHOOL SPORTS

On Saturday, March 5th, the 45th Annual Inter-School Swimming Sports were held at Crawley Baths. Weather conditions were ideal and the water was favourable for racing. Scotch College was again successful in winning the competition, Aquinas College filling second place.

The final points were:—

Scotch College	170 points.
Aquinas College	128 points.
Guildford Grammar School	63 points.
Hale School	47 points.

We offer our hearty congratulations to Scotch College on their well deserved win, and to our own team, which fought on gamely to the very last. Our team lacked not in spirit but in material.

N. A. Morlet swam well in the 50 metres, under 13 freestyle, gaining second place.

J. Hodgkinson of Scotch College, who swam exceedingly well throughout the morning, is to be heartily congratulated on his being Champion Swimmer.

It is hoped that our boys will realise the seriousness of solid training and that next year we shall see a better result.

Our sincere thanks are offered to Mr. Altorfer and Mr. Oliver for their untiring efforts in coaching and organizing the team; and to Mr. Wilson for his keen interest in the welfare of the boys and for his lifts down to training.

The final results were:—

Open 100 metres freestyle—J. Hodgkinson (SC), 1; M. Grandison (SC), 2; K. Duff (AC), P. Walsh (AC), 3; W. A. Piper (GGS), 5; A. R. Padbury (GGS), 6; V. L. C. Murphy (HS), 7; time 67.3 secs.

Open 50 metres breast-stroke—P. Walsh (AC), 1; S. Warne (SC), 2; P. Larard (SC), 3; R. S. Wilson (HS), 4; N. J. Hall (GGS), 5; D. Barry (AC), 6; A. R. Padbury (GGS), 7; time 37.8 secs.

Open 50 metres backstroke—J. Hodgkinson (SC), 1; P. Walsh (AC), 2; T. Merchant (AC), 3; K. Sims (SC), 4; J. H. G. Maitland (HS), 5; R. E. Schuler (GGS), 6; A. R. Padbury (GGS), 7; time 36.6 secs.

Open 400 metres freestyle—J. Hodgkinson (SC), 1; M. Grandison (SC), 2; W. A. Piper (GGS), 3; K. Duff (AC), 4; P. Walsh (AC), 5; R. S. Wilson (HS), 6; N. S. Purslowe (GGS), 7; time 5 min. 52.7 secs.



TENNIS, WINNERS, 1949

Standing : B. Eastwood, B. W. Nevard, G. Fotios.

Sected : H. S. Radden, M. W. Mill, Esq., D. W. Watts.

Under 16, 200 metres freestyle—K. Duff (AC), 1; J. Robinson (SC), 2; E. P. G. Brand (HS), 3; J. Salerian (AC), 4; D. Copley (SC), 5; N. J. Hall (GGS), 6; M. D. Padbury (GGS), 7; time 2 min. 45.1 secs.

Under 15, 100 metres freestyle—N. J. Hall (GGS), 1; R. Hounslow (SC), 2; J. R. Teasdale (GGS), 3; B. Ahmad (SC), 4; D. Coffey (AC), 5; O. M. Williams (HS), 6; L. R. Barwise (HS), 7; time 73.3 secs.

Under 15, 50 metres breast-stroke—N. J. Hall (GGS), 1; J. Hounslow (SC), 2; G. Halverson (AC), 3; G. H. Christian (HS), 4; K. J. Bladen (GGS), 5; R. Hiller (SC), 6; I. M. Parkes (HS), 7; time 40.0 secs. Record.

Under 14, 100 metres freestyle—D. Coffey (AC), 1; I. Smith (AC), 2; L. E. Chrystal (HS), 3; M. Watson (SC), 4; R. Campbell (SC), 5; W. R. Serventy (HS), 6; J. M. Hill (GGS), 7; time 81.8 secs.

Under 13, 50 metres freestyle—A. Courtney (SC), 1; N. A. Morlet (HS), 2; J. M. Hill (GGS), 3; D. Brennan (AC), 4; R. Phelps (SC), 5; J. A. Merritt (HS), 6; B. McKittrick (AC), 7; time 37.3 secs.

Open 200 metres relay race—Scotch, 1; Aquinas, 2; Guildford, 3; time 2 min. 1.6 secs. Record.

Under 14, 200 metres relay race—Aquinas, 1; Scotch, 2; Hale (Chrystal, Merritt, Rosser and Reid), 3; time 2 min. 31.2 secs.

Under 16, 200 metres relay race—Scotch, 1; Aquinas, 2; Guildford, 3; time 2 min. 12.6 secs.

Under 15, 200 metres relay race—Scotch, 1; Aquinas, 2; Hale (Williams, Jordan, House and Wood), 3; time 2 min. 19.4 secs.

Old Boys' relay—Aquinas, 1; Scotch, 2; Hale, 3; time 1 min. 59.6 secs.

LIFE-SAVING, 1949

No official competition this year.

TENNIS ——— 1949

The first round of the unofficial Interschool Tennis was held at the Royal King's Park Tennis Courts on Wednesday, 6th April, when the Hale team played Scotch, and Aquinas met Guildford.

The School team was as follows: H. S. Radden (Captain), D. W. Watts, G. Fotios, B. Nevard and B. Eastwood. The standard of tennis was not very high and only in patches did the team show its true form.

The final scores were: Hale 4 rubbers 9 sets 72 games defeated Scotch, 2 rubbers 7 sets 64 games. Watts played well and showed good control in the second set, which he won in convincing form. It was very pleasing to see the way Fotios and Eastwood fought back, after each losing the first set badly. Watts and Radden had a very keen tussle for the doubles and just won, due to some good serving by Radden and deep driving by both.

The detailed scores were:—

Watts defeated Kennedy, 6-5, 6-2; Radden lost to Barblett, 3-6, 4-6; Fotios defeated Somes, 2-6, 6-3, 6-1; Eastwood defeated Kennedy and Somes, 2-6, 6-3, 6-4; Fotios and Nevard defeated Kennedy and Somes, 2-6, 6-3, 6-4; Fotios and Nevard lost to Barblett and Brackenridge, 2-6, 6-2, 2-6.

Guildford defeated Aquinas and therefore qualified to meet Hale in the final, which was played after Easter, on Wednesday, April 20th and resulted in a win for Hale by 5 rubbers to 1.

Watts played very good tennis to defeat Eccleston in two sets. Radden's form was disappointing and led to a decisive defeat, although the game was closer than the scores indicated. Fotios played excellently and had no trouble in beating his opponent. Eastwood fought very well and was unlucky to lose the second set 5-6. He made sure of his victory in the third set.

Watts and Radden played very good tennis to win the doubles in the third set, Watts' smashing and Radden's driving being the winning factors.

Fotios, serving well, and Nevard, volleying excellently, defeated their opponents in straight sets.

The detailed scores were:—

Hale, 5 rubbers 10 sets 70 games defeated Guildford 1 rubber 4 sets 48 games.

Watts defeated Eccleston, 6-2, 6-4; Radden lost to Johnson, 1-6, 1-6; Fotios defeated Butler, 6-0, 6-2; Eastwood defeated Boyd, 6-3, 5-6, 6-2.

Watts and Radden defeated Eccleston and Johnson, 3-6, 6-1, 6-4. Fotios and Nevard defeated Butler and Boyd, 6-4, 6-2.

The team extends its thanks and congratulations to Mr. Mill for his keen and untiring interest in them.

The following boys are to be congratulated on winning scholarships to the Royal King's Park Tennis Club:—

I. St.B. Cruickshank, J. M. Gibbs, H. S. Radden, D. W. Watts.

FOOTBALL

ALCOCK CUP

HALE SCHOOL v. GUILDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

PLAYED AT BASSENDEAN

June 23rd marked the beginning of the 1948 Alcock Cup Series, when the School played G.G.S. at Bassendean. The match resulted in an easy win for Hale. The standard of play was not high, and the kicking on both sides was inaccurate. The sky was overcast, and rain fell during the latter half of the game.

Hale, having first use of the light breeze, immediately went into attack. A pass from Dymock to Anderson resulted in a goal, closely followed by a goal from Lodge. The second goal was kicked in the first one and a half minutes of play. Hale kept up its attack and goals came from Woods and Anderson, the latter kicking a sixty-yard drop kick, which bounced through after missing the pack. Guildford managed to score only 2 behinds. The scores at quarter time were: Hale 5.3, Guildford 0.2.

Play during the second quarter was more even, and Hale was able to keep Guildford from scoring the goals they needed. Good play by the backs on both sides kept the scoring down to a minimum. Guildford put on one goal to our 5 behinds, thus giving the school a handy lead at the end of the first half. The scores at half time were: Hale 5.8, Guildford 1.2.

Rain began to fall at half time, and fell at intervals during the third quarter. The wind also strengthened. Hale kicked with it accurately, though adding only one goal. Guildford was unable to score against the wind. The scores at the end of the quarter were: Hale 6.13, Guildford 1.2.

The wind dropped in the last quarter, and Hale pressed forward and scored. Again the kicking was inaccurate. Love and Anderson were the goal kickers, the latter securing his fourth goal for the day. Guildford increased their score by 1.1. The final bell saw the school winners by 54 points.

The final scores were:—

Hale School 9.15 (69 points)

Guildford Grammar School 2.3 (15 points)

Goal Kickers—Anderson 4, Love 2, Monteath, Woods and Lodge.

Best Players—Senior, Guhl, Woods, Dymock, Clapin, Anderson and Coates.

In a very even game the school 2nd. XVIII defeated Guildford, the scores being Hale 6.5 (41), Guildford 4.5 (29).

HALE SCHOOL v. SCOTCH COLLEGE

PLAYED AT SUBIACO

On the 30th June the School played Scotch College at Subiaco. The match resulted in a win for Scotch. The weather was fine, but a fairly strong westerly wind was blowing. The game was rather scrumbly and many hard bumps were exchanged, Scotch being a taller and heavier team than Hale.

Scotch won the toss and kicked with the wind. Hale attacked for the first ten minutes, and Woods goaled. Scotch then took charge, swept forward and kicked four goals. Our backs were unable to hold them, and worked hard in keeping Scotch down to a three goal lead. Scores at the end of the quarter were: Hale 1.1, Scotch 4.3.

Kicking with the wind, Hale attacked, but was unable to break through. The school did not take full advantage of the wind, and the play was mostly between the two half back lines. Hale kicked inaccurately and scored three behinds to Scotch's two. No goals were kicked during the quarter. Half time scores were: Hale 1.4, Scotch 4.5.

Again in the third quarter, Hale played its best football against the wind. A kick from Guhl went to Woods, who goaled. Lodge was unlucky and hit the post. Clapin then marked and kicked true. More points followed for the school. Scotch pressed forward and kicked three goals. The scores at the end of the quarter were: Hale 3.8, Scotch 7.6.

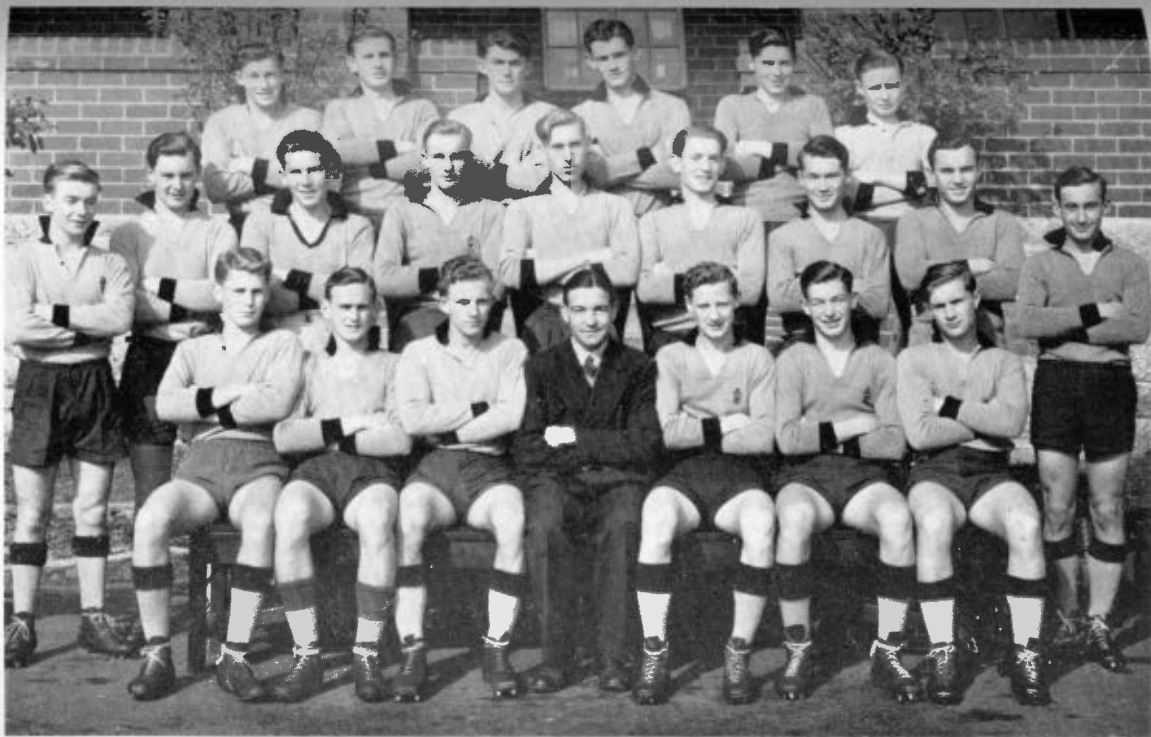
Hale was unlucky in the last quarter, the wind dropped, so lessening the school's chances of catching Scotch. However, Hale attacked and Clapin goaled. Stung by this reverse, Scotch added two goals to its score. Again the school attacked, but kicked behinds, Guhl hitting the post with a running shot. Scotch fought back, but was unable to score. Clapin kicked to Guhl, who goaled. However, Hale had left its run too late, and Scotch played out time, gaining a clear cut victory over the school by 23 points.

The final scores were:—

Hale School	5.11 (41 points)
Scotch College	9.10 (64 points)

Goal Kickers—Woods 2, Clapin 2 and Guhl.

Best Players—Radden B., Radden H., Woods, Layman, Monteath and Senior.



FOOTBALL, 1948.

Back Row : R. D. Cassidy, J. B. Cooke, T. P. Rogers, C. R. Heathcote, T. C. Leton, A. O. Lodge.
 Centre Row : J. M. Love, H. S. Radden, J. A. G. Branc, P. F. P. Anderscr, C. W. F. Thomson, V. L. C. Murphy, M. C. Roberts,
 R. E. Coates, B. L. Woods.
 Front Row : T. C. M. Senior, P. T. Layman, B. H. Dymock (Capt.), M. W. Mill, Esq., K. M. Guhl, J. C. Clapin, B. G. Radden.
 Absent : M. J. Monteath.

The 2nd XVIII also suffered a defeat at the hands of Scotch, the scores being Hale 2.5 (17), Scotch 5.4 (34).

HALE SCHOOL v. AQUINAS COLLEGE

PLAYED AT SUBIACO

At Subiaco, on the 7th July, the school played Aquinas in the last match of the first round. After a hard game, the school gained an eleven point victory. There was a fairly strong wind, but both teams displayed flashes of system throughout the match.

Winning the toss, Hale had first use of the wind. Good play by the Aquinas backs kept the ball in the defensive pocket, and the school was unable to use the wind to any advantage. Dymock scored the only two goals for the school. Aquinas scored one behind, and at the end of the quarter the school did not feel in a safe position, having had the use of the wind, and having only a two goal lead. The scores at the end of the quarter were: Hale 2.3, Aquinas 0.1.

The second quarter found Aquinas attacking, but they failed to break through, and their only shot hit the post. As in the previous matches, Hale played their best football against the wind, and managed to hold Aquinas down to 1.3, while adding 1.1. Roberts goaled with a left foot snap, giving the school a better hold on the game. Half time scores were: Hale 3.4, Aquinas 1.4.

Rain began to fall in the third quarter, and the ball became greasy. The play was scrumbly, Hale failing to make full use of the wind once more. The standard of play fell, both sides failing to score a goal. Hale added 3 behinds to Aquinas's 3, bringing the scores to: Hale 3.7, Aquinas 1.7.

Again in the last quarter rain fell. Hale played well against the wind, and a goal from Guhl made the Aquinas task almost impossible. Aquinas attacked strongly throughout the quarter, but failed to break through the school's back line. On the bell Aquinas received a free kick and goaled, but the school were still in front by 11 points.

The final scores were:—

Hale School 4.8 (32 points)

Aquinas College 2.9 (21 points)

Goal Kickers—Dymock 2, Roberts and Guhl.

Best Players—Senior, Radden B., Anderson, Woods, Radden H., Coates and Dymock.

The 2nd XVIII outplayed Aquinas and gained an easy victory, the scores being: Hale 8.9 (57), Aquinas 1.3 (9).

HALE SCHOOL v. GUILDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL

PLAYED AT SUBIACO

The second round of the Alcock Cup Series began when the school played Guildford at Subiaco on the 28th July. The match resulted in an easy win for Hale. Although the sky was slightly overcast, it was ideal football weather. A slight breeze was blowing down the ground.

Hale won the toss, and kicked into the breeze. The school attacked, and although the Guildford backs defended vigorously, Clapin goaled. Guildford followed with a quick goal. These were the only goals kicked during the quarter. The ball passed freely between the half back lines, but neither team was able to break through the other's defence. The quarter ended with Hale one point in the lead, and as Guildford had had the use of the wind, the school was in a favourable position. The scores at quarter time were: Hale 1.3, Guildford 1.2.

Having the use of wind, the school soon went into attack. Dymock at centre constantly put the ball into attack. Hale added five goals to its score, but bad kicking resulted in behinds, where easy goals should have come to the school. Half time scores were: Hale 6.10, Guildford 1.3.

The wind dropped considerably in the second half. Hale kept up their attack, not "coasting" as in the previous match against Guildford. The main features of the quarter were two goals from Dymock, both of which were excellent kicks. Guildford attacked several times, but were turned back by Layman and Roberts. The school added four goals to Guildford's 2 behinds. The scores at the end of the quarter were: Hale 10.11, Guildford 1.5.

In the last quarter, Guildford played their best football, but failed to score. Neither team eased up, and played right on till the bell. Again bad kicking resulted in behinds being scored. However, they were not needed and the school finished with an 88 point lead, but Guildford are to be congratulated on the hard fight they put up right through the game.

The final scores were:—

Hale School 14.17 (101 points)

Guildford Grammar School 1.7 (13 points)

Goal Kickers—Clapin 4, Woods 3, Dymock 3, Rogers 2, Guhl and Love.

Best Players—Dymock, Woods, Layman, Brand, Roberts, Clapin and Thompson.

Guildford proved too strong for our 2nd XVIII, although the match was fairly even. The scores were: Hale 6.5 (41), Guildford 8.7 (55).

HALE SCHOOL v. SCOTCH COLLEGE

PLAYED AT SUBIACO

The School played Scotch in the return match on August 4th. Although Hale scored the first goal, Scotch went on to an easy win. The day was quite suitable for football, with only a very light breeze blowing down the ground, but the standard of play was not high on either side.

Scotch won the toss, and decided to kick into the wind, which at the time was not strong enough to favour the school to any extent. The game started very vigorously, Scotch attacking and scoring a behind. Anderson goaled for Hale, but Scotch then took command, and went on to gain a very handy lead. The Hale team could not strike form, and played a very scrumbly game. Scotch, being the heavier team, were favoured by this, and held a considerable lead at the end of the quarter.

The second quarter started with Hale playing the same scrumbly game, and once more Scotch went into attack. The school failed to score another goal before half time. Although the ball was frequently in the school's forward line, they failed to make use of it, as Scotch did. The scores at half time were: Hale 1.4, Scotch 7.7.

Hale attacked at the beginning of the third quarter, Clapin kicking two quick goals. Scotch backs then repelled the school's attack, and Scotch themselves went into attack, but could not get through as before. Hale showed spasms of their true form during the quarter, but failed to make any appreciable impression on Scotch's lead, although they battled on with greater determination than in the first half. The quarter ended with the ball passing freely up and down the ground.

The last quarter passed without any outstanding incidents, except for a goal from a long drop kick by Dymock, while travelling at top speed. The school's backs began to show form, and kept Scotch from scoring more goals. Scotch managed to kick only one goal to Hale's three. Scotch were content to play on and stop Hale from scoring. Although Hale battled on they had left it too late and were unable to make up the leeway, Scotch finishing with a 21 point lead.

The final scores were:—

Hale School	4.12 (36 points)
Scotch College	8.9 (57 points)

Goal Kickers—Clapin 2, Anderson and Dymock.

Best Players—Layman, Senior, Woods, Monteath, Radden B. and Coates.

The second XVIII was also beaten by Scotch, the scores being: Hale 5.5 (35), Scotch 5.12 (42).

HALE SCHOOL v. AQUINAS COLLEGE

PLAYED AT W.A.C.A.

On Thursday, August 12th, the school played the last match in the Alcock Cup Series, when they played Aquinas at the W.A.C.A. Owing to an interstate match on Wednesday, August 11th, the match was postponed till Thursday. The weather was fine, the day being the hottest on which a cup match was played. The cup had already been won by Scotch, they having on the previous day defeated Guildford, and the match only decided second place. The school was beaten after a keen fight.

Aquinas won the toss, and kicked into the wind. There was only a light breeze at the time. Aquinas attacked and scored two quick goals before the school team had settled down. Hale failed to score until near the end of the quarter, and then put two goals on the board. The quarter ended with the scores nearly equal. Hale 2.3, Aquinas 2.5.

The second quarter passed without incident. Aquinas added 1.4 to their score, while the school was unable to score against the breeze, which was beginning to strengthen. The sky became duller, and rain was expected by most, but it did not fall during the match. The half time scores were: Hale 2.3, Aquinas 3.9.

Hale attacked constantly during the third quarter, and added 3.5 to Aquinas's 1 goal. To the relief of the players, the breeze became stronger and cooler. More life came into the game on both sides. The school used the wind to a better advantage than in the first quarter, and managed to gain a slight lead before the bell went. The scores at the end of the quarter were: Hale 5.8, Aquinas 4.9.

Aquinas took charge in the early stages of the last quarter, and added 3 goals. Hale then scored their last goal of the game, although they played on strongly until the bell. The game was one of the most even of the season, Aquinas having a slight lead of 8 points at the bell.

The final scores were:—

Hale School 6.9 (45 points)

Aquinas College 7.11 (53 points)

Goal Kickers—Love 3, Woods 2 and Thompson.

Best Players—Woods, Layman, Senior, Roberts, Dymock and Radden H.

The second XVIII had an extremely good match, and outpointed Aquinas by a narrow margin. The scores were: Hale School 7.11 (53), Aquinas College 6.12 (48).

OTHER MATCHES PLAYED BY OUR TEAMS

First XVIII

- v. C.B.C. Won. 7.7 to 7.6.
- v. St. George's College. Drew. 7.9 to 7.9.
- v. Modern School. Lost. 3.7 to 6.11.
- v. Old Boys. Lost. 10.17 to 12.7.
- v. Modern School. Lost. 6.9 to 8.15.

Second XVIII

- v. C.B.C. Won. 20.12 to nil.
- v. Modern School. Lost. 1.4 to 8.13.
- v. St. Louis 1st XVIII. Lost. 5.12 to 8.5.
- v. St. Louis 1st XVIII. Won. 9.12 to 9.4.
- v. Modern School. Lost. 5.7 to 10.15.

Third XVIII

- v. Scotch College. Won. 5.9 to 4.11.
- v. Guildford. Won. 12.18 to 0.4.
- v. Modern School. Lost. 5.9 to 8.2.
- v. Guildford. Won. 7.5 to 4.11.
- v. Scotch College. Lost. 3.4 to 8.7.
- v. Modern School. Lost. 9.10 to 10.8.

Fourth XVIII

- v. Scotch College. Won. 3.10 to 2.2.
- v. Guildford. Won. 11.11 to 3.10.
- v. Modern School. Lost. 6.0 to 6.15.
- v. Scotch College. Won. 8.16 to 3.2.
- v. Modern School. Won. 3.6 to 1.7.

Fifth XVIII

- v. Scotch College. Won. 8.6 to 1.2.
- v. Guildford. Lost. 3.3 to 6.4.
- v. St. Louis. Lost. 1.3 to 4.6.
- v. St. Louis. Lost. 7.8 to 9.6.
- v. Scotch College. Lost. 2.5 to 3.7.
- v. St. Louis. Drew. 7.6 to 7.6.
- v. Scotch College. Won. 5.9 to 2.2.

Sixth XVIII—"A"

- v. Scotch College. Lost. 3.2 to 7.10.
- v. Guildford. Lost. 6.5 to 8.10.
- v. St. Louis. Lost. 4.2 to 6.5.
- v. Guildford. Lost. 1.3 to 5.11.
- v. St. Louis. Won. 3.5 to 2.5.
- v. Scotch College. Lost. 1.2 to 5.20.

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Sixth XVIII—"B"

- v. Scotch College. Lost. 3.4 to 8.22.
- v. Scotch College. Lost. 0.1 to 14.16.

Seventh XVIII—Under 13—"A"

- v. St. Louis 3rd XVIII. Lost. 1.2 to 7.13.
- v. St. Louis 4th XVIII. Won. 4.3 to 0.1
- v. Scotch College. Won. 7.9 to 5.4.
- v. St. Louis. Won. 5.19 to 4.3.
- v. Scotch College. Lost. 1.3 to 6.9.

Seventh XVIII—Under 13—"B"

- v. St. Louis 4th XVIII. Lost. Nil to 5.17.
- v. St. Louis 5th XVIII. Lost. 1.3 to 3.5.
- v. Scotch College. Lost. 1.0 to 3.2.

Eighth XVIII—Under 11

- v. Christchurch. Won. 2.3 to 2.2.
- v. St. Louis. Lost. 5.11 to 8.3.

Ninth XVIII—Under 10

- v. St. Louis. Won. 6.5 to 4.2.



THIRD TERM, 1948

Early in the term a number of old rowers made a trip in Mr. Rosser's "Station Wagon" to Bassendean to collect our practice boats which had been repaired there. For those who were coming back to school the next year this was a good training row.

Under the supervision of Mr. Johns, training started about the middle of the term with an VIII and a IV going out regularly.

FIRST TERM, 1949

As soon as school started those who had rowed previously hunted around the school and got a number of new boys interested in rowing to come down to the sheds. Serious training began right at the beginning of the term and owing to the shortage of training boats the First VIII was moved into the racing shell earlier than usual so that the Second VIII could use the practice boat. Changes continued in all the crews until about two weeks before Easter, when they were finally selected.

The week before Easter the First VIII obtained permission to go out late in the afternoon from 5.30 to 7 p.m., to do training with the Interstate VIII. During Easter the First VIII had some very valuable training with the interstate eight and some very good time trials were recorded with them. The VIII continued to train right up to the Friday before the race, to enable Mr. Rosser to put the finishing touches on the crew.

The crews which represented the school were as follows:—

First VIII: A. C. N. Anderson (Str.), V. L. C. Murphy (7), R. Reid (6), J. D. Arrow (5), L. Durston (4), P. T. Layman (3), I. R. Brandenburg (2), I. F. Packham (Bow), M. Watson (Cox).

Second VIII: R. C. Cooke (Str.), D. G. Chappell (7), K. W. Gibbs (6), J. Colley (5), A. K. House (4), J. A. Hunt (3), P. J. Fuller (2), W. R. Robinson (Bow), J. A. N. Olden (Cox).

Third IV: J. DeBurgh (Str.), R. Buttenshaw (3), J. Y. Langdon (2), J. T. Barrymore (Bow), R. M. Rathbone (Cox).

The Old Boys' Eight was composed of P. Forbes (Str.), D. Devenish (7), D. Norman (6), K. Jackson (5), W. Irvine (4), P. Lowe (3), B. Chappell (2), W. Gardner (Bow), E. B. Arney (Cox).

We would like to thank Mr. Bond and the Maylands Rowing Club for lending us their new carvel four. To Mr. Bond we extend our sincere thanks for the training he gave our four; also to Mr. Buttonshaw who provided the means of transport to the Maylands' Rowing shed where the four trained. The Four which had only been in training a short time could only be satisfied with the modest position of fourth, and we congratulate Scotch on their fine win.

In the Second VIII's race our crew was not powerful enough for the Scotch and Aquinas crews, and again we finished fourth behind Guildford. We extend our congratulations to Scotch, who won from Aquinas. To Colonel Norman and his son David the Second VIII extends their thanks for the training they have been given. Considering the shortage of equipment and time, they did very well.

All rowers, especially the First VIII, extend their thanks to Mr. Rosser for the keen interest and enthusiasm he gave the boys in the crews, and for the work he did to make our limited equipment last the season. Mr. Rosser gave up a great deal of his valuable time to teach new boys to row and as well he coached the First VIII. For all these reasons we are very grateful to him.

Mr. Johns, the master in charge of Rowing, gave invaluable assistance to Mr. Rosser, and also took charge of the Third IV before it was handed over to Mr. Bond.

Telegrams offering best wishes for the races were received from the following Old Boys and supporters:—Merv. Barton, Peter Anderson, Harold B. Stone, R. Lloyd, Jack Skipper, John Love and Marychurch Jenkins.

HEAD OF THE RIVER

By "Stroke."

A large crowd lined the banks of the river to watch the boat races which were held on Saturday, April 23rd. The early morning promised ideal weather conditions, but by the time the Head of the River race was due to start, a moderate head wind had sprung up, and being in the No. 4 position, we knew that we had a hard mile to row.

Hale got away very smartly on the starter's gun and, rating very fast, soon managed to establish a small lead from the other three crews. During the second quarter of a mile, Hale, still maintaining their original high rating, increased their lead from Aquinas with Scotch and Guildford following closely behind. At the half mile post however, we showed signs of tiring and Aquinas, whose rating was slightly slower than ours, began to catch up on us. We stepped up our



ROWING, 1949

A. C. N. Anderson (Str.), V. L. C. Murphy (7), R. Reid (6), J. D. Arrow (5), L. Durston (4), P. T. Layman (3), I. R. Brandenburg (2), I. F. Packham (bow), M. R. Watson (cox).

rating, which had dropped back to about thirty four, in an effort to hold our lead with Aquinas. However, just past the brewery, our crew lost their swing, and Aquinas, who were rowing with a powerful stroke, drew up level with us. Scotch were then only half a length or so behind us with Guildford following closely. During the last quarter mile, Aquinas made a finishing dash to the line and won by half a length. Scotch had also quickened their rating and managed to draw level with us. We made a final effort but were beaten by a canvas with Guildford less than half a length behind.

We heartily congratulate Aquinas on their win. They were a powerful crew and kept up a good steady pace from start to finish, rowing in fine style throughout the race.

THE ROWERS' DANCE

On the evening of the Head of the River, the First VIII held the annual Rowers' dance. All the boys in the crews and quite a few of the Senior boys of the school with a charming bevy of beauties, were present. Amongst the Older ones present were the Headmaster and Mrs. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Gra Rosser, Mr. and Mrs. Johns, Mrs. Reid and Mrs. Olden.

We would like to take this opportunity of thanking Mr. Jacoby for giving us an 18 gallon keg of ginger beer, also Mr. Rosser for providing cool drinks when the ginger beer ran out, and Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Reid and Mrs. Olden for helping with the supper.

Tony Anderson made a small speech of thanks and presented Mr. Rosser with a Cigarette Box from the First VIII and J. DeBurgh presented Mr. Johns with a new pipe.



Debating Society.

SECOND TERM, 1948

On the 10th June at 7 p.m., the Debating Society held its first debates for 1948. The evening commenced with a Junior debate "That the forty hour week is not in the interests of the community." The negative side, consisting of K. Gibbs (leader), Chrystal and Fisher, had a narrow win over the affirmative with R. Wilson (leader), Lowe and Chase. The Seniors debated the subject "That Communism should be banned in Australia." Again the negative side with R. Anketell (leader), F. Moseley and I. Packham beat the affirmative side, W. Hartley (leader), R. Turner and J. Frith. Both debates were closely contested and the Senior one was especially humorous when R. Anketell told us that Communism should not be banned!

Another Junior and Senior debate was held in the Boarders' Common room on 28th June at 7 p.m. The Juniors debated the subject "That sport assumes too large a part in the life of the Australian Community." I. Cruickshank, A. House and D. Yeo, arguing against the subject, won. For the Seniors the topic was "That the influence of the Film is Pernicious." Again the negative side won, the team being R. Pearse, A. Anderson and L. Murphy.

The first of the Interschool debates was held on Thursday, 22nd July at 8 p.m. against Scotch College at Scotch. Our team, consisting of B. G. Radden, R. Turner, I. Packham and F. Moseley had a narrow win from Scotch who argued "That Scientific Development during the present Century has not been for the Well Being of the Human Race." We would like to take this opportunity of thanking Scotch College for a very interesting and amusing evening.

Another Interschool debate was held against St. Hilda's at St. Hilda's and again our team led by B. Radden with I. Packham, R. Reid

and R. Anketell in support was successful. This also proved to be very interesting and enjoyable and we hope to have many more such Interschool Debates.

The Debating Society closed its 1948 season with a very humorous debate "That the World is Happier with the Aeroplane." The negative side won by a small margin, the team being R. Turner, R. Reid and B. Kakulas. There were no debates in the last term because of the coming Public exams and other outside activities.

FIRST TERM, 1949

At a meeting of all those interested in debating the following were elected to the Debating Committee for 1949:—Mr. V. S. Murphy (President), Messrs. G. N. Altorfer, W. R. Corr, C. G. Hamilton, W. G. S. Johns, P. D. Langley, A. C. Marshall, G. F. Wakeford, T. D. Hoar, T. F. Clarke, T. B. Tomlinson (Vice Presidents); I. Cruickshank (Secretary), R. J. Anketell, R. Reid, J. Cruickshank, A. J. Drysdale, V. L. C. Murphy, I. F. Packham, H. S. Radden, J. C. M. Slee.

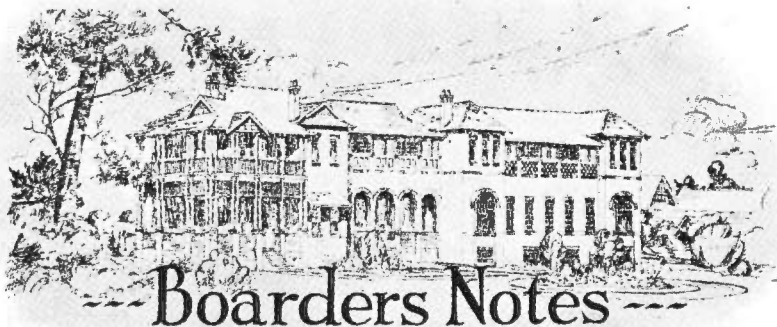
The season opened with a Senior Impromptu Speech Evening held on Friday, 1st April, in the Boarders' Common room. The standard of the speeches was good and things look bright for another good year in debating. A Junior Impromptu Speech evening was held on Friday, the 8th April. The standard of these speeches was extremely high and it seems we will have some very good debaters in the future.

SCIENCE NOTES

Although large quantities of chemical reagents were consumed, and many interesting and spectacular experiments were carried out during the last term by the VIA scientists, they, as yet, have been unable to prepare any new concoction. However, it has been announced that the socials held during the afternoon in lab. periods must cease and so during the next term anything might happen.

Junior experimenters are asked to read the labels on the bottles which line the benches and to refrain from using the contents — if any — of those which bear the words "Leaving Only."

Due to the efforts of Mr. Langley, the Science Library has expanded considerably, many new books having been added. It now covers all the work done from the sub-junior to leaving standards, but unfortunately, there cannot be found a recipe for the manufacture of beer.



SECOND TERM, 1948

The term began on Tuesday, 25th May, the only newcomers to the House being John Power and Andrew Johnson, both of whom were previously day boys, while Anthony Male and Ian Martin left, the latter to become a day boy.

Soon after the beginning of term, James Staniforth-Smith became a house prefect. We congratulate him on his appointment, which left no boarder in VIA not a prefect. The VIB boarders immediately took advantage of this by exchanging their common room for the larger VIA one.

The main activity for this term, football, started straight away, and the boarders were well represented in all teams, the following being in the 1st XVIII:—John Clapin, Peter Anderson, Tony Brand, Peter Layman, Benny Woods, John Cooke and Trevor Loton.

Unfortunately, there was no Boarders' Dance this term as the only two rooms where it could be held, the dining room and the common room, were considered unsuitable. This was very disappointing to many, as was the announcement that no country leave for the long week-end would be granted.

This, and other restrictions on leave were made necessary by the infantile paralysis epidemic.

By the efforts of Peter Anderson, the pound collected the sum of 25/- which formed part of the £5 donated to the United Nations Appeal for Children.

The House would like to take this opportunity to extend its sincere sympathy to John Darge in the loss of his father

THIRD TERM, 1948

On Tuesday, 7th September, we returned to school to find that Bob Buttenshaw and Basil Twine had left, both to become day boys, and Syd Kirkby and Phillip Fuller had become boarders. Graham Law came a few weeks after the beginning of term.

We were sorry to learn that Mrs. Gordon had left the House after a stay of over a year, but welcome her successor, Miss Melbourne, and hope that she will have a long and pleasant stay.

Athletics started at once, and at the Inters. the House was represented in our team by Peter Anderson, John Cooke, James Staniforth-Smith, Robin Pearse, Ken and John Gibbs, Neil Williamson, David Anderson, Peter Brand, Brian Wood, Bob Slee, Eddie Powell and David Lewis. Congratulations, Peter, on being captain of the team.

As soon as athletics was over, cricket began, and as a result of the second round of the competition, the school won the Darlot Cup, the following being the boarders in the team:—John Clapin, Peter Anderson, John Cooke, Jimmy Drysdale, Bruce Webb and Benny Woods.

This term the school signed a contract with M.G.M. for the hire of one film each month. As a result, Mr. Altorfer put on a show in the dining room on Saturday, 9th October. The School's 16m.m. projector was used, and the main film was "Mutiny on the Bounty." Unfortunately the sound was very indistinct. However, the next time, on Saturday, 6th November, when "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo" was shown, it was very much better, and the picture was thoroughly enjoyed.

In the school shooting team which competed in the interschool competition on 20th November, were the following boarders:—John and Bob Cooke, Tony Brand and John Slee, while Peter Anderson was reserve.

Over a week before the end of term, the Boarders' Feast was held in the dining room. Everyone had a good time, and the food and drink was not long in disappearing. As it was some time till the end of term, it was decided not to propose the usual toast to those who were leaving.

We would like sincerely to thank Matron for making the evening such a success and to thank her, Sister, Mrs. Gordon and Miss Melbourne for their untiring services throughout the year.

Our sincere sympathy is extended to Barr James in the loss of his father.

FIRST TERM, 1949

When we got back to school on 8th February, Bob Cooke, Peter Layman and Ian Packham were made House prefects. They became School prefects a few weeks later when seven new ones were announced. We congratulate them on their appointments, and Robert Reid on being Captain of both the School and the House.

We welcome Mr. Tomlinson and Mr. Clarke who became resident masters this term, and Miss Billinge, Miss Melbourne's successor, and hope they will have a happy and successful stay at the school.

In addition, we welcome the following new boys to the House:—Laurie Anderson, John Barr, Ian Burns, John Coote, Neil Cumpston, Tim D'Arcy, Beverley Dungey, Michael Guger, John Hendrick, Allan Hill, Norman Jack, Peter Kopke, Philip Lefroy, John Lewis, Anthony Male, Peter Moore, Edward Officer, Robert Readhead, Christopher Rowe, Bruce Roe, Brian Smith, John Sutherland, Ross Thompson, Richard Turkington and Peter Williams.

The House's representatives in the swimming team this year were Ken Gibbs, Peter Brand, Desmond Reid, Fred House and Brian Wood.

The New Boys' Boxing provided its usual evening's entertainment, and was greatly enjoyed by spectators and, it is hoped, contestants alike. Peter Layman refereed the bouts.

The Darlot Cup matches began soon after the swimming and the 1st XI is leading at the end of the first round by winning two matches and tying in the other. The boarders in the team were Jimmy Drysdale, Bruce Webb, John Gibbs and Peter Brand.

About half-way through the term Ken Gibbs was made a House Prefect. The House congratulates him on his appointment.

Mr. Altorfer showed two films in the Boarders' common room during the term, each on a Saturday night. The first one, shown a few weeks after the beginning of term, was "Madame Curie," and the other, shown just before Easter, was "Bud Abbot and Lou Costello in Hollywood." They were both enjoyed by a large audience.

Geoffrey Fisher left the House at Easter.

There was a large number of boarders in the rowing crews this year, including all the House prefects. Tony Anderson was stroke of the 1st VIII, the other boarders in it being Robert Reid, Peter Layman, Ian Packham and Ian Brandenburg, while Bob Cooke was stroke of the 2nd VIII.

As a result of the N.C.O.s' course held during Cadet Camp at the end of the term, the following boarders were promoted:—

Cadet Brandenburg, to Lance Corporal.
Lance Corporal Slee, J., to Corporal.
Cadet Anderson, A., to Corporal.
Corporal Gibbs, K., and Drysdale, to Sergeants.
Lance Corporal Williamson, to Sergeant.
Corporal Cooke to W.O. II.

Under Peter Layman's careful handling, the Pound collected about 31/- this term.

THE CITY JUNIOR FARMERS

Here is some news which may interest those boys whose homes are in country areas. As many of you will know, the Junior Farmer Movement is growing rapidly in this State, and a City Club has recently been formed, consisting of young men and women who, for various reasons, have come to the city from their homes in the "outback."

Plans for the future are many and interesting, and those who would like to hear more details may do so by contacting either the President, (Miss Gwen Walters), at the Rural Dept. of the Australian Broadcasting Commission, or the Secretary (Mr. Ron Yates) at the National Bank in Perth.

ATHLETIC NOTES

This year the University Oval was again procured for our athletic training. The more talented boys trained there, while the others used the oval at King's Park.

Because Mr. Langley could not spare the time from his studies, Mr. Corr and Mr. Altorfer once more took over the training of the team. To them the team would like to extend its thanks for the hard work put into their coaching. Thanks must also be extended to Messrs. Norman and Allen for their able assistance.

The captain of Athletics for 1948 was Peter Anderson, who must be congratulated on his appointment.

SCHOOL SPORTS, 1948

The Annual Athletic Sports were held on Wednesday, 13th October, at the Subiaco Oval.

It was a beautiful day, the temperature being a little above normal. A moderate tail-wind was blowing in the morning, but this died

down about noon, and in the afternoon there was no wind to speak of. Consequently some fast times were recorded.

The School Champion Athlete was P. Anderson with 12 points, while C. Thomson and M. Monteath came next with 5 points each.

J. Cruickshank was Champion Athlete under 16 with 9 points, followed by T. Rogers with 6 points. G. Christian and H. L. Holland were under 15 and under 14 Champions respectively.

Credit must be given to T. Senior who broke the inaugural record for the under 16 Shot Putt, with a putt of 39 feet 11½ inches, and to G. Christian who broke the under 15 100 yards record by a 1/10th of a second. Christian also equalled the under 15 High Jump record with a leap of 5 feet 1 inch.

RESULTS

Open

100 yards—Anderson, P., 1; Cassidy, 2; Monteath, M., 3; time 10.6 secs.
 220 yards—Anderson, P., 1; Monteath, M., 2; Cassidy, 3; time 24 secs.
 440 yards—Anderson, P., 1; Monteath, M., 2; Cassidy, 3; time 55.7 secs.
 880 yards—Staniforth-Smith, 1; Grove, 2; Brand, A., 3; time 2 mins 16.6 secs.
 High jump—Thomson, 1; Gibbs, K., 2; Ball, A., 3; height 5 ft. 4 ins (unfinished).
 Mile—Grove, 1; Staniforth-Smith, 2; Pearse, 3; time 5 mins 12 secs.
 Broad jump—Anderson, P., 1; Cooke, J., 2; Gibbs, K., 3; distance 19 ft.
 Shot putt—Pearse, 1; Fawcett, 2; Senior, 3; distance 35 ft. 3 inches.
 120 yards hurdles—Cruickshank, J., 1; Thomson, 2; Loton, T., 3; time 17.6 secs.

Under 16

100 yards—Cruickshank, J., 1; Williamson, 2; Anderson, D., 3; time 11.2 secs.
 220 yards—Loton, T., 1; Williamson, 2; Cruickshank, J., 3; time 25.9 secs.
 880 yards—Brand, P., 1; Cruickshank, I., 2; Cousins, 3; time 2 min. 20.5 secs.
 High Jump—Cruickshank, J., 1; Gibbs, J., 2; Bedford-Brown, C., 3; height 5 ft. 1 inch (unfinished).
 Broad Jump—Rogers, T., 1; Bedford-Brown, J., 2; Arrow, J., 3; distance 17ft. 1½ inches.
 Shot putt—Senior, T., 1; Cruickshank, J., 2; Webb, 3; distance 39 ft. 11½ inches (record).
 100 yards hurdles—Rogers, T., 1; Cruickshank, I., 2; McCausland, G., 3; time 15.4 secs.

Under 15

100 yards—Christian, 1; Radden, H. and Bedford-Brown, J., 2; time 11 secs (record).
 220 yards—Christian, 1; Bedford-Brown, J., 2; Monteath, J., 3; time 25.9 secs.
 High Jump—Christian, 1; Gibbs, J., 2; Bedford-Brown, C., 3; height 5 ft. 1 inch (equal to record).
 Long jump—Bedford-Brown, J., 1; Radden, H., 2; Christian, 3; distance 16ft. 10 inches.
 100 yards hurdles—Bedford-Brown, J., 1; Gibbs, J., 2; Ball, C., 3; time 16.7 secs.



ATHLETICS, 1948

Back Row : J. M. Gibbs, D. G. Anderson, R. D. Cassidy, J. Staniforth-Smith, N. I. Williamson, T. P. Rogers, M. G. McCall,
E. P. G. Brand, J. B. Brown.
Third Row : I. St. B. Cruickshank, K. W. Gibbs, G. W. McCausland, R. A. Pearse, J. F. Cruickshank, H. S. Radden,
G. H. Christian, B. Wood, J. D. Arrow.
Seated : C. J. Grove, J. A. Fawcett, P. F. P. Anderson (Capt.), W. R. Corr, Esq., C. W. Thomson, M. J. Monteath, J. B. Cooke.
Front Row : B. J. Short, J. Norman, R. H. Holland, E. J. Powell, D. T. Lewis.

Under 14

100 yards—Holland, 1; Short, 2; McCall, 3; time 12 secs.

220 yards—Holland, 1; McCall, 2; Short, 3; time 28.5 secs.

High jump—Slee, R., 1; Johnston, M., 2; Chrystal, 3; height 4 ft. 5 ins.

Long jump—Saw, 1; Slee, R., 2; Holland, 3; distance 15 ft. 1½ ins.

Under 13

100 yards—Powell, 1; Lewis, 2; Rosser and Morlet, 3; time 12.9 secs.

HANDICAPS

Open

100 yards—Cooke, R., 1; Frith, 2; Clapin, J., 3; time 10.4 secs.

220 yards—Clapin, J., 1; Radden, B., 2; Parker, S., 3; time 24 secs.

880 yards—Summers, R. and Dymock, 1; Reid, R., 3; time 2 mins. 18.6 secs.

Mile—O'Meehan, A., 1; Brand, A., 2; Chase, 3; time 4 mins 58 secs.

Under 16

100 yards—Forrest, 1; Lodge, 2; Durrant, 3; time 11.2 secs.

220 yards—McGuffin, 1; Forrest, 2; Blake, 3; time 25 secs.

880 yards—Thomas, N., 1; McGuffin, 2; Cruickshank, I., 3; time 2 mins 18.2 secs.

Under 15

100 yards—Hughes, 1; Anderson, P., 2; Bartley, 3; time 11.2 secs.

220 yards—Gregg, 1; Bartley, 2; Barrymore, 3; time 25.8 secs.

880 yards—Morrison, 1; Dunbar, 2; Hunt, 3; time 2 mins. 22.4 secs.

Under 14

100 yards—Brandreth, 1; Fisher, 2; Olive, 3; time 11.7 secs.

220 yards—Nathan, 1; Bridge, 2; James, D., 3; time 29.7 secs.

Under 13

100 yards—O'Meehan, A., 1; Harris, 2; Powell, 3; time 13 secs.

220 yards—Graves, 1; Hyde, 2; Harris, 3; time 30.1 secs.

INTERSCHOOL SPORTS, 1948

The 44th Annual Interschool Athletic Sports were held on Saturday, 23rd October at the W.A.C.A. ground. The day proved to be rather sultry and overcast with a slight breeze. The conditions were quite favourable for fast times and several records were broken.

Our congratulations must go to Scotch for a meritorious win — their first since the beginning of the competition. They carried off the Alcock Shield with a fine, well balanced team. Hale did quite well in some of the under age events, but was very weak in the open events. Anderson was Hale's most prominent Open Athlete, gaining 8 points.

Christian, however, was our most successful athlete, gaining a first in the under 15 100 yards and a second in the 220 yards. Holland also ran well, being placed second in both the under 14 100 yards and 220 yards.

Four records were broken. Of these three were last year's inaugural relay records. Scotch broke the Open and Under 16 relay records, and Hale broke the under 15 relay record.

Congratulations must also go to Scotch's Johnston, who besides being the Champion Athlete of the day, also broke the Open 120 yards Hurdles record.

Final points were:—

Scotch	241 points.
Aquinas	213 points.
Guildford	173 points.
Hale	133 points.

Open

- 100 yards—Meagher (AC), 1; Evans (SC), 2; Johnston (SC), 3; Dallimore (AC), 4; Gipson (GGS), 5; Anderson (HS), 6; Cassidy (HS), 7; time 10.6 secs.
- 220 yards—Meagher (AC), 1; Johnston (SC), 2; Dallimore (AC), 3; Evans (SC), 4; Gipson (GGS), 5; Donaldson (GGS), 6; Anderson (HS), 7; time 23.3 secs.
- 440 yards—Meagher (AC), 1; Donaldson (GGS), 2; Johnston (SC), 3; Dallimore (AC), 4; Hughes (SC), 5; Provis (GGS), 6; Monteath (HS), 7; time 51.9 secs.
- 880 yards—Donaldson (GGS), 1; Tyson (AC), 2; Hughes (SC), 3; Lynn (SC), 4; Staniforth-Smith (HS), 5; Gray (GGS), 6; Grove (HS), 7; time 2 min 9.2 secs.
- Mile—Chadwick (SC), 1; Donaldson (GGS), 2; Tyson (AC), 3; Staniforth-Smith (HS), 4; Lynn (SC), 5; Walker (AC), 6; Gray (GGS), 7; time 4 min. 57.8 secs.
- 120 yards hurdles—Johnston (SC), 1; Kyle (SC), 2; James (GGS), 3; Cruickshank, J. (HS), 4; Thomson (HS), 5; White (GGS), 6; Curtis (AC), 7; time 16.3 secs (record).
- High jump—Scott (GGS), 1; Wahlsten (GGS), 2; Kyle (SC), 3; Hill (SC), 4; Ivankovich (AC), 5; Thomson (HS), 6; Johnson (AC), 7; height 5 ft. 7 in.
- Long jump—Johnston (SC), 1; Stanich (AC), 2; Anderson (HS), 3; Kyle (SC), 4; Walsh (AC), 5; Scott (GGS), 6; Boyd (GGS), 7; distance 20 ft 1½ inches.
- Shot putt—Radunovich (SC), 1; Stanich (AC), 2; Provis (GGS), 3; Smith (SC), 4; Drabble (AC), 5; Fawcett (HS), 6; Pearse (HS), 7; distance 38 ft 6½ inches.
- 880 yards relay—S.C., 1; A.C., 2; H.S., 3; G.G.S., 4; time 1 min. 35.2 sec (record).

Under 16

- 100 yards—Smith (SC), 1; Towing (AC), 2; de K. Whitsed (GGS), 3; Williamson (HS), 4; Piper (GGS), 5; Anderson (HS), 6; Moursellas (AC), 7; time 11.3 secs.
- 220 yards—Smith (SC), 1; Towing (AC), 2; McNeil (GGS), 3; de K. Whitsed (GGS), 4; Major (AC), 5; Williamson (HS), 6; Anderson (HS), 7; time 25.4 secs.

880 yards—Major (AC), 1; Walker (AC), 2; Howson (GGS), 3; Piper (GGS), 4; Edward (SC), 5; Robinson (SC), 6; Brand (HS), 7; time 2 min 16.4 secs.

100 yards hurdles—Akkermans (AC), 1; Smith (SC), 2; Grieves (GGS), 3; de K. Whitsed (GGS), 4; Johnson (AC), 5; Rogers (HS), 6; Cruickshank, I., (HS), 7; time 14.7 secs.

High jump—Hill (SC), 1; Johnson (AC), 2; Carruthers (GGS), 3; Christian (HS), 4; Roe (GGS), 5; Anderson (SC), 6; Ochiltree (AC), 7; height 5 ft. 2 inches.

Long jump—Edward (SC), 1; White (GGS), 2; Towning (AC), 3; Smith (SC), 4; Roe (GGS), 5; Rogers (HS), 6; Akkermans (AC), 7; distance 17 ft. 5 inches.

440 yards relay—S.C., 1; A.C., 2; G.G.S., 3; H.S., 4; time 48 secs (record).

Under 15

100 yards—Christian (HS), 1; Radden (HS), 2; Hill (SC), 3; Rickard-Bell (SC), 4; Wheatley (GGS), 5; Begley (AC), 6; Ellis (AC), 7; time 11.8 secs.

220 yards—Hill (SC), 1; Christian (HS), 2; Rickard-Bell (SC), 3; Wheatley (GGS), 4; Fry (GGS), 5; Wood (HS), 6; Hicks (AC), 7; time 26.2 secs.

440 yards relay—H.S., 1; S.C., 2; G.G.S., 3; A.C., 4; time 49.8 secs (record).

Under 14

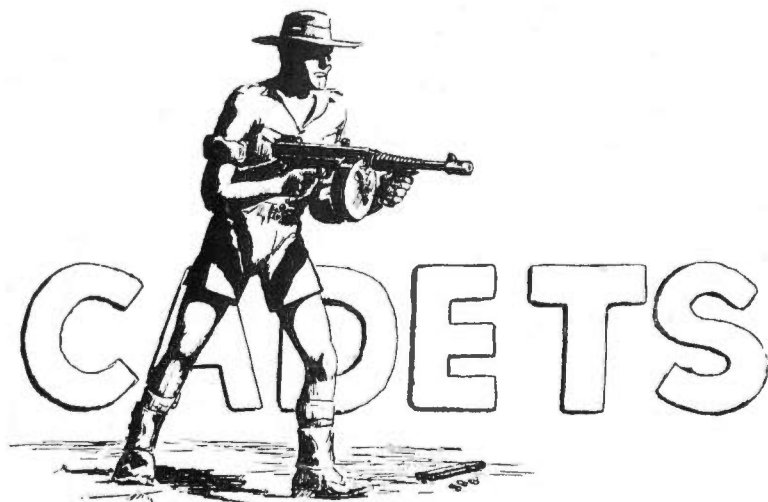
100 yards—Leeson (AC), 1; Holland (HS), 2; Badcock (GGS), 3; Mitchell (GGS), 4; Buttfield (SC), 5; Short (HS), 6; Buzolic (AC), 7; time 12.1 secs.

220 yards—Leeson (AC), 1; Holland (HS), 2; Buttfield (SC), 3; McCall (HS), 4; Buzolic (AC), 5; Reynolds (GGS), 6; Sherwood (GGS), 7; time 27.5 secs.

440 yards relay—A.C., 1; H.S., 2; G.G.S., 3; S.C., 4; time 53.7 secs.

Under 13

100 yards—Silbert (GGS), 1; Lambert (GGS), 2; Powell (HS), 3; Guerinoni (AC), 4; Lewis (HS), 5; Davidson (AC), 6; Pether (SC), 7; time 13.2 secs.



PROMOTIONS, 1948

At the beginning of the year, the following were made Cadet Lieutenants:—

Corporal Dymock, B. H.; Sergeant Clapin, J. C.; Lance Corporal Love, J. M.; Lance Corporal Loton, H. T.

Other promotions were as follows:—

Sergeant Anderson, P. F. to W.O. II; Cadet Reid, R., to Sergeant; Cadet Cooke, J., to Sergeant; Cadet Truscott, J. B. to Sergeant; Lance Corporal McCausland W. H. to Sergeant; Cadet Parker, S. H. to Corporal; Lance Corporal Roberts, M. C., to Corporal; Cadet Brand, J. A. C., to Corporal; Cadet Layman, P. T., to Corporal; Cadet Cuming, K. J., to Corporal; Cadet Ball, A. R., to Corporal; Cadet Cooke, R. C., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Slee, J. C. M., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Gibbs, K. W., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Frith, J. R., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Williamsen, N. I., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Coates, R. E., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Bamford, V., to Lance Corporal.

CAMP, 1948

The Annual Cadet Camp was held at Swanbourne Military Camp from the 1st to the 8th of May.

Army trucks transported the Corps from the School to Swanbourne, and the remaining part of the Saturday was spent in settling in. Leave was granted on Saturday and Sunday nights, so that training did not commence until Monday morning.



OFFICERS and N.C.Os., 1948

At Rear : L/Cpl. J. C. M. Slee, L/Cpl. J. R. Frith.
Back Row : L/Cpl. R. C. Cooke, Pl. T. Layman, Cpl. A. R. Ball, Cpl. J. B. Morrison, Cpl. J. A. Hunt, Cpl. A. K. House, L/Cpl. N. I. Williamson, L/Cpl. V. R. Bamford, L/Cpl. K. W. Gibbs.
Centre Row : Cpl. M. C. Roberts, Cpl. J. A. G. Brand, Sgt. R. Reid, S'Sgt. C. W. F. Thomson, Sgt. J. B. Truscott, Sgt. J. B. Cooke, Cpl. S. H. Parker, Cpl. K. J. Cumming.
Front Row : C.S.M. P. F. P. Anderson, Cdt./Lt. J. C. Caplan, Cdt./Lt. J. D. Mock (2 I/C.), Capt. L. Drake, Flt/Lt. E. B. Adams, Cdt./Lt. H. T. Loton, dt./Lt. M. J. Love.

Cyclone beds were used by all ranks, and amenities included hot showers and a canteen.

Throughout the Camp a varied and interesting syllabus was followed, featuring Army Films, Night Marches, Range practices, a lantern stalk, a night firing demonstration and a 6KY Community Concert.

On the last Friday, the dreaded compass march to Reabold Hill was successfully conducted.

The Corps was divided into sections, with an officer or N.C.O. in charge of each one. With the help of a map and a compass, each section had to arrive at the top of the hill, by different routes, in time for dinner, and then march back to the Camp.

On Saturday, May 8th, the corps was trucked back to School, marking the conclusion of a highly successful camp.

FIRST TERM, 1949

Owing to the lack of N.C.O.s this term, most of the teaching was done by Army Instructors.

The Corps was fitted for uniforms early in the year, but was not issued with them until the end of the term.

The Miniature Range is again available, thanks to repairs carried out by Captain Drake.

At the beginning of the year, the following were made Cadet Lieutenants:— Sergeant Reid, R; Corporal Packham, I. F.; Cadet Monteath, M. J.

Other promotions, made on the first Sunday of Camp, were as follows:—

Corporal Cooke, R. C., to W.O. II; Corporal Williamson, N. I., to Sergeant; Corporal Senior, T. C. M., to Sergeant; Corporal Drysdale, A. J. M., to Sergeant; Corporal Gibbs, K. W., to Sergeant; Corporal Layman, P. T., remained Corporal; Lance Corporal Slee, J. C. M., to Corporal; Cadet Cruickshank, J., to Corporal; Cadet Cruickshank, I., to Corporal; Cadet Anderson, A. C. N., to Corporal; Cadet Murphy, V. L. C., to Corporal; Cadet Durston, L., to Corporal; Cadet Robinson, I. G., to Corporal; Cadet McCausland, G. W., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Brandenburg, I. R., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Anketell, R. J., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Campbell, A. F. G., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Denny, M. P. M., to Lance Corporal; Cadet Maitland, J. H. G., to Corporal; Corporal Cuming, K. J., to Staff Sergeant; Cadet Thomas, N. to Corporal.

CAMP, 1949

The Camp opened for Hale School on Saturday morning, the 30th April, at Swanbourne Military Camp. Unfortunately the lack of equipment impeded the issuing of the essentials, such as working dress and bedding. By Monday, everyone was happily settled and the camp life proceeded in a normal manner.

On Sunday, May 1st, an N.C.O.s' course was held. By the evening the promotions had been listed and the new N.C.O.s posted to their respective platoons.

A night firing demonstration, lantern stalk and battalion manoeuvre gave the cadets many thrills, especially in the latter, in which all schools present in camp participated. The shooting on the open range was not up to standard, but it is hoped that in the following two terms consistent practice will eradicate the majority of faults.

All members of the unit were able to handle and fire the Austen Machine Carbine, of whom the recruits in particular enjoyed the valuable experience.

Saturday, the 7th May, was the date for the termination of the Camp, and after the mid-day mess the unit was returned to school for the commencement of its well-earned holidays.

SHOOTING NOTES

The Interschool Shooting Contest for the Defence Cup was held on Saturday, 4th December at Swanbourne Rifle Range. The scores were very close with Scotch College, who scored 427 points, eventually proving the winners. They were closely followed by Aquinas College with 422 points, Guildford Grammar School with 408 points and Hale School with 401 points.

After shooting at the 200 yards mound had finished, only 4 points separated the first three schools. Aquinas were leading with 235 points followed by Scotch with 234 points and Guildford with 231 points. Hale was a bit behind, having scored only 213 points.

Our team consisted of Parker, S. (Captain), Senior, T. C. M., Cooke, J. B., Cooke, R. C., Moseley, F. A., Brand, J. A. G., Ball, A. R. and Slee, J.

On the day our best shots were Senior who scored 55 points, Parker, Moseley and Cooke, R. C., who each scored 54 points.

Senior is to be congratulated on being Champion Rifle Shot for 1948.

We would like to thank Mr. Drake and Col. Norman for the help and encouragement they gave to the team.

AIR TRAINING CORPS NOTES

As a result of meritorious passes at an N.C.O.s' school, held at week-end camps over a period of six months, Cdts. A. House, Hunt, and Morrison were promoted to the rank of corporal, to assist F/L Adams in administration of the school flight. Regular proficiency tests have been held in armament, airmanship, and signals, with excellent results. Several interesting films have been shown as part of the visual education section of the syllabus.

Monthly visits have been paid to Swanbourne Rifle Range, through the courtesy of the Dept. of Army, resulting in a great improvement in the marksmanship in the Corps.

A portion of 10 Flt. marched in the Anzac Day parade and, although some were in blue uniform for the first time and were taking part in their first public march, they performed like seasoned veterans.

The highlight of the year was the ten day camp at the R.A.A.F. Station, Pearce, during the first week of the May vacation. It was voted an unforgettable experience by all who attended. The Hale Flight was represented by 75 per cent. of its enrolled strength, and Cpl. Hunt was largely responsible for his hut being awarded highest points for neatness every day of the camp. Cpl. House was especially recommended by C.O. W.A. Squadron A.T.C. for sterling work, and was rewarded by an hour's flight in a Wirraway. He was also recommended for promotion to Sergeant. Unfortunately our flying programme was curtailed by the loss of "Aggie," who shed her tail wheel, and was subjected to her "40 hours" overhaul. The camp wound up with a chicken dinner followed by a camp concert, both of which went down well.

At the beginning of the first term 1949, a first year flight was formed, which, despite its lack of inches, holds some very promising material.

Our special thanks are due to Sgt. Harris, R.A.A.F. Pearce, for his untiring efforts to make us fit to parade before the A.O.C. Western Area, W/Com. N. Ford, A.F.C.

Those who witnessed and participated in the drill competition, will never forget "O'Grady Says."

We hope to conduct another N.C.O.s' school during the year, so that any cadets who believe that they have the qualities of leadership, for which the Corps stands, may have an opportunity to exercise those gifts.

BOXING NOTES

1948-49

Towards the end of last year and the beginning of this year it has been noticed that a much keener interest has been taken in boxing, especially in many sections of the Senior School. Many boys are at last realising that boxing is one of the essentials of school training.

On July 15th, the Annual School Boxing Tournament was held in the School Hall. Our thanks are extended to Mr. G. Thompson, who gave the School valuable assistance by refereeing the numerous bouts, many of which were most thrilling, especially the gory battle between K. W. Gibbs and B. Webb. The title of School Boxing Champion was contested by H. T. Loton and C. H. Heathcote, both of the leaving form. Loton won on a points decision, hard and conscientious training gaining him that well-deserved title.

The School expresses its appreciation to the 6B boys who erected the ring, and to Mr. D. Ryan for his experienced supervision of the boxing classes.

JUNIOR SCHOOL NOTES

At the beginning of the year, the following boys were appointed House Captains: K. Yelland (Le Couteur), T. O'Meehan (Faulkner), D. Lewis (Buntine), M. Murray (Wilson).

Buntine House was very successful in sport in 1948, winning the Cricket, Tennis, Football, and finally the Cock House Shield for the most successful House.

Members of the Junior School again attended swimming lessons at Crawley Baths on Friday mornings during first term.

JUNIOR SCHOOL FOOTBALL, 1948

First Round:—

Wilson 5.8 d. Le Couteur 1.0

Buntine 7.8 d. Faulkner 2.0

Le Couteur drew with Faulkner 5.6, 5.6

Buntine 4.3 d. Wilson 1.2

Wilson 3.9 d. Faulkner 1.1

Buntine 5.5 d. Le Couteur 0.2

At the end of the first round, Buntine led with 9 points, followed by Wilson with 6, Le Couteur with $1\frac{1}{2}$ and Faulkner $1\frac{1}{2}$.

Second Round:—

Wilson	3.9 d.	Le Couteur	0.0
Buntine	5.4 d.	Faulkner	2.2
Faulkner	4.6 d.	Le Couteur	2.1
Buntine	1.0 d.	Wilson	0.0
Wilson	2.6 d.	Faulkner	1.3
Buntine	6.7 d.	Le Couteur	2.1

The final points were: Buntine 18, Wilson 12, Faulkner 4½ and Le Couteur 1½.

JUNIOR SCHOOL DRAMATIC SOCIETY

On Friday and Saturday, the 23rd and 24th July, 1948, the Junior School presented four plays in the School Hall. Two very successful evenings were due to the work of Mr. G. F. Wakeford, who produced "Robert and Louisa" and "The Island of Sea Dreams;" Miss D. Green, who produced "Mother Fox and the Tiger;" Mrs. M. Blyth, who produced "Jim's Escape;" Mrs. H. Nottage, who was musical director, and Mr. Mill, who was business manager.

Throughout the evening, songs were sung by groups from Prep. and 1st Remove, 2nd Remove and 3rd Remove.

The following took part in the plays:—

Max Vinnicombe	Robert Readhead	Geoffrey Yeo
Barry Cameron	Neville Morlet	Brian Salecbe
Kit Clifford	Barry Randell	Peter Everett
Robert Hyde	Norman Bickford	John O'Meehan
Alastair MacMillan	Richard Holland	Jonathan Farmer
Darryl Brown	Barry Evans	John Garland
Lindsay Peet	Eli Isaac	Ron Hales
Reg Buhler	Michael Foulkes-Taylor	Keith Lippiatt
Walter Brockway	Timothy James	David Lewis
Rodney Mitchell	Denzil Sim	Jon Harris
Anthony Caola	Charlie Bates	Michael Wainwright
Colin Lippiatt	Owen Randell	Kevin Yelland
Keith Moore	Lester James	

Thanks are also due to Mr. Drake and the 6B boys who erected the stage.

JUNIOR SCHOOL CRICKET
FIRST TERM, 1949

The first two matches were played at King's Park on the 15th of March.

Results:—

FIRST ROUND

Buntine 7 for 64 d. Wilson 14. Best players: Buntine—Yeo, Lewis, Walsh. Wilson—Murray, Watt, Fisher.

Faulkner, 49 d. Le Couteur 25. Best players: Faulkner—Barr, Sketchley, Giambazi, O'Meehan, T. Le Couteur—Beech, Draper, Harris, Hyde, Wood.

SECOND ROUND

Faulkner 38 d. Buntine 32. Best players: Faulkner—O'Meehan, T., Barr, Sketchley. Buntine—Walsh, Lewis, Harris, Jennings.

Le Couteur 7 for 32 d. Wilson 31. Best players: Le Couteur—Yelland, Draper, Harris, Hyde. Wilson—Watt, Dorrington, Murray.

The final result of the competition was: Faulkner House first, Buntine House second, Le Couteur House third, Wilson House fourth.

JUNIOR INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS

For the second time, the four schools contested the annual Junior Interschool Sports. It was a fine, warm day, with a slight breeze and Hale School with 159 points just managed to gain the lead on Guildford Grammar School who were second with 146½ points, followed by Christchurch 135½ and St. Louis 135. The issue was always in doubt from the start and the final result, as the points indicate, was extremely close.

The thanks of Junior School are directed to Mr. Mill for his effective handling of the sports, and to his band of 6B helpers.

Results:—

Open

220yards—Devlin (St.L), 1; Holland (HS), 2; Smith (GGS), 3; Oliver (CC), 4. Relay—C.C., 1; H.S. and G.G.S., 2; St.L., 4.

Under 13

100 yards—Powell (HS), 1; Troode (CC), 2; Boylson (St.L), 3; McCullagh (CC), 4.

Relay—H.S., 1; C.C., 2; G.G.S., 3; St.L., 4.

Broad Jump—Boylson (St.L), 1; Bell (GGS), 2; Giambazi (HS) and Watson (CC), 3.

High Jump—Vinnicombe (HS), 1; Quinlan (St.L), 2; Cox (CC), 3; McAlpine (GGS), 4.

Under 12

100 yards—Silbert (GGS), 1; Hill (GGS), 2; Bourne (CC), 3; Williams (CC), 4.

Relay—G.G.S., 1; C.C., 2; H.S., 3; St.L., 4.

Broad Jump—Silbert (GGS), 1; Hicks (CC), 2; Jacobs (HS), 3; Bourne (CC), 4.

High Jump—Lippiatt (HS), 1; Casselas (St.L), 2; Hill (GGS), 3; Anderson (CC), 4.

Under 11

75 yards—Sketchley (HS) and Newton (St.L), 1; O'Connor (St.L), 3; Ednie-Brown (HS), 4.

Shuttle relay—St.L., 1; H.S., 2; C.C., 3; St.L., 4.

Broad jump—Sketchley (H.S.), 1; Newton (St.L), 2; Rowe (GGS), 3; Browne (CC), 4.

High Jump—Sketchley (HS), 1; Quinlan (St.L), 2; Mickle (GGS), 3; Porter (CC), 4.

Under 10

50 yards—Banks (St.L), 1; Moffat (GGS), 2; Watts (GGS), 3; Cox (St.L), 4.

Shuttle relay—H.S., 1; C.C., 2; G.G.S., 3; St.L., 4.

Under 9

50 yards—Brockway (HS), 1; Grant (GGS), 2; Fitzhardinge (CC), 3; Brophy (St.L), 4.

Shuttle relay—C.C., 1; G.G.S., 2; H.S., 3; St.L., 4.

JUNIOR SPORTS

The Junior School Athletic Sports were held on Friday, 15th October, at King's Park.

There were many parents and friends present, the day was a fine one, and the Sports were run smoothly, thanks to the services of Mr. Mill, Mrs. Blyth and some of the boys of 6B.

Open

220 yards—Holland (W), 1; Powell (F), 2; Lewis (B), 3.

Under 13

75 yards—Powell (F), 1; Lewis (B), 2; Morlet (F), 3.

100 yards—Powell (F), 1; Lewis (B), 2; Morlet (F), 3.

High Jump—Powell (F), 1; Vinnicombe (F), 2; Roberts (W), Wright (F), 3.

Broad jump—Giambazi (F), 1; Shotter (L), 2; Evans (B), 3.

Under 12

75 yards—Harris (B), 1; O'Meehan, T. (F), 2; Cameron (L), 3.

100 yards—Harris (B), 1; O'Meehan, T. (F), 2; Cameron (L), 3.

High jump—Lippiatt (B), 1; Nathan (B), 2; O'Meehan, T. (F), 3.

Broad Jump—Jacobs (W), 1; Cameron (L), 2; Murray (W), 3.

Under 11

75 yards—Sketchley (F), 1; Ednie-Brown (F), 2; Olney (L), 3.

100 yards—Sketchley (F), 1; Ednie-Brown (F), 2; Olney (L), 3.

High Jump—Sketchley (F), 1; Yeo (B), 2; Turkington (B), 3.

Broad jump—Sketchley (F), 1; Yeo (B), Rayner (B), 2; Williams, 4.

Under 10

50 yards—Thorne (W), 1; Brandreth (F), 2; Foulkes-Taylor (F), 3.

75 yards—Thorne (W), 1; Brandreth (F), Foulkes-Taylor (F), 2; Evans (W), 4.

Under 9

50 yards—Brockway (L), 1; Brown, D. (W), 2; Cameron (L), 3.

75 yards—Brockway (L), 1; Brown, D. (W), 2; Lippiatt (B), 3.

NOVELTY EVENTS

Senior

Sack race—Morlet, 1.

Siamese race—Evans and Wainwright, 1.

Backward crawl—Cope, 1.

Egg and spoon race—Randell, O., 1.

Senior House tunnel ball—Le Couteur, 1; Buntine, 2; Faulkner, 3; Wilson, 4.

Obstacle race—Wright, 1.

Relay race—Faulkner, 1; Buntine, 2; Le Couteur, 3; Wilson, 4.

Junior

Sack race—Hutchinson, 1.

Siamese race—Olney and Oldmeadow, 1.

Backward Crawl—Sketchley, 1.

Egg and spoon race—Oldmeadow, 1.

Tunnel Ball—Buntine, 1; Foulkner, 2; Le Couteur, 3; Wilson, 4.

Obstacle race—Sketchley, 1.

Shuttle relay—Faulkner, 1; Le Couteur, 2; Wilson, 3; Buntine, 4.

The final results were:—

Faulkner House, 109½ points; Buntine House, 66 points; Le Couteur House, 59 points; Wilson House, 47½ points.

LIBRARY NOTES

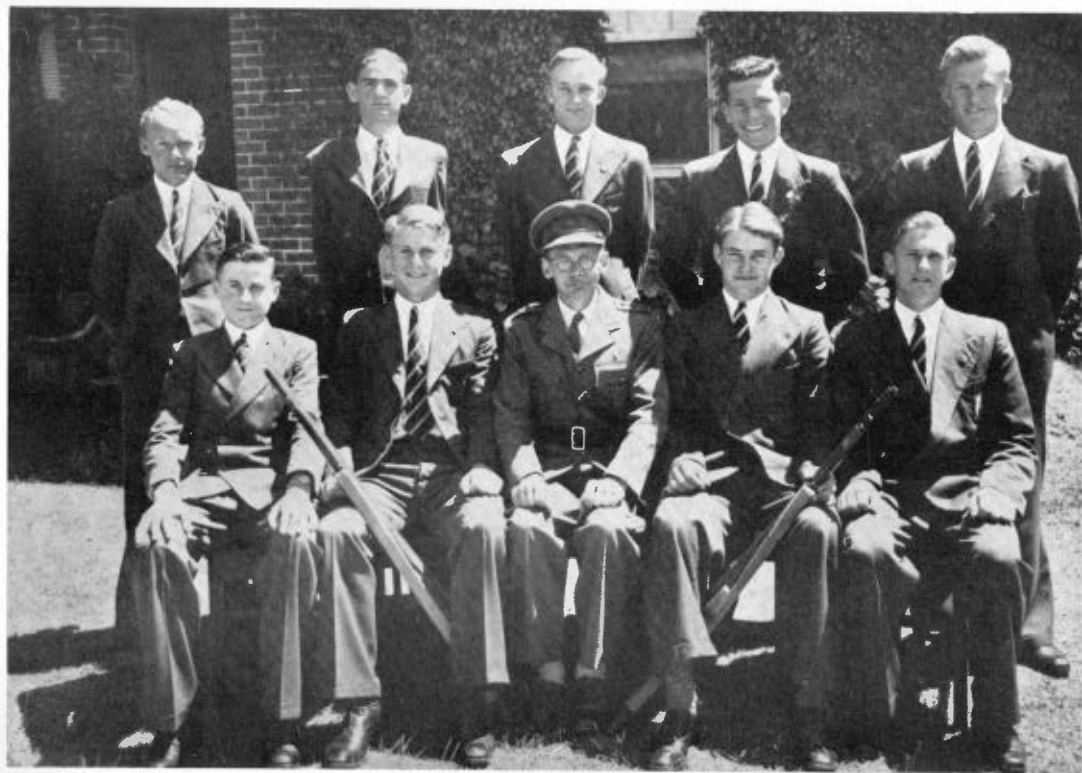
A new group of librarians, namely J. D. Arrow, G. Fotios, I. G. Hislop, M. G. McCall, J. Morrison, W. R. Robinson, M. Watson, joined the remaining members of last year's committee, G. W. McCausland and R. S. Wilson, with I. St.B. Cruickshank as head librarian.

A great number of books due to much handling are in need of minor repairs. During second term we hope to put most of the damaged books in good order and also to check the catalogue and find any misplaced books.

EXCHANGES

The Editor acknowledges the receipt of the following exchanges and apologises for any chance omission:

"St. Peter's College Magazine" (3 issues), "The Eagle" (3 issues), "The Leys Fortnightly" (6 issues), "The Dovorian" (2 issues), "The Corian" (2 issues), "The Pegasus" (2 issues), "The Hutchins School Magazine" (2 issues), "The Mentonian," "King Edward's School Chronicle" (2 issues), "The Torch Bearer" (3 issues), "Wesley College Chronicle" (3 issues), "The Swan" (2 issues), "The Armidalian" (2 issues), "St. Ildephonsus' College Magazine," "The Viking," "The Southportonian," "The Dragon," "The College Barker," "The Scotch College Reporter," "The Aquinas College Magazine," "The Camberwell Grammarians," "The King's School Magazine" (2 issues), "The Western Wyvern."



SHOOTING, 1948.

Back Row : F. A. R. Moseley, A. R. Ball, P. F. P. Anderson, J. A. G. Brand, R. C. Cooke.
Front Row : J. C. M. Slee, T. C. M. Senior, L. Drake, Esq., S. H. Parker, J. B. Cooke.

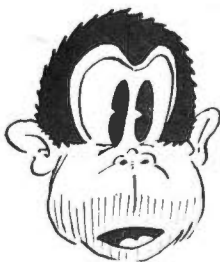


Original Column

THE BREAD OF SIGHS

Don't blame the bakers,
 Tummy-ache makers,
 Culinary fakers
 Of Hale School's bread.
 Stuff not worth biting,
 Coarse, uninviting —
 Nightmares of fighting
 Sit on us in bed

Silently hew it,
 Patiently chew it,
 Politely view it,
 As you may best.
 But nobly masticate,
 Process so intricate,
 Tummy so delicate
 Ache with the rest.



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THE CHARGE OF THE CADET CORPS

Half a mile, half a mile,
Half a mile onward,
All on the rifle range
Straggled the hundred.
"Forward No. One Platoon!
Charge for the guns!" he said.
So on to the rifle range
Charged the one hundred.

Sergeants to right of them,
Sergeants to left of them,
Sergeants in front of them
Bellow'd and thundered.
Stormed at with word like —
Badly they marched, some fell.
On to the fifty yards,
On to the .303's
Fell the one hundred.

Pulled all the triggers then,
Pulled without telling when
Frightening the scorers there,
Ruining the hills behind,
While all Perth wondered.
Plunged in the battery-smoke,
Bang! all the targets smote;
Private and Sergeant
Reeled from the "kick-back" stroke
Bruised and shattered,
Then they crawled back, but not,
Not the one hundred.

Sergeant to right of them,
Sergeant to left of them,
Sergeant behind them,
Bellow'd and thundered
Stormed at with word like —
While the fight-weary fell,
They that had fought so well,
Came from the rifle range
Back from the mouth of Hell,
All that was left of them,
Left of one hundred.

When can their glory fade?
O, the wild charge they made!
While all Perth trembled.

Remember the pain they bore,
Remember the Cadet corps,
Noble one hundred!

A.T.C.



ODE TO A NUTTY BAR

O lovely block of chocolate fudge,
For miles and miles to thee I'd trudge!
To take thee in my hand and bite
Puts me in transports of delight.
Thy long brown chocolate-coated form
Is all I yearn for, dawn to dawn.

What is it in a thing so small,
That does my very soul enthrall?
Perhaps the scrumptious nutty mess,
That does thy lush internals bless.
Whate'er it is, there's one great curse
Which is that thou suit not my purse.

(With apologies to William Collins)—Bod.



A CRYING SHAME

In view of the fact that prefects are becoming more and more like policemen (that is, Cops; to wit, Johns), the authorities have seen fit to increase the average height by the addition of the tallest boy in 6B.

This worthy person, whom we shall call C for simplicity's sake, has such an advantage over any argumentative type that he was hurriedly posted to catch late-comers. More was behind the move, for he alone can peer over the side fence and catch the lurking laggard.

At the end of three days of C.I.D. activities, he met his Waterloo.

It came about in this manner.

C had just commenced his rounds when he saw, with glee, a small Haleian whose whole demeanour exuded anxiety. At first the mite did not notice C, for he continued to creep towards the nearby corner of the school, until suddenly arrested by C's voice rolling down to him. With a horrified start the small unfortunate turned to behold a pair of trouser-legs advancing rapidly towards him. By craning his neck upward to its utmost, the guilty one managed to catch a glimpse of C's face. Terror-stricken, he recognised the wearer of the trousers.

Poor boy! he was only young, and it is no discredit to him that he burst into tears. The tears finished C!

In the harrowing scene which ensued C, near tears himself, gazed down with the air of a beaten man. What should he do? Could he send the mite to the Head?

With a few comforting words, he pardoned the young miscreant and disappeared around a corner, all pleasure in his duty gone.

C has now secured an inside job.

—Mc. 5A



ROWERS

Who are these large and muscle-laden hunks
Of thick-sculled*, clueless, blister-covered punks
Called Rowers?

*(Sculled—a rather skulful pun, rather beyond rowers.—Ed.)

Do they

Really row in eights upon the river?
And does their boat at each grunt give a quiver,
As strokes and bows
Both lift the prows?

I wonder.

So large and beefy are they that you'd think
That any normal sort of boat would sink
E'er half of them were seated.

But no,

They all assure me that their craft
Will hold them all and float. I nearly laughed
to think
of eight
misguided
and demented
persons

Each pulling at an oar
With neither reason nor

Ambition.

Be wise and stop this toil
On the Water, stay on soil
Where they play the greatest game in all the earth

— Cricket.

—Bod.



OLD BOYS

It was not quite 9 a.m. that day,
And I was early, strange to say;
I watched him as he turned and swayed
Into the school grounds on his way.

He must have lost his way thought I,
As on a garden seat nearby,
I saw him stop and resting gaze,
At the Gate and Drive with anxious eye,

So to him then I quickly went.
His hair was white, his figure bent;
I spoke to him in kindness;
He seemed so old, and somewhat spent.

I asked him where he wished to go,
If I could help him, let me know.
He answered me in cultured tone,
"It's Old Boys' Day, son, didn't you know?"

He talked to me of days gone by,
Of years ago when Hale was High,
Of schoolboy pranks with his pal Joe,
Memories blending smile with sigh.

Then to the gate I saw him go,
His steps much quicker, eyes aglow;
With smiling faces, outstretched hands
They met, two school mates, Bill and Joe.

And as the whistle shrilly blew,
They straightened up, their hearts anew.
Into the line they quickly filed
To answer the call, to tradition true.

—Kit



THE NIGHT RAIDERS

There is a patter of bare feet,
A creaking of the planks;
And all the beds that were so neat,
Are tossed about by cranks.

One iron bed is upside down,
Another on its side,
As down the dorm. comes one poor clown,
And slips upon his hide.

Then out the window flies a rug,
Skids down the dorm. a sheet;
But it is stopped by some poor mug
All ready to retreat.

A sudden click! the light is on,
And in walks Mr. "A."
He picks up one poor little Don,
All breathless as he lay.

Now go down stairs, you naughty boys,
And you will get the cane:
So all the mutts who made the noise
Have never erred again.

—An Experienced One.

OUTCAST

I'm just a social outcast,
 I'm unwanted, left behind.
 I never go to dances,
 I'm the slowest type you'll find.
 I couldn't tell a quickstep
 From a Tango or a Waltz;
 No wonder girls all shun me
 'Cos my dancing's full of faults.
 I'm knock-kneed, long and lanky,
 And my hair won't stick down flat;
 My clothes are old and baggy,
 And the Socials don't like that.
 I haven't got that manner
 That desirable finesse.
 In fact, I must admit that
 I'm an awful social mess.

—Bod.



THE FIRST DAY OF MUSTERING

Clank, clank, clank went the mill,
 As I lay in my bed through the night.
 The muster was starting tomorrow,
 The men would be off with the light.

The old truck was ready full-laden,
 The horses were fresh in the yards,
 The dogs were tied up in the kennels,
 The men gambling fortunes at cards.

At sunrise the old truck was chugging,
 The men cantered out for the chase,
 On horses grown restive from waiting,
 And were soon setting off at a pace.

So once more the muster had started,
 The dogs barking out their delight,
 As one by one the men mounted,
 And rode through the scrub out of sight.

J.P., 4A



MY FAVOURITE BOOK

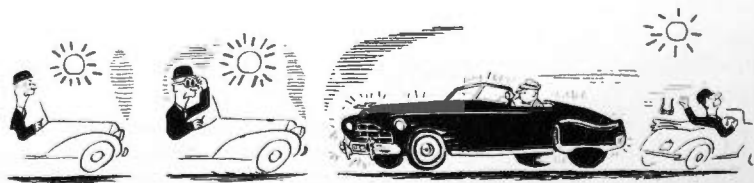
Give to me the Geometry book,
 And I'll learn it off like a babbling brook,
 But Mr. Edwards can tell by my look,
 That I don't really understand that book.

So because I didn't know the book,
 Three hours on a Saturday morn it took,
 Trying to get that certain look,
 As if I didn't know it like a babbling brook!

For theorem five, theorem six I mistook,
 And all because I didn't know that book.
 For all I know I might turn out a cook
 And all because I didn't have that look.

But I've had that book
 And I may be a cook.
 Why? I can't get that look,
 From that certain book.

T.G





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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Presented to the Annual General Meeting of
Members of the Old Haleians' Association
on Tuesday, 8th February, 1949.

Gentlemen,

It is with pleasure that I present for your approval the annual report of your Association for the year 1948.

Committee

The committee of this association has conducted the usual monthly meetings in the Headmaster's study at the School and over the year an 80 per cent. attendance has been recorded, which is excellent considering the number of young committee men, who incidentally have taken a very keen interest in the activities of the association, both in the administration side as well as the organising of the social activities.

Financial

During the year this Association has progressed, and an excess of revenue over expenditure of £132/6/11 has been shown, full details of which will be submitted by the Honorary Treasurer.

Commonwealth Bonds

With the purchase of a further £100 worth of Commonwealth bonds during the year, the total of life member subscriptions so invested now totals £810.

Donations Made

	£	s.	d.
Athletic Club	5	5	0
New Boat for School	25	0	0
Cost of Cygnets	50	0	0
School Trophies	10	10	0

Membership

The total of life members at the present time stands at 223 and ordinary membership at 269 giving a total membership of 492.

This membership although an improvement on previous figures still leaves a lot to be desired in the building up of the association.

News Letters

Two news letters were sent out during the year to all financial members and our thanks are due to both Mr. Murphy and the Captain of the School for their contributions.

Cygnets

Approximately 500 Cygnets were issued by your association to financial members. This year the Cygnet was up to its previous excellent standard and our thanks are due to all contributors.

Board of Governors

During the year Messrs. Arthur Christian and Robert Ainslie were appointed to fill vacancies on the Board and our good wishes are extended to them for a long and useful service to the School.

Social and Sporting Activities

This year the Association has had quite a successful run of social and sporting activities.

The usual roll-call and Cricket day was held on 1st March, and although it was not possible to fill a team of Country Old Boys, two matches were arranged at the W.A.C.A., one the School v. Old Boys and the other a mixed team of the Older Old Boys. The Premier, Mr. Ross McLarty, and Mr. Hubert Parker, M.L.C., were guests of honour at the luncheon which was held in the clubrooms.

Mr. Cyril Cornish, an Old Boy of the School, kindly presented a bat for the outstanding school boy cricketer of the day. This was won by B. Dymock, Captain of the school.

Old Boys' Day will be held as usual this year, 1949, on the 21st February at the W.A.C.A. ground.

On boat-race night, a very successful buffet-dance was held at Tintern Lodge and something like 400 people attended, many of whom were Old Guildfordians and our congratulations are extended to Guildford on their very fine, though overdue, win of the Head of the River.

The Old Haleians' Annual Ball was held this year at the Y.A.L. Hall and an excellent evening was spent. This was a departure from previous years, when the ball was held at the Embassy, but it has been found over the last two or three years that this resulted in a financial loss to the Association. The saving in rent and other outgoings has turned this function into a financial success, although a profit of only £15 was somewhat disappointing.

On inter-school sports' night, a buffet-cocktail party was held at the Ocean Beach Hotel. This was also very well attended.

Hockey Club

The Old Haleians' Hockey Club, under the club captaincy of Barney Hancock, has had quite a successful year, although the A1 team did not reach the finals. Reserve grade were runners up and the B2 teams and the juniors were both premiers in their respective grades. Many thanks are due to Dr. Lindsay Gray for his coaching and once again Giffy Lewis did a fine job as honorary secretary.

No Old Boys' dinner was held this year, owing to the difficulty in obtaining accommodation. This is regretted by your committee and it is their sincere wish that this function will be revived in the coming year, because it is very necessary for various types of social activities covering the full age range of Old Boys.

Gentlemen, I do not intend to reiterate the doings of the School over the last 12 months. You have been made well acquainted with these facts by the Press, the "Cygnet" and the News Letter. As you are doubtless well aware the School is full to capacity of both day scholars and boarders, which is a sign of the times, and it is hoped the time is not very far distant when the School will be moved to its new location, with an increased capacity.

I must take this opportunity of expressing our grateful thanks to Mr. Murphy for his excellent handling of the school's affairs. It has been a pleasure to have him present at our meetings, and his keen interest in the Old Boys' affairs and activities has been indeed very

encouraging. The use of his study for our committee meetings certainly gives a positive connection with the attendance of the School. And we must not forget our master and committee man Bill Altorfer who has also been an excellent liaison officer between this Association and the School.

Secretary and Treasurer

Mr. Tom Eyres, in acting as Honorary Secretary of the Association, has certainly done a very fine job. His constant energy and endeavours to make the work of the office bearers of the Association easier have been very refreshing. He has indicated his reluctance to carry on the secretaryship, owing to the pressure of work in his own business and we feel it will be a sad loss to the Association. He certainly has set a high standard for his successor to follow. As treasurer Mr. Rod Isaachsen also did splendid work and he has never had any hesitation in doing that little extra beyond his duties.

In conclusion, Gentlemen, I wish to thank all members of this Association for their hearty co-operation throughout the year; and the continuance of this feeling, I am sure, will lead to the strengthening and enlargement of this Association, thus enabling a greater amount of assistance in all ways to be given to the school.

J. JACKSON, President.



BUSINESS NOTICES

The annual subscription of the Old Haleians' Association is 10/6, or £1/10/- for three years in advance, and dates from January 1st in each year. The subscription for life membership is £10/10/-.

Members are entitled to admission to every entertainment of the Association and to each issue of the Cygnet. They are also entitled to wear the blazer, badges and colours of the Association and to become members of any of its subsidiary athletic clubs.

Old Boys are requested to keep in touch with the Association through the Honorary Secretary, Charles Veryard, whose address is A.M.P. Chambers, 25 William Street, Perth. News of the activities of Old Boys is always welcome and will be incorporated in circulars and newsletters which will be published periodically. More letters will mean more information to be published and more regular publications, so, Old Boy, help us to help you by writing often to your Association.

OLD BOYS' DAY

The following Old Boys answered their names at Assembly on Old Boys' Day:—

Ainslie, R.	1918-26	Jones, K. S.	1927-34
Allan, D. N.,	1946-48	Lacy, E. P.	1912-15
Armstrong, J. W.	1936-37	Law, G. O. S.	1915-24
Arney, E. B.	1908-16	Lodge, R. J.	1907-11
Armstrong, R. H.	1939-41	Loton, E. T.	1906-12
Atkins, L. F.	1892-95	Loton, H. T.	1943-48
Atkins, P. H.	1940-45	Mead, R. P.	1914-19
Basford, L.	1931-36	Mackenzie, D. F.	1935-45
Battye, J. E. D.	1915-19	Mitchell, C. E. H.	1904-08
Bonnerup, I.	1935-38	Morrison, J. W.	1912-13, 17-18
Brine, W. L.	1903-04	Olden, A.	1942-43
Cameron, A. K.	1924-27	Olifent, P. J.	1934-37
Chase, C. L. D.	1913-21	Peet, C. E.	1917-21
Christian, A. H.	1918-22	Peet, P. T.	1918-20
Cohen, J. R.	1936-46	Purser, E. P.	1930-38
Cooke, J. B.	1947-48	Radden, B. G.	1947-48
Craig, D. J.	1938-43	Rosier, B.	1941-44
Dickson, R. C.	1903-09	Rosser, A. G.	1918-22
Durston, P. S.	1914-16	Saw, C. R. S.	1936-45
Evans, D. N.	1945-46	Shotter, V. W.	1915-21
Eyres, T. E.	1916-19	Strickland, F. W.	1917-21
Forrest, D. K.	1937-45	Summers, H. B.	1910-18
Glover, P.	1941-42	Summers, R. B.	1944-48
Guy, A. A.	1904-07	Foulkes-Taylor, D. C.	1906-09
Harris, W. T.	1896-1900	Veryard, C. J. B.	1914-17
Hartley, W. H.	1945-48	Walker, J. L.	1899-1904
Hingley, J. E.	1937-43	Wreford, W. F.	1933-36
Jackson, J. E.	1928-32	Walker, L.	1941-47
Jackson, K.	1930-39	Wheatley, E. H.	1931-33

ANNUAL FOOTBALL MATCH

The Old Boys' Football Match against the School will be played on Wednesday, 13th July on the Subiaco Oval. Old Boys who wish to take part should contact the Secretary or a member of the Committee. Game starts at 2 p.m.

COMING EVENTS

Social events rank high on the Association's arrangements for the next few months. Old Boys are requested to keep in mind the following functions:—

Annual Ball—At the Y.A.L. Hall, Murray Street, Perth, at 8 p.m. on Thursday, August 11.

Cocktail Party—At Tintern Lodge, West Perth, on Friday, October 7. This function will cater for country Old Boys, who will be in Perth for the Royal Show, and will be one of the few opportunities for them to renew their association with city Old Boys.

Cocktail Party--Probably on Saturday, October 22, after the annual interschool athletic meeting at the W.A.C.A. ground.

It is also hoped to revive the popular pre-war combined *Old Boys' Golf Match*. This will probably be held at the Royal Fremantle Golf Club in August. It is expected that a bogey competition will be held in the morning and a four-ball best-ball bogey match in the afternoon.

On Friday, May 6th, and on Friday, June 3rd, A "*Sundown*" *Get-together* for Old Boys was held in the snack bar of the Commercial Travellers' Association Club in St. George's Terrace, Perth. The success of each function was judged by the attendance on each occasion—between 65 and 75 Old Boys. The numbers included Old Boys from other schools and all voted it worth holding regularly. As a result this function will be held on the first Friday in each month in the snack bar of the C.T.A. club from 5.15 to 6.15 p.m. Old Haleians are invited to bring their friends with them.

COUNTRY REPRESENTATIVES

Steps have been taken to enlist the interest of country Old Boys by appointing Association representatives in various country centres. It is hoped that non-financial Old Boys as well as financial Old Boys will get in touch with their area representative for renewing or joining the Association in addition to arranging district socials for Old Haleians. The move is a result of the difficulty often experienced by country Old Boys in taking part in functions arranged in the city.

Old Boys are requested to co-operate with their country representatives in making social events that will be arranged, a success.

EVENTS IN YORK AND KATANNING

While the Headmaster was in York during the May vacation an Old Haleians' Dinner was held at the Palace Hotel on Friday, 6th May. All but two Old Boys of the district were able to accept the invitation to attend. Present were W. G. Burges (in the chair), Garnet Wood (Hon. Minister for Agriculture), Newton Burges and son Don, Tom and Dick Kelly, Sam and Roland Parker, Fred Fleay and son Nigel, Alec Forrest, Vern Veryard and Afric Tanner.

W. G. Burges proposed the toast of the School, coupled with the name of the Headmaster. He was supported by Garnet Wood, Parker, Tom Kelly, Alec Forrest and Vern Veryard. Mr. Murphy in replying outlined the problems that faced the school and asked those present for their support of plans for the future development of the School. He expressed the wish that there would be a revival of Old

Boys' activities in the various country centres. All our schools, he added, needed the fullest co-operation of their Old Boys if they were to keep their independence in a period when there was a tendency to nationalise not only industry but such professions as medicine and education. Freedom to choose the type of school one wanted for one's son was just as important as other freedoms.

In Katanning the Headmaster had the pleasure of meeting numbers of Old Boys and parents of present boys. Though no formal function was held — local political meetings and the Katanning Club Ball were strong counter-attractions! — quite a few foregathered for a yarn. Among those noted in and about the district were Keith House, Norman Anderson, Peter Anderson, Max Dale, John Anderson, Hardie, Grant and others

OBITUARY

Mr. L. F. ("King") Atkins, a prominent Old Boy died recently. He attended the annual Old Boys' Day at the School in February.

The late Mr. Atkins was prominently associated with the West Australian Trotting Association from its inception and, at the time of his death, was the senior vice-president of the W.A.T.A.

Three of Mr. Atkins's sons attended the school, Alf, Phillip and Peter.

His loss is a great one to the School and the Association.

GENERAL NOTES

Bruce Rosier has been elected president of the Guild Council of Under-Graduates at the University of Western Australia. Bob Walker, in his last year of law, is another Old Haleian on the Guild Council.

Bill Riley can be located at the Rectory in Dalwallinu.

Vic Ferry has packed his bags and gone to Ingham, Queensland.

Vern Mursell, now a captain in the permanent army, recently returned from England after over two years at the Military College of Science, Shrivenham. He was one of two Australians chosen to enter the advance class at the college. Vern is a graduate of the Royal Military College, Duntroon.

Frans Doddemeade has accepted a position with Penfolds Wines.

Andy Olney (chief Parliamentary roundsman), Charlie Ammon ("Follower" of the sports staff), Frank Bird (aviation and airport correspondent) and Bruce Shipway (police roundsman) are all on the literary staff of "The West Australian." Andy seems to be making regular

interstate trips with the Premier's party and enjoying life generally, but occasional attacks of malaria are still putting Charlie out of action.

John Milward was recently in Perth from Mt. Barker. He has a dairy farm in the vicinity. John spent a couple of days arguing with the State Housing Commission about a matter of policy.

Brien Taylor and Geoff Hammond were admitted to the Bar in March, having graduated from the University last year.

Norman Gilchrist, despite a troublesome knee, is distinguishing himself with the Perth Football Club as a wingman. He had a notable victory over the State wingman "Jock" Green (East Fremantle) at Fremantle oval recently. John Munro, State wicketkeeper this year, has donned the Claremont Football Club's colours for the winter. John was the only Old Haleian in the Sheffield Shield side and more than justified his inclusion.

Ross McLarty, the Premier, Val Abbott, the Chief Secretary, and Hubert Parker, the Minister for Health, Garnet Wood, Honorary Minister, are Old Boys who are members of the State Cabinet. It is doubtful if a State Cabinet ever included such a large proportion of Old Haleians.

Barry Newman is nearing the end of the Economics course at Melbourne University.

Bernie Surbek recently returned to Switzerland after ten years in Australia. Any Old Boy who wishes to get in touch with him should write to Iseltwald, Brienzeisee, Switzerland.

Lindsay Gray has been in Melbourne for about six months doing post-graduate medical study.

Derrick Thompson is studying for a Doctorate of Economics at the University of London.

Neil and Tony Mitchell are working at Barnong station, Wurarga. Colin and Murray Broad are back at Wagga Wagga station and Colin has been winning races with his horse, Carabul, at country meetings. Harry Broad is manager of Waradah station.

Hugh Sadler is at Ormond College, Melbourne University.

Charles Green, Australian hurdles champion and an Olympic representative for Australia in London, has taken a position at the Royal Melbourne Hospital as a physician. Charles (or "Mitzi" as we know him) is spending lavishly on photography, his latest hobby.

Charlie Veryard, who rowed in the winning crew of 1939, is now dairy-farming on his own account at Cowaramup. He is assisted by his wife Beth, and two children, Peter and Ann.

Merv. Barton is now in Kalgoorlie. On a recent visit to Neil Mitchell at Barnong station he fell from a horse and ended up in hospital for six weeks. Merv. reports that all is well again.

Doug. Craig recently returned from South Australia where he spent 12 months studying sheep-farming methods in that State.

Tim Clarke is a master at the School.

Clem Love is a district medical officer at the Royal Perth Hospital.

John ("Hooks") Olifent and Brian Guhl are frequently seen in the social life of Perth.

Blake Senior was in Perth recently from Sandstone. He spent a few weeks in the Eastern States where he met many Old Boys. He returned to spend the remainder of his vacation in Perth. Blake is still a keen cricketer.

Ken Tregonning was selected for the combined Australian Universities Rugby team which toured New Zealand last month.

Geoff Morlet was second in the Geelong College team of 20 to shoot in the Cadets interschool Cawley Cup last year.

PERSONAL NOTES

Engagements

Douglas Craig to Miss Mara French. Ray Stenberg to Miss Beulah Cover.

Marriages

Tony Davy to Miss Dawn Carey. Peter Anderson to Miss Elner Stewart. Geoff Hammond to Miss Betty Bahen. Donald Franks to Miss Audrey Davis. Spero Michelides to Miss Dawn Hack.

New Arrivals

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doddemeade — a son. To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Chipper — a daughter. To Mr. and Mrs. Ian Bonnerup — a daughter.

Vern Veryard, one time Captain of the School XI was seen in good form as Captain and 'keeper of the York XI during Country Week.

TWO NEW GOVERNORS

Messrs. R. Ainslie and C. J. B. Veryard have been elected to the Board of Governors of the School since the publication of the "Cygnet" last year.

Mr. Ainslie, who is well known in legal circles in Perth, was elected as a Governor following the death of Mr. Gordon James last

year. Mr. Veryard, the present secretary of the Association and a great worker for the School for over 20 years, succeeded Mr. John Morrison on his retirement from the position of Governor.

It is interesting to note that the following Old Boys have entered their sons at the old school for 1950 and later:— K. G. M. Brazier (3), W. J. Boyne, K. H. Wood (4), K. House (3), W. C. R. Pearse (2), R. T. Everett (2), B. N. Joel (2), W. McK. Grant (2), M. B. Baxter, G. Eves, J. H. Eyres, R. S. Hester, H. W. Kelly, D. N. Lyall, D. O. Stone, A. Tanner, L. Wheatley, F. D. Willmott, L. Airey, A. H. Christian, T. E. Eyres, R. C. Fordham, F. F. Grove, Kirby, J. H. Moore, L. Nathan, J. E. Nicholson, S. V. G. Parker, E. K. Woodroffe, W. S. Bagshaw, W. N. Copley, T. R. Matthews, K. L. Treadgold, J. Officer, H. Shapcott, F. E. Bremner, G. H. S. Hester, R. O. Holmes, A. R. Hardie, C. B. Mitchell, C. C. Readhead, K. Thompson, J. H. Broadhurst, L. W. Doncon, R. Parker, L. W. Riley, G. Stone (2), D. D. Keall. Several of these have boys now at school. The quantitative record goes to Wood, though if Keith House keeps his present two at school till '51 he will equal the Kelly family record — fours boys at school at the one time. The "long range" record goes to Doncon, who has his boy down for 1960! But even he hasn't the absolute record. There is one entry for 1962! What about it, Old Haleians?

OLYMPIC GAMES, 1948

Frank Bird, a former Captain of Athletics at the School and a member of the literary staff of "The West Australian" for many years, represented "The West Australian," the London "Sporting Life," the French evening paper "France Soir," and "The Times of Ceylon" at the IVth Olympic Games held in London last year. Here he gives a few interesting side-lights to the Games.

As a sports Pressman in Britain during 1948 it fell to my fortunate lot to cover some of the most important events in the world of sport. The English Derby was the most inspiring horse-race I shall ever see, the Gus Lesnevich-Freddie Mills world cruiserweight title fight was the most obvious lay-down that post-war professional pugilism has ever thrown in the face of a tiring public; the Test matches were dull enough to bore the most ardent partisan. But the Olympic Games, although austere in keeping with austerity Britain, were the biggest thing in sport one could ever imagine and all the adjectives one uses on a typewriter could never describe the magnificence of the "world fair of sport."

You have all read about the scenes on the arena at Wembley Park and perhaps I might be breaking new and more interesting ground if I were to tell you something of the background to the Games as I saw it, or in brief, the scenes behind the scenes.

Within the walls of a building in Upper Brook Street, London, were more press relations officers than one would think necessary for any organisation. But these men had a task in front of them — an unenviable one, too. Led by a former Fleet Street journalist named Ernest Bland, the press relations officers found that, although there was a branch of the British Olympic Federation for the purpose, they were quite often left with the job of billeting athletes as well as journalists. Here chaos started — so much so that, a few days before the opening of the Games on July 29, few Pressmen knew whether they would be able to get into the Press box at Wembley stadium or not. The British and American newspapermen were given their tickets first — I think over 200 of the 700 Press seats in the box went to the U.S.A. and a further 100 to Great Britain, so that about 400 remaining Pressmen from 60 different nations were left to battle for their tickets. When it came to the Australian journalists' turn to get their tickets it was found that only five tickets were left for 30 Pressmen. After a deal of haggling and a series of protest meetings, about 12 Australians took their seats in the Press box, while the others, who were not as fortunate, paid £16/16/- a head to enter the gates of the stadium.

Although representing newspapers in four different countries, I did not expect to be separated from my Australian colleagues in the Press box. However, on my arrival at the stadium on the opening day I found that I had been placed in the foreign section of the box — my fellow Pressmen being from Italy, Austria, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia and the Lebanon. After a day or so at the Games we settled in together and became quite friendly. For instance, we all congratulated the Czechs on the success of the brilliant Emile Zatopek in the 10,000 metres, and when John Winter won the high jump I came in for back-thumping and hearty hand-shaking. Together we would lunch and dine at the elaborate Press Club at Wembley, and at the end of the day's and night's sport would generally end up in a Soho restaurant comparing notes before we sent off our cables.

Radio Moscow provided us with a lot of fun during the Games and here is an example.

A few days after the Games had started I had returned to my hotel for the night when, about 1 a.m. the phone rang. It was a night watchman at the Wembley stadium who, for a moderate sum, was to let me know if anything unusual happened at the Stadium during the night. It had.

"Blinkin' flame's gawn aht," said my informer.

Without much ado I had phoned the London office of my paper and was on the way in a taxi to the stadium. On my arrival there were four other Pressmen there performing the most curious antics around the peristyle in which the Olympic flame was housed. After a thorough examination the unanimous opinion was that the Olympic

flame had gone out. We phoned our stories through to Cable and Wireless and said a weary goodnight.

On the following night Radio Moscow could not resist the opportunity that presented itself. In a 30-minute statement the announcer described the passage of the Olympic flame from Mt. Olympus to Calais, how 1,700 athletes had carried the lighted torch in a chain system until it was brought into Wembley stadium by young John Mark to the thunderous applause of 82,000 persons.

"Imagine the distance the flame travelled; then imagine it going out. Bungling Britain again!" finished the announcer with a flourish.

Incidentally, earlier the Russians had attacked Australia for including 13-year-old Marjorie McQuade in our swimming team. They called it "child exploitation."

Here is an episode that may be a sign of the times. It concerns a reporter from one of the big London daily newspapers.

After a particularly heavy day at Wembley Stadium, the majority of the Pressmen adjourned to the Press Club before going a few more yards down the Olympic Way to the Empire Pool for the night's swimming. The reporter in question had drunk a number of beers and, possibly under the influence, decided that he would not move from the bar but would cover the swimming from the large television set which was installed in the Press Club. To cut a long story short, he did. And his report was as accurate as those of us who had attended the swimming. I was later told that he had been granted a substantial weekly wage increase for his work at the Games!

ROWING EQUIPMENT FUND

In March the Honorary Secretary sent out a circular to Old Boys pointing out the serious position in which the School was placed with regard to its dilapidated rowing equipment. The response of Old Boys was excellent. From all parts of Australia Old Boys sent money to a fund for new rowing equipment and, to the time of going to Press, the amount raised was £272/5/9.

The money will be used to build up the school fleet which has been diminished to a racing eight, a practice eight and a practice four.

Mr. E. H. Lee Steere, of Hawthornden, Toodyay, contacted the Secretary early in May to tell him that he had decided to present a racing eight to the School in memory of his brother, Roderick, who was killed in action during World War II. His generosity at this crucial time in the rowing history of the School could never be more appreciated.

To all Old Haleians who answered the appeal made by the Secretary, the School and committee of the Association send their most heart-felt thanks.

No gift could have been more generous than that of the Old Boy who wrote that he would have to forgo joining the Association until he could afford 10/6 a year, but that the appeal of the Secretary for new rowing equipment impressed him so much that he was enclosing 10/- towards the fund. "It may help a little," he wrote. If all Old Boys had contributed 10/- the fund would have been filled with ease.

The following Old Boys made contributions to the fund:—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
L. Allen	3	3	0	G. Keys	1	1	0
L. F. Allen	3	3	0	N. Lappin		10	6
G. N. Altorfer		10	6	E. Lee Steere	20	0	0
R. M. Astle	5	5	0	L. Lee Steere	3	3	0
E. P. Anderson		10	0	B. T. Loton	1	0	0
N. Anderson	20	0	0	E. T. Loton	5	0	0
G. Bartlett	1	1	0	H. T. Loton	1	0	0
P. Bateman	1	0	0	D. Maidment		15	0
R. Breedon	1	1	0	K. G. Marlin	1	1	0
J. S. Brisbane	1	0	0	D. Meade		5	0
W. Broad	1	0	0	A. McDougall	2	2	0
Capt. B. L. Bogle	2	2	0	R. McDougall	2	2	0
S. L. Bogle	1	1	0	K. McKenna	1	0	6
I. Bonnerup	2	2	0	A. M. McLarty	1	0	0
A. M. Buchanan		10	6	C. A. Mitchell	1	10	0
R. G. Burges		10	6	C. E. H. Mitchell	5	0	0
W. G. Burgess	5	0	0	N. H. Mitchell	2	0	0
Hon. L. Craig	3	3	0	J. G. Money	5	0	0
G. Craik	2	2	0	V. Mursell	2	2	0
C. Chase	2	2	0	A. B. Newman		10	6
D. Clarke	1	0	9	H. B. Norman	1	1	0
D. F. Coates		10	6	M. O'Connor	5	0	0
J. C. Cockburn	1	0	0	H. Parker	1	1	0
A. H. Christian	3	3	0	R. Parker	1	1	0
E. M. Crossley	1	0	0	C. E. Peet	5	0	0
A. Curlewis	2	2	0	J. A. Prater	1	11	6
A. C. Curlewis	2	2	0	A. Raphael		10	6
J. B. Curlewis		19	6	K. C. Ratalic	1	2	0
Dr. G. Davies	2	2	0	L. W. Riley	3	3	0
J. C. Dermer		5	0	R. P. Roberts	2	2	0
F. Doddemeade	1	1	0	D. G. Robinson		10	6
R. Elliott		10	6	A. G. Rosser	10	0	0
T. E. Eyres	2	0	0	J. C. Russell	1	1	0
W. Frame		10	0	H. Sadler	1	0	6
J. Forrest	5	0	0	A. G. Staines	1	0	0
P. D. Forrest	3	3	0	C. R. B. Saw	5	0	0
D. C. Foulkes-Taylor	10	0	0	W. W. Saw	1	1	0
V. W. Fountain	1	0	0	R. Stephens		10	0
I. R. Gibbs	5	5	0	B. Simpson	1	1	0
D. D. L. Gordon	5	5	0	C. G. K. Smith	1	1	0
Dr. L. R. Gray	1	1	0	F. J. Stone	5	0	0
M. M. Gray		10	6	A. A. Strickland	2	2	0
H. V. Halbert	5	0	0	F. W. Strickland	5	0	0

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
J. Homewood	4	3	6	C. J. B. Veryard	2	2	0
H. E. House	5	0	0	H. Vivian	1	1	0
K. House	5	0	0	C. Walters	10	6	
J. E. J. Jackson	5	0	0	N. Warwick	1	1	0
T. A. James	3	0	0	R. M. Wheeler	1	0	0
E. F. Johnston		9	6	J. S. Yeo	5	5	0
K. G. Jones	1	0	0	Sundry Donations	2	0	0
P. Kelly	1	0	0	Surplus Rovers' Dance	1	16	0
A. C. Kenrick		10	0	Harry Brood, Yalgoo	5	0	0
L. V. Sutton	1	1	0	I. Wilkins	5	0	0
W. D. Taylor		10	6	J. Cockburn	1	1	0
J. Temby	1	1	0	J. B. Mitchell	2	2	0
R. H. Thompkins	2	0	0	W. N. Hatcher	10	6	

BALANCE SHEET

As at 31st December, 1948.

LIABILITIES

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Surplus Account—						
Balance as at 31st December, 1947	693	16	8			
Add Excess of revenue over Expenditure for Year	132	6	11			
				826	3	7
Subscriptions in Advance				42	14	6
				868	18	1

ASSETS

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cash				58	18	1
Investments—						
Commonwealth Treasury Bonds—						
3 % Sept. 1952	40	0	0			
3¼ % Oct. 1958	300	0	0			
3½ % Sept. 1959	100	0	0			
3¼ % Sept. 1959	20	0	0			
3¼ % Oct. 1960	120	0	0			
3¼ % Sept. 1961	130	0	0			
3½ % Sept. 1962	100	0	0			
				810	0	0
				868	18	1

Hon. Treasurer, R. Isaachsen.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE

For twelve months ended 31st December, 1948.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Petty Cash, Postages, Revenue						
Telephone, Printing, Stationery . . .				39	13	7
„ Circular Letter				4	7	6
„ Cygnet				50	0	0
„ Donations				40	10	0
„ Bank Charge				1	0	0
„ Secretary Honorarium				26	5	0
„ Sundry Functions—						
Old Haleians' Day	11	10	11			
Annual Meeting	12	11	6			
				24	2	5
				185	18	6
Transferred to Surplus Account—						
Excess of Revenue over expenditure				132	6	11
				318	5	5

By Subscriptions—

Annual:

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
In advance 1/1/1948	36	10	6						
Cash during year . . .	136	13	6						
	173	4	0						
Less in Advance at									
31/12/1948	42	14	6						
				130	9	6			

Life:

Cash during year . . .	73	10	0						
				203	19	6			
„ Donations				18	18	11			
„ Interest Commonwealth Bonds				22	16	11			
„ Sundry Functions:									
Annual Ball	15	1	11						
Cocktail Party	46	5	4						
Cocktail Party	11	3	10						
				72	10	1			
				318	5	5			

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